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Another Northern "mob" has burned a negro at the stake as a fitting retribution for criminal assault, and it is now high time for the milk and water element to talk about "law taking its course."

Human nature is human nature, and it matters not whether it be north or south of the Mason and Dixie line, the white man will avenge criminal assault by the negro with death. It is just a question of what kind of death shall be meted out to the perpetrator, and if one's stomach is too weak to contemplate burning at the stake as a penalty, then his stomach is too weak to defend his own home from the attacks of such vermin.

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NOW IS THE TIME.

The present sale of the bankrupt stock of Gilbert Bros. offers exceptional opportunities for economical buying. Brand new pianos and organs in perfect condition at half price. Think what a saving this means. Here are a few of the bargains.

Schaeffer uprights, mahogany and walnut cases, largest size, for which \$350 was asked, go for \$150. Schiller uprights in fancy walnut and oak cases, largest size, which formerly sold for \$350, going for \$117 and \$128.

J. C. Wheeler uprights, mahogany finished cases, formerly priced at \$250 and \$275, going now at \$120 and \$127. Also such makes as Bently, Schulz & Co., etc., at the same discount.

Schulz & Co. organs that have sold for as much as \$85, all going for \$42. Only a few of these remain.

SECOND HAND PIANOS AND ORGANS. Pianos that have been out on rental; also second-hand and used pianos and organs, many of which have been turned in to us as part payment on such of our fine instruments as the Weber piano, of New York; the Chickering, of Boston, and the Kimball, of Chicago. We have rounded them all up, cleaned, polished and tuned them, so that they are every one in perfect condition. We are making a specialty of getting rid of them, because we need the room badly for new instruments. Come in and cut the one you like best out of the bunch. You will be sure to find something you like in both make and price. Terms of payment exceptionally easy, too.

EILERS PIANO HOUSE, Washington St., cor. Park, Portland, Oregon.

Other big, busy stores at San Francisco, Cal., Spokane, Wash., and Sacramento, Cal.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Mary Pierce to Kate Bay, 159 80 a sec 4 1 3 n r 3 w. 1000. Clarie Paulsell to R. L. Cate 160 a sec 26 1 3 n r 3 w. 2500. R. L. Cate to N. S. Nelson, same as above. 2500. J. C. Bills to Jacob J. Smith 30 a jno Harrison d. c. 1500. Jacob Hughes to Zina Wood Jr., 20.37 a H P ad Hillsboro. 1450. Willamette R. Co. to F. W. Barber lots 8 and 9 Cornelius. 60. Elsdor DeMoss to T. L. Peterson 2.97 a Rikansh Walker d. c. 625. Ivy Co. to Mark Comstock 52 acres Hiram Johnson d. c. 1310. R. U. Howard to J. C. Maier 35 62 a in J. R. Porter d. c. 750. W. H. Buxton to H. T. Buxton 4.07 a Rikansh Walker d. c. 100. Margaret D. Rice to Jas. Dickason 76 a sec 2 1 2 n r 3 w. 1100. Haver Carl to Adam Engel tracts No. 14 and 16 Peachvale. 700. W. W. Felker to J. O. Donald Martin 50 a sec 24 1 1 s 5 w. 600. R. D. Benham to H. A. Alexander 1/4 7 and 8 blk 18 Beaverton. 100. W. H. Gerrish to B. F. Purdy 116 41 a sec 33 1 s 1 w. 3500. J. T. Gerrish et ux to B. F. Purdy 100 75 a sec 33 and 34 1 s 1 w. 3500. Sarah E. Manning to H. K. Knapp 175 a Carlos Wilcox d. c. 3000. T. W. Thompson to Catherine Robertson 2000 sq feet Forest Grove. 150. Joe Herrin to L. H. Baldwin 3 its W P Heights. 50. Theo Smay to J. W. Burrows 40 a sec 43 1 s 1 w. 1500. B. W. Hales to B. H. Laughlin

J. J. Potter to J. R. Loomis 275 a East d. c. 6000. Vendel Scheveschel to Ira Watson 40 a sec 3 1 3 n r 4 w. 250. Mary Thomas to Catherine Robertson 50x200 feet Forest Grove 350.

POPULAR NORTH BEACH.

Excursion Steamer T. J. Potter Goes Into Service June 27.

Those who are planning their vacation this year will be interested in knowing that the popular excursion steamer, the T. J. Potter—queen of river boats—goes into service June 27, and that she will leave Portland, during the season, every day from Tuesday until Saturday inclusive. To see the beauties of the picturesque and mighty Columbia from the decks of the Potter is a treat never to be forgotten. For speed and grace nothing in river or lake service in the entire West equals this side-wheeled beauty. Five hours from Portland and one from Astoria, through the famous fishing waters of the Columbia, past scores of salmon traps and nets and as many white-winged fish boats, lands the passengers at Ilwaco, where close connection is made for beach points with trains of the Ilwaco Railway & Navigation Company, whose cars stand on the wharf awaiting the steamer. The beach is twenty-seven miles long, two hundred yards wide at low tide, and so hard that carriage wheels scarcely leave a mark. It is an ideal place for driving, riding, wheeling, or walking, and the surf bathing is unsurpassable. The excellent hotels and boarding houses provide good accommodations, at prices ranging from one dollar to three dollars per day.

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The Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company has just issued a new summer book, (free for the asking) which tells all about the delightful resorts of the Valley of the Columbia River. This can be obtained from any agent of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, or by writing A. L. Craig, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.

We will close our store on July 4.—H. Wehrung & Sons.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bower, of Mountindale, June 24, a son.

Born, June 20, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Scoggin, of Lenox, a daughter.

Born, June 24, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lichty, of East Hillsboro, a daughter.

The Woodmen of the World had a great picnic and log-rolling at Cornelius last Saturday, the exercises being well attended. All who were present report a splendid time.

Report has it that a railroad will run soon from Houlton, up into the timber on the ridge, above Mountindale. Already there is a rush to file on every piece of vacant timber land in that section.

The roof of the court house, and several other structures in town, mostly brick, have been given a coat of black tar paint, by a Portland business house. It is expected that many others will follow suit.

Dr. A. B. Bailey, Dr. W. D. Wood, Geo. Carlton and Bert Luther started out this morning for a few days' fishing up at Denny Crossing, above Mountindale. They expect to get a crack at a bear before they get back.

Chas. Gerrish, of Gaston, is in the city seeking medical treatment for a knee in which he has blood poison, following a bad cut of some time ago. Afterward he fell and this started the wound afresh. Dr. F. A. Bailey is in attendance.

Next to your stomach you should care for your feet. Dress them in good reliable footwear bought of John Dennis and you will have your feet well clad the year round and still have money left as compared with your resources when you buy of others. Shoes for everybody.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wall, of London, England, and daughters, Miss Louise and Ellis, are guests of W. J. and J. M. Wall. They return via South America. They must think this a rather peculiar country, as their first night's slumbers were disturbed by some one trying to break into J. M. Wall's house.

A \$35,000 mortgage, covering a tract nearly 900 acres in extent, to the east of Hillsboro, was filed in the recorder's office one day last week. This is the biggest mortgage ever placed on record in the county, unless it was on railroad property, and it covers several pages. The land in question is worth about \$100,000. Improvements and all. J. W. Shu e acted as agent for the loan, and the rate of interest is but six per cent, and the mortgage runs but a year. Much of the money will be spent in improvement.

The Scholls Telephone Co. have dug holes for poles from that place to Hillsboro, Laurel and Hills-

in a few days. This is a farmer's line, and is independent from any other company. The central will be at Schulmerich's store, and the system will be for the benefit of the farmers, exclusively. The Kinton and Scholls end is now connected with Beaverton, but as soon as the wire reaches this city, this will be dropped. The farmers are to be congratulated that the Scholls farmers are "in it."

Three deaths mark the week. Mrs. W. P. Spaulding, of Thatcher, where she has resided for about a year, died yesterday; Mrs. Thos. H. Brown, for ten years a resident of Oregon, died at Forest Grove, June 20, leaving a husband and two daughters; and Mrs. Herman Seidler, wife of the Southern Pacific section foreman died at Cornelius, yesterday, leaving a husband and five children.

A jury in Judge Bagley's court this afternoon acquitted W. F. Holmbeck of violating the law by obstructing the highway while logging above Mountindale.

CALL FOR CITY WARRANTS.

All Hillsboro city warrants drawn on the Water and Light Fund, and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Funds," prior to Dec. 7, 1902, and all warrants drawn on the General Fund and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Funds," prior to June 9, 1901, are now payable at the office of the city treasurer, and interest will cease after June 26, 1903.

First Meeting of Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of June, 1903, Geo. K. Schoek, of Forest Grove, Ore., was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of H. T. Bagley, in Hillsboro, Oregon, on the 6th day of July, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the said creditors must attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the County Court in Hillsboro, Oregon, on Thursday, July 2, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the construction of a bridge and fill on the Forest Grove and Lafayette road, 1 mile south of Dilliey. Bids will be required to cover the cost of the material.

O. R. & N. OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC

3 TRAINS TO THE EAST DAILY FROM PORTLAND.

Through Pullman standard and tourist sleeping-cars daily to Omaha, Chicago, Spokane; tourist sleeping-car daily to Kansas City; through Pullman tourist sleeping-cars (personally conducted) weekly to Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis and Memphis; reclining chair cars (seats free) to the East daily.

Table with columns: DEPART FOR, TIME SCHEDULES FROM PORTLAND, ARRIVE FROM DAILY. Includes routes to Chicago, Salt Lake, Denver, etc.

OCEAN AND RIVER SCHEDULE

Steamships between Portland and San Francisco every five days. River boats on the lower Columbia and Willamette daily except Sunday.

LOW RATES

Tickets and from all points in the East. To and via this route on sale at all depot offices of the Southern Pacific Co.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

George J. Peterson, Plaintiff, vs. Vendel Peterson, Defendant.

Laurel Will Celebrate

The People of Laurel are Preparing to Give a Grand Celebration on

July Fourth

PROGRAM.

10:00 A. M.—Opening Exercises, Speaking, etc. 10:30 to 12:00—Tug of War, Jumping, Rope Climbing, Climbing Greased Pole, Cannon Ball Throw, Foot Racing, Fat Man's Race. Cash Prizes to Winner of each of above. 12:30 P. M., Dinner. 1:30 P. M.—Base Ball, Bicycle Racing, Horse Racing. Liberal Prizes given for each. Sack Racing, Egg Race, etc. Small Prizes.

Fine Dancing Floor on the Grounds.

The big swing from Newberg will be there for the little fellow, and for the fellow with his girl. Ride until you're dizzy, for 5 cents.

Fire Works in the Evening.

The Day will close with the Evening's Display of Fireworks, which is guaranteed to be the best ever brought to this section.

Your are all invited to come to the celebration at

LAUREL.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

Annie M. Seaman, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph A. Seaman, Defendant.

To Joseph A. Seaman, the above named defendant: You are hereby required and commanded to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit in the above entitled Court, on or before the expiration of six (6) weeks publication of this summons in the Hillsboro Argus, the first publication thereof being on the 11th day of June, 1903, and the last publication thereof on the 24th day of July, 1903; and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take a decree against you and apply for the relief demanded in her complaint herein, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff and awarding to said plaintiff the control of the real property described in the complaint filed herein; and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem equitable.

CITATION. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of John W. Lemmon, deceased.

To Mrs. Bell Lemmon, Dr. Charles F. Lemmon and all parties interested in above estate, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, at the Court room thereof, at Hillsboro, in the County of Washington, on Monday, the 29th day of June, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any, you have, why an order of said Court should not be made authorizing and directing the administrator of said estate to sell the following real property belonging to the estate of said John W. Lemmon, deceased, to-wit:

Lots numbered one (1) and two (2) of Section seventeen (17) in T. 1 N. R. 1 W. of the Will. Mer. in Washington County, Oregon, as prayed for in the petition of Erwin Ritter, administrator of said estate, and filed herein.

Witness, the Hon. L. A. Rood, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, with the seal of said Court, attested, this 21st day of May, A. D., 1903.

NOTICE OF VACATION OF PORTION OF MILL STREET.

To the residents and property owners of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have filed with the Recorder of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, a petition in writing, asking that that portion of Mill Street, in Highland Park Addition to the Town of Hillsboro, Oregon, described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot No. 6, Block No. 1 of and in Highland Park Addition to the Town of Hillsboro, and running thence northeast to the northeast corner of lot three of and in said Block No. 1; thence east to the west line of First street; thence north to the south line of the right-of-way of the said portion of said street above described; thence in a southerly direction along the south line of said street right-of-way to a point directly north of the place of beginning of said street above described; being vacated, which said petition is now pending before said City Council of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon. All persons having objections to the vacating of said portion of street above described, will, therefore, present their objections to said City Council, at its regular meeting, to-wit: Tuesday, July 7, 1903, at the Council Chambers in the City of Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon. Dated at Hillsboro, on this 28th day of May, 1903.

MONEY BACK.

Kellett's Oil of Eden and Sweet Spirits of Eden will positively cure rheumatism—any and all cases. The California Co-operative Medical Company, of Oakland, will refund your money in case of failure.

J. W. BAILEY, PROPRIETOR, Hillsboro, Oregon.

Wanted—to buy several calves, or yearlings—E. H. Warren, Hillsboro.

Do You Pay More Than Once?

When you bring your prescription to us you may be confident that it will be filled accurately with the best quality of drugs, and that you will be charged only what is reasonable for such service. We pay no percentage to any physician for his prescriptions. This is one reason why you obtain full value for your money at

BAILEY'S PHARMACY

"As Good Goods As can be bought For as little money As they can be sold for." IS OUR MOTTO.

The Delta Drug Store.

William Schulmerich, Farmington, Oregon

Breeder of A. J. C. C. Jersey Cattle of Leading Strains. An 18 month old Jersey Bull for sale, sired by King of Farmington, Grandson of Brown Bessie, Champion Jersey Cow at Chicago World's Fair.

Also has a fine lot of Banded Plymouth Rock Chickens for sale. Breeding fowls are purchased from E. J. Ladd, whose chickens have won the most of the prizes at the Oregon Poultry Show. Eggs in season, \$1.00 per setting. Cockrels for sale.

HOYT'S Dry Goods, Notions, Art Goods

THE RACKET STORE

To Building Between The Delta and Pharmacy.

We have the neatest little store in the city. We will sell you the best quality for the cheapest figures. Call in and be numbered with our customers.

I wish to announce to my old customers, and the general public, that I have opened my shop and have put in several new equipments for handling all kinds of

Machine Work and Blacksmithing,

and carry a full line of machine supplies and wagon material. Special attention given to

Engine and Boiler Repairing

CORNELIUS MACHINE SHOPS

L. G. Weidewitsch, Proprietor, Cornelius, Or.

For sale, at the Milne warehouse, Hillsboro, baled timothy and clover hay.—John Milne.

I am agent for the Rambler and Wolf American wheels—the best wheels for the money in the world. All kinds of repairing skillfully done. Full line of sporting goods.