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## THE STREET FAIR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Meets Monday Night and Reports Progress

CONTEST FOR QUEEN UNDER WAY

Commission and Amusement Committee is Busy

Executive Committee of the Hillsboro Street Fair met at the Court House Monday night, R. P. Cornelius, chairman presiding.

Secretary of War, W. H. Taft, spoke at the Armory, in Portland, on the night of September 5th to fully 5000 people. His address was practically non-partisan, and covered several topics, including the Panama canal, the government in the Philippines, and the administration's policy of dealing with the rebating and other law breaking trusts. The Secretary hit a popular chord, when he said of one of President Roosevelt's critics: "He does not seem to distinguish between the legitimate and the illegitimate organization of capital. Theodore Roosevelt does, and the laborer and his employer is each rendered justice by him. That is what he means by a 'square deal'."

Personally, Secretary Taft is pleasing in appearance, and is what may be termed a good "mixer." His voice is deep and resonant, and he was easily heard in all parts of the large drill room in the Armory. Briefly, he made a good impression upon his audience, and his sincerity of purpose as a public servant, and his deep interest in the welfare of the whole nation, were made apparent in the minds of all who heard him.

If you want to tile your place, get figures from the Groner & Howell Company, of Scholls. We are the largest manufacturers of drain tile in the county, and have sold our product far and wide. If you are going to build this Fall, get our figures of brick, building blocks, etc. We also furnish lumber, rough and dressed, of all kinds, and deliver if required, in sufficient quantities. Address us at Hillsboro, R. F. D. No. 2. If you are wanting large sized tiling, send us your order before Sept. 1.

G. S. Robinson, a leading dairyman of Farmington, called on the Argus Saturday, and exhibited some of the finest Gravenstein apples, we have seen this season. "We can raise just as good apples in Washington county," said Mr. Robinson, "as are raised at Hood River, or any other part of the world. All that is necessary, is to spray the fruit thoroughly. Andrew Westburg, of my neighborhood will have 1000 boxes of King, Spitzenburg, Ben Davis and Sinew apples, this year, and I do not believe that he will have 20 boxes of wormy apples in the whole lot." Mr. Robinson believes in keeping orchard pests at a distance by vigorous spraying, and finds that it pays. He will have an exhibit of fruit at the Street Fair.

E. C. Chapman, a prominent Clackamas farmer, has filed divorce proceedings in the circuit court of that county, against his wife, Grace V. Chapman, nee Grace Robinson, formerly of Washington county. The couple were married in February, of the present year. The husband alleges that his wife has treated him with coldness and contempt, thereby making him very unhappy. The wife's answer to plaintiff's allegations has not been made public. The defendant is well known in this county.

Rev. C. E. Cline, formerly of Hillsboro, in writing to the Oregonian lately, from St. Paul, Minnesota, makes mention of his attendance on a reunion of the First Minnesota Heavy Artillery, the first of the kind since the battery was mustered out at Chattanooga, Tennessee, July, 1865—42 years ago. Mr. Cline said that Capt. Collins, of Hillsboro, and himself, were about the only surviving commissioned officers of that famous command.

Do not run the risk of having your valuable papers burned or stolen when you can have a safety deposit box at the Hillsboro Commercial Bank for \$1.00 per year.

Judge C. E. Kindt, of Kinton, was in the city Saturday, and called on the Argus. He was one of the Washington county delegation, who heard Secretary Taft speak Friday night.

We are agents for the Deering and Osborne harvesting machinery, and have a complete line on hand, received direct from the factory.—Schulmerich Bros.

F. W. Phillips, of Cornelius, called Saturday. He and his mother, Mrs. Martha Phillips, expect to remove to Hillsboro, in the near future.

Lost—3 year-old Durham steer, red.—Notify Toni Sinay, Cornelius, Ore., R. 2 Phone, Independent, Line 22, No. 55, on Scholls Line.

Roy Grear, the druggist, has put in an accommodation desk for the benefit of his patrons, and invites them to use it.

Mill feed, shorts, bran, rolled barley, middlings, chap, etc., for sale at the Milne warehouse, by Geo. A. Brown, lessee.

Miss Lorena Enechs, who recently returned from Wheatland, Cal., spent Sunday with friends in Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shute were in Hillsboro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bailey, of this city entertained last Friday night in honor of Will N. Barrett, U. S. Naval School, near home on a leave of absence. The parlors were tastefully decorated with floral colors, and floral emblems. An excellent luncheon was also served. Following is a list of the invited guests:

Mr. Barrett, Jack Munger, Roy Grear, Mr. Bailey, A. W. Siegrist, Conway Ireland, Norman Greer, Ward Downey, Harold Merriman, Mrs. Nelson, Misses H. J. Gates, Florence, Georgia Smith, Fay Corwin, Mrs. Weathered, Miss Cranfill, Bea Wehner, Bessie Archbold, Miss Shellenbarger, Margaret Redmond, Leslie Cate, Mrs. Lumbie, Miss Gerald, of Portland.

The Misses Florence Tongue, Helen Gates and Eva Bailey gave a dancing party Saturday night at the Opera House, in Mr. Barrett's honor, which was a pleasant affair.

BARGAIN

Twenty acres in the city limits of Hillsboro under cultivation. Good 10000 house, small barn and other small buildings. Good orchard, strawberries and other small fruits. For particulars, Phone 151, Jobe's Addition, Independent line.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shute were in Hillsboro Saturday.

## WASHINGTON COUNTY ONION GROWERS

Protest to Railway Commission Against Increased Rates

RAISE FROM 7 TO 13 CENTS

Shippers Demand Old Rates by Restored

At a meeting of the Oregon Railway Commission held in Portland last Saturday, the Onion Growers Association presented grievances.

It complains that the rate on onions has been raised from 7 to 13 cents per cwt. since February last, and that same is burdensome and excessive, and calculated to cripple the industry. The onion men ask that the old rate be restored.

The old rates were the same for shipment of less than a carload as for carload lots and had been in force for about 14 years. The rate from Hillsboro to Portland on onions was raised from 7 cents a cwt. either in carload lots or smaller shipments to 13 cents for less than carload lots and 7 cents for carload lots. From Beaverton the old rate of 5 cents has been raised to 7 cents for carload lots and 11 cents for less than carloads. The rate from Sherwood for carload lots remains at 5 cents a cwt. but for less than carload lots the charge has been increased to 13 cents. Formerly the charge for carloads of fertilizer from Portland to either of the three points named was \$2. This has been increased to \$2, which the onion growers declare they cannot afford to pay.

The producers represent an industry that in 1903, when the old rates were first effective, consisted of 117 acres. At the present time more than 500 acres are devoted to the growing of this crop in the district affected by the increased rates.

LUMBER AT AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public auction at Cornelius, Oregon, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. on

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about 80,000 feet of lumber, ranging from 1x4 to 1x12, 2x4 and 2x6 good dry lumber.

Terms of Sale.—\$10 and under cash; over \$10, ninety days with bankable note at 8 per cent, 2 per cent discount for cash.

THOMPSON BROS. LUM. CO.  
B. P. Cornelius, Auct.

LAW ABOUT FIRING SLASHINGS

Sheriff Connell has just received a second installment of an "Act to Provide Against Forest Fires," from the Secretary of State, for free distribution. A copy of this law may be had upon application to that officer. We publish this week the section which refers to the burning of slashing, etc:

Section 5. During the period between June 1st and October 1st, which is hereby designated the closing season, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to set on fire or cause to be set on fire, any slashing, chopping, wood land or brush land, either his or their own or the property of another, without written or printed permission from a State fire warden and compliance with the terms thereof. This restriction shall not apply to the burning of log piles, stumps or brush heaps, in small quantities, at a safe distance from other inflammable material, and under adequate precautions and personal control, and in accordance with regulations adopted by said board, but it shall apply to any burning without permission which shall result in the escape of fire and injury to the property of another, this shall be held prima facie evidence that such burning was not safe and was a violation of this section. Violation of these provisions shall be punishable by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00), or by imprisonment of not less than ten days nor more than three months. Permits to burn, as provided by this section, may be issued by any State fire warden, and shall contain such restrictions as to time of burning and precaution to be taken as may be fixed by the State Board of Forestry or left by said board to the discretion of fire wardens. Any fire warden shall have the right to refuse, revoke or postpone permits when it is clearly necessary for public safety. Any applicant dissatisfied with the decision of a State fire warden shall have the right of appeal to the State Board of Forestry. Any permit obtained through willful misrepresentation shall be invalid and give no exemption from liability of any kind.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public auction, at her residence, on the corner of Fourth and Fir streets, Hillsboro, beginning at 1 p. m. on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 21.

Home Comfort Range, Heaters, Blue Flame Stove, Bedroom Sets, 3 Carpets, Matting, Sideboard, 2 Extension Tables, 4 Rockers, Lounge, Footstool, Picture Frames, Dishes, Dining Chairs, Hanging Lamp, Lace Curtains Books, Wringers, Makers Horse, Crocks, Tubs, Wringers, Commodore, Upholstered Chair, Kitchen Pressure, Safe, Sycamore Scoop Shovel, Pressure, Iron Pump, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms.—All sums under \$10 cash in hand; all sums over \$10, 60 months time with approved note.

MRS. H. R. DAVIS.  
J. C. Kuratli, Auct.

Argus and Oregonian, \$2.00.

Five line of Hamilton Brown shoes, at John Dennis's.

F. W. Delsman, of near Glencoe, was in Hillsboro Monday, on business.

N. C. J. Christensen, of Laurel was in town Monday transacting business.

Misses Anna and Letitia Connell, of Portland, spent Sunday with their parents in Hillsboro.

Look out for the announcement of Miss Coleman, the milliner, at Cornelius, next week.

Call on or phone to Dennis for groceries. A complete and up to date list always on hand.

The Cornelius base ball club will play a return game at Hillsboro next Sunday with the local club.

Miss Lorena Glendon, formerly of Forest Grove, was married to a Dr. Norrie, of Goldendale, last Sunday.

J. E. McNamara, with the Baldwin Printing Co., of Portland, accompanied by his wife, was in town Sunday.

J. B. Trullinger, a well known sawmill man, of Sheridan, was in town Tuesday last, visiting his brother, J. V. Trullinger.

John Bailey and the Schulmerich brothers returned from Nehalem Saturday, with one fat "snowbird" to their credit as hunters.

Married, in Hillsboro, September 9, 1907, by J. W. Goodin, County Judge, Ernest Haberstroh and Charlotte Howard, both of Cornelius, Oregon.

We have ordered a car load of wire line direct from the factory. We can save you five per cent, on same if ordered immediately.—Schulmerich Bros.

Will Hare and A. A. Mead, returned last Monday from a trip to the Nehalem Valley. They blended business with pleasure, and had a pleasant trip.

Monday was the hottest ever. The thermometer registered 93 degrees in the shade, and many a chicken no doubt regretted that it couldn't take its feathers off.

For Rent: Farm of 117 acres, over 100 acres under plow; on rural mail and milk route; 2 miles from Hillsboro; telephone connection. For terms call Farmers' line, Pacific States 281.

The Hillsboro band discoursed some fine selections Saturday night from the band stand in the Court House plaza, and later played at the opening of the "Den of Sweets" in its new location.

For Sale—About 40 well-bred shoots and brood sows—Inquire of F. W. Delsman, 2 miles south of Glencoe, across the road from Tualatin Plains church. P. O. address, Hillsboro, R. 3.

The Hillsboro base ball club met the Cornelius nine on the diamond of the latter club last Sunday, and took the Cornelius boys into camp to the score of 8 to 2. The Cornelius side did not score up the seventh inning.

Assessor Geo. H. Wilcox as stated by Ward Downey, is working hard on the assessment roll, which he expects will be completed in about three weeks, when the work of extending the taxes for 1907, will begin.

J. R. Bailey, of Buxton, called Monday last. Mr. Bailey brought 18 head of fat hogs to Corwin & Heidel, the butchers. He says he will start his prune dryer the last of the week. He has 20 acres of Italian prunes. He reports a bumper crop of all kinds of fruit this year.

Miss Minnie Abbott, an Argus compositor, this week received an illustrated post card from her sister, Mrs. Dr. G. L. Biggers, of La Grande, Oregon, now visiting the Jamestown Fair, showing St. Paul's Episcopal church at Norfolk, Va. The church is of historic interest, having been built in 1739. It bears the mark of a cannon ball, fired into it by the British, in 1776.

C. E. Bradley, first assistant in the experiment station of the Corvallis Agricultural College, has been investigating the different methods employed in drying hops in the yards of Washington county this week. Mr. Bradley is a graduate of Pacific University, and a well known Washington County boy, who is making his way to the front as an efficient instructor in the Corvallis institution.

Ira Purdin, of Portland, was in Hillsboro Tuesday, and informed the Argus that himself and daughter, Miss Edna, will start today for a visit with relatives in Ohio and Missouri. While gone they will take in the Jamestown Fair, returning home via Washington, D. C., New York City and Niagara Falls. Mr. Purdin's last visit East was 31 years ago. They will be gone about 2 months.

## HILLSBORO MAN JUMPS FOR LIFE

During Fire in Hazelwood Creamery Building

LEAPS FROM THE THIRD FLOOR

Only Injury Received Was a Severe Shock

During the progress of a fire which gutted the new Hazelwood creamery building in Portland, Monday morning last, James W. Taylor, a son of Frank Taylor, who formerly farmed on a part of the old Butler donation claim, near Hillsboro, was benched in by the flames, and forced to jump for his life from the third story of the building. He had not noticed, while at work, that the building was on fire. Before he was aware of his danger he was completely cut off from all safe exits. The only way of escape was by a jump to the ground, and Taylor, seeing that he would have to jump or be burned alive, took the chance. He landed on his feet, and the only injury he received was a severe shock. Four other men working on the roof at the time the fire broke out were forced to slide down ropes in order to save their lives. Considering the distance covered by the leap, young Taylor's escape is a remarkable one; an experience which he no doubt is not anxious to duplicate. Taylor has been working in Portland for some time, and is well known in Hillsboro.

COMMISSIONER'S COURT

[Continued from last week]

In the matter of the petition of Peter Grossen; application for refund of tax as prayed for in petition; ordered that tax be refunded.

H. G. Fitch, J. P. Cornelius precinct; transcript State of Oregon vs. Seeley examined, approved and bills drawn for cash.

C. E. Knight, J. P. Butte precinct; transcript State of Oregon vs. Jas. Boyle; examined, approved.

J. H. Wirtz, J. P. for Forest Grove; transcript State of Oregon vs. W. N. Kysia; examined and approved, and bills drawn for cash.

Present ownership and road map of county; ordered that County Judge be instructed to advertise for bids for making present ownership and road map of the county.

Leonard W. Hill, gateway petition; ordered that report of viewers hereon be not accepted, and that the petition be dismissed.

William Lacey, petition for saloon license in Gaston precinct; ordered that the petition be denied.

Resignation of G. W. Stitt as road supervisor of district number 10; resignation accepted.

F. W. Kelsay, et als; petitions and applications for funds in certain road districts; petitions of F. M. Kelsay, Lipschath, et als, and applications of C. B. Shorey and Wm. Joos for aid for roads be disallowed.

Additional claims allowed:

John Baldwin, et als..... \$ 7.50  
J. H. Wirtz, Justice fees..... 0.50  
T. A. Hoopesmyle, c. fees..... 2.75  
Thos. Murphy, sup. sal..... 12.50  
John Beyer, " "..... 10.00  
J. T. Fletcher, " "..... 5.00  
J. W. Stitt, " "..... 7.50  
Jake Reicher, " "..... 25.00  
J. W. Goodin, sal. etc..... 112.00  
Irwin-Hudson Co., sta..... 2.00

EVANS, AN EX-CONVICT

J. White Evans, who secured the right of way in this county for the United Railways, and who has been a leading promoter in Portland for more than a year past, has been exposed by his wife's former husband, Dr. Owens of Los Angeles, who says White served a term in San Quentin for grand larceny. White admits that the charges are true as to his service as a convict, but says he was innocent of the crime charged. White has brought suit against Owens for extortion through the medium of letters. He claims that he has paid Owens large sums of money to prevent his past record from becoming public. Evans will be remembered in Hillsboro as a well dressed and agreeable business man, who created rather a favorable impression here, while engaged in securing franchise for the United Railways. It is alleged by the Oregonian, that none of the enterprises promoted by him will suffer through the revelations made, as Evans acted merely as agent for those interested. Evans' wife has gone East, and he is at present in Los Angeles. It is not known whether he will return to Portland, as he disposed of much of his property before going south.

Argus and Oregonian, \$2.



**POMPEIAN MASSAGE CREAM**

Your skin may look clean after washing—until you see the left-in dirt that clogs the pores

Just as this paper is white until it is compared with something whiter, so your skin may look clean until you try a Pompeian Massage and see the left-in dirt that it brings out.

You have been washing with soap and water but still the dirt remained. You thought your skin was clean, but wondered why it was sallow and why the wrinkles grow more in evidence every year.

Pompeian Massage Cream gently rubs in and then as gently rubs out will bring with it the dirt that soap has never touched, nourishes the skin, puts new blood in the cheeks,—lets nature do its perfect work.

All good barbers apply Pompeian Massage Cream—it is a great relief after shaving and tends to make the skin stronger and less sensitive.

Learn appropriate Pompeian Massage Cream because it stimulates the circulation and gives a bright, clear complexion.

Come in for free sample and copy of the famous booklet "A Treatise on Facial Massage." Pompeian Cream is sold at 50c and \$1.00 per jar.

**Hillsboro Pharmacy**

## Forest Grove National Bank

Commenced business, March 4, 1907.  
Comparative statement upon dates of  
Call by the Comptroller:

**DEPOSITS**  
March 22, \$48,223.17  
May 20, \$89,822.28  
August 22, \$130,722.92

Accounts invited.

**Officers and Directors:**  
W. B. Haines, Pres., Jno. E. Bailey, Vice Pres.,  
John A. Thornburgh, Cashier,  
Thos. G. Todd, J. W. Fuqua.

Forest Grove, Oregon

## Bailey's Big Store

We sell SELZ' Shoes;  
They make your feet glad;  
They make your feet look stylish;  
You walk around like your feet were comfortable.  
Vici Kid, Box Calf, Vellum Calf, Patent Kid, Blucher, Ball and Oxford.

**J. E. Bailey, Forest Grove**

## WEINHARD'S (On draught)

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

## The Delta Drug Store

Hillsboro, Oregon

Besides a complete line of Drugs and Medicines, we also carry a complete line of Shavers' Requisites, such as Razors, Strops, Mugs, Brushes, Soaps, etc., which we offer at especially attractive prices. See our window.

For sale: Binder, threshing machine outfit, portable sawmill, etc. Will sell cheap.—Kuratli Bros.

Dr. F. J. Bailey was in Portland on professional business last Saturday.