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DEDICATION OF THE NEW M. E. CHURCH

President of Willamette University Preaches Sermon

CHURCH DEBT WAS WIPED OUT

Estimated Congregation of 800 People Filled the Church

The new Methodist church was dedicated last Sunday. At the dedicatory services, it is believed there were 800 people present. The new church was filled, even to the gallery. Dr. Fletcher Homan, President of Willamette University, Salem, preached in the morning. He is a gentleman of much culture, and has a pleasing address. His sermon was along practical lines, showing the partnership of all things with the Creator of the universe. He made the usual spiritual applications. Like most of the men who get to the front in this world, Mr. Homan began life on a farm, worked his way through college, entered the ministry, and is now at the head of one of the best educational institutions in the state. Features of the morning service were selections by the choir A solo by Mr. N. Alexander, tenor, was appreciated. It was stated that there was indebtedness on the new church of upwards of \$600, which was soon raised. The new church has cost about \$4350, and is one of the best in the county. The old church had been in use for more than 50 years.

Among the old pastors of the Hillsboro church present were Revs. Oberg and Hamilton, both residents of Portland. Dr. Rader, of Portland, and Mr. McDaniel, a prominent Epworth League worker of Portland, also spoke. A number of Grove Methodists were present, including Rev. Hiram Gould, also a former pastor of the Hillsboro church.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale at his ranch six miles east of Hillsboro, on the Base Line Road, near Montevale station, at ten o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 18

Gray horse, 12 yrs, 1300; bay horse, 4 yrs, 1500; black horse, 12 yrs, 1200; bay horse, 12 yrs, 1000; good milk cow, fresh, 6 yrs, new Mitchell wagon, new Mitchell 2-seat hack, Studelaker top buggy, set double harness, 14-foot hayrack, 12 in. Oliver plow, John Deere 8-in. garden plow, 58-tooth lever harrow, spring-tooth lanax, spiked-tooth cultivator, feed cutter, rubber wagon sheet, 35-gal cauldron kettle, 100 lbs. chestnut, 50 sacks, 2 log chains, grindstone, 2 oak bedroom suites, chiffonier, wardrobe couch, 3 rockers, set dining room chairs and table, kitchen cabinet, range and hot water attachment, heater, One Minute washing machine, 2 Cylper incubator, 150 egg and 120 egg sizes, 3 brooders, flock blue Andalusian chickens, household articles, post agent and other articles too numerous to mention.

LUNCH AT NOON

Terms of Sale—Under \$10, cash; over 1 year's time, approved bankable note, 5 per cent interest. Two per cent off for cash over \$10.

O. E. Shepherd, Owner.
B. P. Cornelius, Auctioneer.

WANTS INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITS

The Oregon Commission is very anxious that Washington County be represented at the Alaska Yukon-Pacific Exposition along with the other prosperous counties of the state, and while it is too late for you to be in at the opening of the Exposition with an exhibit, as you neglected this part of the work last season, we hope you will be on hand with exhibits as your resources mature.

If any of your progressive farmers desire to make individual exhibits we will pay the transportation charges and install same without any expense, and will give the exhibitors full credit for the exhibit.

I would suggest that any exhibits intended for this Exposition should be sent to us in season. For example, when your grains and grasses are gathered send them along. Do not hold the grain and grass exhibit for your fruit exhibit. Forward each exhibit in season and we will take care of it.

When you have an exhibit to ship, send same to the Oregon Commission A. Y. P. Exposition, Seattle, Wash., A. Y. P. Exposition Grounds. Have the agent make out the shipping receipts in duplicate and mark across the face "for exhibit purposes at Seattle Exposition," and send both receipts to us, in care of the Oregon Building, Seattle, Wash.

We will be glad to furnish any information desired.

W. H. Wehrung, Pres.

James West, of Banks, was in the city last Saturday.

E. H. Wilson, of Orenco, was in town Saturday.

C. M. Christenson, of Buxton, was a county seat visitor last Saturday.

Chas. Tigard, of Tigardville, was in town Monday.

John White, of near Cedar Mill, was an Argus caller Monday.

Geo. Kostur, of Portland, was in town Saturday.

Born to the wife of J. S. Loring, of Newton, March 6, 1909, a son.

H. S. Rodgers, of Buxton, timber inspector for the P. R. & N. Co., was in town Sunday.

See Libby, the jeweler, for watch repairing, corner Main and Third streets.

W. O. Hocken, one of Beaverton's progressive citizens, was in town Tuesday.

Heavy, matched team of black horses, for sale. Inquire of E. Lee Sears, Bicycle Shop, Hillsboro. 52

Wm. Jolly, of Portland, was in the city Tuesday.

The Tualatin Pressed Stone Co. has ordered a complete set of new molds for their work, from Minneapolis.

P. S. Anderson, formerly a Reedville merchant, now of Ballston, was in the county seat last Saturday.

N. G. McDonald, of near Kinton, was in the city Monday, accompanied by his guest, Mr. Quinlan, who was his boyhood friend.

D. Shaw, of near Beaverton, and who owns the old Dick Perkins place, was in the city Monday, paying taxes.

David R. Wheeler, who has lived below Reedville, and has been the section developed from farms and wilderness to suburban homes, was up from Wheeler station, Friday, and looked in on the Argus.

Dr. W. D. Wood has furnished the following vital statistics for the month of February: Deaths, males, 12; females, 7. Births, males, 18; females, 11. Contagious diseases: Scarlet fever, 5; diphtheria, 3; measles, 1; small-pox, 11.

Eggs from my S. C. White Leghorns and Orpingtons, which are carefully bred for egg production and standard qualities, now ready at Cameron's yards, south of city park, Hillsboro, Ore. Visitors welcome. 49 10

Rev. J. M. Todd, a Presbyterian minister, of McPherson, Kansas, who came out to Hillsboro with little Vera Jackson, and the remains of her mother, last Thursday, called on the Argus last Saturday. Mr. Todd likes Oregon very much, and may come out to stay.

Parties wishing house moving, in the city or in the country, should call on M. C. Hewitt, Main street, between 3rd and 4th. I dependent phone, 038. Good work guaranteed. 50 3

Team for Sale—Span of geldings, 9 and 11 years old, weight 1500, each. Good team for logging camp, or farm. Set double harness goes with team. Price, \$300, if sold soon. Team can be seen at Callahan sawmill, Patton Valley, P. O. address, F. H. Harper, Gaston, Ore. 52 3

State Game Warden Stevenson, of Forest Grove, went up to Salem last Friday afternoon in order to see what could be done to save the elk of Oregon and if the blunders made in the game code could be righted. It is probable an entirely new code will be framed at the special session if one is called. Under the law as it stands, the game warden says, there would not be an elk left in Oregon by this time next year. There are now but about 1000 elk in this state.

Persons who contemplate building will do well to call on me, as I am able to furnish rough pencil sketches, or blue prints of buildings of all descriptions. Estimates and specifications furnished with each plan—S. M. Holland, contractor and builder, Hillsboro, Ore. Pacific phone, 383. 52 11

Prosecuting Attorney E. B. Tongue is making a fine record in his office, and there is no doubt in the minds of the public, that the right man was selected for the position. At the recent term of Circuit Court in Clatsop county, Mr. Tongue secured 80 convictions, and would have got the 81st man who was indicted, had the latter not taken time by the forelock and skipped to Canada. Eighty convictions out of 81 cases is a pretty good record, and the criminals stand a poor show to come clear, when Burke gets after them. In addition to the convictions secured, Mr. Tongue turned into the county treasury of Clatsop county, \$12,000 in fines.

REPORT FEBRUARY TERM COUNTY COURT

Road Business and Bills Take up Most of the Board's Time

TWO ROADS WERE ESTABLISHED

Recorder's Fees for Month of February Were \$314.00

The meeting of the county board for the month of March was concluded Friday. No important business was transacted, outside of the usual routine work. Following are the proceedings:

Leunberg road in District No. 2 was ordered opened.

Road petition of R F Imbris and others; hearing on report of viewers; continued to April term.

Bond of J R Beach, commander J B Matthews' post, G. A. R. No. 6, approved.

Road petition of J M Garrison et al; referred to prosecuting attorney, and later dismissed.

County clerk's fees for February, \$200.50; recorder's fees, \$334.00.

Transcript, Hills to Justice Ct. in the following cases, allowed: State vs Brooks; State vs Patton; State vs Capp.

Report of viewers on road 455 approved, and road ordered established.

In the matter of public easement, Parsons et al; A B Todd, J W Hughes and county surveyor appointed to view out road.

Mallory road petition was dismissed.

Road petition Geo Behnke continued to March 13.

Transcript from West Butte Justice Court, in case of State vs Claude Jackson, approved.

Salaries—Recorder and deputy, \$135.95; W M Jackson, \$50; Max Crandall, \$100; J E Butler, assessing and collecting, \$48; M C Case, \$54.51; J W Bailey, \$28.70; A A Morrill, \$29.90; A M Collins, assessor's office, \$6; Cap Guiles, janitor, \$7.35; examining board, V M Vose, \$30, and Jos W Marsh, \$27.50; Geo Hancock, 1st prisoners, \$4.50; expense, 39.45; salaries, etc, 195; J W Goodin, sal and exp, 104.20; John McClaran, 31; W J Butler, 14.95; Wm Tupper, janitor, \$35.

Witness District Attorney—J M Shutt, \$4; Mrs Ford, \$30; Asa Griffith, \$50; Fannie Albert, \$30.

Refund of Tax—R L Greer, \$2.28; Marie Patton, 12.53; John Vanderwal, 23. Relief—Mrs Kate Anderson, \$12; Chas Fitzpatrick, 12.50; W O Donelson, 23.50; Briggs Bros, 18.53; Delta Drug Store, 4.25; P A Bailey, 50; W J R Beach, \$2.20; W H Morton, 25; Peter Vandenberg, \$1.80; W O Donelson, 35; J S Larson, 2.50; Hillsboro Pharmacy, 5.55; Dr F A Bailey, 14; Dr Mumford, 11.30.

Roads and Highways—Johnson Bros, \$19.40; Otto Nicholson, 50.25; A B Todd, 16.16; Chas Christenson, 30; A E Berger, 16; Thompson Bros, 9.21; M Peterson, 2.25; C Alexander, 2; John Berger, 4; C Shaw, 4; Benj Schofield, 10.40; E P Cornelius, 10.40; Chester Alexander, 4; C E Kindl, 5; R S Robinson, 4.30; John Gaston, 2; K Stout, 2; Chester Alexander, 2.00; Bart Wilkes, 37.30; F W Livermore, 30.24; Baseline Lumber Co, 2.11.

Witnesses Circuit Court—Ed Stephens, \$12; Hugh Rogers, 4.

Supplies—J K Gill, surveyor's office, \$2.25; Irwin-Hodson Co, 36.25; Wash Co News, printing for assessor, 42.50; Argus, printing, 35; J K Gill, sur office, 12.05; Forest Grove Times, printing, 1.70; Irwin-Hodson, 22.83; Glass & Frohman, 25; Hillsboro Independent, printing, 95.45.

Road Survey—John Purves, \$4; Jno A Purves, 4.

Viewers—J W Hughes, \$8; C B Buchanan, 14.

Court House—Light & Water, \$34.40; P S Chase, 4.25; Pac Tel Co, 20.50; Irwin-Hodson, 5.50.

Collection Tax—Elie Goldman, \$75; J A Ambie, 30; R L Doane, 38.75; F S Beach, 47.25; C A Lunkin, 60.

Witness J P Court—Mary Brugger, Emma Brugger and Nancy Curtis, each \$2.30; W W Downs, 1.50; Chas Herman, 5.50; Brant, 2.30; Mrs McDowell, 2.30; B P Cornelius, 1.50; Wm Hershey, 2.30; E P Cornelius, 1.50; G W Barnes, 2.95; George Holscher, 2.10; Roy Richardson, 1.90; Ernest Burke, 3.30.

County Court—Casper Alawloff, 4.20; John Barry, 4.20.

Sherriff's office—W H Dessinger, \$2; W R Stephens, 2.50; Geo Behnke, 4.

F L Geiger, jury list, \$7.00; Crawford & Oads, livery, 1.50; Pacific States Tel Co, 6.20.

Guiles Bros, plumbing, 37.95; Pros Atty, T H Tongue, 20.00; Dr Linklater, insurance, 5.00; Hillsboro Livery Co, 2.00; J H Brown, cor other livery, 4.00; J W House, ct house and poor fm, 9.75.

MRS. ELIZABETH FLORA

Mrs. Elizabeth Flora died at her home at Wapato, Monday, March 1. Mrs. Flora was born at Fort Hall, Idaho, Feb 29, 1838. When but three years old she came to Oregon with her father who settled near Gaston, where she has since resided.

Hillsboro Argus, \$1.50 per year. Wm. Thurston, of near Beaverton, was in town last Friday.

John Witt, who has been a supporter of the Argus for 14 years, was in Friday, and called.

D. G. Lilly, of the Gales Creek section, was an Argus caller Saturday.

J. F. Saunders, the Bethany poultryman, was an Argus caller Saturday.

Geo. Galbreath, one of the old timers of the Tualatin section, was in Hillsboro Saturday.

F. M. Starratt, the Forest Grove architect, and wife, were guests of friends in Hillsboro last Sunday.

Smokers like the Schiller and the Exocoelencia. These cigars are of the best stock. You can't fool an authority on a good cigar.

Miss Meta Wallace is visiting relatives and friends at Portland and Clackamas this week.

A. M. Toelle, of Phillips, was in the city Monday, and called on the Argus.

Rene Delplancha, of near Centerville, was in the city Monday, and called on the Argus.

Those who have poultry to sell will do well to call at the depot store. Highest market price paid. Bring chickens on Wednesdays—F. W. Waich.

Mrs. Frank Barr and children departed Friday for a few weeks' visit with Mr. Barr's mother, at Gray's River.

For Sale—Three good milk cows, fresh; all young. On old Dick Perkins' place, two miles west of Beaverton.—D. Shaw. 52 2

Ora and Harry Cook, of Cornelius, were down to the county seat, Saturday, getting bills for their sale of dairy stock, which is set for Saturday of this week.

Milton Bush, an old time citizen of this city, now a resident of Portland, had a slight attack of paralysis, last week and is in the Good Samaritan Hospital, where he is said to be improving.

Bring your watches and clocks to Libby, for prompt and skillful repairing. Corner Main and Third streets. 49 1

F. M. Heidel will soon begin the construction of a new two story dwelling on his lots at the corner of Main and Sixth streets. The building will be 34x40 feet, with 10 rooms and a basement, and modern throughout.

Taken up: Red heifer, and yellow heifer with white spots; coming two years. No brand; no ear marks. Owner please prove property, pay all charges, and take same away. Chaney Beneficial Bank, Ore., Route 2. 50 2

Mrs. H. C. Calhoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Heidel, of this city, leaves this week for her home in Fowler, Cal., and will be accompanied by her brother, Herbert Heidel, who will remain several months. Mrs. Calhoun has visited with her parents for several months past.

The Modern Woodmen will give a dance in their new Hall at Reedville, on Saturday evening, March 13. Music by Toelle's four-piece orchestra. Come one and all, and have a good time. The best of order assured. Tickets, \$1.00, supper extra. 52

The following item from James Gibson, of Reedville, is self-explanatory: "In your issue of March 4, I noticed mention of an old clock, owned by F. A. Heines, of Hillsboro, said to have been running for over 40 years. I have a clock brought around the Isthmus of Panama in 1850—the first brass clock brought to this country, which has been running continuously ever since, and is still running, keeping the best of time. It has been in constant use 59 years."

White Rocks and Brown Leg horn eggs for setting, from prize winning birds. Best is cheapest. Member American Poultry Association.—J. F. Saunders, Portland, Ore., R. 2. Independent phone, Bethany No. 1. 52-11

Although the decision of the supreme court, giving the Lytle road the right of way over the Astoria & Columbia River railroad around Garibaldi Point, will result in the former line building down the coast from Nehalem Bay to Tillamook, the city of Nehalem itself will be left off the main line of the new road. E. E. Lytle, president of the P. R. & N. Co., stated to a Portland paper that the line would be built up the coast from Tillamook to Nehalem Bay, following the beach for most of the distance, but would not cross Nehalem Bay so as to get into the town of Nehalem itself. Instead it will run along the south shore of the bay and through the new sawmill town opposite Nehalem, striking off to the east from there.

LOTUS L. LANGLEY REPLIES TO TALBOT

Thinks Growth of the Grove Retarded by Action of Co.

WANTS \$8.00 RATE RESTORED

The Matter as Viewed From Patron's Standpoint

The following communication was received too late for publication last week, and is accorded space in this issue:

As the letter, written by Mr. Guy W. Talbot, and published in the last issue of the Argus, attempts to justify the manner in which the right of way, from Hillsboro to Forest Grove, was secured by the Oregon Electric Co. I beg space for reply:—

In so far as the question of disbursements of the road, as compared with the income, is concerned, Mr. Talbot assumes without argument, that the present policy of the road relative to daily passengers in and out of Portland, is a correct basis on which to predicate his figures. He flatters himself that the management is making as much money for the Company as can be made. It has occurred to others as well as myself, that if the company would make a rate to the daily passenger, that is not prohibitive, the volume of business will increase, otherwise it will decrease, and there will be no occasion for the Company to put on extra cars as suggested by Mr. Talbot.

Many people have purchased homes in and about Forest Grove and Hillsboro in anticipation of the rate being such that they could travel daily in and out of Portland. Others expected to establish their homes at the above named places, upon the completion of the road. The former are selling as fast as local buyers can be found, while the latter, will never come. I can name five families who have left and many others who will go, as a result of the rate, while I submit, there has not been one family who has moved into the community by reason of the building of the road.

The strongest argument, used with local merchants, to enlist their services, in securing right of way, was that the people who would move into the locality from Portland and trade with local merchants, would more than offset the established resident who would go to Portland to do their shopping. Under the present rate the occasional traveler finds the rate no objection to Portland trading while the Portland resident will not establish a home beyond the cent and a half limit. Thus the merchant has been injured by the road.

Mr. Talbot thinks his road has increased the value of real property, while his article will be preserved as evidence for the property owner, to be used when Mr. Talbot will find many property owners ready to sell at old prices with no takers. He can convince himself of this by visiting the real estate agents in the guise of buyer and that of seller.

I regret my inability to share with Mr. Talbot his generous disposition, by which he intimates that the citizens of Forest Grove should have paid for the cars that run into Forest Grove, as well as the right of way at a less figure than the same could have been purchased for, had it not been for the influence of the citizens, who were allowed to assume that the rates would be better than that given by the S. P. What a better position Mr. Talbot would be in to condemn the \$8.00 S. P. rate, had he told the people who were assisting in securing the right of way, that the same would not be met by the Oregon Electric Co. Silence is some times as effective in accomplishing a decision as an emphatic expression. If the Oregon Electric cares to consult the standing of the management, let it give back the right of way, go to taking up the rails and await a petition from the people to desist.

Mr. Talbot assures us that Mr. Harriman has nothing to do with the management of the Oregon Electric. The policy is so much alike that I had attempted to indicate Mr. Talbot with the excuse that Mr. Harriman controlled the Oregon Electric. With Mr. Talbot's announcement before me, I am compelled to concede that as bad men as Harriman inhabit this earth.

Lotus L. Langley.

P. R. & N. PROGRESS

Chief Engineer Davis reports that the bridge is completed to the Wilson river and the track is completed to that point.

The roadbed between Bay City and Hobsonville will be completed in thirty days and in 60 days the track will be laid between Tillamook and Hobsonville, and with favorable weather the track will be completed by May 15th to the Miami river.

The spans for the Wilson, Kelchis and Miami river bridges are practically ready to be shipped on the barge.

The contractor has over 225 men working on this end. Both bridge crews and both steam shovels are working.

The grading between Hobsonville and the Miami river is well under way with station men, and the work between the Kelchis and the Wilson river known as the Kodak work is well under way with three large gangs working at it.—Tillamook Herald.

For Sale—Team of ponies and harness; ponies weigh about 800 lbs. each, good drivers and sound; price, \$80.—Thos. W. Brown, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Hillsboro.

Our Prescription Department

Is our Pride. We have the confidence of the Physicians and the public. This is increasing our trade every month. Why? Because it is the important part of our business, and AT ALL TIMES receives our careful attention.

We fill so many Prescriptions that our Stock is always FRESH and PURE, besides being comprehensive and complete.

Our Charges are Always Right, and Based upon Value of Ingredients and Time and Skill required to Compound. They are not "Guessed at." All are treated alike.

The Physicians Trust us. You may safely do so.

Hillsboro Pharmacy

THE COST OF LIVING

Is more Easily Adjusted by the Use of a Checking Account. From Month to Month you Have an Exact Record of all Money Received and all Money paid out

Pay by Check; Get a Receipt

The endorsement upon the back of your check is proof that the party received the amount of the check.

Start Today to Pay by Check. Your Account is Earnestly Solicited. Start now.

Cornelius State Bank, Cornelius, Ore.

HIGH QUALITY Drug Store

When you are sick and in need of Medicine, you want not only that which is True to Name, but also that which is of the highest quality obtainable. Such is the class of Drugs which we constantly endeavor to furnish our customers.

None but Competent registered pharmacists are allowed to fill Prescriptions or sell drugs of any kind in our Store:

The Delta Drug Store, Hillsboro, Ore.

NEW STORE

- Opens -

MARCH 17TH

NEW LINE DRY GOODS, SHOES.

Linklater Bld'g., Door N. of Argus

THE STORE