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## SIXTY-TWO MILES OF TRACK LAID ON P. R. & N.

Leaves a Gap of Twenty Nine Miles With Steel Untaid

LINE TO COST OVER FOUR MILLION

Nearly all grading is Done. Tunnel and Bridges Remain

General Manager C. E. Lytle, of the Pacific Railway & Navigation Company, states that of the 29 miles of grade yet untouched by steel, all is practically finished except the bridge work and the few small tunnels, and that the road will be completed into Tillamook by May 1 or July 1, according to weather conditions. The tunnel work, he states, can, by crowding, be finished within six or eight weeks. It will take longer to complete the bridges, and here is where the big drawback lies.

Some of the big bridges, where there are spans, will not be completed until next Fall, but the officials will have steel laid over false work so as not to retard connecting the two ends of the line.

The company has expended over four million dollars and it is estimated that it will take \$700,000 yet to complete the line. This will make a total cost, road and equipment, of \$4,700,000.

Mr. Lytle will go over to Tillamook in January, and remain several weeks.

The United will complete its line into Tillamook next season, if contractors and men are sufficiently plentiful, and thus the year 1911 will see a big change in the connection of Tillamook with Washington County with two railway lines.

The Scholls and Hillsboro people will try to prevail upon Hill to also tap that fertile section, and committees are now at work laying the ground work for a presentation of their claims to John F. Stevens, who is Hill's chief of staff in Portland.

### AUCTION SALE

By order of the County Court the undersigned will sell at the late residence of the late John Marsh, near Centerville, at 10 a. m., on

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 3

Registered sorrel mare, broke to ride or drive; sucking colt, 5 year old sorrel mare, set team harness, set single harness; studebaker wagon, 1/2 in. good repair; 5 high-grade Jersey milk cows, 2 fresh in February and 3 fresh in March; 5 heifers, 2 years old, some with calf; 2 yearling heifers; 2-seat hack, buggy, 2 tons old chop, 100 bushels oats, turkey plow, McCormick binder, and a half interest in some farm machinery that will be specified at sale.

Terms of Sale—\$10 and under, cash; over that sum, 9 months' bankable note, at 6 per cent interest.

Mrs. Frances Marsh, Administratrix of the Estate of John Marsh, Deceased.  
G. W. Marsh, Auctioneer.  
Antone Hermens, Clerk.

It was what an Alabama coon would call a "wahn Christmas."

For Sale—Registered Poland China boar, yearling. Apply to John Vanderwal, Hillsboro. 42-4

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wallace, of Portland, spent Christmas with Mr. Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace, of near Farmington.

Christmas passed off quietly in Hillsboro, and that there was not a home so poor but what there was Christmas cheer goes without saying. As the Holiday came on Sunday, it was essentially a home Christmas. Saturday evening there were the usual Christmas trees at the Churches, and on Christmas Day the usual sermons on the birth of Christ were issued from the pulpits. Some of the business houses were closed over Monday.

The engineers on trains running through Washington County on the Southern Pacific were handed a neat Christmas package, Sunday, when they were told that the rail lines would grant them an increase in their pay. The matter was up last August and the engine men west of Chicago finally voted to go on a strike unless something was done to tentatively meet their demands. The companies and Brotherhood men finally "got together" on a compromise, and those along the S. P. line will not have to go through the agony of a "tie-up."

Deputy Clerk E. C. Luce silently stole away from the city Friday evening on a later car, and was not at his usual post of duty in the Clerk's office, Saturday. This was somewhat of a surprise to those who make daily visitations to that section of the temple of justice, as Luce is always there, and Clerk Bailey was kept busy explaining that after a long argument, in which he found it almost necessary to use physical force, he had prevailed upon "Old Faithful" to get out and enjoy the Christmas Holiday a day early. Even the big office clock became nervous over Luce's absence, and after patiently waiting until 10:00 a. m., for his appearance wherein the deputy failed, became hysterical and jumped a cog, registering Christmas Day—the 25th—a full 14 hours ahead of schedule time. And this is no fairy tale, either.

Harry Asbahr, who is ranching at Corvallis, associated with Prof. Kent, of Oregon Agricultural College, was down to spend the holidays with relatives. They expect to install a fine dairy on a farm of 200 acres in the near future, and are putting out 15 acres of peaches. His brother, Albert, also came down from O. A. C. to spend the Christmas season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Asbahr, of South Tualatin.

R. J. Schwanke, of Centerville, returned the last of the week from an extended trip to Montana, where he visited at Bozeman, one of the early day settlements of the Rocky Mountain state. He states that there was plenty of snow there when he departed.

All the world seemed traveling the last of the week, and the two rail lines out of Hillsboro had a big patronage in and out of Portland. Christmas buying was very heavy here, and also in the metropolis.

When the kitchen is properly equipped there is sunshine in the house. Come in and see our Champion and Charter Oak ranges. They are the best.—Emrick & Corwin

Carl Christener, of Mountaindale and Glencoe, was in Saturday. Mr. Christener is in the butcher business, and will build in the new town of North Plains, in the Spring.

J. T. Fletcher, of Forest Grove, was down to the city, Saturday, getting Christmas for the girl that he kept company with many years ago—Mrs. Fletcher, of course.

Born, to John Archbold and wife, Portland Heights, December 25, 1910, a daughter. The little lady is a grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Archbold, of this city.

William Smith, the Forest Grove carpenter and builder, and who is one of the close tillicums of John Stribich, was down to the hub Saturday.

Richard Wiley, attending Hill Military, and editor of the school paper, The Orderly, is out spending the Holidays with his father, W. V. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Abbott departed the last of the week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. G. L. Biggers, at LaGrande.

S. A. D. Meek, of above Glencoe, was over to the city Saturday, laying in some of the capital stock of Kris Kingle.

Miss Jennie Archbold, with the Southern Pacific general offices, in Portland, was out Christmas, the guest of her parents.

Now on sale—Nap-a-Tan, John Sharrod and W. L. Douglas shoes at Wyatt & Co. Store, corner Second and Main.

A. G. Poole and wife, of Portland, spent Christmas at Orengo with Mrs. Poole's mother, Mrs. Edwards.

Money to loan on real estate security. We sell farms. Try us.—The Webfoot Realty Co., Hillsboro. 12tf

John W. Sewell was a Seattle visitor the last of the week, making the trip for business purposes.

The funeral of Mrs. F. W. Norton took place, Saturday, and interment was in the local cemetery.

Money to loan on real estate. Terms reasonable. Apply to Kuratli Bros., Hillsboro, Or. 21tf

Mrs. Grace Black, of Portland, spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Powell.

J. A. Fineout, of Gales Creek, was a county seat visitor the last of the week.

J. T. Willis, of above Mountaindale, was in town Saturday.

## GET OUT AND VOTE FOR THAT SPECIAL ROAD TAX

Residents of the North Hillsboro Road District Should Hustle

DO NOT LET IT GO BY DEFAULT

Crying Need is Rock Roads to the Rich Northern District

Saturday, December 31, is the date set for the meeting to vote for or against a special tax levy for rock roads in North Hillsboro district. If every voter in favor of permanent road work should turn out there would be no question of the result—but there's the rub. Let every voter who wants to see road improvement—and at once—turn out next Saturday and swell the vote for better roads. Last year a start was made. This year we can get better results for the same efforts, and there should be no negative vote because of suffering the matter to go by default. The rich northern section hauls a great deal over the roads and under the law those in the city can get but 60 per cent. of the tax levied. This leaves the country road in a position to get more money expended than what it pays out. If all who favor a special tax will turn out it will mean several miles of rock road to the north and northeast. Turn out and give progressiveness a help.

The city proper will soon begin an era of street improvements. The voters in the city, for the good of the city, and for the benefit of those who drive to the city, should turn out in force and help establish the era of permanent road-building.

### CUMMINS—ROBINSON

A quiet home wedding was celebrated at the residence of Rev. A. Robinson, 552 East 36th St., Portland, Ore., (for many years Presbyterian Minister of Hillsboro) when his eldest daughter, Gertrude, was united in marriage with John Cummins, a prosperous young farmer of Forest Grove. The parlors were tastefully decorated with evergreens and white carnations. The bride carried a bouquet of the same flowers. Quite a large number of relatives and friends assembled at the nuptial ceremony, and after a dainty luncheon was served, the young couple departed on their honeymoon trip.

They were the recipients of many handsome and useful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Cummins will make their home at Forest Grove.

### FOR SPECIAL TAX

Notice of meeting to vote additional road tax. We, the undersigned, comprising 10 per cent. of the taxpayers of Road District No. 5, Washington County, Oregon, hereby give notice that a meeting will be held at Cornelius Hotel, Cornelius, Ore., in said road district, on the 31st day of December, 1910, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of voting an additional tax for road purposes, as provided in Sec. 34, Laws of 1909, page 203.

F. D. Shepard, Jacob Hergert, H. Thurnher, A. Hergert, H. W. Stauffer, H. F. Rebe, J. Buchele, H. Seidler, A. Benson, J. F. Sornen, J. Voelker, J. E. Reeves, Ed. Ward, Krahmer, R. Bowley, J. M. Loulon, M. Neuman, C. B. Buchanan, D. J. Barrett, A. Bunning, R. Oppinger, Fred Schoen Jr., Wm. Hamelmann, Adam Hergert Jr., L. J. Holz, Phillip Hergert, H. Hahmann, Geo. F. Harris.

### ANNUAL MEETING

The members of the German Fire Insurance of Washington County will hold their annual meeting at the Grange Hall, Hillsboro, on January 9, 1911, at the hour of 11:30 in the morning. The officers say there will be no assessment this meeting as the Board of Directors have determined that there is sufficient means to carry the business onward. Notices have been sent to the entire membership. Fred Berger and Erwin Ritter, both of Bethany, are president and secretary of the institution, respectively.

A card from Herman Ostermann, who has been visiting at Mendon, Mo., states that he has been having a fine time, and that he leaves the first of next week to visit relatives and friends at Meppen, Illinois. Mr. Ostermann is well known in the Centerville section, where for years he conducted a store, selling to Mr. Sahnaw a few months ago.

William Richter, carrier on Route 1, was a very sick man the last of the week.

John Schmidt, of Laurel, was in the city Friday.

Sam Moon was over from Centerville, Saturday.

John Milne, of North Plains, was in the city Saturday.

R. Oppinger, of Cornelius, was a county seat caller Friday.

John Koch, of beyond Blooming, was in the city the last of the week.

Camille Duyck, of South Forest Grove, was in the city the last of the week.

Frank Stotz, cashier of the Cornelius State Bank, was in the city Monday.

Victor Crop, of near Glencoe, was over to the county seat the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Koontz spent Christmas with Mr. Koontz's parents in Portland.

Joseph Donovan, of this side of Cedar Mill, was in the city the last of the week.

H. T. Beach, of Cornelius, Or., Route 1, was in the city Friday, and called on the Argus.

Miss Marie Tunzai, nurse at the St. Vincent Hospital, was out Christmas, the guest of her parents.

Miss Meta Wallace, of Forest Grove, spent Christmas with her parents, Frank Wallace and wife, near Farmington.

Hugh Miller, of Portland, was a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Susan Brown, and other relatives the first of the week.

Hugh Rogers, the Buxton representative of the P. R. & N., was down to headquarters, Friday night and Saturday morning.

Superintendent Vandehey gave the inmates at the county farm a fine Christmas dinner, Sunday, and chicken was the on the bill of fare.

E. J. West, of the Banks section, was the first man to get a hunting license for the year 1911. Clerk Bailey having issued him the piece of paper last Saturday.

The Hillsboro hunter is now in a period of hibernation—as the duck season is over. The sportsmen will now have to await the advent of Spring, and then commence angling when the trout season opens.

The Gaston State Bank has elected officers as follows—Hon. B. F. Purdy, president; J. H. Westcott, vice president; and L. Paget, cashier. Mr. Paget is from Portland, but has farm interests at Gaston.

Chas. Hickenbottom and son, Jos., of Shady Brook, were in town Monday. Speaking of circular barns, Joseph says that Rev. J. S. Griffin built the first one in this section, some sixty years ago. A Tualatin pioneer carpenter built the structure.

George Wann and wife, years ago residents of Farmington and Reedville, and now of Portland, were out the first of the week, visiting their son, Ralph Wann, at Reedville, and their children in this city. Mr. Wann is now connected with the Portland street cleaning department.

H. V. Stott, of above Gaston, and who lives near the gap that connects Yamhill and Washington counties, was in town Monday. He states that the Gaston K. of P. lodge last Summer bought the old Ralston hotel property for \$1,450, and sold half of it the other day, for \$1,500—or \$50 more than they paid for the property. This leaves the lodge 50x-100, and a hotel building, and fifty dollars to the good. Stott says that Gaston is getting to be quite metropolitan, and with her new bank, will be ready to stand comparison with any of the smaller cities of this section.

We are now better than ever prepared to supply our customers. We have a good supply of flooring, rustic, shiplap and finishing lumber and can furnish good house bills on short notice. We also have a good stock of all kinds of common lumber. We have in stock all sizes of tile from 3 to 16 inch that are first quality; also brick and building blocks. Try our building blocks for your fruit or potato house, or foundation for your buildings—better and cheaper than brick or concrete. Parties wanting orders delivered will do well to place them early, while the roads are good, and our teams are not too busy. In the past we find that it is the failing of many people to wait till the roads are almost impassable, and then place their orders for delivery, at a cost of twice what it can be done for now. So don't forget, this year, while our stock is complete.—Groner & Rowell Company.

## HILLSBORO BOY CADET MAJOR HILL MILITARY

Richard Edward Wiley, Seven Years a Student, Takes Command

HIGHEST OFFICE IN THE ACADEMY

Lindsay Hoyt Brown, Son of Dr. C. B. Brown, First Lieutenant

General orders of the Hill Military Academy, Portland's premier military school, have been posted for the ensuing year, and the honors of Cadet Major, the highest gift within the military ranks of the college, have been given to Richard Edward Wiley, of Hillsboro, a son of W. V. Wiley. The new cadet major has been a student at the Hill Military for six years, and is now entering on his seventh. He entered school in September, 1904, and during six years of examinations his scholastic standing was never below the general average of 85, and his department never below 100.

He was elected cadet captain in 1907, and for three years commanded two companies. His new office puts him in charge of the entire battalion, a splendid—and the greatest—recognition that the college can bestow. Lindsay Hoyt Brown, a son of Dr. C. B. Brown, well known in this city, was appointed cadet first lieutenant.

### NOW WE WILL PAVE

Hillsboro is to have paved streets if the united efforts of Hillsboro gallants can prevail upon the city fathers to spread the microbe of improvements—and all because of disaster which courted and won one of Portland's fairest exhibits of femininity. She came out Christmas morning to visit relatives, and that she was a dream was admitted by a score or thirty Hillsboro bachelors and benedicts. She was blonde with the real old Titian head adorning; her cheeks could drive in and put to route the reddest cheeked apple ever grown at Beaverton or South Tualatin; she was "dolled up" in the latest; compared with her, the Gibson girl was in the "Never Again" class; and her Madonna face was a revelation of purity, and when you saw her, with the latest gown which fitted just like you like to see it fit—you blessed the Lord that he made women, and made her while you were yet young enough to keep out of the cynic class. But that's neither here nor there—when she crossed the street between the Wyatt corner and the court square corner she was watched by such sedate old benedicts as W. G. Hare and T. H. Tongue Jr., and even Cal Jack Jr. stopped staring up the street and became interested. She stopped to allow a milk wagon to pass, but notwithstanding her hobble skirt, she applied the brakes too slowly. The hindmost wheels of the cream carrier struck some loose planks and four gallons of mud and water splattered all over that dream of a gown and that "peach" of a girl, and there was about a carload of sympathy from the admiring crowd of masculines. Jack dropped his mail, and joining the others, flew to her relief. Her smile had eclipse, and there was a naughty frown on her chiselled features, as she politely told her audience that she was old enough to attend to her own business, and she wished other people had the good manners to attend to their own affairs. The boys fell back—and a farmer from North Plains came up and carried her away to safety, and helped her to remove the stains of black-wash. The brushing was done near the Rest Room—and the boys all mentally swore allegiance to the Rest Room idea—and swore by all the gods that Hillsboro must—must, mind you—pave its streets.

Sheriff Hancock, Saturday, picked up Robert Irwin, a seventeen-year-old youth who in years past has been sent to six or seven different homes in the Forest Grove section. Hancock brought him to Hillsboro, upon discovering that he was wanted by the Boys' & Girls' Aid Society. He has been an incorrigible, and would stay nowhere. He was taken before Judge Goodin, who committed him to the State Reformatory School. Deputy David Kuratli escorted the lad to Salem Monday morning.

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**Forest Grove NATIONAL BANK**  
FOREST GROVE, ORE.

Statement of Condition on Thursday, Nov 10, 1910.

**Capital and Surplus \$50000**

Loans	\$253,892.01	Capital and surplus	\$50,000.00
U. S. Bond (at par)	25,000.00	Undivided Profits	2,571.55
Other Bond	38,640.00	Circulation	25,000.00
Banking House	18,000.00	Deposits	403,279.71
Cash and due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer	145,319.25		
	\$480,851.26		\$480,851.26

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