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NEW COMMERCIAL CLUB IS BEING ORGANIZED

All of the Stock is Practically Subscribed

QUARTERS IN THE SHUTE BLOCK

Expect to Remodel Building and Club Takes Entire Upstairs

With a capitalization of over \$2,000, of which over \$1800 has already been subscribed, Hillsboro is to have a new organization for the promotion of the public welfare. A. C. Shute and associates have started a movement to form a new commercial club, and a draft of their plans shows that the entire upper floor of the Shute Block, on the corner of Second and Main, will be used for quarters for the proposed institution. There will be a kitchen, dining room, lounging rooms, billiard rooms and card rooms, as well as all modern conveniences. Work will begin on the new quarters as soon as weather settles, and a canvass for membership will soon start. As the club has already raised so large a sum the gentlemen in charge will at once start work of getting things into shape.

The membership fee under the new articles costs but fifteen dollars, and they propose to get a membership of at least 125 before efforts shall cease.

MRS. EDWARD FAUST

The funeral of the late Mrs. Edward Faust took place last Saturday. Rev. Evan P. Hughes preaching the obsequies. Interment was in the local cemetery. Mrs. Eva O. Faust was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barnegrove, of beyond Varley. She was born at Tualatin, May 12, 1883, and moved to west of Hillsboro with her parents, when she was a child. She was wedded to Edward Faust, June 14, 1903, and passed away at the home of her parents, February 1, 1912, after being a sufferer from tuberculosis several years. The family of her parents, her husband, and two children, aged 6 and 4 years, survive her. Mr. Faust resides at Dufur, and Mrs. Faust was brought to Hillsboro last Spring, when her affliction became severe.

FREE ENTERTAINMENT

At The Crescent Theatre

Commencing Monday, Feb. 12, 1912, the Energetic Medicine Company, six big vaudeville acts, and motion pictures. Change of program nightly. Will remain two weeks advertising Oriental preparations. All medicines sold by this company are positively guaranteed. These medicines are chosen by me to assist nature kindly, and by their use the functions are adjusted to their normal conditions, thus placing one at their best. The surest cure for the blues is by not missing the performances given by this company.

CIRCUIT COURT

T. J. Allen was given a confirmation of sale of land in the case against the Beaverton Clay Manufacturing Co.

J. W. Goodin was given a quieted title in his case against Johnson et als, covering the Goodin farm, near Glencoe.

The court decided that J. D. Wirth was the owner in fee simple of land claimed by Jennie McE. Galbreath.

Oscar Thayer was given a decree covering land on which he has resided for a number of years, the judge holding that the land was bought for him, and that the equity was in Mr. Thayer.

Decrees of divorce were granted in Lehman vs. Lehman, and Hess vs. Hess.

DOG LICENSE DUE

Dog license due the city of Hillsboro, for the year 1912, is now due and payable, either to the undersigned, or to the City Recorder. Must be paid by Feb. 15, or dogs will be impounded. C. Blaser, Chief of Police, Hillsboro, Ore., Jan. 25, 1911.

Elmer Scott, Henry Miller and Chas. Bloom were up from below Witch Hazel, Monday, on business at the court house.

Capt. Paul Reimers, owner of considerable Washington County property, was fined \$70 last Friday, before Judge Smith. Reimers was charged with casting sawdust in a stream in the south part of the county. Capt. Reimers was in charge of a big merchant vessel in the Russo-Japan war, and beached a vessel in order to keep it out of the hands of two Japanese gunboats. Reimers came to this country before the war closed, and bought property south of Cornelius, which he later sold, and then made other purchases in the Chehalis Mountain and other sections south of the river.

Anent the Hillsboro water supply, the article in last week's Argus, telling about the plans of the Washington-Oregon Corporation to install city water in this city, the idea seems to meet a more than popular chord. If private capital shall put in the system it will save the city thousands of dollars, with practically the same price to the consumer. Within a week or ten days the company receives the report of its engineers. Hillsboro must and will have mountain water—and if private capital shall put it in so much the better.

Why pay ten dollars for a map which merely shows Washington County, when you can get one on a larger scale, showing everything from the Willamette River west to the west boundary of the county, size 50x67 inches, for \$7.50, or a pocket size, 24x33 inches, for \$2.00? Get it of your bookseller, or address T. S. Wilkes & Son, Hillsboro, Oregon.

Hugh Rogers, for many years connected with the P. R. & N. as timber inspector, and later acting as agent at Buxton, then transferred to Timber, was down to the city over Sunday, returning Monday morning. Mr. Rogers has been with the company ever since it started construction out of Banks.

T. J. Allen put up \$100 bail before Judge Smith, Monday, the charge being assault on F. W. Allen. It is charged by the prosecuting witness that the defendant struck F. W. on the head with a rock, near the tower, a few hundred feet east of the Beaverton depots, Saturday night.

The undersigned will go to houses to do plain dressmaking, sewing and mending, at \$1.50 per day, or take the work home. The working hours—from 8 to 5 o'clock (board included.)—Mrs. Henrietta Stohler, Oak and Twelfth Sts., Hillsboro, Ore., R. 5. Phone City 477. 48-50

Geo. Schulmerich has purchased one of the prettiest new bungalow homes in the city of Creswell, and he will live in town and operate the ranch at the same time. Mrs. Schulmerich expects soon to leave to start housekeeping in the new home.

A glance at the delinquent list for those who made the half payments shows that there were very few who took the half plan that have not liquidated. Sheriff Hancock has the list in this week's Argus, and it embraces but 31 tracts. This is a good showing.

G. L. Perrine, of St. Johns, was out to the city Saturday and Monday. Mr. Perrine formerly resided in Hillsboro, and was here in the early nineties. He worked on the original Schulmerich block, and did much masonry here and at McMinnville.

I saw cordwood, poles up to 12 inches in diameter, fence rails, and boards of all kinds, into stovewood lengths. Will go into the country. Write, phone or call on me.—Carl Skow, Tualatin Hotel, Hillsboro, Oregon.

Henry Scott, of Gaston, was down to the county seat Monday, and brought in a wolf hide and three bobcats. For the wolf he received five dollars, and two dollars each for the cats, making eleven dollars for his trip.

For sale or trade: Twelve acres, 2 1/2 miles southeast of Hillsboro; also a house and 2 1/2 acres at McMinnville. Will sell at a bargain, or trade for Hillsboro residence property, close in.—C. F. Bunsen, Hillsboro, Ore.

Cornelius and North Plains are said to be candidates for mountain water—something that every thriving town in the Tualatin Valley should have.

Do not forget to ask for a Schiller when you want a good 10 cent smoke—no "cough dust" in the Schiller. 12tf

B. F. Thiele, of South Tualatin, was over to the city Monday. Emmott have a fresh lot of Krinkle corn flakes, 3 for 25 cents.

CORPORATIONS PAY OVER ONE-TENTH TAX

Southern Pacific is hit Hardest by Tax Collector Hancock

COMPANIES PAY IMMENSE AMOUNT

Southern Takes First Place—Oregon Electric Next

A perusal of the tax rolls shows that the carrier transportation companies with their auxiliary lines, such as Western Union and the Bell telephone system, pay over one-tenth of the total tax collection of Washington County for the year of our Lord 1912. The total corporation tax amounts to \$47,420.81, while the grand total of tax levied is \$467,254. The Southern Pacific Company is hit the hardest of any of the railway companies, with the Oregon Electric a close second. The Southern pays of \$21,000, besides \$5,160 on the Tillamook line. Segregated on the roll the assessment stands:—

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| Southern Pacific | \$18,482.56 |
| S. P. Beav-Willsburg | 3,061.01 |
| Tillamook line | 5,160.80 |
| (Above all S. P.) | |
| Oregon Electric | 17,650.10 |
| United Railways | 2,015.42 |
| Western Union, tank lines, express, etc. | 468.11 |
| Telephones | 582.81 |

Grand total.....\$47,420.81
Taxation has raised annually on the railway properties since the state tax commission took hold of the assessments, although it was gradually being forced upward prior to that, beginning to be raised when the late Judge Rood was on the county board. Assessor Wilcox was the first to start the values of railway roadbed climbing up the scale.

One-tenth of the total tax paid by the corporations—well, well, what do you know about that?

NOTICE

The trustees of the Union School cemetery, Cedar Mill, will hold a meeting at the Union Church on Saturday, Feb. 24, 1912, at 1:30 p. m., and all parties interested, or parties wishing lots, are requested to be in attendance. An addition to the cemetery has been platted and lots will be on sale from that date. The books of the association will be open for inspection, and the report of the trustees will be read at that time.

G. H. Reeves }
Andrew Eggiman } Trustees
Robt. Thompson }
Cedar Mill, Feb. 8, 1912.

NOTICE TO PATRONS

We have sold our hardware store to Percy Long, of Eugene, and he will take possession February 1. We take this means of thanking those who so kindly patronized us. All amounts due must be settled by cash or secured note by February 10.

EMRICK & CORWIN,
Hillsboro, Ore., Jan. 25, 1912.

Henry Kamna, of Blooming, was a city visitor, Monday, paying taxes.

D. P. Corrieri has opened a fish market on Second Street, next door to the Koeber parlors, and will endeavor to keep a supply in season, at all times.

Sam Paisley, of Buxton, was in Monday morning, reaching the city at nine o'clock, after riding the 20 miles horseback. That's going some for a man of Sam's age.

For sale—a horse mule colt, 8 months old, big for age. Will make a fine animal.—H. Rasmussen, on Merrill place, between Reedville and Farmington. Address, Beaverton, Oregon, R. 4. 48-50

The Southern Pacific has entered its application for a double track electric franchise down Fourth Street, and the company states that it will not admit of the common user clause, even if the right is not forthcoming. The ordinance has been published in the Portland dailies.

Miss Sylvia Masters, of Goldendale, a daughter of Thurston Masters, came over Sunday, to be present at the funeral of her aunt, the late Mrs. Masters. This was her first trip to Hillsboro, and she was very much pleased with the city. She returned Monday afternoon.

Fred Rood, of below Newton, was in the city Friday.

Born, February 4, 1912, to the wife of T. H. Tongue, Hillsboro, a son.

Born, February 2, 1912, to the wife of Neil Emmott, Hillsboro, a daughter.

P. C. Stream, of East Plains, was transacting business in town Saturday.

Herman Rannow, of Farmington, was a city visitor Saturday afternoon.

A. Pautmeier and wife, of Farmington, were in the county seat Saturday.

Don't half do it, make it Liggett's Chocolates or nothing. Get them at The Delta.

J. C. Martinazzi, of Tualatin, was up to the city Friday, on business at circuit court.

J. W. Hughes, Forest Grove, was in the city Friday afternoon, on business at the court house.

Frogs were croaking for several nights prior the first of the week—a sign that Spring will be here—some time.

M. Kehri, of near Hillsdale, was in the city Friday. Mr. Kehri is one of the dairymen of his section, and knows how.

Clay Trites, superintendent of the county farm, was up from Newton, Saturday. He reports twelve inmates in the institution.

If she don't think enough of you, try your luck by feeding her some of Liggett's delicious Chocolates. Big boxes and little ones.—The Delta Drug Store.

John and Fred Berger, of Bethany, who were in town Saturday, say that Winter wheat is looking fine—much better than usual at this season of the year.

Andrew Eggiman, H. R. Findley and Robt. Thompson were up to the city Saturday, on business connected with a cemetery addition, the two former being trustees of the association.

The undersigned has purchased the entire interest in the Main Street barber shop, and will hereafter conduct the same. Baths. Your patronage is solicited. Courteous treatment.—Julius Sorenson.

H. A. Ball, ex-county school superintendent, was up from Bonita, on the Oregon Electric, Saturday. Mr. Ball bought there before the electric line went through, and he has enjoyed a substantial increase in values.

The Bissner ranch, over in South Tualatin, formerly the Witt place, is having a premier porch built around the residence. It is 240 feet in length, and eight feet in width. This is some porch, and is probably the longest one in the county.

E. B. Tongue, district attorney, has an opponent in the primaries, an Astoria man by the name of Norblad having filed his petition. Tongue's friends in Clatsop County declare that they will give Tongue a big majority in Norblad's own county—and it looks that way.

For sale: An extra fine lot of strawberry plants. All kinds of nursery stock. Also a choice lot of White Leghorn pullets, and India Runner ducks. Residence south of city park, near Jabe Wilkes. Address, Adams, Box 483, Hillsboro, Ore. 43-1f

Samuel Livesly, father of the Livesly Brothers, hop buyers, was over from beyond Oak Park, Friday. Mr. Livesly is over 81 years of age, but carries his years as lightly as the average man of sixty. He says that a man is never older than he feels. Mr. Livesly at one time was one of the heaviest buyers of hops in that state when Wisconsin was in the hop growing business.

There is now underground whispers that the United eventually intends building from the main line, near Connell station, east of North Plains, to Hillsboro, and then run a line over through the rich South Tualatin and Scholla section, connecting down with the main line of the Salem run. This would tap a mighty fine country, and the report is too good to be true. Stranger things have happened.

Ferd Groner, of Scholls, was up to the city Friday, and stated to an Argus reporter that the road club down on the river road between here and Farmington were doing magnificent work with the split-log apparatus with which they are draining the highways. He says one would hardly believe the device could prove so efficacious, and Ferd is going to present the boys with a big bouquet when the flowers bloom in the Spring.

MATTO MARINOVITCH GETS FIFTEEN YEARS

Slavonian Highway Man Sentenced by Judge Campbell

TAKEN TO SALEM ON SATURDAY

Turns Pale When Judge Imposes Long Term Sentence

Matto Marinovitch has discovered that the way of the transgressor is hard—for he was sentenced to 15 years in the Oregon penitentiary, last Friday, by Judge Campbell. Marinovitch was convicted of holding up Jno. Poropot and three Slavonian companions near Sherwood. The robbery was committed on December 3, and Marinovitch and another entered the Poropot cabin, where the Slavs were living while cutting wood. Marinovitch went through the boys while the assistant kept them covered with a revolver, taking a watch, a ring, and several dollars in money. The next day Poropot and one of his companions took the train to Portland, and saw Marinovitch on the cars. They watched him, and when he tried to get off at a station near the city, blocked his progress. He remained on the train and as soon as they arrived in town Poropot and his friend called a policeman. The watch and ring and some money was found on his person. He was arrested and brought here for trial, his case going to a jury the first of last week. The jurors deliberated but a few minutes and found him guilty.

Matto was taken to the penitentiary last Friday morning by Sheriff Hancock. When sentenced Marinovitch turned pale, and told the judge that anyone could see from the looks of his hands that he was a "working man."

RECORD FOR QUICK WORK

Street Improvement is Rushed

(Portland Evening Telegram November 4, Saturday)

Contracts for the improvement of St. Clair Street from Wayne to Main and Ash Street from Front to Third, were awarded by the Executive Board to the Warren Construction Co., at 4:30, Tuesday afternoon, the contracts were signed Wednesday morning by Mayor Rushlight, work was started that afternoon and the two improvements were finished and accepted by the City Engineer this morning.

This is a record for quick street work in this city. Only 57 hours and 50 minutes were consumed from the time the contracts were signed until the last bit of work was completed. Practically the entire working force of this company was engaged in the work, including 200 teams and 300 men and several steam rollers. The force worked in relays of eight-hour shifts, and from the time the work started until it ended there was no cessation in operations.

Reserve 84 Per Cent.

\$476,316.30 \$476,316.30

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Yours for a deal

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Will sell registered Coach Stallion, Winsor. Finely built and gets good colts. Gentle, tractable. Will sell for cash and some cows as payment.

Herman Boge, Hillsboro, Or., Route 5. Residence near Farmington. 46-2

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public auction at his farm, 2 1/2 miles southwest of Tigardville and one mile east of Kinton, on the old Behnke place, 2 miles north of Schamburg bridge, at 10 a. m.,

MOMDAY, FEBRUARY 26,
Driving horse, 9 yrs, 1100; horse, 12 years, 1200; mare, 9 years, 1000, good work animals; five good milk cows, all fresh in March; Jersey bull, 18 months old; 3 brood sows, boar, 18 months old; four pigs, 3 months old; 18 chickens, 21-inch Studebaker wagon, buggy, double harness, buggy harness, cultivator, plow, harrow, mowing machine; 120-egg incubator, hot water; many farm tools, and numerous other articles.

Lunch at noon.
Terms of Sale—Under \$10, cash; \$10 and over, bankable note, 8 per cent., payable October 1, 1912.
S. Shaman, Owner.

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H. E. Ferrin, Asst. Cashier

Forest Grove NATIONAL BANK

FOREST GROVE, ORE.

Statement of Condition on Tuesday, December 5, 1911.

Capital and Surplus \$50000

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| Loans | \$263,631.07 | Capital | \$25,000.00 |
| U.S. Bonds (at par) | 25,000.00 | Surplus | 25,000.00 |
| Other Bonds | 67,160.00 | Undivided Profits | 2,035.99 |
| Banking House | 18,500.00 | Circulation | 25,000.00 |
| Cash and due from Banks and U. S. | | Deposits | 399,280.31 |
| Treasurer | 102,025.23 | | |

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