

# THE HILLSBORO ARGUS.

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## REMEMBER THE BIG O. R. C. EXCURSION

To Portland and Return, and  
Exposition Grounds

ON SUNDAY, THE SEVENTH OF MAY

Fare for Round Trip, Including Admis-  
sion to Fair, \$1.50

The Order of Railway Conductors will give their annual excursion on Sunday, May 7, and the participants will have a chance to visit Portland and see the Lewis & Clark Exposition Grounds for an expenditure of \$1.50. This will enable all visitors to view the progress on the Exposition Grounds, which by that time will be nearly ready for formal opening. The Conductors have made arrangements for visitors to inspect all parts of the grounds and buildings, and the Oregon State Building will also be open for excursionists.

The excursion train will pass through Washington County in the morning and this will enable excursionists to see the grounds in the forenoon and then witness other attractions that will then be foremost in the world of amusements, like baseball games, etc. The schedule for Washington County points will be:

Wapato	8:34
Gaston	8:40
Gales	8:44
Dilley	8:50
Forest Grove	9:00
Cornelius	9:05
Hillsboro	9:14
Reedville	9:27
Beaverton	9:40

On the other branch the schedule is:

Sherwood	9:16
Herman	9:26
Tualatin	9:30
Oswego	9:50

Tickets will be on sale by all station agents and Conductors on the excursion trains. The return from Portland will start at 5:30 p. m. For further particulars, apply to or write J. W. Crocker, 251 Alder Street, Portland, Oregon. Remember the date—Sunday, May 7, 1905.

## MARY LOUISE WALKER

Miss Mary Louise Walker, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Walker, residing near Beaverton, died at the family home, April 21, 1905, after an illness covering several years. Miss Walker was an exceptionally bright young woman, and was possessed of many friends in Washington County. She was noted for her sweetness of disposition and generosity of character, and her death is a great loss to the family. The funeral was held from the family residence, Sunday, at 1:00 p. m., and was attended by a large concourse of friends.

## Card of Thanks.

Cornelius, Oregon, April 15, 1905. I the undersigned thankfully acknowledge the receipt of Two Hundred Dollars, (\$200) the amount of insurance on my dwelling house, which was on the 26th day of March destroyed by fire and which was insured in the Farmers' Mutual Fire Relief Association, of Portland, Ore.

I cheerfully recommend this Association to the farmers of Oregon for prompt and honest dealing.

Augusta Schulenberg.

W. H. Lung, of north of Cornelius, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Casper Jasper, of North Forest Grove, was a county seat visitor on Tuesday.

A. A. Bullock, residing east of Greenville, was a county seat visitor, Monday.

D. E. Summers, a Beaverton contractor and builder, and Henry Jones, were up to the county seat, Monday, on probate business.

Mrs. Umphlets, residing with her daughter, Mrs. Martha McLeod, of Dilley, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of Mrs. M. A. Powell.

Misses Clara Imbrie, Hillsboro, and Lucille Imbrie, Plainview Farm, have returned after an extended visit with Mrs. Elmer Smith, of Long Beach, Washington.

Sheriff Connell will have turned over about \$70,000 to Treasurer Jackson by this evening, and he and Deputy Kane are making out regulations as rapidly as the money can be placed to the credit of the various funds. It will require several weeks yet, however, to get all the taxes turned over to Mr. Jackson.

County Judge Rood last Friday found Frank Bear, the young son of a Forest Grove teamster, guilty of incorrigibility, but suspended sentence during good behavior, leaving the child under the care of his parents. The little sister, Clara, gave some very damaging evidence against her little brother, who is a year or so her senior, and the court issued an order restraining the parents from chastising her for giving in her evidence. Deputy District Attorney E. B. Tongue appeared for the prosecution and J. N. Hoffman was attorney for the boy. The state's witnesses were Favilla Sparke, Mrs. Williams and Clara Bear, and the defense were Mrs. Bear, Pat Cronin, Frank Bear, defendant, and Lillie Tupper.

The Oregon Semi-Weekly Journal, additional to containing Paul De Laney's new serial story, "The Shepherd", is issued twice a week and is brim full of the cream of the news of the world. It has decidedly the best market reports of any paper on the Pacific Coast. For the citizen whose postoffice facilities do not justify a daily paper, the Semi-Weekly Journal is the best investment in reading matter that can be made. Argus and Journal, \$1.75

Blazier, the Portland saloon keeper whom the jury said must pay \$1000 for the loss of an eye, sustained by Walter Ford, the former Hillsboro man, caused by Blazier's bartender throwing him out of the saloon, has appealed the case to the Supreme Court, and Ford will have to fight in the higher court. By the time Ford gets through with the case he will have but little left of his "eye money," in case he should get his case affirmed in the higher court.

Steam heated and dried lumber means that all the pitch and sap is taken from the boards—and that is the reason that the Nelson-Wilcox Lumber Co. is turning out such fine dressed lumber. Do not forget this when you want a lumber bill. On sale at yard north of Glencoe.

Mrs. Susie Morgan has rented her residence property, furnished, and located on Main Street, for \$25 per month, for a three months' tenancy, to Mr. and Mrs. William Hinde, of Sioux City, Iowa, and they will occupy the house while visiting the Fair. This is the highest rental ever paid for a dwelling in Hillsboro.

Dr. F. A. Bailey states that crop conditions at this time are away ahead of what they usually are, and with any kind of weather conditions Washington County should have a banner crop this season. In many places barley and rye are now in head and the Fall sown grain is much higher than usual in May.

Dennis has received his new stock of shoes, —the American Gentleman and American Lady, the finest in the market. Come in and see them. The latest models. These shoes are advertised in every prominent magazine and newspaper in the world.

Isn't it about time that Hillsboro rustled together a ball team, or must we go to Portland when we want a little diversion? Perhaps if those interested would enter into a little correspondence they could get up a West Side League that could furnish a little amusement throughout the early Summer.

W. S. Hudson, for many years Forest Grove's city treasurer, was in town Friday. Mr. Hudson formerly lived in Northwest Wisconsin, that section of the United States where the Argus reporter wore a pair of heels decorated with stone bruises, when a boy.

Dr. E. DeWitt Connell, of Portland, came out Sunday and in company with Sheriff J. W. Connell, spent the day in fishing up above Mountaineer. They report a catch of 57—which was "going some."

Speaking of groceries—if you want the finest staple and fancy groceries to be found in the market, try John Dennis. He is after your trade, and once a customer, always a customer.

Layton Wisdom, of Portland, and who was Secretary of the Oregon State Exhibit at St. Louis, with Hon. W. H. Wehrung, was in the city Sunday, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wehrung.

For gentlemen's, ladies' and children's hose you can do no better than to buy of John Dennis. We have them for everybody, and at prices that are values.

Mrs. C. L. Rosander, of east Washington County, came out the last of the week, and visited with the Misses Young, of North Hillsboro.

Smoke the Schiller and Excellence cigars—Oregon manufacture. Call for them.

Hon. A. B. Flint, of Kinton, was up to the city Saturday morning.

## ASSESSOR WILCOX RAISES RAILROADS

Will Assess Southern Pacific  
Roadbed Higher

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS PER MILE

The Road Has 34 Miles in Washington  
County

Assessor Geo. H. Wilcox will raise the assessment of the road bed of the Southern Pacific Railroad to ten thousand dollars per mile, to correspond with the general raise of values on the roll. The roadbed in the past has been assessed at \$4,000 per mile, and the raise is over double. However, it is only on a parallel with the raise on other real property.

The Company has 34 miles in Washington County, and the raise will mean an addition of over \$200,000 to the tax roll.

The telegraph will be assessed at \$50 per mile, as against \$40 per mile last year. The Pacific States' telephone company will pay on a valuation of \$200 per mile, main line, and \$60 for branch lines. The independent lines will be assessed double last year.

The entire roll is expected to reach over twelve million dollars.

## HILLSBORO ATHLETICS

The Hillsboro Athletic Club had its first field meet in this city, Saturday, when it met the Hillsboro team, defeating it by a score of 64 to 35 points, although the contest was really closer than the score might indicate. Huston, of the H. A. C., took all the sprinting events and the broad jump, and Elmo Bradford captured the distances. The record of the meet was as follows:

50 yard dash—won by O. Huston, H. A. C., time, 5 2-5; Stevens, Hillsboro, second; C. Huston, Hillsboro, 3rd.

Pole Vault—Bradford, Cate and Heide, all H. A. C., for first place, Hillsboro dropping out. Best Height, 8 1/2 feet.

100 yard dash—won by O. Huston, H. A. C., 16 1-5; Cate, H. A. C., second; Stevens, Hillsboro, third.

Broad jump—won by O. Huston, H. A. C., best jump, 19 feet, 4 inches; Cate and Humphreys, 3rd.

200 yard dash—won by O. Huston, H. A. C., time, 25 seconds; Stevens, Hillsboro, 2nd; Heide, H. A. C., 3rd.

High Jump, Weathered, H. A. C., and Stafford, Hillsboro, tied for first and second; Huston and Kendall tied for 3rd; 4 feet 11 inches, best jump.

Shot put—Cate, H. A. C. and Hamilton, Hillsboro, tied for first and second, best put, 33 feet, 10 inches; Humphreys, H. A. C., and Hinde, Hillsboro, tied for third.

1 mile run—won by Elmo Bradford, H. A. C., time 5 minutes, 15 seconds; Stafford, Hillsboro, second; Merryman, H. A. C., third. This was the prettiest race of the day, and was hotly contested until the last lap, when Bradford gradually drew ahead. It is said that some coin changed hands on this race.

Half mile run—won by Bradford, H. A. C., time, 2 minutes, 24 seconds; Davis, Hillsboro, second; Freeman, H. A. C., third.

440 yard dash—won by Humphreys, H. A. C.; Hinde, Hillsboro, second; Heide, H. A. C., third.

Hammer-throw—won by Hamilton, Hillsboro, best throw, 103 feet, 9 inches; O. Hamilton, Hillsboro, second; Hinde, Hillsboro, third. The H. A. C. did not enter this event.

Officials—Starter, R. U. Peterson, Pacific University; Judges, B. W. Barnes, and J. W. Cave, Hillsboro, and Smith, Forest Grove. Official timers, R. H. Greer and Frank Sholes, Hillsboro.

There was a good attendance, and had an admission fee been charged the boys would have realized a neat sum. There may be another meeting between the same teams next Saturday. The H. A. C. will soon arrange to meet with the Portland High School, if possible. They do not expect a bad defeat, if the meet is effected, as Huston, the H. A. C. sprinter beat the High School entries at the Columbia Indoor meet, April 15.

## FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE

Here is your opportunity to learn shorthand and typewriting at home and avoid the expense of a college course. \$15 pays for 3 months. Take as many lessons as you like. Easily learned, and easily read. Standard system. Willing to go into country if necessary. Apply to T. A. Fitzgerald, Hillsboro, Ore.

## ZUERCHER-TSCHANZ

Mr. Walter Zuercher and Miss Susie Tschanz, of near Cedar Mill, were united in marriage at the Jacob Zuercher home, April 20th, 1905. Rev. J. A. H. Wuttke, Pastor of the Bethany German Baptist Church, officiating.

## Semi-Annual Reunion

The Washington County Veteran Association will hold the semi-annual reunion at Forest Grove, Thursday, May 4. All are invited. E. J. Groat, President. H. G. Fitch, Secretary.

Argus and Oregonian, \$2.00.

Flour and Feed.—Cats' Market.

Ed. Northrup, of Shady Brook, was in the city Saturday.

Adam Hergart, of the Blooming sawmill, was in town Monday.

Geo. McGraw, a prominent Greenville, was in town Saturday.

M. C. and J. H. Collier, of Sebolls, were county seat visitors Saturday.

S. A. D. Meek, of Mountaineer, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Ora Cook, of North Cornelius, was in the city the last of the week.

Gerhardt Goetze, of beyond Blooming, was in the county seat Monday.

Andrew Heckman, of the Bethany Phillips section, was in town the last of the week.

W. W. Williams, of Mountaineer, was down the last of the week, the guest of relatives.

Born, Saturday, April 22, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Friday, of near Greenville, a daughter.

E. B. Hawks, of Forest Grove, has again been helping on tax collection figures at the sheriff's office.

Richard Connell and wife came out from Portland Sunday and spent the day here and at Glencoe.

James F. Stevens, of Portland, was out Saturday, the guest of his son, Geo., with Schulmerich Bros.' Store.

John Lehman Jr., of Cedar Mill, and G. A. Lechner, of the same point, were in town Monday, on real estate business.

W. V. Wilay and son Richard went to Corvallis Sunday, to visit with County Judge Virgil Waters and wife, of Benton County.

Golden Red Flour for sale at J. A. Messinger's. Buy it; try it; every sack guaranteed. Manufactured by the Gaston Milling Company.

J. C. Wilson, of Bethany, was in town Monday morning, and says that things are looking fine in the way of crop prospects out his way.

Are you satisfied with the shoes you have been buying? If not, come and see Schulmerich Bros. Every pair absolutely guaranteed.

Wilbur McEldowney and wife, of Forest Grove, were in the city Sunday afternoon. Mr. McEldowney is assistant postmaster at the college city.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Leisy, Leisyville, passed through town Saturday and Monday, enroute to and from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hawthorn, of Laurel.

John Vanderwal, of Beaverton, and who is now assessing the Greenville section, and Herman Schulmerich, assessing Cornelius and territory in the vicinity, were in town the last of the week.

Thos. Emerick hitched to the big seven ton road roller, the last of the week, and tried it on some of the road grades in the vicinity. He thinks that it is the best purchase ever made by the county court for road work.

Wilson E. Brook, formerly well known both here and at Forest Grove, where he resided in past years, is branching out in business at Pendleton, having recently been an incorporator in a large hardware company. Wilson has been doing well financially since going into the upper country.

The Southern Pacific Company, through its managers, is urging all warehousemen along the line of the West Side, to paint up their buildings, in order that the trip of Eastern people may be made more attractive, when the Summer and Fair season opens. J. B. Imley, of Reedville, has started the ball rolling by putting a coat of paint on the big railroad warehouse at that point.

Poor old David J. Porter, who had such a siege with the county jail the last two years, is again the subject of misfortunes. After leaving Hillsboro he went to Gaston and rented a little shack owned by Mrs. Best, and he had been doing odd jobs around the little town, and keeping bachelor's hall. Monday, some time during the night, H. L. Russell and another party saw smoke issuing from the building occupied by Porter, and they rushed over to find the old man's bed on fire. He was taken out and the bed thrown out of the window. Porter was badly burned about the back and shoulders, and Dr. Baker, the Gaston physician, after examination, thought best to have him sent to the county seat and thence to the poor farm, where he could have attention. Porter was brought to Hillsboro station early Tuesday morning. It is possible that the old gentleman may have pneumonia as a result of his experience. Had it not been for the timely discovery of the fire Porter might have been burned to death. Dr. F. J. Bailey is attending his burns.

## PACIFIC UNIVERSITY WINS AT SEATTLE

Beat University of Washington  
in Debate

PETERS, RASMUSEN AND THOMAS

All the Winners are Washington  
County Boys

Washington County's young men have shown a great deal of oratorical ability the past few years, and her sons have again won in a collegiate contest involving two states. Frank Peters, of Hillsboro, W. B. Rasmussen, of Forest Grove, and formerly of Reedville, and H. E. Thomas, of Forest Grove, chosen to represent Pacific University in the debate with a trio from the University of Washington, at Seattle, last Friday night, were awarded the victory by disinterested judges. Peters is an old hand at debating, and has represented his college several times heretofore, but Rasmussen and Thomas are new men. The Seattle papers speak highly of the way the Pacific trio handled their subject. The Pacific boys supported the negative on "Resolved, That the United States Should not Retain Permanent Possession of the Philippine Islands Unless They Shall Ultimately Enjoy Statehood."

John J. Kuratli, of Phillips, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones were in from Glencoe Monday.

J. A. Messinger, of Laurel, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

G. A. Plieth, of near Tigardville, was in town Tuesday morning.

Miss Pearl Johnson, of Portland, is the guest of Miss Gertrude Kendall.

Pratt Vickers, of Cornelius, is acting agent at Beaverton, this month.

Harvey W. Miller, of Shady Brook, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

John Ibach, of this side of Banks, was in the county seat Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Shafer, of Northeast of town, were in the city Tuesday.

Ward Downs, attending military school at Portland, is home on a vacation.

S. C. Sherrill, principal of the Cornelius schools, was in town Monday evening.

Wheeler Mfg. Co. carriers steam treated finishing lumber, moldings, shingles, etc. Both phones.

P. C. Long was out from Portland the first of the week, the guest of L. A. Long, of the Argus.

Henry Miller, of Reedville, and P. S. Anderson, of Witch Hazel, were in town Tuesday morning.

For sale: Span work mules, 8 and 9 years; sound and true. Just the thing for farm work.—P. S. Anderson, Witch Hazel, Ore.

Erwin Ritter, for many years deputy assessor in the northeast part of the county, was in the first of the week, consulting with Assessor Wilcox.

F. W. King, a prominent resident of near Cedar Mill, suffered a stroke of partial paralysis two weeks ago, but is recovering under the treatment of Dr. F. A. Bailey.

Get your cabbage and tomato plants at the green house. Also plants for the cemetery and for bedding purposes. Cut flowers and funeral designs, at reasonable prices.—Mrs. A. Campbell.

The eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Pierson, of Reedville, has returned home from St. Vincent's hospital, where she underwent a critical surgical operation by Drs. Pantan and A. B. Bailey.

The ties are being taken up on Second Street, south of Baseline, and grading will soon commence. Next Fall the block will be planked. This is an important street, as all the hauling from the depot is on this highway.

Susan Linder, a native of Switzerland, died at the poor farm, Monday, April 24, 1905, aged about 75 years. Deceased had been in an inmate of the county farm for about two months. Prior to going there she had resided in the Bethany section. Her husband has been dead for some years. She leaves no children. The cause of her death was tuberculosis. Her husband's name was Chris. Linder, and they settled near Bethany in 1872. Deceased was a sister of the late Jacob Brugger. Interment was at Bethany, Wednesday.

## The Delta Drug Store

Use our latest Spring Remedy for constipation,  
dyspepsia, indigestion, etc.

## Mission Herb Tea

We recommend this preparation. Prescriptions  
and Family Remedies a Specialty.

Main St. Hillsboro, Ore.

## HILLSBORO COMMERCIAL BANK

Pays interest on time deposits;  
charges no exchange to its customers,  
and do not charge exchange on their home checks.  
Come and see us.

A. S. SHOLES, President  
GEO. SCHULMERICH, Cashier

Main Street, Hillsboro, Oregon

## "As the Twig is Bent The Tree's Inclined"

How is it with the young people of your household? Are they saving money? Have they learned to appreciate the value of the dollar? Are you endeavoring to instill into their minds correct ideas concerning thrift and economy? Are you seeking the opportunity to "bend the twig?" Would you like to listen to a plain suggestion? If so, here it is:

Send the young folks to our bank with the first spare dollar that comes into their hands. The next dollar should be treated in like manner, and the practice so continued until a fixed habit of saving has been established. A goodly bank account will soon result; the young folks will get an inkling of the ways of business, and, being thus "inclined" are likely to grow up into straight and thrifty manhood.

## THE J. W. SHUTE BANK

North Side Main St. Hillsboro, Oregon

## THE FARMERS' MUTUAL FIRE RELIEF ASSOCIATION

of Portland, Oregon

Directors: Ford Spraker, A. W. Snodgrass, President  
Sylvester Wilson, G. W. Farrow, Treasurer  
A. F. Christensen, H. F. Schumaker, J. J. Kern, Secretary  
John Dolinger

This Association, being legally organized and duly incorporated, has for its object the mutual protection of its members against loss or damage by fire and lightning, and the insurance is confined to farm buildings, churches and school-houses and their contents, outside of any city or town, located in the country, excluding hop-houses and fruit-driers. It insures only two-thirds of the actual cash value of property, and rejects any inferior, unsafe risks.

By paying \$1.00 membership fee you become a life member, and by paying 25 cents per \$100.00 for dwellings and contents, and 50 cents per \$100.00 for barns, churches and school houses and contents, you get insurance for five years, subject to such assessments as may be necessary to cover losses as they may occur during that time. The headquarters of this Association are not in an inaccessible, out-of-the-way place, where only a few (a certain ring) have the control of it, but in the business center of the State, easily accessible from all points, where the members annually meet and elect the Directors and all the officers direct, examine the books and control the affairs of the Association generally.

The membership is already a large one and daily increases, and the Association, being conducted by sound business principles, is bound to become the leading Farmers' Mutual Fire Relief Association in the State. If you wish to join, send your name and address to

J. J. KERN, Secretary

555 East Yamhill Street, Portland, Oregon

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