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MEETING OF THE FAIR COMMITTEE'S

A Baby Show Will be Added to the List of Attractions

FREE FOR ALL BUTTER FAT CONTEST

Forest Grove and Hillsboro to Contest for Fair Queen

A gathering of the various committees of the Hillsboro Street Fair was held at the council chamber, Monday night. The committee on finance reported progress. The consensus of opinion among those present was that the fair would be the greatest and best ever held in this city, and that the attractions would eclipse those of all former occasions. It was decided to give a prize for the handsomest and best appearing child under one year of age. A committee will be selected from a distance, so that no partiality may be shown.

Another drawing card, agreed upon, is a butter fat contest, to last two days, tests to be made by a Babcock tester, and entries free to all breeds of cows.

It was also decided to have the Carnival Queen contest between Forest Grove and Hillsboro, and if the forest town beats us Hillsboro will give the queen its loyal support.

Among the attractions promised by Arnold is a circus, a daily balloon ascension and parachute jump. The committee in charge is determined to make the fair a great success, and the stock and poultry exhibits are expected to be especially good. The horticultural and agricultural exhibits promise to excel those of previous fairs. The electric line from Portland will be finished in time for the fair, and big crowds from Portland are expected, as well as from all parts of the county. Three bands will furnish music during the entire fair. Announcement of new attractions will be made from time to time.

AUCTION SALE

On account of death of my wife, I will sell at public sale, 1 mile north of Forest Grove, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 26

Top buggy, open buggy, 2-seated hack with top, 2-in iron wagon, McCormick binder, McCormick mower, hayrack, springtooth harrow, disc harrow, drag harrow, set double harness, set single harness, team harness, weight, 2500, 12 m. plow, farming tools of all kinds, 9 milk cows, 4 heifers, all fresh at time of sale. Sold cows are strain of Holstein mixture. I also offer for sale my old home place of 120 acres. Lunch at noon.

Terms of Sale—\$10 and under, cash; over \$10, one year's time, 8 per cent, bankable note; 2 per cent off for cash on all sums over \$10.

C. Jaspers, Owner.
J. W. Hughes, Auctioneer.
Geo. F. Naylor, Clerk.

GABRIEL SOHLER

Gabe Sohler, aged nearly 60 years, died suddenly of organic heart trouble in the harvest field, two and one-half miles north of Forest Grove, where he was working, last Saturday afternoon. He had just hauled a load of grain to the machine, said he was not feeling well and told his son to unload it, then started to his home, only a short distance away. He died a short distance from the machine. He had a wife and family and had lived in this county about 20 years.

HILLSBORO TIME TABLE

Under the new schedule the passenger trains in and out of Hillsboro arrive and leave as follows:

Leaves for Portland—	
Forest Grove Local	6:50 a. m.
Sheridan Flyer	9:12 a. m.
Forest Grove Local	10:42 a. m.
Forest Grove Local	3:42 p. m.
Corvallis Overland	4:50 p. m.
Arrives from Portland—	
Corvallis Overland	8:24 a. m.
Forest Grove Local	9:57 a. m.
Forest Grove Local	2:07 p. m.
Sheridan Flyer	5:30 p. m.
Forest Grove Local	9:47 p. m.

NOTICE

We hereby give notice that we will not be responsible for any debts contracted by our son, Andrew Rasmussen.

Hans Rasmussen and Wife.
Dated at Hillsboro, Ore., Sept. 2, 1908.

W. W. Boscow will finish picking his hop crop, near town, the latter part of this week. He has about 75 pickers, and reports that the crop will fall short of last year's yield by 5,000 pounds. Reports from other yards indicate that there will be a light crop all over the county. It is believed by well posted hop men, that the yield in the Willamette Valley will be one-half less than that of last year.

For Sale—Several well-bred O. I. C. sows and pigs. Will be sold separately if desired. Call on or address F. W. Dalsman, Hillsboro, B.

Henry Hagefe, of South Tualatin, was in town Saturday.

John Kamna, of the Farmington district, was in town Saturday.

Benj. Scholfield, of Cornelius, was a county seat caller Friday.

E. M. Parker, of Gaston, was in town Friday, on business at the court house.

For Sale—Thirty-four head of well bred goats. Alex. Gordon, Cornelius, R. I. 27-28

The management of the Hartramp warehouse will have a new maple floor for the skating rink, by the first of October.

We have just received a car of Rain wagons from the factory. Will sell at Portland prices.—Schulmerich Bros. 51-f

The Oregon Electric ran an excursion from Beaverton to this city, last Saturday night, bringing a jolly crowd of both sexes to attend the hop dance here.

Persons desiring to buy or sell horses or livestock of any kind will do well to communicate with Connell & Cornelius, at real estate office over Wehrungs' store. 26-9

The new residence of Prof. B. W. Barnes and Recorder Willis Ireland, on Main street, are receiving the finishing touches and will soon be ready for occupancy.

C. C. Whitmore, Wm. Baker and Geo. Burkhalter, of South Tualatin, passed through town Monday morning, bound for the upper Nehalem, on a hunting and fishing trip.

O. M. Pulley, of Buxton, who last week advertised for a lost telegraph valise, came to town and got it Monday. It was found by J. C. Lankin, who seeing the local in the Argus brought it in. It pays to advertise.

Paul Bailey, son of County Clerk Bailey, is probably the youngest amateur photographer in the state who takes negatives and develops them, without assistance. He has a nice collection of views taken this year.

A. W. Orton, of Multnomah County, and elected to the House of Representatives on the State-ment No. 1 ticket, last Spring, was in town last Friday, in the interests of his candidacy for the Speakership of the next House.

I desire to announce that our Fall stock of heaters has arrived. We also have a full line of ranges, acknowledged to be as good as any on the coast. A written guarantee accompanies each range. We can furnish them with or without water coils.—R. Cave. 26-7

Owen Cassidy, a lineman, employed on the Oregon Electric, fell from a trolley pole, east of town, last Friday, a distance of 20 feet, striking upon his feet, and dislocating his right ankle, and breaking a bone in his foot. He was brought to town, where his injuries were attended by Dr. F. A. Bailey.

Thos. Talbot, of Cornelius, was in town last Saturday. He informs the Argus that he has sold most of the addition platted this summer, and that new dwellings are going up on the tract. The Oregon Electric will put in 400 feet of sidetrack on land given them by Mr. Talbot, and now have the lumber on the ground for a new depot.

J. D. Gray, the Des Moines Insurance Company's agent, charged with larceny by bailee, was brought to Hillsboro by Sheriff Hancock last Friday. Gray waived arraignment and hearing and Justice Barnes fixed the bail at \$500, which Gray has since raised. Mr. Gray states that the company at Des Moines owes him a sum of money for policies written. He says that he retained the Tigardville collections upon the advice of an attorney, sending the policies back to the company.

Miss Mabel Smith, of Forest Grove, had a narrow escape from death by drowning, in the Yamhill river, near the Hatcher's hop yard, last Saturday afternoon. While out on some logs on the river, Miss Smith lost her footing and fell into the deep waters of the Yamhill, accidentally dragging another young lady, from East Portland, in with her. The East Portland girl caught the end of the log, and held on for some time, but lost her hold and sank, but was rescued when she came to the surface. Miss Smith sank the third time, taking Raleigh Walker, a young man who sprang in to save her, down also. A young man by the name of Morley seized them as they came up the last time, and Miss Smith was saved. It was a close call for both of the young ladies, and is an experience which they will not want repeated during a lifetime. Miss Smith is a sister of Miss Pearl Smith, of this city.

TALLEST AND OLDEST HUNTERS IN STATE

Tallest Licensed Hunter is E. J. Ayers, 6 Feet 5 Inches

WASHINGTON COUNTY LEADS ALL

Oldest Hunter is Geo. Armentrout, of Forest Grove, Age 73

A Linn County writer in the Oregonian brags about having the tallest hunter in the state. His name is A. H. Steingrandt, and he is 6 feet and 4 inches tall. Washington county can beat that all hollow. E. J. Ayers, of Gales Creek, measures 6 feet and 5 inches, and swears to it. He is 52 years old, and weighs 180 pounds. Between the dates of July 14 and 16, 1908, out of 25 hunters who took out license before County Clerk Bailey, 12 of the number were over 6 feet in height. Gales Creek leads all other precincts in the county, for tall men. Three ladies have taken hunter's license, thus far in this county. Washington county hereby lays claim to having the oldest hunter in the state, viz: Geo. Armentrout, of Forest Grove, aged 73, who not only hunts, but usually gets his share of the big game, each year. Washington county now claims the tallest as well as the oldest hunter in the state, and if other counties can beat us, we will have to be shown.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED?

County Clerk Bailey will open the books for registration, as provided by law, on the 21st day of September, and keep them open until the 20th day of October, inclusive of that date. Voters who have already registered this year are not required to register again for the Presidential election. Those who have not registered since the first of January, however, must register if they wish to cast a ballot in November. Voters who have moved into different precincts than in which they are registered, will be given the opportunity to record the change so that they may vote at the polling place of the precinct in which they now live.

Six months' residence in the state is necessary in order to register, though there is no requirement as to residence in the precinct for the registration that begins next week. Foreigners who have been admitted to citizenship, and those who have made declaration of intention one year or more ago may register and vote at the Presidential election.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public auction at Amos Hull's place, in Cornelius, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, SEPT. 22

Cook stove, heater, extension table, center table, sideboard, sewing machine, 2 iron bedsteads, springs and mattresses, steel couch, lounge, dresser, 2 washstands, chifonier, 4 rockers, dining room chairs, kitchen treasure, matting, stair carpet, tubs, wash jars and other cooking utensils, fruit jars and other articles too numerous to mention. This stuff is nearly new.

Terms of Sale—\$10 and under, cash; over \$10, 6 months time, bankable note, 2 per cent. discount on all sums over \$10.

Roc Hull.
B. P. Cornelius, Auctioneer.
John Vanderwal, Clerk.

HILLSBORO TO STATE FAIR

The Southern Pacific Company will sell tickets from Hillsboro to the state fair at Salem, from the 14th to the 19th of Sept., good until Sept. 20th, for \$2.10.

26-7 Pratt Vickers, agent.

For Sale or Rent

The Hillsboro Flouring Mill; capacity, 70 barrels; has a large storing capacity. Also, the Hillsboro Warehouse, capacity, 200,000 bushels. Will be sold separate, or together. Apply to John Milne, Hillsboro. 16-27

For some time past, coyotes have been playing havoc with goats and sheep out in the Holcomb neighborhood, north of town. They inhabit a strip of dense timber and brush extending 4 miles from the Chas. Emerick place to the Holcomb estate. Wm. Batcher, who has lost a number of goats, and Alfred Holcomb's sheep have suffered from the predatory attacks of these worthless animals. Last Sunday, a coyote hunt was organized in which about 15 hunters and a number of hounds took part. Holcomb had the good luck to kill two coyotes, which were driven into the open by the hounds. The hounds will be kept up until the band is exterminated if it is possible.

C. J. Rogers, of Gaston, was in town Monday.

John Kuratli was a Portland visitor Saturday.

Get your photograph supplies at the Post Card Bazaar. 25-8

Geo. Lemmerman, of Banks, was an Argus caller last Saturday.

Butterick Fashion book, and any pattern, for 25 cents at Baird's.

Herman Koehnke, of south of Job's crossing, was in town last Friday.

Just received—the new fall Butterick fashion books, and Delinators, at Baird's.

J. Smith, Alex. Gordon and T. R. Davis were in town Saturday, from the North Plains.

L. J. Palmateer handles the largest assortment of high grade cigars in the city. Give him a call.

Grain is coming in at a lively rate at the several warehouses in this city. Most of the threshing is done in this county.

When in town, call and try our hot coffee and cocoa, and don't forget the lunch at Palmateer confectionery.—L. J. Palmateer Prop.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Humberg and Mrs. S. J. Bergy, of Missouri, arrived in Hillsboro last week, and are guests of Mrs. Bergy's mother, Mrs. M. A. Lane.

For Sale—A good, paying butcher business, with slaughter house property. Good reason for selling. Call on, or address, Corwin & Heide, Hillsboro, Ore. 26-f

J. C. Allen, of Garden Home, Kansas, was in the city, last Friday, a guest of E. C. Brown. Mr. Allen is looking for a grocery business, somewhere in this valley.

C. Jaspers, of near Forest Grove, called on the Argus, Saturday. Mr. Jaspers will have a sale on the 26th of September, and will leave soon after for his old home at Depere, Wis.

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.

The dance at the Reedville Hall, last Saturday night was well attended, there being 40 couples present. There will be another dance at the same place next Saturday night, Sept. 19. Don't miss it.

For Sale—At John Hanschel's, on the Walter's place, one mile east of Cedar Mills, on the Cornell road; Portland R. D. 2, Box 13; a new couch, a first class range, four table, new rocker, used only one month. 24-f

The new depot for the Oregon Electric Company at Beaverton is nearly finished. The building will present a neat and attractive appearance when finished, and it is said that the depot buildings will all be alike.

Clearance sale of all men's, boys' and ladies' suits. Will be sold at actual cost, and all broken lines carried in the immense stock of the General Merchandise Store of Schulmerich Bros. Come early and get your choice. 51-f

Fred Olsen, one of the R. F. D. boys, encountered a cyclone in the road the other day, which carried his buggy umbrella into the air about 200 feet, and nearly scared his horse to death. Fred captured the parachute later on.

The marriage of Miss Myrtle Mitzel, of Beaverton, and Myron Ferguson, of Seattle, took place on August 31, at Seattle, after which they left on their honeymoon for Victoria, Vancouver, and other British Columbia points. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson will make their home in Seattle.

Persons wishing to tile their farms will always find a large stock of fine tile in our yard at Scholl's. We also carry brick and building blocks. Those intending to build will find a large supply of lumber at our yard, and you are invited to call and look over our stock before purchasing.—The Groner-Rowell Co., Scholl's; P. O. address, Hillsboro, Ore., R. D. 2

Judge Rood, now acting as deputy Treasurer in the absence of Treasurer Jackson, was appointed Fire Warden by the County Court, and up to Monday, had issued 138 permits to farmers to burn slash. The office is purely benevolent. The law is a fool one, to begin with, and puts the farmer to a whole lot of useless trouble, and he is just as responsible, if his fire damages another, without the permit, as he would be with it. The statute books of the state are cumbered with a lot of laws, the effect of which is to put somebody to unnecessary trouble.

IS RUSHING TOWARD THE TUALATIN PLAINS

United Railways has 500 Men and 300 Teams at Work

IS GRADING 7 MILES WEST LINTON

Will Push the Work Westward Until Stopped by Winter Rains

The United Railways Company means business. It now has 500 men and 300 teams at work, and the grading has reached a point 7 miles west of Linton. A tunnel, 3,000 feet long, will be driven through the summit of the hills lying between Multnomah and Washington counties, and bridge work was begun early this week. Chief Engineer Wickersham says the tunnel will save three miles of road for the company, and will be worth the expense. It is confidently expected that the road will be graded, and some of it finished in to Washington county, this fall, and only heavy winter rains will stop the progress of the work. The tunnel work will be prosecuted during the winter months. Those not knowing the actual amount of work being done on this line would be surprised if on the ground. Wren & Greenough have the largest contract on the line, and have sublet considerable of the work. The road will go through the fertile Tualatin or North Plains, one of the richest farming and dairy sections in this county, and it is no secret that the road is to go to the Coast, some point on Tillamook bay being the present goal of the company. It is generally believed that Jim Hill is back of the enterprise, and the fact that a large force of men is at work, and that the work is being pushed with vigor, indicates that there will also be something doing next year. Hillsboro will be connected with the road at a point about 5 miles north of this city. New stations on the road will be Clarendon, Glen Harbor, Newberry, Holbrook and Summit.

The undersigned will sell at auction on his farm, half mile north of Cedar Mill, known as the James Young farm, at 10 o'clock

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

Horse, 4 years, weighs 1300, horse, 3 years, weighs 1380; mare, 10 years old, weighs 1450, foal by side sired by Coquet; yearling filly, cow fresh on October 3rd, 3-inch farm wagon, Champion mower, nearly new, 14-inch steel plow, 55-tooth steel lever harrow, Scotch harrow, reversible disc harrow, set of double harness, about 4 1/2 acres of potatoes to be sold by the acre, some tares and oats mixed to be sold by the cwt.

Terms: \$10 and under, cash in hand; over \$10, one year's time, bankable note, 8 per cent, 2 per cent discount for cash.

James Cruickshank, Owner.
J. C. Kuratli, Auctioneer.

LEVI SPARKS

Levi Sparks, aged 76 years, died in Forest Grove, September 11, 1908. He was born at Winchester, O., where his boyhood was spent, then moved with his parents to Dubuque, Ia., where he lived until coming to Vancouver, Wash., in 1874, where he remained nine years, then came to Washington County. He married Miss Savilla J. Spurgeon in 1862, at Peoria, Ia., who with the following children survives him: Ed. Sparks, H. W. Sparks, assistant editor of the Washington County News; Levi Sparks, Mrs. W. A. Bellinger, William Sparks and Miss Maud Sparks, all of this place, and Mrs. Harvey Brown, of Portland. The funeral was held last Sunday with interment in the Naylor cemetery.

APPLES WANTED

Cider apples wanted at the Knight Packing Co's cider mill, at Cornelius. Highest market price paid. We will also do custom work. We have whiskey barrels for sale this year. Independent phone, No. 7151. 24-7

Mrs. M. M. Mead, of about 6 miles east of Hillsboro, met with a singular accident last Friday. While she was trimming an apple, with a sharp knife, the implement slipped in some manner, cutting a deep gash in her left hand, and severing a small artery. All efforts to stop the bleeding proved unavailing, and she came to town, when Dr. J. P. Tamiesie took up the artery.

Films, plates, card mounts, chemicals and cameras, at the

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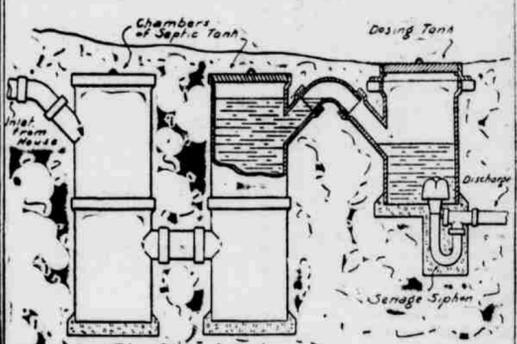
Our Toilet Aids and Articles.

They are the kind that especially appeal to women of refinement. For that reason we invite you to secure your supply here, knowing you will be more than satisfied.

Hillsboro Pharmacy

SEWERAGE PROBLEM SOLVED BY SEPTIC TANK

Scientifically Constructed, the Appliance Cares for all Household Waste, Preventing Danger to Health or Offensive Odor



The above diagram illustrates the most approved type of Septic Tank. A problem that has long confronted those desiring to install modern plumbing in localities without an adequate sewerage system has now been best to dispose of household waste without danger to health. Science has come to the rescue and, by employing the destructive agents provided by nature herself, has solved the problem. It has long been known that under favorable conditions certain bacteria will destroy the offensive elements contained in household waste, leaving a residue chemically pure, which may be easily disposed of. Experience has proven the above type of tank best suited to the purpose, in that it prevents disturbance of the bacteria, which is essential to enable them to properly perform their work. Many tanks of other types have proven failures because their construction was such as to permit the entrance of air and light. When built of cement, unless the material is of the best, surface water will seep into the tank, and this with the constant rush of water from the house will prevent the bacteria from performing their work. In the tank shown above the three-chamber device prevents this disturbance, and being constructed of the best quality of tile, leakage is impossible.

Parties contemplating building or wishing to install modern plumbing in residences already erected are invited to investigate. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

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