

STOCK CERTIFICATE REMINDER OF OLD DAYS

Stock for Tualatin River Navigation Company, Issued 42 Years Ago

FOUND IN PAPERS OF T. H. TONGUE

All Old Timers Remember When Steamboats Ran Clear to Centerville

Thos. H. Jr. in looking over some old papers the other day, belonging to the estate of the late Congressman Tongue, his father, found an old stock certificate issued to Mr. Tongue, Dec. 5, 1870, calling for one share of the Tualatin River Navigation Company, face value, one hundred dollars. The stock certificate was the 18th in number, and the instrument shows that 1000 shares were the issue at \$100 each.

W. S. Failing was secretary of the company, and the late Hon. W. D. Hare was president. Both officials have passed away, as well as the holder of the certificate, the latter having been state senator, presidential elector and then Congressman from this district for several terms.

Kenyon Crandall, here since 1857, was well acquainted with Capt. Ed. Kellogg, who went on the run up the Tualatin. The steamer Onward was the vessel, and she was a stern wheeler. Mr. Crandall went down the first trip, and he states that the late Wm. D. Hare, of Hillsboro, and the late Solomon Enrick, father of Thos. and D. B. Enrick, of Hillsboro, then a resident of Cornelius, were passengers on the trip. "We started rather late," says Mr. Crandall, "and when we arrived at John Taylor's below Scholls, we tied up for the night. There was considerable freight on the boat, and it was transferred to the Willamette on a tramway which had poles for rails, and grooved wheels. The transportation company did not make a financial success of the affair, owing to the costs of transferring the cargoes."

The boat service was pulled off after the railroad was built to Cornelius. A warehouse was built down at the condenser pumping station. Mr. Crandall says the steamer was 128 feet over wheel and all.

ORENCO SCHOOL FAIR

The Orenco School Fair, held last week, was a big success. The school has a membership of 65 pupils, and an entry of 77 exhibits shows the interests taken. Cash prizes of \$4, 1st; \$2, 2nd; and \$1, 3rd, were offered. The following prizes were awarded:

Sweet corn—Paul Henschke, 1st; Carl Olson, 2nd and 3rd. Squash—Howard Musgrove, 1st; Elrus Frank, 2nd; Clay Frank, 3rd.

Potatoes—Rudolph Olson, 1st; Mark Rich, 2d; Carl Olson, 3rd. Cabbage—Clay Frank, 1st; Kenneth Power, 2nd; Julia Kish, 3rd.

Onions—Rudolph Olson, 2nd. Bird house—Rudolph Olson, 2. Bread—Joyce Handley, 2nd.

Canned fruit—Reitha Borwick, 1st; Edith Olson, 2nd; Pauline Henschke, 3rd.

Jelly—Joyce Handley, 1st; Edith Olson, 2d; Alice Sewell, 3. Hand-made aprons—Edith Olson, 1st; Reitha Borwick, 2nd.

Sweet peas—Helen Mincevnyer, 1 and 3; Pauline Henschke, 2. Poultry—Howard Musgrove, 1st; Philip Olson, 2nd; Elrus Frank, 3rd.

The following received ribbons only, there being no prizes offered:

Pumpkin—Howard Musgrove, 1st; Carl Olson, 2; Mark Rich, 3. Beets—Louis Kish, 1st; Philip Olson, 2nd.

Turnips—Clay Frank, 1st; Kenneth Power, 2nd.

Carrots—Carl Olson, 2nd. Cucumbers—H. Musgrove, 2d. Ripe tomatoes—Julia Kish, 2d. Green beans—P. Olson, 1 and 2.

Sunflower—Richard Meade, 1; Elzie Rockwell, 2; P. Olson, 3.

The \$5 prize for the best general exhibit was won by Carl Olson. The prize exhibits were taken to the Hillsboro School Fair.

D. Tschabold, of Helvetia, was a city visitor the last of the week.

Hugh Rogers, with the P. R. & N., was a Tillamook visitor the last of the week, stopping at way points, on business for the freight department.

Frank L. Hay, superintendent of the Dining and Sleeping service for the Great Northern Railway, was here Friday. Hay was born in the house owned by Dr. Tamsie, just east of the Hotel Washington, and he is a son of the late Wm. Hay. He first worked out of Portland as mail clerk on the O. R. & N., and from there drifted East, where he held a position with the Pennsylvania Railroad. From there he was given charge of the Canadian Pacific dining and sleeping service, between Vancouver, B. C., and Montreal. On July 1 he took his present position with headquarters out of St. Paul, and each month he makes the trip out to Portland. F. L. was pleased with the Fair, with the progress of Hillsboro, and enjoyed the day talking over old times and asking about those who are "past and gone" since his boyhood days.

The Shute Savings Bank pays its depositors over \$10,000 yearly for interest on Savings Deposits. If you do not participate in this start an account, \$1.00 is all that is required. Its what you save, not what you earn that makes you rich.

Constantine Bernard, of Finland, touring the United States, was in Hillsboro last week. He and Fred Schomburg went over Oregon dairy possibilities together. Mr. Bernard has several big dairies and cheese factories in Finland, and he is accompanied by one of the professors of a Finnish agricultural college, who is also taking data. They say that Oregon has a splendid dairy future, but aver that the labor question is the big deterrent here, wages being so much higher than in Finland.

I saw cordwood, poles up to 12 inches in diameter, fence rails, and boards of all kinds, into stove-wood lengths. Will go into the country. Write, phone or call on me. Carl Skow, corner 8th and Fir, Hillsboro, Oregon. Phone, City 822.

Jasper Keifer was in the city the last of the week. He has just finished hulling 12 acres of clover seed, from which he produced 5287 pounds. He was offered 14 cents per pound last Friday, and after one crop of hay from the place, which would mean something worth while, he then had a chance for a return of \$756.53 or the handsome sum of over \$60 per acre.

D. P. Corrieri always keeps the finest fish in the county. All kinds in season. Also a fine supply of the freshest vegetables. Try him, Second Street, one door South of Koerber's. 25-1f

W. C. Davison and wife, of Banks, were down to the fair Friday. Mr. Davison is recovering from a broken leg, which he sustained several weeks ago, while trying to head off a band of goats. Will says he can't run as fast as he could when he worked for the Tongue ranch, here, in the eighties.

For sale: Shoats, weighing from 60 to 150 pounds. Bowly Bros., Cornelius, Route 2. Telephone Scholls, Line 10, No. 35. Also a few fresh cows for sale. 27-1f

The U. S. court has drawn the following for trial jurors to meet at Portland, October 2: W. H. Connell, formerly of Hillsboro; Peter Madeson, Hillsdale; A. Zahler, near Phillips; John R. Bailey, of Buxton, who reported last week, was excused for the term by Judge Bean.

Do not forget that Dave Corwin will do your plumbing and give you estimates. Satisfactory work always, and prices that can't be given by others. Chenette Row, Second Street.

Peter Johnson, the East Hillsboro gardener and orchardist, was in the city Saturday, and brought to the Argus a box of fine strawberries. He also had some on exhibition at the Fair. Peter knows how to raise the best of fruit.

Smokers want the best—there fore call for a Schiller or a Grand Marca, when you want to see the blue wreath curl.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson returned Thursday evening from a several weeks trip to Chicago, and Nebraska points, returning via the California route. They reported snow fall in the mountains near Denver.

Fritz Rufener, of Helvetia, brought in a sunflower that measured 23 inches in diameter, and had it on exhibition at the pavilion, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Greer have taken up their residence in Portland.

FORMER COUNTY MAN SHOOTS MAN IN COOS

Richard P. Smith, Aged 65 Years, Famous Revolver Shot

WAS BORN NEAR REEDVILLE

Was a Son of Well Known Pioneer, Captain Isaac W. Smith

Richard P. Smith, born near Reedville, on the Smith donation, 65 years ago, is in trouble down in Coos County. Smith lives a hermit life at Empire, and a few weeks ago one of his young friends, Egenhoff by name, accompanied by two or three friends, went to Smith's place in the dark to frighten the old gentleman. This was done in a spirit of levity, and with no malicious intent, and they were trying the old gentleman's nerve, as he had often said he would shoot a man in the shoulder, if attacked after night, and it were light enough to see. The young men tried it on, and when Egenhoff, in a spirit of play, started to strike Smith the latter shot him in the shoulder just to disable the arm. Egenhoff then repudiated the joke and tried to have his old friend indicted by the grand jury. Smith appeared before the inquisitorial body the other day, and as yet he has not been indicted.

Smith spent his boyhood here, and then went to Coos County, where he earned the soubriquet of "Six Shooter Dick," because of his excellent marksmanship. He has always been peaceably inclined, but for some years has drunk to excess. When he went before the grand jury Smith was attired in an old frock coat of the vintage of 1870.

Smith was well known here in the early days, and was one of the best hunters and marksmen in Washington County, going to all the shooting matches in the Tualatin Valley. He was a son of Captain Isaac Smith, an old Mississippi river steamboat Captain, who settled near Reedville in the forties, coming West with the American Fur Company.

AUCTION SALE

The undersigned will sell at public auction at the W. C. Keehn place, seven miles east of Hillsboro, one mile north and three miles west of Beaverton, on the Canyon Road, at 10 a. m., on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Black horse, 6 years, 1200; dark gray horse, 5 years, 1200; both good workers; 3-year-old cow, in milk, fresh Feb. 19; Holstein heifer, 18 months; heifer, 6 months old; Champion 6-ft binder, Champion mower, 4 ft; Edwards hayrake, 14-inch Oliver chilled plow, 60-tooth lever harrow, nearly new; Columbia Disc, 12-16; Gundlach drill, 2-horse cultivator, cultivator, hay rack, 31 inch wide tire half-truck Weber wagon; 4-in Birdell wagon, 2-in tire, with bed; canopy top hack, top buggy, gravel bed, set dbl work harness; 2 new bridles with lines; set single buggy harness; 9 tons mixed loose hay; 30 bushels wheat, ton gray Winter oats; hay carrier, fork, pulleys and 140 feet of rope complete; log chain, scoop shovel, 8-in post-hole auger, log augers, forks, 3 fifty-gallon barrels, spring wagon shafts, boxheater, horse-shoeing outfit, 50 sacks, 18 yearling hens, 20 rods woven wire fencing, two hogs, weighing about 200 pounds, each, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Lunch at noon. Terms of Sale—\$10 and under, cash; over, one year, bankable note, at 8 per cent, interest; 2 per cent, off for cash over \$10.

A. W. Keehn, Owner.

Dan Roe, the Mountaineer sawmill man, was a city visitor Friday.

Mrs. M. C. Hargrove and Miss Henrietta Greenburg, of Greenburg, were Fair visitors, Friday.

Yetch and tare seed, ready for sowing.—Adolph Rutschman, on Hillsboro, Route 1, 4 miles northeast of Hillsboro. 26-8

Wm. Matzke, who has a profitable greenhouse down in the Beaverton district, was in town Friday, and called on the Argus office.

Mrs. L. A. Long and daughter, Margaret, returned Saturday for a fortnight's visit with Mrs. Long's sisters, Mesdames Frank and Geo. Reynolds, of Wilson Creek, Wash.

W. A. Tupper, of Portland, visited relatives in the city over Sunday.

Grant Mann, of near Cornelius, was a county seat visitor Monday morning.

A. Benson and wife, of Cornelius, were county seat visitors, Friday.

Dr. Lowe, Friday.

J. B. Downing, of below Beaverton, was in the city Friday morning.

Richard Connell, of Portland, was out to the city Friday afternoon. He is still engaged in the mill business in the Rose City.

W. H. McEldowney, of Forest Grove, was a Hillsboro visitor Friday afternoon, taking in the fair.

Ira E. Pardin, of Forest Grove, was in town Friday, and paid his respects to the family journal while in the city.

Mrs. C. V. Wilkins, who has been spending the Summer with her brothers over at Woodburn, has returned to her home in East Hillsboro.

J. T. Fletcher and wife, of Forest Grove, were down to the city Friday. Mr. Fletcher is contemplating a trip East to his boyhood home—but he may yet argue himself out of the time-card.

W. J. Cuddy, editor of the Weekly Oregonian, and Van Mead, in the printing business at Orenco, for the Oregon Nursery, were up from Orenco, Saturday, taking in the street fair.

Died: At Forest Grove, Sept. 17, 1912, Donna Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dyke, aged seven days. Interment was at Hillsboro, Rev. B. Clarence Cook officiating at the services.

Jas. Gibson, of Reedville, one of the oldtimers of Washington County, was in town Saturday. He states that his brother, Jacob, is recovering from a critical surgical operation at one of the Portland hospitals.

R. B. Porter, the Forest Grove hop grower, was in the city the last of the week. Mr. Porter finally finished drying his hops at the Jas. H. Sowell dryhouse, his own having been consumed by fire.

D. P. Patterson and wife, of Dallas, guests of the Boscos, returned home Monday morning. Mr. Patterson says Dallas is to have a big show this week, and they expect it to be a record breaker in the way of fruit and vegetable exhibits.

The Tillamook Herald, a LaFollette paper, has come out for Wilson. The Headlight man, a Taft republican scores the Herald, and in reply the LaFollette man publishes a letter from the Headlight editor's son-in-law, commending the change to Wilson. And thus is kept up a spice of interest over in the Tillamook county seat.

An exchange says that rubber tires for autos have been made from whiskey, and that the German Kaiser has his auto wheeled with this kind of product. Well, if rubber wheels can be made from booze, and the wheels in the head can be converted into running gears every old soak in the country can have his own machine and carry his garage with him. Now don't patent this idea—for you can't make a million out of it.

FOR SALE

The Methodist conference, just closed at Ashland, has made the following pulpit announcements for the coming year: Banks, L. F. Smith; Beaverton, C. B. Rees; Cornelius, T. H. Downs; Dilley, F. M. Wathie; Forest Grove, Hiram Gould; Hillsboro, W. J. Weber; Tualatin and Wilsonville, A. S. Mulligan, Rev. Weber, therefore, enters upon his second year of Hillsboro's pastorate. Rev. Fisher, formerly here, has been re-assigned to the Utah missionary field.

Harry Bachelor, son of P. A. Bachelor, of East Hillsboro, has been missing from Portland for several weeks, and his absence has caused a great deal of anxiety. He was working on the Oregonian Building, and was paid off one Saturday night, and has not been seen by his companions since that time. His clothing and grip are still at his Portland boarding place, and none of his relatives here has heard a word from him. It was at first thought he might have gone to Idaho, but a communication there was responded to in the negative. It is hoped that the young man has not met with foul play. He is a brother of the ball player of that name, and is a young man of exemplary habits.

COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR BROUGHT SURPRISES

Supt. Case And School Officials Gratified at Showing

MANY CASH PRIZES WERE WON

Little Misses of County Make a Splendid Exhibit

The first Washington County school fair was a decided success, and young Oregon made a more than creditable showing. Supt. Alderman, of the state board of education, conceived the school fair idea last Winter, and this initial attempt was very gratifying. Supt. M. C. Case and his office force made a strenuous endeavor to have a fine showing, and the prizes, given by business men and citizens stimulated the children. The awards were:

Field corn—Class A, Gordon Bertlein, first; David Robinson, second.

Popcorn—Class A, Donald Bradford, 1st; Class B, Carl Ingles, 1st.

Sweet corn—Class A, Mattie Case, 1st; John Dierdorf, second, Class B, Kenneth Crandall, 1st.

Watermelon—Class A, Mattie Case, 1st; Class B, Louie Baertlein, 1st.

Muskmelon—Class A, Mattie Case, 1st; Class B, Clara Case, 1st.

Squash—Class A, Mattie Case, 1st; Carl Hornecker, 1st.

Pumpkin—Class A, Howard Musgrove, 1st; Class B, Roland Hornecker, 1st.

Burbank potatoes—Class A, Kenneth Carlie, 1st; David Robinson, 2nd; Class B, Clara Case, 1st; William Freeman, 2nd.

Asters—Class A, Mattie Case, 1st; Class B, Marjorie Cable, 1st.

Cabbage—Class A, Clay Frank, 1st; Class B, Herman Koehnke, 1st.

Sweet peas—Class A, Carroll Gates, 1st; Class B, Clara Case, 1st.

ART OF MENDING NOT DEAD Mending—Class A, Ruth Foster, 1st; Golda Sewell, 2nd.

Dress—Class B, Alpha William, 1st.

Machine made apron—Class A, Effie Bachelor, 1st; Class B, Marie Barrett, 1st.

Hand-made apron—Class A, Ruby Tipton, 1st; Class B, Marie Barrett, 1st.

Jelly—Class A, Carrie Nelson, 1st; Class B, Frieda Hornecker, 1st.

Canned fruit—Class A, Reitha Borwick, 1st.

Canned vegetables—Class B, Dorothy Larkin, 1st.

Bread—Class A, Ethel Johnson, 1st; Class B, Ella Magruder, 1st.

Labor saving device—Class A, James Mahon.

Furniture—Class A, Clair Wilkes, 1st; Ward Wilkes, 2nd; Class B, Warren B. Barnes, 1st.

Bird House—Class A, John Kurati, 1st.

Celery—Class A, Clifford Bauer, 1st.

Chickens—Class B, Agnes Bate-man, 1st; Minnie Nelson, 2nd; Wesley Schulmerich, 3rd.

Poultry—Class A, John Crawford, 1st; Willie Smith, 2nd.


Pigs—Class B, Wesley Schulmerich, 1st and 2nd.

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Do not forget the dance at the Pavilion, North Plains, Saturday evening, Sept. 28. Toelle's orchestra. A fine time assured.

S. A. D. Meek and family, of North Plains, and Will Joos and wife, of beyond Glencoe, were in the city the last of the week.

Hon. S. B. Huston and wife, of Portland, were out Saturday, mingling with their oldtime Washington County friends.



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