

SUDDEN DEATH OF HOOD RIVER BANKER

John Hogarth Osborne, former vice-president of the Hood River Banking & Trust Company, died suddenly at his home in Hood River, Oregon, on Tuesday, June 6, 1911. He had been in failing health for more than a year, and was forced to retire from business life last January. However, his condition had been much improved for the past few weeks and it was thought he would recover. He played a game of tennis with friends the day before and the following morning a recurrence of a nervous breakdown ended in death. Mr. Osborne was born in Sioux City, Iowa, November 10, 1870, where he lived most of his life, and was well known and prominent both in banking and social circles. He was president of the Riverside Boat Club in 1906, and for fourteen years was an officer of the Live Stock National Bank, from which he resigned to come to Hood River. He was vice president of the Hood River Banking & Trust Company from its organization in the spring of 1907, until last January, when he was taken ill. Mr. Osborne was married to Alice F. Phillips, April 2, 1902, in Terre Haute, Indiana, and is survived by Mrs. Osborne and two little daughters, Helen and Florence. On account of illness, Mr. Henry D. Osborne, father of the deceased, and Mr. Edward Phillips, brother of Mrs. Osborne, were unable to attend the funeral services. Funeral services were held at the home, 921 State street, Thursday afternoon at four o'clock, Rev. Edward A. Harris officiating.

J. A. Epping, H. T. DeWitt, W. L. Clark and W. M. Stewart are fishing on the Deschutes river this week.

LOCAL TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Real estate transfers in Hood River county for the week ending June 10, 1911, as reported by the Hood River Abstract Co.:
 Jesse Brooks to B. Lee Paget, 20 acres in Upper Valley.
 Leda Berens Reeves to Hood River Orchard Land Co., 21 acres in Oak Grove district.
 Hood River Lumber Co. to W. S. Chapman, trackage north of Mt. Hood depot.
 H. C. Coe to S. W. Arnold, W½ lot 2, block "C" Coes 2nd addition, and 100x33.5 feet west thereof.
 E. T. Folts to E. E. Rugg, Sr., 40 acres at Booth's Hill.
 Elizabeth E. Chapman to N. W. Chapman, 950 feet trackage north of freight depot.
 F. R. Brydle to J. Adrian Epping, 10 acres in Oak Grove district.
 B. R. Tucker to Edgar M. Holman, lot 12, block 3, Stranahan addition.
 Lewis A. Tucker to Rozella Clark, 80 acres at Cascade Locks.
 C. A. Heath et al to J. Adrian Epping, 80 acres on East Side.
 Lucy Dimmick to G. F. Purdy, 10 acres near Odell.
 Mary E. Simons to Ida T. Dyer, 2.75 acres west of Tucker's bridge.
 Rebecca M. Lining to Grack P. Farris, 12.75 acres south of town.

PAINTER KILLS LARGE BEAR

A large bear was killed in the Upper Hood River Valley by L. F. Morris, a painter here.
 John Zoils has completed the cement walk on the south side of Oak street west from Third.

REQUIRES REPORT ON INJURIES TO LABORERS

Any person, firm or corporation, employing labor, who employs more than three persons at the same time, shall report to the Commissioner of Labor Statistics and Inspector of Factories and Workshops any and all accidents happening to any person in their employment, and said person, firm or corporation are required to give the name, sex, age, and the particular employment of the person so injured, and explain the nature of the accident and the date and place of occurrence of the same. Provided, however, that no such report need be made if the person be not in any way incapacitated from immediate continuance of his duties, and the services of a physician be not required. When any personal injury, of which notice is required to be sent to the Commissioner of Labor Statistics and Inspector of Factories and Workshops under this act, results in the death of the person injured, notice in writing of the death of such person shall be sent forthwith to the Commissioner of Labor Statistics and Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

POSTOFFICE DESIGNATED POSTAL SAVINGS BANK

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 allowed to deposit more than \$100 in one calendar month nor to have a total balance to his credit of more than \$500 exclusive of accumulated interest. Savings certificates can not be transferred. In opening an account a depositor is supplied with an envelope in which he may keep his certificates. On this envelope is printed information for his guidance, and also a blank ledger record on which to keep an account of his deposits and withdrawals. Postmasters are not allowed to receive deposit certificates for safe keeping.

Amounts less than \$100 may be saved for deposit by the purchase of 10 cent postal savings cards and adhesive 10 cent postal savings stamps. Each postal savings card contains blank spaces to which postal stamps may be attached, and a postal savings card with nine stamps affixed on it will be accepted as a deposit of \$1.00 either in opening an account or in adding to an existing account.

Interest will be allowed on all deposits at the rate of 2 per cent per annum, computed on each savings certificate separately, and payable annually. No money will be paid on money which remains on deposit for a fraction of a year only. Compound interest is not allowed on an outstanding certificate, but a depositor may withdraw interest payable and include it in a new deposit, which will bear interest at the regular rate.

A depositor may at any time withdraw the whole or any part of his deposits, with any interest payable, by presenting his certificates, properly endorsed, for the amount desired.

In case of the death of a depositor the amount standing to his credit will be paid to the executor or administrator of his estate upon compliance with the regular requirements. In case no formal administration is desired by his relatives, the postmaster may, if he deem it proper, be authorized to pay the amount of the deposit on application in proper form to the person entitled to receive it without the appointment of an administrator.

A woman who opens an account and afterward marries must present her savings certificate at her office in order that the certificate may be endorsed as payable to her in her new name. The postmaster will receive no further deposits from one failing to comply with this requirement. Nor will he make any partial or interest payment to her.

A depositor will be allowed to convert his deposit certificates into United States registered or coupon bonds bearing a two and a half per cent interest. Savings deposits converted are not counted a part of the maximum of \$500 allowed one depositor, and there is no limitation upon the amount of available postal-savings bonds which may be acquired by a depositor. Postal-savings bonds are exempt from taxes and duties.

"The postal-savings system will not appeal in the least to people of the Hood River Valley," Postmaster Wm. Yates is quoted as saying, in an interview concerning the new postal savings bank for Hood River, "as they are progressive, and nowhere in this vicinity is there found any disposition to hoard money. Those who have sums exceeding \$100 will seek the savings departments of the National and state banks, where they will get a larger interest than that paid by the postal banks."

REPUBLICANS ELECT THEIR REGULAR NOMINEE

A. G. Rushlight, regular Republican nominee, was elected mayor of Portland.
 Neat job printing at News office.

INSURANCE AGENT BUYS RANCH HERE

Harry Fenstamaker, general agent of the Continental Life Insurance Company, of Salt Lake City, Utah, has purchased through the firm of Dimmick & Hadlock, the Geo. H. Steinhoff five acre tract for a consideration of \$8,000. This tract lies just off the Belmont road on what is known as Avalon Way, and is considered one of the choice tracts of this size in the valley.

Mr. Fenstamaker will not occupy the place for two years, but will remain in Montana during that time, where he will have charge of the company's business. Mr. Steinhoff will care for the place until October of this year, when he and his family will make an extended trip to Galveston Texas, where they will visit friends and relatives, after which they will return to Hood River and make their future home.

APPEARS JOKE IS ON THE CANDIDATES

A special to the Portland Journal says "The ardent politicians who have been grooming candidates for postmaster of Hood River are doomed to disappointment. William Yates, the present postmaster, who resigned several months ago and who it was thought would be succeeded at once by another appointee, has received notice to be present at a meeting at Astoria in the near future to study the postal savings system and has also been notified to secure a new bond, which indicates that he will be retained in office."

SEW PELT TOGETHER AND USE FOR RUG

Under the new bounty law it will not be necessary to cut off both front feet of the pelt of the animal as formerly. The entire pelt is to be brought in and presented to the county clerk, who will cut a slit extending from one eye hole to the other. This can be sewed up afterwards and the pelt used for rugs or mounting.

ROOSEVELT MAY NOT SUPPORT TAFT IN 1912

"President Taft, in his candidacy for the Presidential nomination in 1912, will receive the unqualified endorsement of ex-President Theodore Roosevelt, which will be uttered just as cordially as it was prior to the campaign of 1908."

Theodore Roosevelt, in his response to inquiries as to the truth of the statement that he had pledged his support to Taft for renomination sent the following telegram to the United Press:

"The statement that I have pledged myself to anyone for the nomination is absolutely false. I have neither done so nor discussed doing so. The story is made out of whole cloth."

Union Services

By a friendly agreement, the four down town churches holding evening services will unite for evening worship after next Sunday night, the services to be held in the various churches and the ministers exchanging pulpits. The following order has been arranged:

- June 18—United Brethren church, Rev. E. A. Harris, preacher.
- June 25—Christian church, Rev. J. B. Parsons, preacher.
- July 2—Congregational church, Rev. E. McOmber, preacher.
- July 9—Methodist church, Rev. T. S. Handsaker, preacher.
- July 23—Congregational church, Rev. J. B. Parsons, preacher.
- July 30—Methodist church, Rev. E. A. Harris, preacher.
- August 6—United Brethren church, Rev. E. McOmber, preacher.
- August 13—Christian church, Rev. J. B. Parsons, preacher.
- Aug. 20—United Brethren church, Rev. T. S. Handsaker, preacher.
- August 27—Methodist church, Rev. E. McOmber, preacher.

The entertaining pastor will conduct the service and arrange for the music, and the pastor assigned will be responsible for the address. It is hoped that great good will come of these opportunities for fellowship.

Bids For Wood

Bids for wood for Pine Grove School will be received by the undersigned as follows:
 30 cords of 4 ft fir wood, cut from live trees and of first class quality to fire wood, the same to be delivered and piled in the basement of Pine Grove School house, between July 20th and Sept. 1st, 1911.
 R. H. WAUGH, Dist. Clerk.

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