

FIRST HOP CONTRACT OF SEASON RECORDED

Killin and Johnson, of Gaston, with McNeff, at 10 Cents

CONTRACT PRODUCT OF 22 ACRES

Only Hope is a Failure of the Crop in England

Hop men have been rather discouraged in this county for the past year, on account of low prices, and many raisers have either plowed up their yards, or are not cultivating them this year...

The contract is dated May 19, 1908. This would indicate that prices are looking up a bit, but the market reports are not so reassuring as they might be.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We greatly missed the patronage and faces of our customers last year, owing to the fact that our yard was full of trees and we could not attend to them...

WIDOW DRINKS CREOSOTE

Mrs. Missouri Smith, a young widow, recently from the East, and in the employ of Henry Marsh, of near Sherwood, made an ineffectual effort Wednesday, to destroy herself by drinking creosote.

LYONS-PATTERSON

Married, at the residence of Henry Wehrung, Hillsboro, Oregon, June 24, 1908, by Rev. Evan P. Hughes, of Corvallis, Ernest E. Lyons and Miss Amy L. Patterson, both of this county.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at the C. W. Lisch farm, one mile west of Phillips, and 5 miles east of Glencoe, beginning at 10 a. m., on SATURDAY, JULY 11

Bay team, 6 and 8 years old, weight 2800; 4 cows, 2 fresh, 1 fresh in December; 1 fresh in October; 2 shoats, weight 85 lbs each; 3 dozen chickens; 2 1/2 inch farm wagon, spring wagon, buggy, 2 plows, 10 and 12 inch; steel lever harrow, cultivator, feed cutter, 15-gal kettle, 50-gal oak barrels, spray pump, stump puller, harrow fork, pulleys and ropes; set w...

At the stage owned by Palmateer. If he can't suit you 'twill be queer. For folks to come from far and near. So why not all towards him steer. He'll treat you well—don't doubt or fear.

Basalwood Ice Cream and Hires Root Beer

Ought to go good this time of year. You'll find such things your heart to cheer.

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Banker Ed. Haines, of Forest Grove, was in town today.

Geo. Chapman and wife, of Gales Creek, were in town yesterday.

J. C. Raffety and wife, of Mountaineale, were in town yesterday.

Miss Eva Emerick, of Arlington, is visiting friends in Hillsboro this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schwarz, Hillsboro, Oregon, June 18, 1908, a daughter.

C. F. Heene, one of the substantial farmers of the Scholls section, was in the city yesterday.

Restaurant business for sale cheap, for cash. Must sell at once. Call at this office. 15 8

Mrs. S. J. Brown and daughter, Mary, returned home Monday, after a three weeks' visit with relatives in Portland.

"True Patriotism" will be the morning topic in the Congregational church. "Pig Philosophy" will be the evening topic.

Wm. Lytle took a party of Hillsboro friends up to the logging camp above Buxton, yesterday, in E. E. Lytle's large automobile.

Make use of Osterman's Centerville free delivery. Phone orders will receive prompt attention. See dates elsewhere in paper. 14-16

Dahl Adams, of Portland, visited Mrs. Imbrie and family Wednesday. Mr. Adams is home on a vacation from medical college in the East.

Earl Hollenbeck, of Mountaineale, is reported seriously sick with pneumonia. Several cases of this disease are reported in the vicinity of Mountaineale.

Israel Spencer, of Vernonia was in town Monday, on his way to the G. A. R. encampment at Newport. Mr. Spencer is one of the pioneers of the Nehalem valley.

John Kerr, of near Middleton, sent to Hillsboro, for the purpose of exhibition, a single Sharpshooter strawberry, raised on his place, which measured 10 inches in circumference.

Mrs. Jackson, mother of Mrs. Frank McElidowney, of Portland, and her daughter, Mrs. Eva Christensen, of Oakland, Cal., are guests of Mrs. Jane Smith, of this city, this week.

A Basket Social will be given for the benefit of the Banks Stars base ball nine, at Banks, Saturday evening, June 27. All are cordially invited. Ladies bring your baskets. 14-15

H. C. Atwell, of Forest Grove, president of the Oregon State Horticultural Society and Cherry Fair, to be held at The Dalles on June 30, July 1 and 2. Prizes will be given amounting in the aggregate to \$300 in cash and cups.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moulton, who visited several days with Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Bailey, left yesterday morning for Portland. They returned recently from Utah. Mr. Moulton is a mining engineer, and his wife, nee Alice Merryman, is a sister of Mrs. Bailey.

Four county teams will participate in the baseball tournament at Cornelius, on July 2, 3 and 4. The two winning teams will contest for the championship on the 4th of July. The teams to play are the Banks regulars, Banks "Outlaws," Verboorts, and the Farmington nine.

I. D. Chappell, the horseman, left today, for Denver, Colorado. The object of his visit is to bring back with him the three year old Bondman colt, Dr. Ullman, which has been entered in the three year old class on the coast circuit this year. Dr. Ullman is said to be a colt of great promise.

I want to lease, for a term of years, a farm of 100 acres, for dairy purposes; on milk route. Pay cash rent. Want possession October 1. Call on or address L. A. Johnson, Holbrook, Ore., B. D. 1, near Bethany; phone Pacific States, 369, out of Hillsboro. 14 6

Rev. Evan P. Hughes, of Corvallis, formerly pastor of the Congregational church, in Hillsboro, was in the city the first of the week, and officiated at the Lyons-Patterson wedding, and at the Wehrung-Widom wedding. Rev. Hughes has many friends in this vicinity and was well liked during his pastorate here. The Argus acknowledges a pleasant call.

Those wishing to tile their will always find a large stock in our yard at Scholls. Having the larger size tiling face their orders with us one 1. We also carry brick building blocks. Those intending will find a large supply in our yard, and you need to call and look over before purchasing.—The Rowell Co, Scholls; P. O. Hillsboro, Ore., R. D. 2.

Patrons of range No. 271, Patrons of range No. 272, met at Tualatin, Saturday, June 20, and observed children's day. Great interest was taken in the occasion. The grange taken in regular session in the forenoon and adjourned at noon to a fine dinner prepared by women members. In the afternoon an excellent program was closed by little girls presenting each of the grange officers a bouquet of roses and scattering rose petals over the audience.

IRRIGATION WORK IN THE WILLAMETTE

Circular 78 Mentions Washington County Experiments

STATION AT THE DUDLEY MILLS

Work Under Supervision Government Expert

The following statement contained in Circular No. 78, issued by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, office of Experiment Stations, and just received by the Argus, refers to experiments made by Geo. R. Bagley, at the Dudley Mills farm, north of town, last year. The irrigation work this year is being supervised by A. P. Stover, in charge of Irrigation work in Oregon. We quote from the report as follows:

"The tract upon which these experiments are being conducted is located about 6 miles north of Hillsboro. Prior to the purchase of the tract by Mr. Bagley, in 1906, the land had for many years been used almost exclusively for grain growing. Mr. Bagley's intention is to develop the property as a diversified farm, and irrigation, which is easily and cheaply provided, is to be used to bring about the fullest development... A dairy herd has been placed upon the place so that an extremely practical test of the value of irrigation can be made, it being the intention to keep a complete record of all farming operations, together with a record of all crop yields and their disposal. A preliminary experiment in the irrigation of red clover, which was made by Mr. Bagley the past season and which is referred to later, indicates results which may be expected from future experiments at this place. The soil is representative of the prairie soils common to the north end of the valley. Water for irrigation is secured from Dairy Creek by gravity flow through an old mill race, which is part of the property owned by Mr. Bagley. Mr. Bagley began in the fall of 1906 the preparation of 8 acres of land for the experiment. It was found that at a depth of 8 to 10 inches there had been formed a plow sole or artificial hardpan, that was so hard and impervious as to hinder the penetration of roots to a greater depth. To break up this plow sole the greater part of the field was subsoiled to a depth of 16 to 20 inches. The part of Mr. Bagley's letter giving details of the experiment follows:

The results secured by Mr. Bagley, while they can not be stated in definite terms, show most conclusively the value of irrigation in producing clover. Had it not been for the one irrigation in July, the young clover plants would have either died from lack of moisture or struggled on through the season, perhaps to yield one crop the following year. The one irrigation cost only the labor of one man for not to exceed two days, bringing the cost of labor and irrigation to less than 50 cents an acre."

Will Schulmerich and Ed. Boge, of near Farmington, went over to Wilson river Wednesday of last week, returning Friday. They caught fish galore—over 400 of the canny tribe falling victims to their alluring flies. They report that the fish are now rising to the fly in great shape, on this fine trout stream.

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1908, Team gray mares, aged 4 and 5, well matched, both bred to good horse; match team sorrel mares, aged 6 and 7, one with colt at side, both bred to good horse; fine Cuyler mare, age 6, beautiful animal, perfect build and action; dark bay mare, age 6, bred to good work horse. These are all young farm and work horses, gentle sound and well bred. A team black driving horses, age 6 and 8, weight 1025 each; small team stylish bay driving horses, age 5 and 6; sorrel horse, 8 yrs; bay mare, age 7, with colt; bay driving horse, age 4; small driving mare, age 5; bay horse, 6 yrs; sorrel riding pony, age 6; match team spotted ponies, age 1 and 2.

These are well bred horses from Crook county, mostly all broke and gentle, and unlike the common range horses. Horses can be seen before the sale at the Haynes' place, 3 miles southwest of Beaverton.

Terms of Sale—Six months' time, bankable note, at 8 per cent; 2 per cent off for cash. Fieck & Travis, Owners. B. P. Cornelius, Auctioneer.

I will sell at public sale at the J. W. Sewell farm, 1 mile east of Hillsboro, beginning at 2 o'clock p. m., on SATURDAY, JUNE 27

Bay mare, weight 1400, Black Diamond colt by side; gray mare, 5 years old, weight 1450; gray mare, weight 1300; 2 cows; 1 in milk, and 1 fresh soon; Holstein bull, 2 yearling heifers; two 3/4 inch wide tire wagons, light wagon, with top, pole and shaft; heavy single harness, set double harness, old set harness; 3 1/4 inch plows, 6-inch plow; 2 hammers; hayracks, pulleys and forks; a dozen chickens; 30-gallon iron kettle, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale: \$10 and under, cash, over \$10, 6 months' time, approved note, at 8 per cent. J. W. SEWELL, Owner. B. P. Cornelius, Auctioneer.

Notice To Contractors Sealed proposals will be received by the County Court of Washington County until 2 p. m. of June 20th, 1908, and then opened for the construction of a bridge 75 feet in length across Dairy Creek near the old Carthage Mills about three miles north of Banks, Minn. Bidders will be required to deposit a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of their bid. By order of the County Court.

The undersigned will sell at public auction at the Wm. Curtis farm, 1 1/2 miles south of Reedville, at 10 o'clock a. m., on SATURDAY, JUNE 27

Team work horses, saddle horse, driving horse; 13 cows, graded Jersey, 7 fresh in fall, all in milk; 2 2-yr-old heifers, 3 yearling heifers, 2 heifers, 3 calves, fall-yearling Jersey bull calf, 2-year-old bull; 3 brood sows, 8 hogs; dozen chickens, Deering binder, good as new; Champion mower, light back, good as new; heavy back, 2 buggies, 3 1/4 inch Mitchell wagon, plows, harrow, double above, single below; harrow, double below; 15-gal iron harrow; hayfork, and open; 15-gal iron kettle, 2 sets double harness, set double buggy harness, set single buggy harness, 5-novel cultivator, U. S. cream separator No. 7; 3 10-gallon milk cans; 2 8-gallon milk cans, all good; spray pump, bone grinder, nearly new; incubator and brooder, good as new; Wood Mohawk cook stove, in good condition, cupboard, kitchen treasures, baby carriage, nearly new, and numerous other articles.

Terms of sale:—\$10 and under, cash; over \$10, one year's time, 8 per cent, approved note. Lunch at noon. Wm. Curtis, H. L. Burbell, J. C. Kuratli, Auctioneer. Ed. Shute, Clerk.

Chas. Waibel, of Helvetia, was in town yesterday, on business.

The County Sunday School Convention is in session at Reedville today.

W. J. Wall, of Los Mochis, Sinaloa, Mexico, arrived in town today, for a visit with his brother, John M. Wall.

For sale.—A champion binder, in good repair, cheap. Call on or address S. M. Chapman, Hillsboro, Or., R. 4; phone 251, Ind. 14-17

Mrs. Arthur Flint, of Scholls, was in the city yesterday, in her big touring car, and with her were a party of lady friends and children.

Children day exercises will be held at the Evangelical church next Sunday night. All are cordially invited. A pleasing program will be given.

M. E. Everitt and wife, of North Bend, are expected to arrive in a few days, for a visit with M. E.'s sister and brother, Mrs. J. M. Brown and Franklin Everitt.

J. W. Connell and L. A. Long, under the firm names of Connell & Long, have owned real estate offices in the Wehrung Block, upstairs. Let them sell your property for you. 15 8

In an altercation at Beaverton, this morning between Jas. Specht and Paul Smith, the former hit the latter on the head with a piece of scantling, inflicting a severe cut over the left eye. Dr. F. A. Bailey attended the injured man.

Herman Ostermann will run a free delivery from his store, at Centerville, each week, as follows: Monday, Greenville and vicinity; Tuesday and Friday, Verboort; Wednesday, Leisyville; Saturday, Mountaineale. This is for the convenience of persons ordering by phone. 14-16

Arthur Gilmore, of this city, who, with his wife, is visiting his father, at Clear Lake, Iowa, sent a postal card to Mr. Jeffery, this week, containing the picture of a big string of wall-eyed pike. He writes that he has had great sport in fishing on the big lake, and that they are enjoying their visit hugely.

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W. H. Taylor, Chairman of Board, Hillsboro, Ore., June 24, 1908. 15-8

Administrators Notice Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Vetal Cimino, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, with proper vouchers, at my residence, R. F. D. No. 1, Sherwood, Washington county, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated June 25, 1908. WILLIAM CIMINO, Administrator for the estate of Vetal Cimino, deceased, and Benton Bowman, attorneys for estate.

SOCIETY EVENT OF THE SEASON

The Wisdom-Wehrung Wedding Wednesday Afternoon

IT WAS AN ELABORATE AFFAIR

Popular Hillsboro Girl Weds Portland Business Man

Yesterday, at 1 o'clock p. m., occurred the wedding of Mr. Layton Wisdom, of Portland, and Miss Ethel Wehrung, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wehrung, at the residence of the bride's parents, Sixth and Washington streets, this city. The parlor was decorated with white roses, palms and ferns, and the ceremony was performed under a canopy of Bride's roses. The living room was decorated with California poppies and ferns; while the dining room was in pink, a pleasing display of La France and Caroline Testout roses and pink hydrangeas, with pink ribbon decorations.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Evan P. Hughes of Corvallis. Bridesmaids were: Misses Alice Wehrung and Eva Bosow. Maid of honor was Miss Eva Catching, while Willis Ireland was the bridegroom's best man. The Lohman bridegroom's march was rendered by Miss Kate Shannon, accompanied by Miss Caroline Barker, violinist. Miss Maud Shannon sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly." Misses Stella Bosow and Leah Patterson received, and Misses Barker and Bosow attended the bride's table. The presents were numerous and beautiful. The bride was gowned in white crepe de chine over state tulle with orange blossoms and diamond tulle with green mosses, blue and fillet lace. Mrs. Wisdom's gown was apricot messaline, trimmed with point lace.

After a tour of the Sound and British Columbia they will be at home to their friends in Portland.

Following is a list of the guests: Messrs. and Mesdames W. H. Wehrung, H. Wehrung, Peter Bosow, W. W. Bosow, W. B. Wilson, D. Corwin, G. A. Patterson; Mesdames Heffley and A. L. Anderson; Mesdames Stella Bosow, Alice Wehrung, Mattie Wilson, Fay Corwin, Mrs. Wallace, Elizabeth Milne, Bessie Anderson, Cora Schmetzer; Messrs. Will Corwin, Willis Ireland, Adolph Seigrist, D. Emerick, G. A. Wehrung, Hillsboro; Messrs. and Mesdames M. D. Wisdom, Geo. Patterson, A. H. Brown; Mrs. L. B. Bosow; Misses Eva Bosow, Leah Patterson, Eva Catching, Ella Brown, Nina Hunstock, Jessie Rybee, Corneilia Hanstock, Stanton and Preston Wilder; Messrs. Roland Bosow, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Patterson and daughter, Miss Alice, Eugene; Miss Eva Emerick, Arlington; Miss Edith Slusher, Pendleton; Miss Helen Getzie, California; E. P. Hughes, Corvallis; Messrs. Manche Langley, Maud and Katheryne Shannon, Forest Grove.

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We carry too many articles to enumerate, but we have anything the farmer needs. The largest stock ever shown in Washington county, and can and will beat all competitors.—Schulmerich Bros.

Geo. R. Varney, professor of English and public speaking in McMinnville College, has been called as pastor of the Hillsboro Baptist church. He began his work last Sunday, and those who heard him were pleased with his eloquent preaching.

The members of the local Pythian lodge were agreeably surprised at close of their deliberations last Monday night, when the Pythian Sisters invited them to a feast of cake, strawberries and cream, fortified with coffee and sandwiches. About 70 persons were present.

Dr. A. B. Bailey was called Tuesday, to extract a large firm splinter from the wrist of the 6 year old son of Chas. Crocker, southeast of town, which the little fellow accidentally had thrust into his arm. The piece of wood extracted was nearly as large as an ordinary lead pencil, and caused much suffering to the child.

A woman, rather advanced in years, was brought before Recorder Schulmerich Wednesday, for peddling a high priced face dove, without a license. She gave the Recorder and the town, and every one in it, a severe tongue lashing, paid her fine and departed. The woman was very insulting to people who failed to buy her preparation. She gave her name as Mrs. E. Noble.

A brother of Jas. Welden, the latter now in the county jail, charged with assault upon George Ledford with intent to kill, wired today to Justice H. T. Bagley, asking if he would accept bond for \$600, given in Detroit, Mich., and certified to by the district attorney, and release Welden. Judge Bagley replied that he could only accept cash bail, bond of surety company, or bond with resident sureties.

A. C. Shute and Geo. Schulmerich, the former representing the John Shute Bank and the latter the Hillsboro Commercial Bank, will attend the annual meeting of the State Bankers Association, which meets in Salem on the 26th and 27th of this month. Mr. Schulmerich is on the program for a short talk, and expects to tell the assembled financiers that conditions are all right, in this, the best county in the state.

At the Hillsboro grounds, Saturday, the Hillsboro High School club defeated the Williams Avenue club of Portland, in a 12 inning game, by a score of 7 to 6. The Portland club was much chagrined over its defeat. The clubs were pretty evenly matched, and it was nobody's game, until the 12th inning, when the Hillsboro boys rapped out the deciding hit. Arthur and Gleason formed the Portland battery. The Hillsboro boys had Lund, Freeman, Moore and Alexander in the box, while Ford caught throughout the game.

F. W. Power, of the Oregon Nursery Co., at Orenco, near Hillsboro, is anxious that Washington county fruit raisers should compete for prizes at the Third Annual Cherry Fair, to be held in Salem, on July 9, 10 and 11. A large number of silver cups valued at \$5 and \$25, will be given as prizes. Prizes will be given for the best exhibit of the leading cherry varieties, also for berries, roses, etc. Mr. Power is chairman of the executive committee, and being a resident of Washington county, naturally, is anxious for a good exhibit from this county. The Southern Pacific will give reduced rates to and from the fair.

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