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## TAX COLLECTION WILL START NEXT MONDAY

Rolls Ready Several Days Sooner Than Was Expected by Officials

TURNED TO SHERIFF THIS WEEK

Three Per Cent. Rebate on Full Payment to March 15th

The tax rolls are completed and go to the sheriff this week, and Tax Collector Reeves will start collection next Monday morning. The roll has been completed several days earlier than was expected, the corps working nights in order to expedite matters.

Sheriff Reeves will put on a force sufficient to take care of the paying line, and those who pay in full will have until March 15 to get their three per cent. rebate.

Those who contemplate paying one-half their tax can have until the first Monday in April to get up the coin, and they will then have until the first Monday in October to liquidate the balance. Hundreds take advantage of the rebate, and, at the same time, many pay but half, thus dividing the burden into Spring and Fall tasks. The total tax to be collected this year, special and all, will amount to within a few thousand of last year's figures, due to the road and special school levies.

## ASSUMES THE BLAME

Editor Argus: I take this way to make it known to the citizens of this community and other places, that my husband, Oscar Johnson, was not at fault in the recent divorce case which I brought against him, and which was afterward cancelled. The charges brought against him were the result of a misunderstanding between us in which I should have been rightly by me. I have this published without the knowledge of anyone concerned but myself, to exempt from all blame my husband and all others who were concerned.

Christena Johnson,  
Gaston, Ore., Jan. 30, 1913.

## SOUTHERN PACIFIC

The Southern Pacific schedule, as now running, is as follows:

To Portland

McMinnville passenger, a. m. 6:52  
Sheridan train, a. m. 8:38  
Tillamook train, p. m. 1:07  
Corvallis overland, p. m. 4:57

On Sunday, the Sheridan passenger does not leave Hillsboro for Portland until 8:50.

From Portland

Corvallis passenger, a. m. 8:22  
Tillamook passenger, a. m. 10:00  
Sheridan passenger, p. m. 5:14  
McMinnville passenger, p. m. 6:45

## TO THE PUBLIC

All persons are hereby notified not to sell anyone anything whatsoever to be charged to my account without a written order by the undersigned.

J. L. Forbes,  
Hillsboro, Ore., Route 1, January 25, 1913. 46-8

Out of 58 vetoes Gov. West has been sustained by nearly fifty and that is going some.

Dr. Lowe's glasses strengthen the eye and brain. Make him prove it. Consult him Feb. 14.

Auto drivers are commencing to speculate on how soon the roads will be in condition for machine travel.

Why be bothered with two pairs of glasses? Call at the Hotel Washington, Friday, Feb. 14, and have Dr. Lowe show you the new Toric Kryptoc glasses with which you can see all distances. No unsightly lines or seams in the glass to catch dirt or strain the eyes. They look like young folks' glasses. Free demonstration. Remember the day and date. One day only. Scores of Hillsboro references. Twenty-one years experience.

Erwin Ritter, secretary of the German Fire Insurance Ass'n., was over from Bethany, Friday, attending a meeting of the directors of the company. This is one of the sturdy mutuals, and has a membership of nearly seven hundred. They are congratulating themselves that the Hollis bill was withdrawn from the legislature, as it worked a hardship on the mutuals, requiring that they must have \$5,000 in money on hand in order to do business in the state. This meant a new regime for the mutual, and as they have never defaulted in a fire loss, they naturally opposed any such provision. The bill also made it hard for the organization of any new mutuals, because a new company must have policy applications covering at least 500 risks before they could issue any insurance. The bill at once drew the fire of all the mutuals organized like the Washington County institution, and it was withdrawn last week.

For sale—Eggs for hatching: S. C. R. I. Reds, Barred Rocks, \$1.50 per setting of 15; \$6 per 100. Baby chickens, 12c each; S. C. White Leghorns, \$1 per 15; \$5 per 100; baby chicks, 10 cents. Will do custom hatching and furnish eggs of leading varieties. Agent for the famous McManahan incubator. Send request for catalogue by postal. Also have some White Leghorn cockerels for sale.—R. E. Dunsmoor, Orenco, Address, Hillsboro, Route 4.

Sydney M. Luce, a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Luce, former Hillsboro residents, was in town the last of the week, the guest of his brother, County Clerk Luce, departing Sunday for his home in Lake County, where he has a 240 acre claim, taken up under the Carey act. Sydney has a ditch about 6 miles in length, and runs water on his land from a storage reservoir. He is located a few miles out of Lakeview, and has a valuable piece of property on which he will get patent next Summer. Sydney says he hardly knew the old town, so much has it changed in appearance since he departed as a boy, a few years ago.

For sale—Eggs for hatching: S. C. R. I. Reds, \$1.50 for 15; \$6 per hundred; chicks, 12c each; White Wyandotte eggs, \$2.50 per 15; Ringhouse strain Winter layers; S. C. White Leghorn, Tanned strain, eggs, \$1.50 for 15; \$6 per 100; baby chicks, 12c each.—Campbell & Rogers, Hazeldale school, south of Reedville; address Beaverton, R. 4, Box 20A. Telephone Beaverton central. 41-9

James Bettis and Thos. A. Thornburgh have traded their interests in the Hillsboro Mercantile Co. for 1040 acres of land in Crook County, the trade giving them all the stock and implements on the place. Their new purchase is within a few miles of Prineville, and there is acreage enough to keep them busy. They have departed with their families, so as to be on the ground to take care of their Spring work.

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.

R. J. Pranger, of Greene County, Ill., arrived last week, with his family, and a car of stock. He will locate in Oregon. Mr. Pranger is a son of G. H. Pranger, who resides in the city, and owns a ranch at Leisyville.

For sale—Pekin and Indian Runner ducks, and white Leghorn hens. High grade stock and prices right.—Adams, Box 483, or inquire at place across S. P. track, near Jabez Wilkes place. 35-1f

Hon. R. O. Stevenson, of Gales Creek, was in town Saturday, and called on the Argus reporter for a few minutes. "Bob" isn't suffering from any cold as a result of Thos. Sain taking his bed at Gaston a week ago Tuesday.

The Grand Marca is the most wholesome "two for a quarter" smoke on market—made in Oregon, by E. Schiller. When you indulge in a good smoke buy a Grand Marca. 12tf

Dan Burkhalter was up from Farmington, Saturday, exhibiting one of the finest bits of satire read for some time. Ask him to let you read it. You'll enjoy it whether you be democrat, republican or "Bull Moser."

Dreer's Early Standard potato seed for sale. Potatoes mature in 90 days. Something new, and something fine. Have about 40 bushels.—Geo. R. Bagley, or apply at Oak Cove Farm. 45tf

## REALTY SALES ARE NOW PICKING UP

Abstractors Say That Indications Are Good for Heavy Transfers

ALL POINTS TO PROSPEROUS YEAR

Prophecy Biggest Year in Sales in History of Washington County

While real estate sales have been rather slack since last Fall a talk with a local abstractor shows that a great deal of business is expected during the Spring and Summer of 1913. He said: "Sales of real estate are already on the gain. It looks to me as though this is to be a banner year for Washington County. The advent of electrification of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern, with rapid transit is going to make sales of suburban property better than ever, and the immigration from the East, which means that many people will be looking for homes, will add to farm sales to a great extent. I confidently predict that there will be two sales this year to one of 1912."

The big railway companies report more inquiries about Oregon at their bureaus than ever before. The Hill lines are taking hold of Oregon's exploitation, and the Southern Pacific is hustling for immigration as never before.

Thousands of people in the East and Middle West, where climatic conditions are not as favorable as the coast, are expected to take up the cry of "Westward, Ho." and start on the trail to Oregon in February and March.

Washington County, situated as it is, on the very edge of a big city, is just now more than ever accessible, with two electric lines leading into it, and a third to be ready for operation by at least July 1.

The beauty of the situation is that this county has all classes of property, miles of suburban stretches, where people can purchase small homes for orchard and berry culture, and farms, where the price runs from \$40 to \$300 per acre. It is the first dairy county of the state, and the two condensers and the Portland buyers make it possible for every seller to get his money every 30 days—so why shouldn't we have attractions that will mean buying and selling of homes?

## W. W. BUMP

W. W. Bump, Oregon pioneer of 1854, died at his home in South Forest Grove, Jan. 30, 1913, of paralysis. He was born at Elmira, N. Y., 77 years ago. Upon coming to Oregon he settled in Kings Valley, near Corvallis, and conducted a general freighting business, which took him into all parts of the Coast country. In 1870 he married Mrs. Emily Pittman, in Corvallis. About 13 years ago he moved with his family to Forest Grove. Three years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis, which left him practically helpless up to the time of death. A second attack was endured about a year ago and the third and last occurred Wednesday noon. The widow, three sons, Mark, Daniel and Clarence, two step-daughters, Mrs. J. N. Hoffman and Miss Emma Pittman, all of Forest Grove, and a brother and sister in Cornix, N. Y., survive. Funeral services were held Sunday.

Mr. Bump was one of the first white men to go into Alaska in search of gold, and before the strike was reported from that territory he had made numerous short prospecting trips in this state and California at different times and with varying success.

## NOTICE

You are hereby notified that the 1913 Dog licenses are now due and payable. The same can be either paid to me or to the City Treasurer. Your attention is also called to chickens running at large and the provisions of the chicken ordinance must be complied with.

C. Blaser,  
Chief of Police.

Miss Carrie Kellington, of Portland, was visiting friends in the city over Sunday.

Gabe Essner, of above Mountaindale, was a city caller, Monday afternoon, on business at the court house.

Argus and Journal, \$2.25.

W. H. Connel was out from Portland, the last of the week.

Saturday was the first real, beautiful Spring day of 1913.

H. Rannow, of Farmington, was in town Saturday.

E. W. Dant, of Reedville, was in town the last of the week.

H. R. Ediger, of Bethany, was over to the county seat Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Lowe will be in Forest Grove, Feb. 13—and at Hillsboro, Feb. 14.

Frank C. Francis, of Oak Park, was over to the city Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. B. Dolan, of Portland, was out to the city Saturday, the guest of friends.

Andy Westberg, of Farmington, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Dr. Lowe's glasses do not need the guarantee that goes with them. There's a reason.

Roy Rice has been circulating a petition asking for the appointment as postmaster at Hillsboro.

Henry Carlstens, of near Roy, was in town Friday, on business at the court house.

John Vanderzanden, of Roy, was a county seat visitor Friday afternoon.

Dr. Lowe's glasses are death to headaches. Ask your neighbors.

J. J. Weisenbeck and wife, of Reedville, were in the county seat Saturday.

To rent—Small dairy ranch to a reliable party.—Paul Heuskel, Hillsboro, Route 3. 47-9

M. N. Bonham, teaching down in the Jack district, near Hazeldale, was in town Saturday.

Try the Orenco feed stable, on Third Street. Newly built. Good quarters.—Peter Riedweg, Orenco.

Miss Jessie Harrington is again able to assume her duties as pianist at the Peoples' Theatre, after a short illness.

Mrs. H. E. McKinney, of Portland, visited with relatives at Forest Grove and Hillsboro, last week.

Several thoroughbred Poland China boars for sale.—Oak Cove Farm, of apply to Geo. R. Bagley. 45tf

For general blacksmithing, horseshoeing, etc., go to Peter Riedweg, Third Street, Orenco, Oregon. 46-8

Frank Lankow and Alvina Seiffert were united in marriage by Rev. H. J. Kolb, of Sherwood, Jan. 27, 1913.

Sam Moon, of Centerville, was in town Saturday. Sam says that he misses Ed Schiefelin, now in Los Angeles—they were neighbors for 28 years.

Jack Hoover, well known here, and now a resident of Portland, suffered a paralytic stroke here, last week, and his sister, Mrs. Harriet Killin, came out from the Rose City, to attend him.

About sixty friends of E. G. Unger gave him a farewell surprise last Wednesday evening, at his home. He departed Friday for Ashland, Oregon, where he has a 100 acre timber claim.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle. Payments can be made to either O. E. Frank or the undersigned.—J. E. Borwick, Reedville, Ore. 35-1f

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Wright, of above Buhl, Idaho, are visitors at the home of Mrs. Wright's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schomburg. They expect to remain here several weeks.

Mrs. L. Commons, of Benton County, has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Wolfersperger, the past week. Her husband formerly conducted the bakery on Main Street.

Lost: Lady's light brown cravenette rain coat with brown velvet collar and cuffs. Finder please return to Argus office or Mrs. Emma Turner, Hillsboro, Route 1, Box 30.

M. C. Lincoln returned Saturday from a week's trip in the North Plains-Clatsop section, and while on a vacation helped J. W. Jackson kill nine porkers, which netted the owner over \$20 each.

Wm. Conley, who was injured by a tree falling across the section house, at Wheeler, Tillamook County, the other day, found himself minus his clothing when he was able to commence taking inventory of his assets. While he was suffering from his injuries some help went into the cabin and absconded with his suit of clothes and other effects.

## HELP THE CHILDREN TO HELP THEMSELVES

Mr. Maris Offers Some Very Practical Suggestions

WILL ALSO TEND TO CITY BEAUTIFUL

Field Worker For Industrial School Fairs Makes Point

N. C. Maris, Field Worker for the State Board of Education, sends out the following letter:

"In every town and city there are many vacant lots growing up to weeds that might just as well be producing garden and flowers, thus adding beauty and utility to the city instead of being an eye sore. Many of these lots are owned by non-residents and others who would be glad to donate the use of them to the children. Almost every town or community has its Parent-Teachers' Circle, civic board and perhaps other organizations, and they and the school board should get together and from their membership appoint a committee, whose duty it shall be to secure the use of them for the children and arrange to have them plowed and fenced, when necessary. In appointing these committees do not overlook the ladies, for in our experience we have found them adepts at such work. It would also be their duty to plan and manage the local contests, provide prizes for same and to select exhibits to be forwarded to the State Fair, and to show the children how to pack, mark, enter and ship them. The teacher is not always qualified to do this work, and has about all he can do beside. Then when school closes and perhaps the teacher leaves the town the children need help and encouragement which this committee can give.

In every town and city are many children who have little or nothing to do outside of school hours. No healthy child can be idle, and without some direction of his activities and some provision of a proper avenue through which to vent them, they are apt to be wasted. It is not so much the fault of these children if they get into mischief and form habits of idleness, and possibly viciousness, as it is the fault of parents, guardians and others for not providing interesting and profitable employment for them. To aid in providing this employment and making it attractive and profitable is the object of the industrial contest movement inaugurated last year. To make this a perfect success it must have the co-operation of parents, teachers, school boards and all public spirited citizens, and we know of no better way in which they can help than as above suggested. Try it. Let the teacher or president of the Parent-Teachers' Circle call a meeting at once, effect an organization and report to the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Salem, Oregon, in order that he can put you on his mailing list for bulletins, etc., and assist you in every way."

TEACHERS TO MEET

There will be a local institute and W. C. T. A. meeting at Tualatin, Oregon, Saturday, Feb. 8, 1913, with program:

Music by Association.  
Business session—W. C. T. A.  
Use of the Dictionary—R. L. Wann  
Grammar  
S. E. Ball, Prin. Arleta School  
Playground an aid to Discipline  
Intermediate Geography  
Miss Julia Hatch

NOON

Music—Tualatin School  
Parents' Relation to the School  
Prin. S. E. Ball  
Address—Wm. H. Proctor, Forest Grove  
Discussion of School Problems, by School Patrons.

B. W. Barnes,  
Co. School Supt.

R. L. Wann,  
Pres. W. C. T. A.

If you need medicine, glasses won't help you. If you need glasses, medicine won't help you. It would be well to learn what you need. Call at the Hotel Washington, Friday, Feb. 14, and Dr. Lowe will tell you. If you do not need glasses, he most positively will not recommend them.

Gustave Schumacher, of below Quatama, was a city visitor the last of the week.

HEALTH HINTS

"A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE"

Whenever you or any member of your family feel sick and don't know what is the matter, Never Delay, see the doctor. But if you know what ails you—bad cold grip, catarrh, dyspepsia, or the thousand and one complaints of the human body, come to this drug store. We have a remedy for every illness—everyone compounded from the formulae of successful physicians.

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