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WASHINGTON COUNTY, OREGON

Population, 20,000. First County in dairying: 1100 cases condensed milk daily; two big condensers; billions of feet merchantable timber...

HILLSBORO

County seat, 2,000 people; Six churches, Protestant and Catholic; two banks; two telephone systems...

IMPORTANT TO READERS

Owing to the increased cost of print paper and all material used in the conduct of a newspaper, the Argus will, after October 1, 1907, charge \$1.50 per year as its subscription price...

Ringling's circus will be in Portland Monday and Tuesday, August 26 and 27. Nine men out of ten will tell you that they want to go and "take the bay down."

T. G. Todd, of beyond Forest Grove, was in town the first of the week, greeting his many friends. There's always a welcome for T. G. down this way.

Geo. Laerman and Jos. Steinman, of above Greenville, were in town today, finding the total of the county timber cruise on their places.

Jacob Jacky, of near Glencoe, was in the city yesterday.

THE MARKETS.

This morning's market reports, compiled from Portland quotations, are:

- Valley Wheat, 80c. Barley—feed, \$22.50 per ton; brewing \$24; rolled, \$23.50-\$24.50. Oats, White, \$23.50. Bran, \$17-\$18 per ton. Hay, valley timothy, \$17-\$18; clover, \$9; grain, \$9-\$10. Potatoes, old Oregon Burbanks, \$2.50-\$3.00 per sack; new potatoes, 2 cents per pound. Eggs, candled, 25c. Butter, Creamery, 22 1/2-25c.

Assumes All Blame.



"Well, there's one thing about N. Ritch—he's always ready to confess his faults."

"Nonsense! Why, he's forever bringing about being self made."

"Of course. That's just it."—Philadelphia Press.

The Roman Candle Maker.

"The most solitary person in the world during working hours," says Rene Baebé in the Technical World Magazine. "Is the maker of roman candles. He occupies an isolated cell somewhat like that of an old time hermit, save that its precincts are more contracted, and nobody comes near him while he is engaged in his patient toil. The wages he gets are high, but not by reason of the loneliness to which he is condemned. He is paid for the risks he is obliged to take. The quarters occupied by this eremitic artisan are a tiny house, which might almost be called a hut, with a floor space not more than six square feet. Standing by itself, at least sixty yards from any other structure, the little building architecture. If it were to be blown up, the financial loss would be almost all a point of some importance, inasmuch as its diurnal tenant is obliged to use considerable quantities of explosives in the business which engages his attention, for a roman candle is a sort of magazine or repeating gun, with a paper tube for a barrel and tails of fire for projectiles."

ACKNOWLEDGE IT

Hillsboro Has to Bow to the Inevitable—Scores of Citizens Prove It

After reading the public statement of this party, given below, you must come to this conclusion: A remedy which cured years ago, which has kept the kidneys in good health since, can be relied upon to perform the same work in other cases. Read this:

G. S. Cooper, farmer, living three miles northeast of Salem, Ore., on R. F. D. No. 7, says: "I just as emphatically recommend Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did some three years ago. At that time I procured the remedy at a drug store and used it with the result that the back-ache was banished and the other annoyances caused by a derangement of the kidneys disappeared. The troubles started from too heavy lifting resulting in my back being strained and ever after there was a dull aching over my kidneys and through the loins. I got prompt relief from Doan's Kidney Pills. I also know of several of my neighbors who have used your remedy and found it most reliable."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McBarn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

PETITION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

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

In the Matter of the Application of J. M. Miller and William Young for license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than one gallon in Dairy Precinct.

To the Honorable County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County: The undersigned petitioners, legal voters of Dairy Precinct, Washington County, Oregon, and constituting a majority of the legal voters of said Precinct and being actual residents of said Precinct thirty days immediately preceding the date of this petition, would respectfully petition your Honor for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than one gallon, in Dairy Precinct, Washington County, Oregon, to be granted and issued to J. M. Miller and William Young, residents of said Precinct, such license to be for a period of one year.

M. H. Parker, Henry Sussner, Martin Vandenberg, Elliott Spreadborough, Theo. Geene, Eli Spreadborough, John Adolph, George Vandebey, J. Smith, Martin Goemans, Wm. Smith, C. W. M. Curmudgey, Henry Vandebey, Wm. P. Beard, Frank Kilmann, John Sussner, D. W. Rainwater, E. A. Kirts, F. L. Beamis, Wm. Spreadborough, W. H. Baker, J. H. Kinley, Chas. D. Vaughn, Thos. Mussen, Andrew Fletcher, Martin Reiling, Wm. Kufner, Chas. Kuting, G. Kather, Wm. Reiling, F. I. Berry, L. M. Kader, J. N. Berry, Samuel Kader, J. M. Reynolds, C. F. Reynolds, Arnolds Vandouelen, Henry Sohler, W. T. Neulauer, Frank Kemper, Chas. J. Herb, W. S. Sohler, Wm. Vandenzanden, F. L. Franzer, C. Vandebey, Thos. Vandenzanden, Chas. Spiering, I. C. Kendall, John B. Reynolds Sr., Fred F. Lyda, J. Bert Reynolds Jr., Walter E. Beard, John Herb, Wm. Kofe, H. B. Danchev, Albert Spiering, W. Hanley, J. Krieger, P. N. Vandenzanden, H. Vandouelen, Henry Vogt, E. L. Roy, Fred Willie, R. E. Morgan, Camiel Beres, T. W. Morgan, Peter Messenz, Frank Vandouelen, F. Dieuch, Claud Lyda, J. I. Frickeit, August McCree, J. B. Jones, Z. N. Seeley, A. P. Northrup, John Ross, Joe Leroux, L. J. Creps, H. H. Helzel, S. Creps, Chas. F. Ruffi, Wm. S. Helzel, R. Ruffi, Frank Sells, W. S. Longworth, W. C. Schneider, Henry Marks, Fra. k Creps, Albert Vandouelen, A. W. Mills, Wm. G. Walker, John Caldwell, John Gillespie, W. H. McGill, Isidor Vandenzanden, Martin Cuene, Rene Crop, Noah F. Newhauser, John Friday, Jacob Lutison, John M. Kessler, J. A. Newhauser, Bert Friday, W. H. Gaskill, Geo. Schneider, Fritz Spatz, I. G. Kirts, D. S. Kallio, Geo. W. Herb, B. F. David, Henry Cays, Jesse J. Beard, C. F. Brown, J. B. Newhauser, Harry Jernell, John Narup.

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on Wednesday the 4th day of Sept., 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day present the foregoing petition for license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Dairy Precinct, Washington County, Oregon, in less quantities than one gallon, to the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, at Hillsboro, Oregon, and at said time and place will ask that a license be issued to the undersigned applicants to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Dairy Precinct, Washington County, Oregon, in less quantities than one gallon, for a period of one year from the date of the issuance of such license.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1907. William Young, J. M. Miller, Applicants.

Bagley & Hare, Attorneys for Applicants.

Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by an Order of the County Court, made and entered on the first day of August, 1907, appointed administrator of the estate of Louis Vandenberg, (deceased), and all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby notified to present the same, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at the law office of E. B. Young in Hillsboro, Oregon, on or before six months from the date hereof. Dated this 1st day of August, A. D. 1907.

PETER VANDECOEVERING, Administrator.

Notice to Patrons School District 43.

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of District No. 43, Washington County, Oregon, will offer to patrons of the said School District, from date hereof until September 1, 1907, School District Warrants in the sum of \$1,000, in denominations of from \$20 upward, said warrants to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, and the District to have the option to issue the same, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at the law office of E. B. Young in Hillsboro, Oregon, on or before six months from the date hereof. Dated this 1st day of August, A. D. 1907.

PETER VANDECOEVERING, Administrator.

The Exception to the Rule.

You're reading of a heroine who saves a by crawling over a slender bridge in time of wind and rain; She waves the danger signal—a wisp of burning hay— The train is stopped—and here it comes, as night doth follow day— "Then she fainted away!"

You read of some bold holdup, who was quickly put to rout; By a muscular young lady who nearly knocked him out; You learn how with two uppercuts she won the short affray; And at the end you will not fail to get this news page: "Then she fainted away!"

But take a bargain Monday—a great crush at the store; Around the ribbon counter the tides of commerce roar; She plunges in the vortex and fights as best she may; But when this struggle's over no truthful man can say: "Then she fainted away!"

—Denver Republican.

Will rent furnished house on First Street, between Lincoln and Washington, to elderly woman capable of boarding me, or to man and wife, without children, on same terms. For particulars apply at residence.—Mrs. A. C. Brown.

Insure Your Stock

Insure your horses and livestock and when you lose one you will get cash. Don't take chances when it is not necessary. Take out a policy

IN A RELIABLE COMPANY

I am agent for the National Live-stock Association. Insures against death from any cause. Drop-me-a-line. Terms reasonable.

JOHN VANDERWAL, Beaverton, Or., R. F. D. No. 2

The old reliable fire insurance man.

CORWIN & HEIDEL

Dealers in All kinds of Fresh Meats. Prices reasonable. Will meet all competition. Chickens and Poultry always on hand upon order. Free delivery to all parts of the town. We buy fat stock. Both Phones Second Street, Hillsboro, Or.

BICYCLE SHOP

Bicycles, Guns, Umbrellas and Sewing Machines repaired and cleaned. Hand saw filing and setting. Also agents for new bicycles. Call in before buying or getting work done elsewhere

F. R. DAILEY,

Main St., west of Schmeichel's Store

Life in Leather. Is what you want, combined with good workmanship. We use only the best leather findings in our Harness, etc. A complete line of harness, halters, bridles, saddles, robes, whips, harness, findings of all kinds, and sell at prices that can't be duplicated in Portland, quality and workmanship considered. Give us your repair work. All work done promptly, and charges more than reasonable. Shop next door south of the postoffice, on Second street, Hillsboro.

Pioneer Harness Shop

A. M. CARLILE, Prop. Whether You Drink Bourbon or Rye... CYRUS NOBLE BOURBON AND RYE. Which one? If your preference is for Rye, you should know that you will find the purest in the West... For Sale at all Bars, Clubs and Dealers.

COQUET (50527)

The Percheron Stallion, Imported From France in June, 1905.

Color, black, with star in forehead; weight, 1950; 18 hands high. Foaled April 10, 1901. Owned by Cedar Mill Percheron Co. Is recorded by the Percheron Society of America as No. 44233.

Will Stand Season of 1907 as Follows: Will be in stud only at home barn of Herman Glaske, one-half mile east of Bethany. Fall season, same place. Terms:—Single Service, \$8; to Insure, \$15. But will reduce for service at home barn. HERMAN GLASKE, Manager

Hill & Grills PAINTERS and DECORATORS

Successors to H. Gessner. We do work in all lines of painting and decorating, and will guarantee our work. We also carry a full line of Wall Paper, Paints, Varnishes, Oils, etc., at prices that are right. Shop and store opposite Payne Bros. livery barn Main St., near Third, Hillsboro

W. B. CATE & SONS

Breeders and Growers of and Dealers in Registered Hereford Cattle, Clydesdale Horses, Poland China Hogs, Shropshire Sheep and Angora Goats. Young things of both sexes, of all kinds, for sale at very reasonable prices. Our foundation stock is selected from the best families of their respective breeds in the U. S. and Europe, regardless of cost. The individuals we are selling are exceptionally useful to Pacific Coast trade, having been bred and raised in the Willamette Valley and are thoroughly acclimated. Bred by such sire as Beau Brum and for cattle; Billionsaire (imported from Scotland) for horses; Willamette Chief by Checkmate Chief, by Good I know for hogs, and equally good for sheep and goats.

A Young Clydesdale Stallion In service to a few mares; \$70 to insure. Young Full Blood Black Spanish Jack; service, \$12 Horse and Jack for sale. Pasture for all stock for breeding, at reasonable prices.

WEINHARD'S (On draught)

The best of all Beers. Bottled for Medicinal Use At W. V. WILEY'S

"We Want-- Your Money"

(Might as well be plain about it,) and in exchange will give you better value for your money than you can get elsewhere.

Why? Our expenses are lighter; no water rent; no city tax; no store rent; no clerk hire.

If you live in this vicinity we know that we can serve you better and save you more money than anyone else.

This isn't hot air. Come in and get our prices, and be convinced. One of the largest stocks of

General Merchandise

In the county. The best goods and the lowest prices are what count.

We believe in selling goods that give entire satisfaction. So remember that when you buy anything that is not all right, bring it back and we will make it right.

Yours for a Deal.

Rowell Bros. & Co. SCHOOLS, OREGON

WATCH FOR THE GRAND RE-OPENING Friday, August 30

We are now doing business in our new store on Second street, where we wish to meet all our former patrons and everybody else.

The Den of Sweets

St. Mary's Institute Near Beaverton, Oregon.

Conducted by the Sisters of St. Mary. Located in a most healthful district, eleven miles west of Portland, on Southern Pacific, West Side. Easily accessible by convenient railway schedule. Buildings new, and furnished with all modern conveniences. Spacious grounds and special facility for physical culture, outdoor games and exercises. Course of Study is thorough, comprising Primary, Grammar, Academic and Commercial Departments. Best attention in music, art and needlework.

School re-opens Tuesday, September 10th For Catalogue apply to SISTER SUPERIOR, Beaverton, Ore.

Building Material

We have just received a large shipment of Shingles, Lime, Cement, Brick, Fire Brick, Fire Clay, Sand, Gravel, Fibered and Unfibered Plaster. See our prices before buying elsewhere.

Climax Feed Store

Both Phones. Sheep, hogs and beef cattle bought. Independent Telephone, 551, Beaverton.—J. G. Haynes. If you want a good velvet talcum powder, call for Stearns, at the Hillsboro Pharmacy. Argus and Pacific Monthly, \$1.50

The state of Oregon can not throw too many safeguards around the banking system, and the Oregonian is to be commended for its intelligent effort, prior the last meeting of the legislature, for a statute covering safety to depositors. Ill-timed speculation has ruined many small holders of money, when they had their nest egg placed in some bank, ostensibly sound, and yet rotten, through gross mismanagement, that may, after all is said, have had nothing to do with criminal intent. But it is well, however, to have a law that will not only close a bank when over the safety line, but that will carry punishment for reckless investments, when other peoples' money is the motive power.

The New York World asks, "What is a democrat?" Not the New York World.

FARM FOR SALE

100-acre farm for sale; fine soil; 87 acres under plow; balance good pasture; no timber. Located one mile from Witch Hazel Station; four miles from county seat. Ten-room house; two barns; good water, two wells. This is fine for dairy, or purchaser could cut into small tracts. If sold soon, goes for \$80 per acre. Abstract to date goes with deed. Address or call on G. J. Palmateer, Hillsboro, Oregon.

Wade Armentrout, of near Banks, was in town this morning.

Edward Mincemoyer and Chas. Kostur, of north of Reedville, were in town this morning, having a load of the Kostur place made to Mincemoyer, the sale having been made yesterday. Mr. Kostur likes Oregon, and may stay, buying somewhere else.