

COUNTY COURT
PAYING SUPERVISORS.

Several Road Petitions Passed Upon Yesterday.

SUPERVISORS SETTLING FOR YEAR

A very Busy Session. List of Claims will be Published Next Week.

The county commissioners have been having a very busy session this week, settling with all supervisors who have come before the court.

Petition Dave Wenger, et al, for change in county road, Sec. 3, T. 1, N. R. 3, W.; bond filed and approved; Abe Holcomb, Jacob Wilson and M. Kehrl appointed viewers to meet at D. Wenger's place, February 19, and survey said proposed change.

Petition H. P. Stowell, et al, road 394; proof of posting notices filed; also a remonstrance; continued until March term.

Report of viewers road 393, for damages, approved. Ordered that petitioners pay damages to W. C. Davison in sum of \$20. Road ordered opened.

Review of Farmington - Scholls Bridge Road: Position granted and Herman Bogo, C. Rehe and Joseph Robinson appointed viewers to meet with D. C. Walker at Farmington Store, February 10, 1902, and review and resurvey said road.

The following claims were allowed road supervisors:

Table with columns: NAME, DISTRICT, AMOUNT. Lists names like John McClaran, J. A. Chapman, J. J. Wismer, etc.

Several of these were allowed small sums over these but this was drawn from the district road funds. There are yet two supervisors with whom to settle, Reverman of Centerville, and Ornduff of Laurel.

Mail Contracts.

The postal department has awarded four year contracts for our county mail routes to the following, compensation and number of trips named:

Cornelius to Blooming, tri-weekly, J. D. Merrill, \$150. Cornelius by Centerville and Harrison to Mountaineer, daily, J. H. VanLum, \$297.

Forest Grove, by Thatcher, Bakerfield to Hayward, try-weekly, G. Kessler, \$312.

Forest Grove, by Gales Creek, to Glenwood, daily, G. T. Varley, \$547. Hillsboro, by Glencoe, Lenox, Phillips, Bethany, Cedar Mill, to Portland, R. G. Morrow, \$935.

Hillsdale to Tigardville, daily, W. Frazier, \$330.

Portland, by Sylvan, Garden Home, Progress, and Kinton, to Scholls, Wm. Frazier, daily, \$546.

Timber to Buxton, Max Burg-holzer, bi-weekly, \$92.

All the above rated as daily are 6 times per week, Sunday excepted. The Forest Grove-Glenwood route bid was rejected as too high as was the Buxton-Bacona route, and the Hillsboro - Farmington - Laure bid suffered the same fate.

MRS. W. J. MERRILL.

Mrs. W. J. Merrill, of Cornelius, died at the family residence last Friday. The funeral took place Sunday at the Cornelius cemetery. Deceased's maiden name was Anna Lewis, and she was twenty-five years of age. She formerly resided in the Nehalem, near Vernonia, and eight years ago settled at Cornelius. She leaves one child one year old and her husband, to whom she was married two years ago.

Change of Business.

Notice is hereby given that I have disposed of my photographic business to O. M. Pope. I have wanted to make a move of this kind for a long time owing to the exacting nature of some of the work. I can recommend Mr. Pope to the fullest confidence of the public. I have known him several years as a first-class photographer and he is qualified by his knowledge and with a complete outfit of superior instruments, to give perfect satisfaction every customer.

W. R. HOYT.

The big turnip raised by John Loftis, of beyond Glencoe, has been photographed, and a half tone of the mammoth root published in the Evening Telegram. This was the fifty-pound vegetable, and it will be sent on to the Charleston exposition.

The county court will make a ruling that hereafter road supervisors must file a larger bond, and that they must report quarterly to the court, as to all work performed and all moneys received.

Hobos will soon commence to fight shy of this city, as it is decreed that all "vags" are to be put to work on the streets. All without visible means of support, and all "boes" found begging will be taken before the city recorder and then turned over to the marshal. They will be fed at the city expense, but if they refuse to work it is liable to be a thin diet—mostly bread and water. This will have the effect of causing this kind of "Willies" giving the city a wide berth. Four of them were pulled last night and given a hearing before the recorder today at noon. Each was fined twenty dollars by that officer, and the marshal will drill them on the streets.

The old issue of ten thousand dollars in city water and light bonds were finally located with the Duke M. Farson Company, of Chicago, and the owners but recently sent them on for liquidation. The bonds have been paid off and cancelled with money raised by the new issue made when the water plant was purchased. At the council meeting last night there was much satisfaction over getting this old paper out of the way. The council also voted a resolution to rigidly enforce the charter as regards to street improvements being paid for by abutting property owners.

Principal Barnes, of the Hillsboro schools, states that absence is getting to be somewhat of a nuisance in the district. The report for the month ending January 31, is—Number enrolled, 340; number attending, 323; number times tardy, 166; Absentees for month, 475. This per centage of absence would figure out a closed school for about a day and a half. This is a bad showing, but is partially accounted for by a cold snap and the reported scarlet fever, or diphtheria in the early part of the month.

James Neill, the great actor, became insulted at the horse-play in initiation by the Spokane Elks. This isn't of local interest, but several of the Hillsboro fire lads are wondering what Mr. Neill would do in case he should ever become initiated in the city fire department. J. I. Knight, formerly a member, but now of Seattle, is asked to solve this question for the benefit of the department.

Miss Jennie Greer has returned to Portland after a few days visit with her parents and attending the Goodin-Golden wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Goodin being her grand parents. Miss Greer is taking vocal lessons from Prof. Boyer, and her several solos at the Glenco family reunion gave evidence of her splendid vocal training.

Mr. J. A. Brown, of Portland, will deliver a lecture at the old Christian Church next Tuesday evening, February 11, in behalf of the Fraternal Brotherhood, an insurance organization. A local lodge is to be organized in this city the following day. The public is invited to attend the lecture.

Mr. Miller, who drives the Mays' freight team from Glencoe, states positively that his team is not responsible for the runaway of Mr. Tew's horse last week. He states that the horse was running away when his team turned into the street two or three blocks away.

R. B. Goodwin, who has been spending a few days at Glencoe, went up to Cornelius last evening for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Cornelius. In his ten days' stay in the country he has gained four pounds, and he thinks it high time he made back to Salem and work.

Postponed: Hard Times Mask ball announced for February 14, has been postponed until February 22. Hillsboro opera house; six prizes; Walker's orchestra. Good time guaranteed.

Rev. Risser and family have taken up their residence in this city where Mr. Risser will occupy the pulpit in the Congregational Church for the immediate future.

County Clerk Morgan today issued marriage license to Mr. Hulbert C. Wilkes and Miss Camilla Boyd, popular young people residing at Dilley.

Go to Pope, the photographer, on Second street, the Hoyt gallery, for up-to-date and handsome pictures. All work guaranteed. Our work speaks for itself.

Miss Bessie Sigler, now with the Portland Long Distance Telephone station, visited with her parents here over Sunday.

Complete line of flannelettes and outing flannels, at Schulmerich Bros.

The Epworth League will not give an entertainment on Washington's birthday, as previously announced.

For Sale—Two small work horses. \$45 cash down.—A. A. Phillips, Cornelius.

If you want a delicacy for the table order a dressed Belgian hare from C. A. Hoyt, Hillsboro.

Elder J. A. Brown will preach at the Christian Church next Sunday forenoon and evening.

Loaded shotgun shells; sporting goods, at Schulmerich Bros. Everything at very lowest prices.

Mr. J. E. Reeves, of Cornelius, "rained down" to the hub this afternoon.

Belgian hares for sale—Mrs. W. A. Finney, Hillsboro.

AIKEN CASE ON TO SUPREME COURT.

Bill of Exceptions is Settled and Allowed.

'LIFE' TO HAVE ANOTHER CHANCE

Was Sentenced to life Imprisonment by Judge McBride, last April.

James Aiken, who was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge McBride, April 10, 1901, for the murder of Gue Wue Sue, the Raleigh Chinaman will have one more try at liberty, successful or unsuccessful. His attorneys, H. T. Bagley, of this county, and Malarkey and Stout, of Portland, have prepared the bill of exceptions and the case of appeal will be filed in a few days.

Aiken is well known in this county, and although a hard character, there is some doubt as to his guilt. This being a criminal case, the Supreme Court will advance it on the docket and in three or four months Aiken will know whether or not he is to have a new trial.

DOWN WITH MONOPOLY.

St. Valentine's day is not the exclusive property of the tender-hearted unmarried. Is there a truer sweetheart in all the world than that dear "old girl" who has blessed your life for this last score of years? Then signify St. Valentine's day to her! A dozen silver forks, or a silver vegetable dish, or a jeweled brooch, purchased at Hoyt's, sent with your love on the Fourteenth, would establish a new order of things in your life, and break the monopoly now enjoyed by the youngsters. Does the wife deserve less than the sweetheart? Does sentiment only go with singleness? Commemorate this Fourteenth of February by a gift to that dear old girl.

City Dog Tax.

Marshal Atkinson says that he will at once start to collect dog license for the year 1902. He will collect two dollars for each female and one dollar for each male. The collections for 1901 were:

Table listing names and amounts for dog tax collection in 1901, including H. T. Bagley, W. H. Wehrung, W. D. Wood, etc.

Subscribe for The Argus—now. Seed Early Rose potatoes at Schulmerich Bros.

Estray Notice.

One bay, male colt with star on forehead, about two years old. One sorrel gelding, star on forehead, from ten to fifteen years old. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. Max Burgholzer, Timber, Ore.

For Sale.

Dark, dapple gray Shire and Arabian stallion for sale. Five years old; weight, 1,300 lbs. Imported English sire and Arabian dam. Inquire at this office.

Fire Insurance at Cost

In the O. F. R. Association, of McMinnville. F. E. Waters, agent, Forest Grove, Ore.

Cheat hay for sale. F. M. Heide, Hillsboro.

Old timers are now in their glory—the rains have come, and they are very welcome after the cold snap. Somehow, while cold and snow are all right in their place, things are out of joint in this section when we have neither nice weather nor rain.

BIRTHS.

Born, at Middleton, February 5, 1902, to the wife of John Fischer, a son.

Born, at Laurel, January 1, 1902, to the wife of Isaac Ennis, a son.

Born, at Laurel, January 20, 1902, to the wife of G. S. Robinson, a son.

Born, at Glencoe, January 24, 1902, to the wife of Charles Walter, a son.

Born, at Centerville, February 4, 1902, to the wife of Henry Vanderburg, a girl.

Money to loan in any amount.—John M. Wall, Hillsboro.

J. N. Grabel, now residing at North Yamhill, was in the city over Sunday.

Forest Grove has levied eight mills tax for the support of her public schools.

Keep the mud out of your house by buying a steel door mat from Schulmerich Bros.

Registered thoroughbred Short-horn bull for sale. See or write W. D. Quick, Mountaineer, Ore.

The Commercial Club last evening entertained the ladies of the city at a whist party in the club rooms.

Carl Sorenson, of Reedville, a native of Norway, has been admitted to citizenship by the county court.

Read Hoyt's display ad on opposite page. This is his last appearance. It may save you money—and you can't object to that.

The personal property of the late Jacob Brugger is to be sold on the 18th of the month at Cedar Mill. See the notice in another column.

William Siegrist, who is engaged in the jewelry business in the enterprising little city of Chehalis, Wash., writes for The Argus another year.

Schulmerich Bros. will pay the highest market price for first-class potatoes, in any quantity. Will also take a carload of the Peerless.

George Butler, who has been out at Phillips for some months, was in this week, "circulating around the circle" with the boys that he likes.

Justice Perry Watson, of Greenville, was in the city Tuesday evening, the same old, "unterrified" scion of Democracy that he always is.

Ladies, go to H. Wehrung & Sons to get your dress goods, flannels, outing flannels, underwear, blankets, etc. Finest line in Washington county.

Married: At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. Walter Reynolds, Hillsboro, Ore., Jan. 27, 1902, Mr. Albert I. Hall and Miss Edith P. Johnson, both of Glencoe.

E. Bross, managing editor of the Oregonian, passed through the first of the week enroute for Monmouth, where he addressed the Mid-Winter Term graduating class at the State Normal.

Log drives will soon be in order. If the rain keeps up sufficient to melt all the snow in the mountains, and there is plenty of it to satisfy even the most cranky on the subject.

To get through the world is not such an easy matter—unless you're getting your shoes at Dennis'. Do this and you can walk through any old difficulty! Highest quality—Lowest prices!

Did you say groceries? H. Wehrung & Sons is the place to get prime articles in this line. Our stock is always fresh; always up to date, and we never keep adulterated lines. Come and see us.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hinman, and Levi Smith, of Forest Grove, departed this week for an extended trip through Southern California and thence into Arizona and New Mexico. Health is their object.

M. E. Everitt, manager of The Delta, starts Friday morning for Guinda, Cal., Yolo County, where he will join Mrs. Everitt, who has been visiting her parents there for several months. Pleasant trip, "Old Man."

Silver Leaf Camp Modern Woodmen, of Reedville, will give a ball at Willoughby Hall, at that place, on the evening of February 22, and the neighbors promise a splendid time, good music and the best of order. Everybody invited.

People who have had cold feet during the recent cold snap have not bought their footwear at H. Wehrung & Sons. Buy your boots and shoes of this reliable house and you will not suffer from cold feet and the cold in the head that is sure to follow poor footwear.

With the advent of the rains Monday morning, the sleighing which has been so much enjoyed for over a week, became a thing of the past. This winter will be long remembered by those who had never before witnessed so long a cold snap with plenty of snow for good sleighing.

Are you aware of the fact that H. Wehrung & Sons are giving a ticket with each \$1.00 cash purchase which entitles you to a drawing on the following prizes: First prize, 3-piece bedroom set; second prize, center table; third prize, antique oak rocker; pair white wool blankets.

Why not dress right, when it doesn't cost any more than to dress shabbily? H. Wehrung & Sons can fit you out with a suit that is bound to satisfy the most fastidious dresser. They can give you selections from four of the greatest tailoring houses in America. Let them tap the tape over you.

There will be a masquerade ball on the evening of February 22, 1902, at Artisan Hall, Scholls, Oregon. Artisan Hall has the finest floor in the county and dancers will appreciate it. Splendid music and orderly floor; tickets, 50 cents; supper extra; spectators, 25 cents. Floor managers, E. Fonda and Frank Rowell.

PROMISE OF WARM BASEBALL SEASON.

Old Washington County will have Plenty of Sport.

DIAMOND-W'S WILL REORGANIZE

Cornelius to have Grounds and a Nine in the Contest for Glory.

Washington County is to cover its surface with baseball glory this season, and the play will start early. The managers of the Diamond-W's will have a stronger team than ever, and Cornelius will enter the lists with a nine that will go out for glory.

This may not be cheering news to those who do not enjoy baseball, but in that list are all those who never witness the game. The Argus reporter has seen aged and infirm men at a ball game, go wild over the sport, and it is safe to say that attendance is all that is necessary to make one an enthusiast.

The local nine is to be well selected this year for good all around players, at the stick, as well as in the diamond or the field. We are promised one of the most exciting years yet seen here, and as soon as spring breaks it will be "Caesy at the bat."

Administrator's Sale of Personal Property.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Jacob Brugger, deceased, with the will annexed, will, pursuant to an order of the Hon. County Court, of Washington County, Oregon, at the late residence of said deceased, at Cedar Mills, Washington County, Ore., on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1902, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following described personal property, to-wit:

1 horse, 9 cows and heifers, 3 heifer calves, 1 spring wagon, 150 bushels of wheat, 100 bushels of oats, 200 gallons of cider and vinegar and other articles too numerous to mention, upon the following

TERMS OF SALE. On all sums of \$10 or less, cash in hand on day of sale, on sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given purchasers giving approved promissory notes with interest at 6 per cent per annum from date.

At said time and place A. Reynolds will sell at public auction to the highest bidder upon said terms the following personal property:

3 horses, 5 cows, 2 heifers, 1 wagon, 1 hay rake, 1 cider mill, 1 lot of tools and farming utensils, household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

Dated February 3, 1902. Fred Rood administrator of the estate of Jacob Brugger, deceased, with the will annexed.

Lost.

Lost, near Blooming, Jan. 17th, 2 year heifer, light red, white forehead, white tip of tail. The finder will be suitably rewarded. Write to James Jones, Farmington, Ore.

Pythian Resolutions.

Whereas: It has pleased Divine Providence to remove from our midst the wife of our beloved brother, J. W. Merrill, of Simonside Lodge, No. 37, Knights of Pythias; Be it resolved, That we do hereby extend to the husband, relatives and friends of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy in their sad bereavement and trust that time, the healer of all woes, will lessen the burden placed upon them.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be printed in The Argus and Times, one copy to be sent to the bereaved family and one spread upon the minutes of the lodge. Fraternaly submitted, F. H. MILLER, A. A. PHILLIPS, Committee on condolence.

"Like leaves on trees the race of man is found, Now green in youth, now withering on the ground; Another race the following spring supplies— They fall successive, and successive rise." Dated January 31, 1902.

Pope, the photographer, Second Street, at the Hoyt gallery, is turning out some fine work these days. If you want photos with the proper expression, and on popular mounts, give him a call. He will guarantee his work and his prices are right.

Last Sunday the three-year-old daughter of Christian Yaggi, residing near Phillips, fell in a tub of boiling water and badly scalded her feet and legs as far up as the knees. The flesh is badly cooked and the oedema is gone from both limbs. Dr. Bailey was in attendance, and says that the little one will have a painful time.

The steel trust has advanced the price of plows and harrows just ten per cent. This is no advertising dodge, but cold facts. Schulmerich Brothers looked for this, and took time by the forelock on a year's contract and they are enabled by this to sell plows and harrows at the old prices.

It is no uncommon sight to see youths of tender years smoking cigarettes openly on the streets of Hillsboro, and attention is called to the statutes forbidding minors this practice. The law in question is a two-edged sword, and cuts both ways. The law approved February, 1893, makes it unlawful "to sell, barter, trade, give or in any way furnish to any minor under eighteen any tobacco, cigars or cigarettes in any form, and the law contains a section also, making it unlawful for any minor under eighteen years of age, "to smoke or in any way use any cigar, cigarette or tobacco in any form whatsoever in any public highway, street, place, square or resort," the penalty being a fine not less than one nor more than ten dollars, or imprisonment at the option of the court.

Ella Mizner sues Albert Mizner for divorce. They reside up above Greenville, on section 35, township 2, north range 4, west, where they have 120 acres of land. They were married in California in 1885, and came here about three years ago. The plaintiff states that the husband used brutal language to her and the five minor children, and asks for a divorce on this ground; wants a one-third interest in the property, \$300 to carry on the suit and \$500 alimony, besides the custody of the minor children.

Eli Poe and son, Fred, were out Saturday and Sunday and came home with five full grown coon—one of which they captured alive after his coonship had taken a bite out of Mr. Poe's thumb. Robert Weathered, the grown-up son of T. S. Weathered, says that the trip of him and his father resulted in three coons, all right, but that Sumpter merely went along to carry them home. It has been a week of coon—everybody getting from two to three.

I. L. Campbell, editor of the Eugene Guard, and a nephew of H. B. Luce, of Forest Grove, formerly of Hillsboro, has suffered the loss of speech. He was first attacked while in a barber chair last Saturday evening. He is conscious, but fears are entertained that he will suffer seriously. A brain specialist from Portland has been summoned, as his friends think he is the victim of a broken artery in the brain.

The many friends of R. E. Bryan and E. J. Bryan (who formerly were in the mercantile business in this city) will be pleased to know that these gentlemen have gone into the lumbering business at Dallas. They have formed a lumber company with a capital stock of \$60,000, and will do business with their headquarters at Dallas, one of the best little towns on the West Side Railway.

C. E. Runyan, official court reporter for this judicial district, and who is now interested in a big flume in Columbia county, was in the city last Saturday looking after business. He has engaged William Cummings and Joseph Williams to take their steam wood saw down on the river and work for a time. Mr. Runyan thinks he has a great deal in his new departure, and has more business than the average "cranberry merchant."

The Hesse sale at West Union, near the Imbrie place, was attended by a large crowd Tuesday, and B. P. Cornelius states that everything went at a good price, considering the season of the year. The sale was one of the largest of the season. Mr. Hesse is thinking of coming to town to reside. Come on, "Old Hoss;" we will show you the ropes.

Forest Grove Lodge, No. 60, A. O. U. W. at its regular meeting Tuesday evening elected the following officers: A. R. Leabo, M. W.; J. A. Abbott, F.; A. T. Boos, O.; N. Macrum, recorder; J. E. Bailey, F.; M. J. Abbott, receiver; A. Boos, G.; D. C. Stewart, I. W.; J. T. Shannon, O. W.; J. A. Abbott, trustee for three years. Grand Lecturer M. G. Wilkins was present.—Forest Grove Times.

Tigardville is getting frisky and assuming metropolitan airs. Several of the citizens of that burg and vicinity have purchased instruments, and a local telephone line will be established as soon as the wires can be strung and the phones installed. Just swing your line up this way boys, and The Argus will take a 'phone. There's nothing like it.

Irving D. Gibson, of Roseburg, and who is now a student of Pacific University, has been elected manager of the track teams and football eleven of that institution. Mr. Gibson is a Napoleon along these lines and will bring his college to the front. He is also a bright writer and reporter on these sports. The Argus hopes he will win every contest.

E. Goodmurphy has fitted up a neat little barber shop parlor in the building next door to the Hotel Hillsboro, where he solicits a share of the public patronage. All razors sterilized, and no danger of poisoning your face. Artistic hair-cutting. Give him a call. There will be a St. Valentine's ball at Glencoe, Mays' Hall, on the evening of February 14. A genuine good time is promised. Tickets, including supper, \$1. Music by Walker orchestra. Best of order. The public is generally invited.

Land Office

I will sell farms and make a special list of your farms with me if you want to sell. Established 45 years. For wanting homes in one of the best or best in the State, with Portland market, will do well to see me. Correspondence solicited.

F. M. Heide, Hillsboro, Ore.

Where We Are

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GEO. R. BAGLEY

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Rooms 1 and 2 Shute Building

HILLSBORO, - OREGON.

H. T. BAGLEY,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Office in Corwin-Wester Block, Main St. Hillsboro, - Oregon.

THOS. H. TONGUE, M. B. TONGUE, NOTARY

THOS. H. & E. B. TONGUE, Attorneys-At-Law.

Rooms 3, 4, & 5, Morgan Bldg., Hillsboro.

JOHN M. WALL,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Office Upstairs, Bailey Morgan Block.

Rooms, 1 and 2.

HILLSBORO, - OREGON.

BENTON BOWMAN,