

CALL FOR MEETING OF ALL HORSEMEN

Want a Washington County Horse Show in Few Weeks

ASSEMBLE NEXT SATURDAY

Will Devise Ways and Means For Exhibit of Horses and Colts

The horsemen of Washington County, comprising the stallion owners, and all others interested in an exhibit of stallions, horses, and colts, will meet in Hillsboro, at the office of W. D. Smith, next Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, to devise ways and means for holding an annual horse show. Last year witnessed the most successful showing for many years, and cash prizes were paid all prize winners. This year there is a feeling that more money should be raised than ever interest may accrue. For the first time in years the prize winning owners received their checks at once, every payment having been mailed by ten o'clock of the day of the big meeting.

Washington County has a fine lot of horses and colts, and no place in the state can make a better showing. The meeting will be held late enough that this year's youngsters can be in the entries, and if ways and means can be devised it will be well worth while for exhibitors to take a day off and show what their produce in the way of horseflesh.

Stallion owners and all horsemen are cordially invited to attend, and the business men of Hillsboro are earnestly requested to be at the Saturday meeting. This is an event that should receive hearty financial support from every Hillsboro business house.

Mrs. Rachel Hawthorne, well known in and around Hillsboro, her big holding out this way being the Hawthorne ranch, east of the city, has sued one of her daughters, Mrs. Collins, for the return of 502 shares of stock in the company. She says she gave the daughter the shares upon condition, only, that Mrs. Hawthorne should vote the stock during her life time. Mrs. Collins has been voting the stock, when she wished, contrary to the terms of the gift, so Mrs. Hawthorne says, and she now wants the gift cancelled. Suit was filed in Portland. Many remember Mrs. Hawthorne, and the two girls, and in times past, twenty-five years or more ago, they were out here nearly every summer, taking a vacation on the farm when the McEldowneys ran the place.

Cheering 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 153.

John A. Jeffrey, the Portland attorney who defended Rosclair, used the same argument in his opening statement at Corvallis, the last of the week, in defense of the Humphrys Brothers, that he did when he defended the celebrated Timber wife-murderer—that is, he said the confession was worthless, as the brothers were weak-minded, and were "bluffed" into coming through with the tale of the crime. Jeffrey will make the most of the case, but he will probably be wiser after the case is over, and it is not likely there will be any appeal. Jeffrey has been trying to throw suspicion on Dr. North, the itinerant dentist, even though North was held for a few days and then discharged.

Hotel for exchange—Colonial Hotel property, near S. P. depot, and Carnation condenser, employing large number of people, Forest Grove, Ore., for land, farm, or city property, anywhere. Price, \$12,000. Address 518 Board of Trade, Portland, Oregon, 6-8.

Henry Wolf, for 30 years a resident of near Beaverton, died last week. The funeral was held Sunday, and the interment was at Raleigh cemetery. He was 70 years of age, and was born in Essenheim, Rhein-Hessen, Germany. He is survived by nine children. They are: Henry Wolf, Dilley; Lawrence Wolf, John Wolf, Mrs. A. Rossi, Miss Etta Wolf, Mrs. William Hocken, all of Beaverton; Mrs. Alfred Hoyt and Mrs. A. Weisenhuh, Portland, and Mrs. Henry Miller, Hubbard.

His hat in the ring—Z. M. Laro, candidate for the sale of Watkins' Remedies, was in town the other day. He sells the finest remedies made for men at a animal and his poultry tonic is the thing for all progressive poultry raising. 6-8.

Peter Spencer, working on the S. P. section out of Beaverton, lost about one-half of the middle finger and badly broke another finger, last Saturday morning, while riding on a railroad velocipede. He reached down to take hold of the speeder pitman while it was in motion, and it caught him with the above results. Dr. Jamieson attended the wound, Saturday before noon, and he thinks that the broken finger may be saved, although it may be necessary to again amputate.

Dairymen, attention—Seven registered Holstein bull calves for sale, ranging in age from three weeks to seven months. Three of them old enough to head herd. Fine stock, and large for age.—Geo. R. Bagley, Hillsboro, Ore., or Oak Cove Farm, Forest Grove, Route 2.

Judge J. E. Magers, one time the county judge of Yamhill County, now practicing law in Portland, was out Saturday, representing a client at a sheriff's sale of real property. Judge says that we have one of the finest counties in the state.

Eggs for setting—California White Leghorns, \$1.00 per 15, for 30 days.—Square Deal Poultry Farm, Hillsboro, Route 1, Box 157. 6-8.

C. C. Arns, a former Bethany resident, now working at carpentering in Portland, was out to the county seat Saturday, and called on the Argus.

Dan Leisy, of South Tualatin, was over to the city Saturday.

HILLSBORO RESIDENT KIDNAPED BY INSANE

J. M. Berry Rides to Portland With an Escaped Lunatic

DID NOT KNOW MAN WAS ESCAPE

Crazy Man Represented That he Was a Brain Specialist

H. Frank Allen, an escaped lunatic from the State Asylum at Salem, drove to Hillsboro from Portland, Saturday morning, arriving here between ten and eleven, and upon inquiry found the home of J. M. Berry, in North Hillsboro. Introducing himself as a brain specialist Allen told Mr. Berry that he had recently been to Salem with a patient, and that he had noticed brutal treatment of Joe Fryear, a nephew of the old gentleman. He told the Berrys that he could get Fryear out of the asylum, if Berry Sr. would go with him. He advised getting Fryear out of the asylum and taking him to Portland, where he said he had an office, and that he could cure him in a few weeks, with no expense except to cover the cost of the livery rig from Portland, and the expenses to Salem. He dwelt upon the abuse of Fryear, and exhibited a bloody towel, saying he had picked it up after the attendants had used it to remove the blood stains. Berry thereupon went to the bank and drew ten dollars, the two had an early dinner, and they left here about noon.

The lunatic was very kind to Berry all the way down, and after receiving the money for the rig, deposited his passenger at the Jefferson Street depot, Portland, and told him to go to Salem that afternoon, and he would arrive Monday, and they would get Fryear's release. Late Saturday evening the Berry family became alarmed at the strange proceeding and the officers were notified. It seems that Allen had telephoned to Deputy Sheriff Applegate early Saturday forenoon, asking for the Berry's residence location, and had then failed to show up. He was told where the Berrys live by E. P. Cornelius, of the post office force. Search was immediately made, but nothing could be learned of the whereabouts of either until Sunday morning, when Frank Berry, a son, telephoned Alexander Potter, of Salem, to look out for the father, and Mr. Potter telephoned back that Berry Sr. was then in the house. Berry talked over the telephone, and said the lunatic had adhered to the story that he was a doctor, and had treated him with the utmost kindness.

Allen was not caught until nearly noon, Sunday. He knew C. E. Holcomb, of Bethany, running a garage in East Portland, and he went over there, and the police were notified. Officer Sims picking up the derelict, he was taken to Salem, Monday. Allen was one of five who tied an attendant, took his keys away, and made their escape, early last week.

Mr. Berry says "never again," when a ride with strangers is mentioned. Berry is 74 years of age, a pioneer of 1852, and an Indian War veteran. He is very sympathetic, and when told of the alleged wrongs of his favorite nephew, readily fell into the scheme presented by the maniac in this county. He taught out in the C. E. Holcomb district, three years ago, and has a good education. C. E. Holcomb, at whose place of business Allen was arrested, said today that Allen was between fifty and sixty years of age, and that he is married, having a wife at Salem. Mr. Holcomb said that when Allen visited him Saturday evening, he evidenced an unbalance of intellect, and it was Holcomb's man who telephoned the police when the crazy man was at the garage, Sunday.

Grand Concert Given under the auspices of the Congregational church, evening of May 13, 1912. Watch for program in next week's papers.

J. A. Moore, of Roy, recent purchaser of the Vandervelden store at that point, was in the city Sunday.

Frank Holcomb, West Union, was in the county seat the first of the week.

A. L. Grebe, of Laurel, was in the city Saturday.

Wm. Bagley Jr., of Centerville, was in the city Saturday.

E. F. McNelly, of the Jolly section, was in the city Saturday.

N. Bangs, the promoter of the Timber townsite, was down to the city Sunday.

Richard Wiley, attending the Hill Military College, was in the city over Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Shearer, of Spokane, visited with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Greer, last week.

George Biersdorf, of North Tualatin Plains, was in town Saturday, taking out supplies.

Watch Hillsboro grow this year the old town is making a good start thus early.

G. W. and C. Whitmore, of near Laurel were in the city Saturday.

Gilgiam Hager, of above Mountaine, was in the city Saturday.

Sixteen inch fir wood for sale. Also, for team work, call on C. R. Hodgdon, Hillsboro, Phone City 86.

Mrs. R. Becker, of the Bissner Ranch, South Tualatin, was in the city Saturday, driving her new Reo.

Mrs. Edythe Tozier-Weathered, departed for Portland and Tacoma, Friday afternoon, after a few days at the T. S. Weathered home.

Clem Shaner, the North Tualatin Plains horseman, was in town Saturday, driving one of his youngsters.

John Freudenthal, of below Newton, was in town Saturday. John says that Spring is here sure, as the geese have been flying north for several days.

Gus Kleiner, of Chealem Mountain, was an Argus caller, Saturday. He says that the frost has hurt nothing out his way, and there is promise of a good fruit crop.

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. 1-tf

C. J. Schnabel, of Portland, with law offices in the Chamber of Commerce, was out to the county seat Monday, in the interest of Swiss clients, who are heirs in the estate of the late Frederick Magers, who burned to death at Beaverton, about a year ago.

Fred Waters, of the Washington-Oregon Corporation, was in the city the last of the week. He stated that Mr. Welch had bought the Salem electric railway and other power properties there, and the dispatches say that Welch will run a line of feeders into the capital city.

S. C. Sears, of Forest Grove, died last week. He was one of the substantial citizens of that section, and had a hosts of friends in Washington County. He was the father of Walter Sears, who had the tonsorial shop in the Hotel Washington, for several months.

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.

D. K. Pearsons, a Chicago millionaire, who for years gave much financial aid to Pacific University, and other colleges throughout the Northwest, died in a suburb of the Illinois city, last Friday. He was a philanthropist who believed in giving before he passed to the beyond.

James Gibson, of Reedville, and Geo. Beal, of Seghers, were in town Saturday. These two oldtimers came to Oregon in 1847, and were boys together, with in a few miles of each other, in the Dilley-Seghers section. The two old-timers were elated to meet each other, and commenced to talk over old times together—"Those were the good old times, eh?"

Chas. Pierce, the former Greenviller, was in town from Portland, Saturday. He is taking his annual vacation, and is visiting with relatives at Greenville and Forest Grove. Pierce has been eleven years with the Portland Paid Fire Department, and is now Ladderman with Engine 1. He was accompanied by his brotner-in-law, C. I. DaShiell. Chas. says he likes the way Hillsboro is improving, and that he going to come out July 4 and meet all the old boyhood friends.

FIFTY-EIGHT FEET OF FRONT UNDER WAY

Hillsboro National and Dave Corwin to Build Two-Story

ARCHITECT NOW MAKING THE PLANS

Basement and Two-Stories, With Brick Front, Tilt Rear, Idea

Building operations are forming in the embryo in Hillsboro for the year, with prospects for a successful year for the city's building betterment. The first to take the initiative on Second Street are the Hillsboro National Bank and David Corwin, the plumber, who have gotten together on a two-story structure, with a basement under at least one of the store rooms, and perhaps under both. The frontage of the proposed building will be 58 feet, running 48 feet to the rear. The front is to be of pressed bricks, and the rear perhaps of tiling. The outer wall will be of re-inforced concrete. The bank store-room will be for rental, while Mr. Corwin expects to occupy his portion of the business on the ground floor, and rent the upper story.

The basement under the bank portion of the structure will be used for a heating plant for the Hillsboro National holdings, and the upper story of both rooms will be used for hall or office purposes. It begins to look as though Hillsboro is going to the front with a building record in 1912 that will eclipse all former transactions.

BACK TO THE FARM

"Back to the farm"—I have 130 acres of land; 40 acres clear, the rest good saw timber; good house, barn and orchard; 2 wells; 2 springs; large creek; good mill site; timber can be floated down Tualatin river. Six miles south of Hillsboro; one mile north of Laurel; on main county road; mail and milk route; phone in house; will sell all or in small tracts, at \$150 per acre. Part cash. Come and see me.—A. L. Grebe, Hillsboro, Ore., Route 2, Box 18. 6-tf

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, having purchased the Roy store and rented his farm, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at his farm half mile south of Roy Station, on the P. R. & N., at ten a. m. on

SATURDAY, MAY 4

Driving horse, 1100, safe for ladies or children; 4 exceptionally good milk cows (tuberculin tested) all fresh between Aug 15 and Oct. 1, and all giving good milk flow; nearly new Ebbert-Hickman 3-in. wagon complete with bell box; 3 1/2 in. Stoughton wagons wide tire; 10-line canopy back, new Superior 10-7 disc drill; Advance Burkeye mower, new; new Canton disc plow, 14-in. plow, McCormick binder, good condition; 60-tooth drag harrow, 15-tooth springtooth harrow, new oak 8-ft roller, garden cultivator, set p'ow harness, Howe platform scales, 2 10-gal. milk cans, open buggy, milk utensils, washing machine, dining table, revolving churn, airtight heater, wheel barrow, pitch forks farm tools and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of sale—\$10 and under, cash; over, six months bankable note at 7 per cent.

J. A. Moore, Owner.

J. W. Hughes, Auctioneer.

R. F. Peters, a practicing attorney with A. E. Clark, in the Yeon Building, Portland, was out the first of the week, greeting his boyhood friends. He states that his brother, John, is now with the city engineer's office, in the metropolis, and that he is studying law.

Virgil Cooper, accountant for the Washington-Oregon Corporation, is now in charge of the Salem interests of the company. Virgil is one of the capable youngsters in his line and his many friends here know that he will "make good."

Henry Brock, of South Tualatin, one of the substantial citizens of his section, was in the city Monday.

County Commissioner John McClaran was down from Gales Creek, Monday, on business with the county judge.

Laying hens for sale.—One mile north of Sewell station. Address B. Hainline, Route 1, Box 165, Hillsboro, Ore. 8

Gus Hellebuyck, near Farmington, was in town Monday. He expects to start to Michigan in the not distant future.

Argus and Oregonian, \$2.25.

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J. E. BAILEY Vice President
W. W. MCELLOWNEY Cashier
H. E. Ferrin, Asst. Cashier

Forest Grove NATIONAL BANK
FOREST GROVE, ORE.

Statement of Condition on Thursday, April 18, 1912.

Capital and Surplus \$50,000

Loans	\$280,570.12	Capital	\$25,000.00
U.S. Bonds (at par)	25,000.00	Surplus	27,000.00
Other Bonds	57,160.00	Undivided Profits	1,317.33
Banking House	18,500.00	Circulation	25,000.00
Cash and due from Banks and U. S.	148,082.44	Deposits	450,995.23
Treasurer	\$529,312.56		\$529,312.56

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Watch Buying Advice

Intelligent watch buying requires judgment on your part in two things, the case and the movement. These two items that constitute a watch are obtained by the jeweler from two factories that are unrelated. The movement is fitted into the case by the jeweler and the price of the complete watch depends on the cost of these two.

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