

Mrs. W. E. Smith, of South Tualatin, sustained a broken jaw last Friday afternoon by reason of a runaway. She was driving to the John Purves home, in company with two granddaughters of Mr. Purves, who had been at the Smith ranch, spending the day. The neckyoke strap broke and the end of the yoke struck the ground. As the team was going down a grade it was impossible to hold them and all were thrown out. Mrs. Smith had her right jaw broken and received two bad cuts over her eyes. The two young ladies suffered no serious injury, although Miss Ruby Purves was considerably scratched. Dr. Tammis is called and attended the patients.

The Deetcombe Herd of Register-Jerseys, owned by Thomas Withycombe & Sons, have been tested by Dr. McClure, of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, and every animal was found to be entirely free from tuberculosis. This herd has been in existence nearly thirty years, and animals have been shipped all over the coast from the herd, and it is very gratifying to the owners to know that there is no possibility of any animals with latent tuberculosis having been sold to their patrons. The herd is now placed entirely in care of the Bureau, with which we think a blessing to the stock man if made use of.

The county court has considered the putting down of concrete sidewalks on the south and east sides of the court house square, and a walk from the south door of the court house to the intersection of Main and Second. This would be a very fine improvement. Within a week or ten days cement walks will be laid all around block 8, and the ground is now prepared from the M. E. church, both north and west.

A. A. Morrill, county surveyor, is running lines this week with the view of supplying Beaverton with a gravity system of water. The survey runs from the old mill known as the Hail site, a mile or two to the north of the town. It is not yet known whether the water can be taken into Beaverton with out a dam and a penstock.

J. J. Weisenbeck and wife were in the city yesterday. Mr. Weisenbeck has moved from the Ladd Crystal Spring Farm, Portland, and taken up his residence at Redville, where he lived many years, and where he and his estimable wife have many friends.

Rev. Mumford, a brother of Dr. Mumford, of Banks, occupied the pulpit at the Evangelical Church Sunday evening. The Evangelical church is getting along nicely with their church addition, and the edifice will present a handsome appearance when completed.

Wanted—Three or four carloads of Angora goats, for shipment. Will buy small flocks if enough can be procured to warrant shipment. See or write to J. J. Krebs, Lion Saloon, Hillsboro, Ore. 247.

George Holzheimer, who owns a neat little home close to Morton-dale station, on the Oregon Electric, was up to the county seat, Tuesday.

Ferd Harttramp and E. Sabin came down from Meacham's, Sunday, in the U. G. Gardner auto in 55 minutes.

Miss May Davis, daughter of R. L. Davis, with the Wilkes Bros. Abstract Co., departed Saturday for New York.

Mrs. Tonzit, of Second and Baseline, suffered a partial dislocation of the shoulder, the last of the week.

Remnants by the hundreds—and they are to go at half price. Come soon to get an early selection.—Connell & Co.

Surveyor T. S. Wilkes is busy surveying the city of Cornelius this week, establishing grades and corners.

Silomon Jack, son of the late John Jack, who died at the 90th milestone, Saturday evening, was in the county seat yesterday.

Dr. J. R. Marshall returned the last of the week from a vacation at Newport.

Herman Miller was in from near Bethany, Tuesday morning.

Miss Rose Wilcox returned for a few days from an extended vacation at Newport.

Bargains in graniteware, at Greer's. 224

**AUCTION SALE**

The undersigned will sell at public sale at on his farm, 1 1/2 miles south-east of Reedville, on the Portland road, at ten o'clock a. m., on **MONDAY, AUGUST 30,**

Eight cows, as follows: Shorthorn, 3 years old, fresh next April; Holstein and Shorthorn, 4 years old, fresh Nov. 29; 5 graded Jerseys, one to freshen Nov. 6, one Nov. 28, one Nov. 29, one Dec. 20, one April 5 and one April 21; springing sow, barrow, Deering mowers, Deering hay-rake, McCormick binder, 12-inch walking plow; 14-inch Moline silage plow; lawn mower; 5 milk cans, 8 and 10 gallons; hay carrier, rope and pulleys, and double harrow fork, and one Jackson fork; crib bed, secretary, center table, farm tools, 3 1/4 wagon, 3-inch wide tire; about three tons baled hay, household furniture, and numerous other articles. Lunch at noon.

Terms of Sale—Under \$10, cash; \$10 and over, 12 months' time, 6 per cent interest.

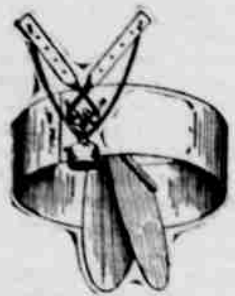
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**J. E. HAMLIN, ALIAS J. H. BURKE, IN JAIL.**  
Former Crook, Who Tried to Victimize Bank at the Grove  
WAS HELD BY KANE AND HAINES  
Dismissed From Pen and Again in Trouble

J. E. Hamlin, alias J. H. Burke, with several other names, and who in August, 1903, tried to pass a \$300 note with the late Walter Bernards' signature as surety, and who was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary, as the final outcome, is again in jail in Portland, charged with working the Winlock bank, state of Washington, in a like manner. He has married again—this time a girl from Grass Valley—and was living on Marguerite Avenue, Portland, and sported an automobile. The Sunday Oregonian contained the following account of his escapades prior to his sentence from this county:

**HAMLIN HAS EXCITING RECORD**  
Alleged Swindler Operated in Washington County, but Finally Caught.

HILLSBORO, Or., Aug. 21.—(Special)—J. H. Hamlin, alias J. H. Burke, who operated in this vicinity several years ago, has a criminal record of many years' standing. During his career he has operated in California as well as Oregon and Washington, and on one occasion, by some mischance of justice, he evaded extradition to California on his discharge from the Oregon Penitentiary.

Hamlin's first introduction to the authorities of this county was in 1901. On the morning of August 27 of that year Hamlin tried to cash a forged note on the cashier of the E. W. Haines bank at Forest Grove. The day before the attempt Hamlin, who gave his name as Burke, went to the bank and asked Cashier Frank T. Kane if his note, with the late Walter Bernards as surety, would be good for \$300. The cashier informed him that it would be good for any reasonable amount and Hamlin departed, with the information that he was a farmer residing near Thatcher, a little town in this county, and added that Bernards was his friend. He also stated that he would return next day for the money.

He left the bank and but for the fact that Cashier Kane happened to drive by the Bernards place that night and stopped, the confidence man would probably have been paid the money. At it was Kane mentioned the matter to Bernards and the old man denied all knowledge or willingness to act as surety for any one. On his return to Forest Grove Kane informed President Haines of the occurrence, and preparations were made to capture the forger.

The next morning Hamlin presented himself at the bank and tendered his forged note, bearing an excellent imitation of Bernards' signature. The cashier engaged him in conversation long enough to permit President Haines to slip out to the front of the bank, and both he and Kane drew revolvers, covering Hamlin simultaneously. He surrendered quietly and was taken to the jail without trouble.

Hamlin had procured a copy of Bernards' signature by visiting the Bernards place and painting himself off as the representative of an Eastern implement concern that desired to send the farmer some valuable reading matter pertaining to various farming methods. Bernards complied with his request to write his name and address in a little book he presented.

At this time Hamlin was also wanted at Lebanon for forging the name of E. J. Myer to a note for \$200. He followed practically the same tactics at Lebanon that he did at Forest Grove. Going to Banker Scroggin at that place he told him he was a friend of Myer and that he needed ready cash to purchase a team of horses, and that Myer had agreed to give him the money. He succeeded in getting the money and making his escape. He is also said to have victimized a baker at Medford, and at the time of his operations in this vicinity he was wanted in San Francisco for a crooked deal for which a reward of \$100 was offered for his arrest by Baker & Hamilton, a San Francisco firm.

In default of \$2500, Hamlin was placed in the Hillsboro jail, Deputy District Attorney Tongue, now District Attorney, having asked his commitment. He was a model prisoner while awaiting trial and nothing happened until September 3. On that night, in company with John T. McNamara, another prisoner, Hamlin broke jail by cutting a hole through the brick wall and escaping in safety.

Dan J. Trousdale, who occupied a cell in the jail at the time, and who was later tarred and feathered, was a witness to the dual escape, but refused to give the alarm because, as he later stated, the two fugitives had threatened to kill him if he made any outcry. Hamlin went to The Dalles from here, passing through Trousdale, where his wife lived at the time. Later he was captured by Sheriff Totten of Skamania County, Wash., while on his way to Stevenson. He managed to dodge into the brush along a country road and again fled, but the following day he was captured by a Deputy Sheriff while on his way to the lower Cascades. Again he succeeded in making his escape, for he acted the role of a submissive prisoner until he came to a convenient spot, when he suddenly rushed the officer, and, knocking him down, took two guns from him and escaped.

After this episode Hamlin went to Vancouver, where he visited his brother, who resides on the outskirts of the town. Sheriff John W. Sewell, of Yamhill County, learned of Hamlin's movements, and wired Sheriff Belsacker, of Vancouver, to apprehend him. Taking a deputy with him, Sheriff Belsacker visited the home of Hamlin's brother, and leaning through a window he got the drop on the fugitive and ordered him to throw up his hands. Instead of complying, Hamlin dashed for the door, but Belsacker fired twice, bringing down his man with a shot in the groin. The next day the wounded prisoner was taken to Hillsboro, and again on October 25 he attempted a third jail break, but this was frustrated. A short time before he was visited by his wife, and when searched after his attempt, \$200 in currency was found on his person, as well as some skeleton keys.

Shortly after this, Hamlin, or Burke, was arraigned before Judge McBride, and on conviction was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary. After serving one year he asked for a pardon, in which he was not successful, though he was later released because of his term being shortened by good behavior.

Hamlin steadfastly refused to tell anything of his parents. He has secured a divorce from him in the county of Multnomah County, and is said to have married again.

The above outline of Hamlin's career so far as this county is concerned, is approximately correct, except the error in saying E. H. Sewell, of Yamhill, instigator of Washington County.

Hamlin is accused of forgeries amounting to a total of about \$3076

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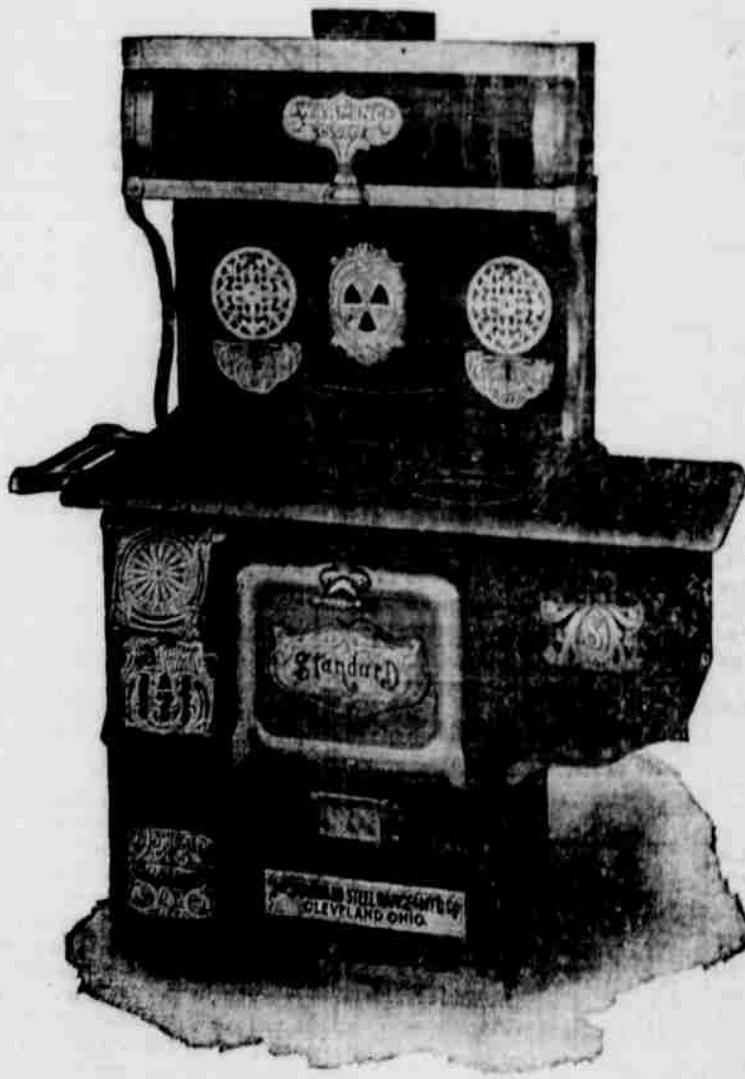
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in various cities in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. The list includes the bank at Winlock, where \$300 was the amount involved in a forgery of July 20, 1909; the Pullman First National Bank, \$200, in March, 1909; the Palouse State

Bank of Nampa, Idaho, \$200 September 24, 1908; First Trust Company of Moscow, August 17, 1909, \$200; First National Bank of Albany, May 10, 1909, \$500; Bank of Oregon, at Bend, Ore., \$500; German-American Bank of Portland,

\$150, 1909; Bank of Oregon \$126.50, December 21, 1907; National Bank of Caldwell, \$200, in April, 1909; First National Bank of Oakesdale, Washington, March, 1909, \$300]