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COMMERCIAL BANK IN THE NEW QUARTERS

Removed to the Commercial Block, S. W. Corner Main & Second

OPENED FOR BUSINESS MONDAY

New Banking House Very Commodious and Convenient

The Hillsboro Commercial Bank has moved to its new quarters in the Commercial Building, southwest corner of Main and Second, and opened for business Monday morning. The new banking house has very commodious and convenient accommodations and the interior is finished in beautiful oak.

The location is one of the best in the city, and the building is modern and has a pleasing exterior. President Ed. Schulmerich and Cashier Willis Ireland will be pleased to show the public their new banking quarters, which are a source of pride to all who believe in Hillsboro. Hillsboro now has three of the finest banking houses in the state and taken all in all there is not a city in Oregon outside of Portland that can begin to compare with the three institutions in Hillsboro so far as equipment, beauty of finish, and solidarity are concerned.

E. B. TONGUE

Candidate For Nomination

If I am nominated and elected, I will, during my term of office, honestly, vigorously and impartially perform my official duties, without fear or favor, endeavoring to accord to every individual, irrespective of party, politics or personalities, a square deal under the Laws, keeping always uppermost in my mind, the interest of the taxpayers. I will protect the innocent, as well as prosecute the guilty.

During my present term of office, I have secured convictions of more than 95 per cent. of my cases. I have won every criminal case tried before the Supreme Court. I have defeated my opponent, Mr. Norblad, in every case in which we have been opposed to each other.

Every District Attorney before me has been given two terms. Does the record above merit the second term for me?

Office Hours:—Any time, day or night, you have official business to transact.

E. B. Tongue.

SPECIAL SALE

On Spitzenburgs, Newtons and Golden Ortleys. Four and six foot trees, 10 cents each. All trees guaranteed.—Scholls Nursery Co., Scholls; Sherwood, Or., Route 4. 50-3

Dave Wenger, of Helvetia, was down to the county seat Saturday.

J. W. Goodin, of Glencoe, was in the city Saturday, greeting friends.

Harry Cline, of near Laurel, was a Hillsboro visitor Monday afternoon, and called at the Argus office.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hellaire, of Glencoe, were in the city Monday, paying taxes and making their annual call on the family journal.

Fred Stetler, of Mountaindale, was a city visitor Saturday afternoon. Fred resides in one of the sections that is having a rapid development.

J. W. Cornelius, of south of Cornelius, was in the city, Saturday. He is making the primary run for county commissioner, and will base his candidacy on the good roads question.

Eggs for sale.—Thoroughbred Buff Orpington. Per setting, $1.00. Mrs. Jas. Sewell Jr., Phone 469, Hillsboro, R. 1. Three miles N. E. of Hillsboro. 52-2

Chas. Rein, who has been down in the Sherwood section for a year or so and who appears to be satisfied with the valley, was in the city the first of the week, and dropped into the Argus sanctum.

J. S. Myers, of the South Tualatin section, was in the city Monday. He says that Winter grain is looking fine, and that the cold wave has not injured it as yet. Promise of a bumper crop is the way Mr. Myers looks at it.

County Clerk J. W. Bailey has taken the 1910 census figures and computed the center of population. As near as can be determined the city park is the center of population, and there is a greater population south of Baseline than there is north; and a greater population east of North Range Street, the west line of the city boundary, than to the westward. It required a considerable figuring to get the central point within a radius of a quarter of a mile, and while this was in 1910, it is supposed that the North Plains increase, together with Timber, will stand off any increase at Orenco and down along the Oregon Electric, in the Salem line district. This, of course, refers to the center of the county.

Closing out sale of plants.—Will sell at sacrifice to those wishing to fix up their yards—and they will do well to call and see what we have—house plants, roses, shrubbery, lilies, peonies, bleeding hearts, and other things too numerous to mention. Cabbage and tomato plants in their season. We also have some fine cemetery plants and shrubbery. Mrs. Agnes Campbell, Corner of Seventh & Fir Streets. Phone City 753. 52tf

A. N. Shannon, who was with the Wm. Reid railroad survey between Hillsboro and Astoria, away back in the nineties, was in the city Thursday and Friday. Mr. Shannon is connected with the Warren Bros. Construction Company, and has just returned from an extended trip to South Carolina and Virginia, his old home, and a run up to New York, where a sister resides.

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.

Chas. Lazotte, of Buxton, was in town Friday. Mr. Lazotte recently visited his mother in Nebraska, his first meeting with her in 22 years. He was there in December, and says that the weather back there is altogether too cold for an Oregonian.

S. A. D. Meek was in from above North Plains, Saturday, wearing a smile that was cherubic. He has been married 16 years, and has six fine boys and three girls to the credit of the Meek family—and that is certainly some Roosveltian record.

Business and residence property in Oklahoma growing city of 800 for trade for Washington County farm or town property. If interested, see H. L. McGuire, 5th and Fir, Hillsboro. 50-52

Fred Gheen, who has been processing for the condenser at Forest Grove, was down to the city Saturday, taking a day's vacation, and visiting his parents, Thos. Gheen and wife.

R. Bowlby, of South Tualatin, departed for Rupert, Idaho, after a Winter's stay with relatives in Washington County. His sister, Mrs. Lois Mitchell, of Hillsboro, is still at Rupert.

Herman Seidler, of McMinnville, was down to the city Saturday, and had all kinds of praise for the way the city had improved since his last visit here about a year ago.

Will Wohlschlegel, of Scholls, still in the dairy business, is now putting up a fine poultry yard, and expects to go into the chicken business on a big scale.

Full blood Ancona eggs for hatching, $1 per setting of 13. Phone City 753.—Mrs. W. Whitmore, Hillsboro, Seventh and Fir Streets. 52-2

Dave Doty, of McMinnville, always a Hillsboro favorite, was in town with "The Virginians," Saturday, and called on the Argus.

Chester Alexander, engineer on the P. R. & N., was down Saturday and Sunday, on a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biersdorf, of North Tualatin Plains, were in the city Saturday morning.

Alfred Erickson, above Mountaindale, was transacting business in town, Saturday.

Miss Helen Hughes, of Portland, is the guest of Miss Lucile Imbrie, this week.

Gus Steves, of Virginia Place, was a county seat visitor Saturday forenoon.

Sheridan Wheaton, of near Tualatin, was in the county seat Saturday.

BANDSMEN BURY THE LATE FRED G. WONDER

Musician, on Death Bed, Makes a Touching Request of Fellows

ASKS FOR "AULD LANG SYNE"

Was Well Known in the Buxton Section, Having Property There

Fred G. Wonder, jolly good fellow and one of Portland's popular musicians and band leaders, was conveyed to his last resting place one day last week, in Portland, under circumstances that were replete with pathos. Wonder had played with scores of musicians, and he was a friend of all. Years ago, N. L. Atkins, of Forest Grove, and J. W. Cornelius, of south of Cornelius, played with Wonder, and held him in high esteem. One of Wonder's last requests was that the band should play "Auld Lang Syne" at his grave, and this was followed in the obsequies.

Wonder owned some property in the Buxton section, and had many friends at the Grove and out Buxton way.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned has rented his farm and will sell at public auction at his farm 1 mile west of Cedar Mill, at 10 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 11,

Gray horse, 1400; gray horse, 1250, black colt 2 yrs., about 1200; 2½ Racine wagon half truck; 2 open buggies, single road cart, set heavy work harness, single buggy harness. McCormick binder, McCormick mower, hay rake, six foot Superior disc drill with 12 discs, 20-inch disc harrow, 2 steel frame harrows, wood frame harrow, 14-inch plow, 16-inch plow, 8-inch plow, cultivator, corn planter, hand timothy seeder, hand truck, scoop shovel, hay fork, 140 feet ⅝ rope and pulleys, 130 feet ⅝ inch new rope, two jack screws, 14 and 15 inch, two anvils, some seed potatoes, wood vise, iron vise, iron drill, tire shrinker, blower, hammers, tongs, chisels, cold chisels, wrenches, square, hand saw, jack planes, augers, lot of mixed bolts, horse shoeing outfit, set double blocks, plow cutter, 2 log chains, 3 set doubletrees, 45 lbs compound grease, sickle grinder, large iron wire stretcher, small hand wire stretcher, lumber binder, potato forks, pitch forks, brush hooks, grub hoe, green bone cutter, 2 hammerless shot guns, sewing machine, 8 foot extension table, 6 heavy oak chairs, sideboard, six hole stove with reservoir, kitchen cabinet, two rocking chairs, Morris chair, dresser and stand, center table, picture frames, fruit jars, and other articles too numerous to mention. Lunch at noon.

Terms of Sale—Under $10, cash; $10 and over, bankable note, 7 per cent., payable one year. If paid in 60 days, no interest.

Charley King, Owner.
J. C. Kuratli, Auctioneer.

STALLION FOR SALE

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

J. H. Ellerson, of Beaverton, and son, E. Ellerson, of Forest Grove, were in the city Saturday afternoon.

Wood for sale: Sixteen inch and four foot dry fir.—C. R. Hodgdon, City; phone, City 544. Orders promptly delivered. 52-2

Mrs. August VanLoo and daughter, Miss Cora, were down from Verboort, Monday afternoon, on a taxpaying trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shearer, who have been visiting with relatives, here, all winter, returned to Fishhawk, Columbia county, the past week.

Miss Eliza Shorey returned Sunday from a several weeks' visit at Santa Barbara, Los Angeles and Sacramento, and is again at her desk in the law office of Attorney John M. Wall. Miss Shorey says that Oregon, with its green, is quite good enough for any one.

The Argus reporter, who for several years fought valiantly for a watering trough for the convenience of teams driven into town by farmers, and who finally landed one, is asked every few days why the city now has not such a convenience for people making this their trading point. When the paving was put down last Fall the old trough was taken out and none has taken its place. The Argus is quite sure that the city authorities will see to it that one is installed in the near future, to protect against the warm summer days, coming, which are always hard on stock driven several miles.

Farmers are getting ready to put out kale seed.

J. J. McHale, of Cooper Mountain, was in town Saturday.

The Pittenger residence, on Baseline, is nearing completion.

D. L. Houston, of Portland, was in town Friday, greeting his friends.

Fred Losli, of near Beaverton, was a county seat visitor the last of the week.

Geo. Zetzman, of North Tualatin Plains, was over to the city Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marty and two children, of Cedar Mill, were in the city Saturday afternoon.

A good, gentle milk cow, fresh 3 months, for sale. Albert Ruef, Hillsboro, Route 5. Quarter mile north of Newton. 50-52

Albert Dethlefs and son, of Seghers, near Gaston, were in town Monday, on business at the court house.

Automobiles were out Sunday, and drivers reported the roads pretty fair. The day, however, was rather too bracing to make motoring a decided delight.

J. B. and L. E. Wilkes, A. A. Mead and Fred Gheen made a trip to Portland, Saturday afternoon, in an auto, and report the roads as very good at that date.

For sale—Fresh Shorthorn cow, good milker, and calf at side. Near Sewell station, on Oregon Electric. Address Gus Steves, City R. 4, or see him at Virginia Place. 52-2

Albert Brandt, of Sherwood R. 4, was in the city the last of the week, and was more than surprised to see the wonderful improvements installed since his last visit here a year ago.

Ferd Groner was up from Scholls, Sunday, with the auto in which he toured the East and South, last Summer. He found the roads rather bad in spots, but good enough to make fair time.

From present indications, and promotion under way, Hillsboro this year will do more building along manufacturing lines than it has for many seasons. This is what the town needs—and badly.

Work is progressing finely on the Keepfresh building, 10th and Washington, and the heating plant will soon be completed. The company is now out getting contracts from farmers and fruit growers for the 1912 run.

The Washington-Oregon Corporation has been putting in malleable plates over the meters leading to the water supplies in the business section, and it required considerable work where the plates were laid in the concrete walks.

The frost that followed the cleaning of the streets, Saturday night, made it bad traveling for horses the next morning. Several horses fell on the slippery pavements, which resembled a lake of ice in places. The street committee has decided that hereafter no chances will be taken where there is liability of a heavy frost, as ice forms easily on hard surface.

The court in front of the Dr. Linklater residence has been a great rendezvous for the children on roller skates, and every fair evening dozens of the little fellows can be seen skating. Many have found out that cement is not quite as soft as a feather bed, and occasionally a cracked head brings tears—but the effervesce of childhood cannot be destroyed—and the skating is still in vogue.

County Clerk J. W. Bailey, W. Mahon and C. Jack Jr. were attendants at the Portland Press Club session, last Thursday evening. An interesting program was pulled off, and W. J. Bryan delivered a 30 minute address at the close. John M. Wall attended the Bryan meeting at the Gypsy Smith tabernacle, at which fully 5,000 people were unable to enter. C. F. Miller, A. G. Watson and J. A. Abbott, of Forest Grove, were also at the tabernacle meeting.

Those who are enthusiastic over the proposition of a good street fair this Fall are intending to get busy early in the Summer, and arrange for the best district exhibit ever held in this section. By the time the carnival opens, the streets will be open for use, and a committee will be appointed to confer with farmers and fruit growers, so that there will be an abundance of exhibits. The last fair held was the one premier effort, but the endeavor this season is to eclipse all former displays.

JIM TURK OF NEHALEM WEDS IN PORTLAND

Wins Bride Through Advertisement to Find That he Knew Her

FIRST MET HER 19 YEARS AGO

Judge T. J. Cleeton, Well Known Here, Married the Couple

Great is the power of the press, and romance occasionally flirts its wand and strikes close to the boundaries of Washington County. James Turk, of the Nehalem, and well known to many of the ranchers above Buxton, was wedded to Mrs. Hannah Chapman, in Portland, February 29, 1912, the marriage being the culmination of a campaign in the newspapers, wherein Turk asked for a wife. Mrs. Chapman answered his query and a correspondence ensued. Last week he went to the metropolis to claim his bride, and at once recognized her as an acquaintance of 19 years back, when he worked in the Rose City.

County Judge Cleeton performed the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Turk are now located on the groom's ranch near Timber.

Mrs. Chapman had been a widow for 12 years, and the groom is aged 66 years. Two months ago Turk inserted an advertisement in a Portland newspaper—and he and his bride are now satisfied that "it pays to advertise."

SURPRISE PARTY

Friday, Feb. 23, many of the friends and neighbors of W. J. Gregg happened in unexpectedly to congratulate him on his semi-centennial birthday. Mrs. Gregg and family had planned it as a surprise, and it worked successfully.

After the guests had enjoyed the good things of the festive board, the afternoon was spent in sociability. The event was also made the opportunity to express audibly and to his face how much both he and his family were appreciated in the community. Short speeches were made by A. Chalmers, C. A. Hanley, W. Phillip, John Boyd and his pastor, Rev. A. Carrick. Mr. Gregg replied in his unique, forceful way expressing his appreciation for such friends.

Several useful remembrances were received among them being a Red-letter Bible from his family, and some fruit trees which he planted that same evening to commemorate the occasion.

The following guests were present. Messrs. and Mesdames A Chalmers, F Chalmers, C Hanley, J Boyd, R Raycraft, W Phillip; Misses Nellie and Annie Gordon, Sarah Phillip, Elizabeth Chalmers; Mrs. Quiggle and family, Alex Gordon, N Fleming and Rev A Carrick.

DID DAY GET THEM?

Some weeks ago, when John Day was in Hillsboro, and was daily frequenting a prominent office in the city, a pouch, containing a few small county warrants, a certificate of deposit belonging to a client of the office, calling for $1,000, and a mortgage, besides some other minor papers, was stolen from the sale. Later, one of the warrants was picked up in the rear of the Tualatin Hotel. There has been no clue to the identity of the party who purloined the pouch, which was taken from one of the pigeon holes in the depository, and it is highly probable that Day was the party, who helped himself to the papers. The payment was stopped on the certificate of deposit, and it will not be paid when presented. Suspicion naturally falls on the gay publicity manager, although he may be innocent of the theft.

Proposals Wanted

Sealed proposals will be received up to 2:00 p. m., Tuesday, March 12, 1912, and then opened, for crushing rock at Goodin Spur, on the S. P. R. R., contractor to pay all labor and crusher repairs, the county to furnish crusher. Successful contractor must file a sufficient bond when contract is awarded. The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Address bids to County Clerk, Hillsboro, Ore.

R. O. Stevenson, Judge.
By order Commissioners' Court.
Hillsboro, Ore., Feb. 20, 1912.

REXALL STORE

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H. E. Ferrin, Ass't Cashier

Forest Grove NATIONAL BANK

FOREST GROVE, ORE.

Statement of Condition on Tuesday, February 20, 1912.

Capital and Surplus $50000

Loans	$253,441.36	Capital	$25,000.00
U.S. Bonds (at par)	25,000.00	Surplus	25,000.00
Other Bonds	57,160.00	Undivided Profits	3,988.29
Banking House	18,500.00	Circulation	25,000.00
Cash and due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer	99,694.29	Deposits	374,807.36
	$453,795.65		$453,795.65

Reserve 34 Per Cent.

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