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HILLSBORO LEADS IN POSTOFFICE INCOME

Exceeds Grove Office During Fiscal Year \$30.15

INCREASE OF \$1,000 THIS YEAR

Receipts: Forest Grove, \$6,150; Hillsboro, \$6,850.

The receipts at the Forest Grove postoffice for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1909, were \$6,150. The receipts at the Hillsboro postoffice for the same period, were \$6,180.85, or a gain of more than \$1,000 over the previous fiscal year. According to these figures, Hillsboro leads any other town in the county in the matter of postoffice receipts. Its margin over the Grove, while small, it is true, amounts to \$30.15. This will give the public an idea of the growth of both towns within the period named. Postmaster McEldowney, of the Grove, is of the opinion that his town will have free delivery within two years, provided the ratio of increase shall hold. Postmaster Cornelius, of this city, is of the same opinion, with reference to Hillsboro. The Argus is broad enough to want to see both towns get free delivery. If the two leading towns of the county increase in population and business, the whole county will grow correspondingly. Below we give the receipts of the Hillsboro postoffice by months, for the last fiscal year, ending March 31, 1909:

April, 1908	\$518.57
May, 1908	524.59
June, 1908	376.48
July, 1908	496.93
August, 1908	423.61
September, 1908	458.18
October, 1908	535.93
November, 1908	452.98
December, 1908	683.49
January, 1909	610.40
February, 1909	454.95
March, 1909	644.76
Total	\$6,180.85

Postal receipts for three years are:

Year ending Mar. 31, 1907	\$4,832.57
" " " " 1908	5,151.60
" " " " 1909	6,180.85

SCHEDULE OF GAMES

Following is the schedule of games to be played by the County League, which is composed of the two Banks clubs, Farmington and Verboort club:

The Outlaws will play at Banks, July 4, at Verboort, May 16 and June 20, at Farmington, May 30 and July 8.

The Banks team's schedule is to play Outlaws, May 9 and June 27; Verboort, June 6 and July 11; Farmington, May 23 and June 13; Verboort will cross bats with Outlaws, May 23 and June 13; Banks, May 30 and July 18; Farmington, May 9 and June 27.

Farmington will in turn play Outlaws, June 6 and July 11; Banks, May 16 and June 20; Verboort, May 2 and July 4.

All postponed games will be played after the schedule is finished.

ATHLETIC REALITY

The Hillsboro Athletic Company filed articles of incorporation Monday with the Secretary of State and County Clerk. The articles set forth that the enterprise business, and occupation in which this corporation proposes to engage is the purchase of real and personal property, the business of owning, leasing and operating athletic grounds, the erection and construction of all buildings and superstructures necessary for the carrying on of the business of the corporation, to purchase and sell notes, bonds, stocks and mortgages, to mortgage and hypothecate real and personal property, to borrow and loan money, and to employ capital and labor necessary to carry on the business of the corporation, with the right to execute and deliver all necessary papers, documents, deeds, mortgages and conveyances, of every name and nature, character and description necessary to carry on the business of the corporation, to give athletic exhibitions, and to conduct base ball and other sports and amusements. Hillsboro is named as the place of business, and the location of the office.

The capital stock is \$2000, divided into 200 shares, each of the par value of \$10 per share. Fred Cornelius, Chas. Kooitz, Fred Heidel and Fred Sewell are appointed in the articles, to open stock books and receive subscriptions. The incorporators are W. G. Hare, W. W. Boscow and Wm. Nelson.

Remember, the Oregonian and Argus, only \$2.25.

Lewis Carstens, of Banks, was in town Monday.

Chas. Hanley, of Leleville, was in the city Monday afternoon.

D. M. Melnic, the Hazeldale merchant, was in the city Monday, greeting friends.

U. Jackson, of Tillamook, was in the city, the latter part of last week.

Miss E. ta Schulmerich is working in the abstract department of H. T. Boyley's law office.

Harry Suhr and son, of Portlan, were out to Hillsboro, Monday morning, in a big red touring car.

A marriage license was issued Monday to August Dixie, aged 52, and Portuella Heesacker, aged 38.

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

Thos. Enrick, who worked last summer and fall for the P. R. & N. contractors in Tillamook county, expects to go over to the coast and work on the new road, this summer.

For Sale—A band of goats, also 10 registered and graded Jersey cows—Wm. Schulmerich, Hillsboro, R. 2.

Work horse, good and true, about 11 years old, weighs 1150. For sale cheap—B. P. Sanborn, one and quarter miles east of Hillsboro, on Base Line road.

J. C. Rechen, who lives seven miles east of Hillsboro, having built a large barn, is now adding one of the largest wind-mills in his neighborhood.

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. Welch.

Dr. Mumford, of Banks is finishing his residence, which was started last fall. Bob. Banks is building an addition to his butcher shop at the same place.

For Sale—One span of horses, weight about 1300 each, also good harness and wagon. Price, \$300. C. R. Boyd, Third and Maple St., Hillsboro.

The thermometer registered 86 degrees in Hillsboro, last Sunday, and Monday was nearly as warm. Snow storms are prevalent in parts of the east. Who wouldn't live in Oregon?

Will sell my beautiful home, cheap. Inquire at residence, Third and Lincoln streets, or address W. H. Connell, 391 East Ninth Lincoln, Portland, Ore.

Ira Barrett will assist Jas. Magruder behind the prescription counter in the Delta Drug Store, this summer, while Ernest Brown takes a rest outside, and gets tanned up for the benefit of his health.

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

Mrs. Curry, of Clinton, Oklahoma, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Effie, and son, Verne, arrived in Hillsboro, Monday morning. Mrs. Curry is the mother of S. A. Curry. They expect to make their home in this city.

Geo. Peterson, employed in the Donald mill, near Banks last week lost one of his fingers in the big saw of the mill, while attempting to tighten a guy, near the big circular disc.

Claude Gerig, a nephew of Mrs. Leon Girod, of Oreno, was in the city Monday, with Mr. Girod, and called on the Argus. He is from Staten Island, N. Y., and will spend the Summer in Oregon.

South Hillsboro Greenhouse has a good assortment of plants to sell, at a very reasonable price. Shrubs, roses, hardy pinks, pansies, lilies, clematis, wisterias, chrysanthemums, bulbs, ivy, peonias, house plants, also cemetery plants; cabbage, tomatoes and kale. Call and see us, corner of Seventh and Fir streets.—Mrs. Agnes Campbell, Hillsboro. Ind. phone, 1154. 52tf

The wall of the Donelson concrete building, on Third and Main, are slowly going up, and the structure will be a beautiful addition to Hillsboro's business houses. The outside wall looks as though the cement blocks were made of uniform dressed stone, and presents a very handsome appearance.

Joe Brandenburg, who recently sold his home in Oreno, has purchased three lots and will build a cottage this Summer. A photo graph gallery has been started at the above place, and work is also progressing on the Oregon Nursery Co's new office and packing sheds. The new hotel is nearly finished, and Oreno is fast assuming the proportions of a town.

POMONA GRANGE GOES ON RECORD

As Favoring the Agricultural College Appropriation

RESOLUTION PASSED AT SCHOOLS

Normal School Crowd Want to "Hold-Up" State Aid

The following resolutions were passed at the last session of Pomona Grange, which was held at Scholls, last week:

"Whereas, a movement is on foot within the state to 'hold up' the appropriation of the last legislature for the Oregon Agricultural College, therefore, be it resolved, That we are heartily in favor of thoroughly equipping and providing for efficient service at the Oregon Agricultural College, and be it further

Resolved, That we condemn the movement invoking the Referendum on the bill passed by the last legislature for the equipment and maintenance of said agricultural college."

The resolution was passed by a unanimous vote.

Chas. H. Hayes, John Ray Welch, J. H. Collier, Committee.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Leaves for Portland—
Forest Grove Local, 6:51 a. m.
Sheridan Flyer, 9:12 a. m.
Forest Grove Local, 10:42 a. m.
Forest Grove Local, 12:42 p. m.
Corvallis Overland, 4:09 p. m.

Leaves Portland for Hillsboro

Corvallis Overland, 7:20 a. m.
Forest Grove Local, 8:50 a. m.
Forest Grove Local, 1:00 p. m.
Sheridan Flyer, 3:10 p. m.
Forest Grove Local, 5:40 p. m.

Mrs. R. L. Via, of Portland, visited relatives in town, Saturday.

The Forest Grove Colts are included in the Tri-City league, which is composed of the following clubs: Albina, Forest Grove, St. Johns and Vancouver, Wash.

Governor Benson has appointed Dr. C. W. Lowe, of Portland, well known in Hillsboro, a member of the State Board of Optometry for two years.

L. E. Wilkes leaves this week for Helena, Montana, where he will work the balance of the year as Examiner of Surveys, in the employ of the General Land Office of the United States. Mrs. Wilkes will join her husband later in the season.

The electric lines are raising the valuation of farm lands enormous. J. D. Rhoads has purchased the Jacob Shearer farm near Forest Grove for \$12,000. In a few days, Mr. Rhoads and his family will start for Germany to visit his parents, whom he has not seen for over 20 years, and will be gone six months.

At the family home at Cornelius, April 24, Mrs. Eva Stella Lowther, aged 29, passed away. She was the wife of R. F. Lowther, and leaves a young son. She was a native of Iowa, being born Sept. 2, 1879. The remains were shipped to North Yamhill for burial. The Lowthers came to Cornelius from North Yamhill about a year ago.

The "Shepherd of the Hills," at the Crescent Theatre, Saturday night, drew a crowded house. The company put this popular drama on the boards in splendid style, fully justifying the expectations of the local managers. The scene is in the Ozark mountains, and the play is full of human interest. Roland W. Hatton as "Davy Honeycutt," the village rustic, and Hilda Robertson, as "Mrs. Gibbs," the village gossip, and J. B. McCowell, as "Deacon Turner, with a mortgage on the church," played their respective parts to the satisfaction of the audience. The characters around which the greatest interest centered were "Marion Ford, an outcast," by Miss Laura Heimlich; the "Shepherd," by Mr. Hildreth, and "Roland Strong," the minister school-teacher. Mr. Hildreth was especially good in the simple part of the tender-hearted old man, whose soul bore with meekness a great sorrow; Laura Heimlich, as "Marion Ford," played her part with skill, and showed ability along emotional lines; "Roland Strong," the young minister, was the star of the company, and exhibited a true conception of his splendid part. The audience was liberal with evidences of its appreciation of the play, and the management, Phelps & Parker, are to be congratulated in bringing a series of good attractions to Hillsboro. The public has come to take them at their word, when they predict good things in the line of entertainment.

J. A. Zimmerman, of Harris Bridge, was in the city Saturday.

Jacob Raffety, of Mountsindale, visited Hillsboro, Saturday.

E. A. Wolf, of below Reedville, was in town Saturday.

Ed. J. Ward, ex-county commissioner, was in the city from Gaston, Saturday.

L. J. Crepe, of near Banks, was an Argus caller, Saturday. He reported it very dry up his way.

A. Krueger and son, J. A., of Verboort, were Argus callers, Saturday.

Wood for sale.—Can deliver four foot fir wood in any quantity, in the city.—F. G. Heidel.

Mrs. Kempin, of Oswego, and her daughter, Mrs. Christensen, of north of Glencoe, were guests of Mrs. E. B. Poole this week.

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

Fred Stetler and John Schaefer, two well-to-do farmers of the Mountsindale section, were in town last Friday, and called.

Those wishing wood for next Fall's delivery will do well to see H. D. Schmeltzer before placing their order. His fuel comes from the best Buxton fir.

Rev. J. T. Abbott, Sunday School Missionary for the Oregon Conference of the M. E. church, delivered an address at the church Sunday night.

Jas. H. Sewell and Hans Rasmussen, of east of town, will raise no hops this year. Mr. Sewell is summer-following his yard, and Mr. Rasmussen has plowed his yard up.

City Marshal Carl Larsen deserves credit for his work of cleaning up along the streets by burning rubbish, etc. If the people would see that the street in front of their premises is clear of rubbish piles, the town would have a much better appearance.

Nordstrom, the Tillamook man, who brutally murdered John Peterson, a walking boss on the P. R. & N. some months ago, near Tillamook City, was tried last week, and the jury failed to agree. He was immediately placed on trial again, with the result that he was convicted of murder in the first degree.

Dan Wiltrout, of Gales City, was fined \$15 by Justice McRoberts, of that place, for shooting grouse out of season. The grouse are not altogether blameless; they have a habit of "hoating" at people, which is some times resented, and then the game warden's deputy earns a fee.

The Forest Grove Colts will go up against the crack Albina club at Forest Grove grounds, next Sunday at 3 o'clock. A red hot game will surely be the result, as both clubs are out to win. Persons wishing to attend from this place, can go up and see the game and get home in good time.

The president of the Tri City Baseball League has appointed Roy Cook, as one of the official umpires. The old Cornelius baseball fan is one of the best versed men in the game in this county, and the president was well pleased with his work at Forest Grove. Cook is absolutely fair in his decisions and if he errs it is because he sees the play wrong.

For sale cheap: Team, mare and horse, good work animals, 2200; three and one-half year gelding, halter broke, in flesh, weighs about 900; 3 milk cows, good milkers, fresh; two 2 year old heifers, not bred; thoroughbred Cotswold buck, 2 years; 15 ewes and lambs, graded Cotswolds.—L. C. Brown, (Iowa Hill) Cornelius, Ore., Route 2. Ind. phone 25 Line 9.

The Argus was in error about the date of the next meeting of the County Dairy Association. The meeting will take place in Hillsboro on May 16 next at the Court House. Dr. Withycombe of the State Agricultural College, Corvallis, will probably be present and make the principal address. Should he fail to be present, another good speaker will be secured for the occasion.

A special meeting of the Board of Trade occurred last Saturday night. A letter was read from the manager of the United Railways, which was rather non committal in its character, but which gave practical assurance that the line would be built to Hillsboro. C. E. Lytle was invited to talk. He stated that he had nothing of much importance to communicate, but with regard to the sawmill enterprise, thought the men interested would submit a bid to the council at its meeting Tuesday night. Some other matters were discussed by the members present, and the meeting adjourned.

REIGN OF TERROR IN TILLAMOOK

Bootleggers Threaten Life of Circuit Judge Galloway

COUNTY WENT "DRY" BUT IS "WET"

Juries Difficult to Obtain and Witnesses Hide Away

Our neighboring county of Tillamook, is in the throes of a fight between the law and order element and the "bootleg" element, and as a climax to the bitter fight which has been going on for some time past, Judge Wm. Galloway, Circuit Judge, has been threatened with assassination, if he convicted certain persons now under indictment for violating the local option law. Tillamook county has been in the "dry" column for two or three years past, but "bootleggers" have continued to sell the vilest kind of liquor, and have thus far escaped conviction. The local papers say that the condition is a serious one, boys and girls being found drunk on the streets. Men who know about the bootleggers, seem to be afraid to give testimony against them. The present condition is a thousand times worse than under the license system. Judge Galloway stated in open court that he had been threatened with assassination, and had been warned by his friends not to appear on the streets alone, or to attend any place of public resort. The state authorities may be called upon to take a hand. Judge Galloway is a fair judge, and tries all cases impartially. The better element is with him, without regard to their opinions as to license or no license.

The Oregon Electric runs six cars each way daily. The 8:55 a. m. and 1:45 p. m. trains out of Hillsboro connect promptly with Salem cars at Garden Home. The Hillsboro-Portland timetable follows:

Leaves Hillsboro Arrives Portland
7:25 a. m. 8:30 a. m.
8:55 a. m. 10:00 a. m.
11:10 a. m. 12:15 p. m.
1:45 p. m. 2:50 p. m.
3:55 p. m. 5:00 p. m.
6:15 p. m. 7:20 p. m.

Leaves Portland Arrives Hillsboro
7:00 a. m. 8:05 a. m.
8:55 a. m. 10:00 a. m.
10:25 a. m. 11:30 a. m.
1:30 p. m. 2:35 p. m.
4:10 p. m. 5:15 p. m.
5:30 p. m. 6:35 p. m.

The Farmington and Verboort clubs played the first of a series of games in the Washington County League, at Verboort, and E. F. Gutter twirled the sphere for Farmington. The first three innings brought no scores for either club; then Farmington took the lead, and up to the 10th inning, the score was 8 to 8. In the 10th, Verboort rapped out the winning tally, and the game ended with a score of 8 to 9 in favor of the home team. Farmington lost with a score of 8 to 9 in favor of the home team. Farmington lost the game by wild throws by their catcher, W. Gutter, who usually plays a fine game, and is counted one of the best players in the club. Herman Bernards was behind the bat for Verboort.

Judge Thos. A. McBride tendered his resignation to Governor Benson, last Friday, who immediately appointed J. U. Campbell, of Oregon City, to the Judgeship of this Judicial District. The Supreme Court left for Pendleton last Saturday, and Judge McBride accompanied it and was sworn in as one of the bench. Judge Bean, of the new Federal judgeship, opened his first term at Helena, this week.

The Oregonian states in its commercial columns that the hop crop in the Willamette Valley this year will be short of the yield of last year. It is claimed that many hills are missing in yards, this spring, which it is thought was due to the cold snap of last winter. A prominent hop man of this county tells the Argus that it is too early to estimate the damage done in this county.

Mr. Sholes, president of the Cornelius State bank states that the bank people have bought 100 feet of the Banning property, fronting on Main street, and that they will build a bank building and three stores, this summer, one of the latter having been already spoken for by a business man who wants to lease it for ten years. Cornelius is growing rapidly.

The Sherwood club which made a fine record last year, seems to be in its old form this year. At Sherwood last Sunday, the local club defeated the Portland Gun Company's bunch, 4 to 1. Baker, Sherwood's pitcher, was in good shape, and pitched a winning ball.

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.

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During the Season 1909

VIA THE Southern Pacific Co.

FROM Hillsboro

To Omaha and Return -- \$60.65
To Kansas City " -- \$60.65
To St. Louis and Return -- \$68.15
To Chicago and Return -- \$73.15

and to other principal cities in the East, Middle West and South. Correspondingly Low Rates.

On Sale June 2, 3; July 2, 3; August 11, 12.

To Denver and Return -- \$55.65
On Sale May 17, July 1, Aug. 11.

Going transit limit to days from date of sale, final return limit Oct. 31. These tickets present some very attractive features in the way of stopover privileges and choice of routes; thereby enabling passengers to make side trips to many interesting points enroute.

Routing on the return trip through California may be had at a slight advance over the rates quoted.

Full particulars, sleeping car reservations and tickets will be furnished by any Southern Pacific local agent; by PRATT VICKERS, AGT., Hillsboro, or Wm. McMurray, Gen'l. Pass. Agt., Portland.

Executor's Notice

Administratrix Notice

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been duly appointed and confirmed by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, Executor of the estate of Helen M. Whitten, deceased, and has duly qualified as such.

Now therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same to me, together with proper vouchers therefor, at the law office of Bagley & Hare in the Shute Building in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 5th day of May, 1909.

MARY M. GREENBURG, Administratrix of the Estate of Frederick Greenburg, Deceased. Bagley & Hare, Attorneys for Administratrix.

Miss Wanda Todd, of Forest Grove, was the guest of Miss Cecelia Greer, over Sunday.

Miss Nellie Johnson, of Forest Grove, spent Sunday with Miss Willabelle Moore.

Jesse Tigard and Wm. Hill, of Banks, were in the city, Sunday.

James Brady, of Cedar Mills, was in the city Sunday.

Fred D. Adams, formerly of this place, is now located at Fossil, Wheeler County.

MAKING OLD JEWELRY NEW

Down in your strong-box there are probably several pieces of Old Jewelry that are doing you no good. For a small cost I might be Able to Modernize them into Desirable Shapes and Styles, or, if hopelessly broken I will make Cash Allowance for them.

Let me Show You What I can do.

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