

CO. WIDOWS' PENSION ROLL STARTS JUNE 5

Estimated That Cost to County Will be all of \$10,000 Yearly

CLAIMS ALREADY PUT IN COURT

No Provision is Made in Levy, But Must be Paid, Anyway

The Washington County widow pension roll will soon start as a matter of history and legislation, and it is estimated that this feature of support to children, under sixteen years, will reach the sum of from \$10,000 to \$15,000 annually. The law will take effect June 5, and it provides that every woman who is a widow, or whose husband is an inmate of a State Institution, shall receive monthly for the first child under sixteen the sum of \$10 per month and for each other child under that age the sum of \$7.50 per month. Aside from this, if the husband is physically or mentally unfit for continuous labor to support his family—which is worse for a woman than being a widow—she shall come under the widow's pension law.

No one seems to know just how many widows there are in the county whose children are wholly dependent upon her support, or how many have husbands in the pen or at the asylum, but it looms up large, just the same, when you begin to tally off the count in your own communities. If the woman shall have some income toward support of the children, the court is to deduct this from what the county must give her under the legal summing.

Several have already placed their applications before Judge Reasoner and the board, and so far the majority have come from the west end of the county. Mrs. Emma V. Russell, whose husband, Thos. Russell, of Dilley, died March 5, is one of the first to apply for the pension. She has 9 children, 8 of whom come under the pension measure. She says that she needs the money, and wants to know what she must do in order to get her warrants. Her manifest of births show that the stork visited the home regularly every two years, without fail.

Judge Reasoner is doing all he can to keep down the expenses, having married a widow to a Gales Creek man, Friday. This will save the county \$17.50 per month—and the judge received \$5 for his service. Thus the county has effected a saving in this one case, for the widow had two children.

The court will insist on rigid examinations, and it will be interesting to see how the matter will be handled. Women getting relief from this law must have been residents when the law passed—so "carpet-bagging" will not go.

OREGON ELECTRIC TRAINS

To Portland—

6:24	.....	a	m
7:15	.....	a	m
8:44	.....	a	m
10:54	.....	a	m
1:10	.....	p	m
3:54	.....	p	m
6:23	.....	p	m
8:19	.....	p	m
9:58	.....	p	m

From Portland—

7:47	.....	a	m
9:54	.....	a	m
11:45	.....	a	m
2:19	.....	p	m
4:50	.....	p	m
6:23	.....	p	m
7:35	.....	p	m
9:22	.....	p	m
12:23	.....	a	m

FOR SPRAYING

To correct a recent article by B. Leis for spraying for the codling moth—it should read: "About six or eight days after the blossom has fallen I use 21 to 3 lbs. neutral arsenate of lead to 50 gallons of water, adding about 21 gallons of standard strength lime and sulphur solution. The first is for worms and the latter for scab."

The original article read "8" instead of "3," which was error. Do not forget that you should use from 21 to 3 pounds neutral arsenate of lead to 50 gallons of water.

Wanted—A good family cow. State cash price.—H. G. Cooper, Hillsboro.

John Bettis and sons, Jacob, Chas., Wm. and Clarence, have traded their Laurel farm and other consideration for 1680 acres of land up at Hay Creek, Crook County, Oregon, and will soon take possession. On the place there are two running streams, with an irrigation system. One hundred acres of alfalfa are growing finely on the big ranch, and there is bottom land subject to water for 200 acres more, a part of which they expect to seed next year. There are several hundred acres in cultivation besides, and the rest is sage brush and bunch grass pasture. Thirty-five head of horses and 150 head of stock go with the purchase, and it will require all the time of the father and four sons to run the place. They expect to raise stock and do general farming. The Bettis family have been here several years, and have done well. Their new ranch lays within six miles of the railway.

There will be a big dance at Bethany Hall, given by L. M. Buell, Saturday, May 31. Tickets, including supper, \$1. Finest of music, best of management, and splendid refreshments served in hall. Come and have a good time.

C. F. Bunsen, Friday, received a telegram announcing the death of his father, Dr. C. P. Bunsen, at Winona, Minn. Dr. Bunsen passed away last Thursday evening from a stroke of paralysis. He had been a practicing physician for many years, and was a graduate of Heidelberg University, Germany, and completed his medical course in Paris. Dr. Bunsen was a linguist of note and a writer of many valuable treatises. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Jeanette Bunsen, and one son, both of Hillsboro. Burial took place at Galesville, Wis., where he practiced medicine for many years.

Lot for sale or trade. On Baseline Street, Tongue Addition. Will take horse or cow as part payment. A bargain.—Address Box 186, Forest Grove, or see J. T. Young, Hillsboro, for particulars. 8-10

L. E. Campbell, of Scholls, was in town Friday. He states that he recently received a letter from H. C. Campbell, the well known railroad man of Portland, now travelling in Europe. When the uncle wrote he was going into the Turkish port on a steamship, and he said it was necessary to have a government cruiser pilot them through the mines in the celebrated Bosphorus.

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Hon. B. F. Purdy, of Gaston, is to retire from farming, having traded his big ranch for the Abraham Store, at Forest Grove. Mr. Purdy, who was in the city last week, says he is going to try living in town for a few years. He has acquired a residence in the Grove, and for the time being will conduct the mercantile business.

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. 451f

Gov. West has appointed Mrs. Dora Reed Barber, of Forest Grove, as one of the representatives to the National Charities Conference, to be held in Seattle, in July. Mrs. Barber is the wife of Rev. Barber, the Congregational minister of the college town.

Wood for sale—Good four-foot fir. Will deliver for \$3 and \$3.25.—J. H. Voelker, Cornelius, Ore., R. 2, Telephone, Oak 555, Cornelius Central. 10-13

C. C. Nelson, the Timber-Bacona mail carrier, and who has been supervisor for the Mountain district for some years, was down to the city Friday. He says the mountaineers are hoping for a spell of good weather so the roads can be utilized for heavy hauling.

Do not forget to ask for a Schiller when you want a good 10 cent smoke—"cough dust" in the Schiller. 121f

Contractor J. S. Loring reports that he will tear out the bridge at the Graf place, near Bethany, about May 26, and the road will necessarily be closed for several days.

Mrs. Chas. S. Parker visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Lillgard, near Laurel, the last of the week.

SENIOR CLASS TO GIVE COLLEGE PLAY FRIDAY

Students to Stage "Aunt Jane at College," May 23

REHEARSALS GIVE GOOD PROMISE

Play Has Been Presented Thousands of Times With Success

The Hillsboro High School students will stage "Aunt Jane at College," at the Crescent Theatre, Friday evening, under the auspices of the senior class, and the rehearsals give promise of a performance that is bound to please. Miss Beatrice Butler, one of the teachers, is director, and she has given the cast of characters a splendid tutelage. "Aunt Jane at College" has appeared thousands of times at the close of schools and colleges, all over the United States, and it is a very pretty conceit, and worth one's while.

The general public is invited out to see what the youngsters can do in a histrionic way. A number of the characters are well known to Hillsboro people, having been before the public in several well known school plays.

The cast of characters: Jimmie Cavendish, A Rah-rah boy; Donald Long, Tad Cheseldine, The College Cut-up; Ward Wilkes, Leviticus, The Ace of Spades; Gladwin Doughty, Major Kilpepper, The Head of the Military; Russel Morgan, Professor Senacharrib Pop, The Chair of Philology Clair Wilkes, Scotch MacAllister, The Football Captain; Chas. Deichman, Shorty Long, The Ubiquitous Freshman; Clyde Mason, Miss "Jim" Channing, The Girl From Dixie; Alice Smith, Marjorie Haviland, The College Widow; Francis Reilly, Mrs. Babsy, "Ma," A Popular Landlady; Henrietta Kruger, Miss Jane Cavendish, Cavendish & Dean; Faye Schroeder, Mrs. Cleopatra Popp, A Faculty Type; Phoebe Perrine, Miss Twiggs, A Relic of Other Days; Faye Schroeder

UNION STOCK YARDS

The Portland Union Stock Yards Co. gives out the following for the week ending Saturday last: Receipts for the week have been: cattle, 1810; calves, 113; hogs, 4312; sheep, 4597; horses, 55.

The cattle market reached the pinnacle of this year's business last Monday. All existing Pacific Coast open market prices for beef were broken when five loads of corn fed steers went to the killers at \$9. A few cows brought \$7.65, but offerings were scarce. The general run of prime fed bullocks sold \$8.50 to \$8.70. Good calves are steady at \$9 and bulls \$6.25 to \$6.50. The beef shortage is acute and fails to fill the constant demand from anxious buyers. For steers, \$8.75; cows, \$7.75; calves, \$9; bulls, \$6.50; are conservative tops in the cattle market, which is firm.

Swine prices suffered one of the severest slumps of the year on Monday and Wednesday. Total loss was 45c. Tops were just steady Thursday at 8:40. A week ago hogs were selling around \$9. Receipts were enormous and market was glutted.

Dr. Lowe, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pautmeier, of near Farmington, were city visitors Monday.

J. B. McNew, of Beaverton, was up to the county seat Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Strohmayr, of North Hillsboro, May 17, 1913, twins, a son and daughter.

Ray Emmott and wife have returned to Hillsboro to reside, after an extended stay at Newport.

Robert Harper and wife have sold their Hillsboro property, and will move to other fields for the present.

W. A. Tupper, secretary for the Portland Civil Service Commission, was out Sunday, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tupper.

John D. Koch, of above Blooming, was in town Friday.

John Herb, of Banks, was in town Saturday.

Tell your electrical troubles to The Owl Electric Co. 1-1f

Adam Spies, of near Elmonica, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hancock, of Forest Grove, visited in town Friday evening.

Now is the time to have that house wired. See the Owl Electric Co. 1-1f

Jacob Rafferty, of Mountaine, was in the city Saturday afternoon.

O. B. Kraus, of Cornelius, one of the popular teachers of his section, was in the county seat Saturday.

The Wilkes Garage this week sold another Ford auto, Geo. Schulmerich, of Creswell, being the buyer.

Herbert Matteson, of above Gaston, was down to the county seat Friday afternoon. Herb says that seeding was quite late up his way.

Joe Harrington, who is a trainman on a run between Portland and The Dalles, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harrington, this week.

For sale—Several incubators and brooders, latest makes.—J. P. Adams, near Jabez Wilkes place, south of City Park, Hillsboro. 5-1f

Wm. Tupper again resumed his work as janitor at the court house, Monday, after a week's wrestle with the "grip." Geo. Doughty acted in his place during his illness.

Rough lumber, 16-foot lengths, all widths, constantly on hand.—S. K. Cogan, Hillsboro, Ore., R. 1, 3 miles north of town, on C. D. Farnham place. We sell at \$9 per M. 6-17

Richard R. Crowthers and Mrs. Lydia Aker were united in marriage in this city Friday, May 16, 1913, Judge Reasoner officiating. The groom is well known in the Gales Creek section, and the bride has been a resident of Forest Grove.

August Lovegren, the founder of Cherry Grove, was down to the city Monday morning, on legal business. Mr. Lovegren's company will soon be operating the largest mill in Washington County, which will add considerably to the good-sized village he has created in upper Patton Valley.

The Oregonian says that buyers of Southern Pacific land prior to the court decision for reversion are not in any manner affected by the decree. This was in answer to a query by a Hillsboro subscriber to that paper. In other words the innocent purchaser will not have to pay the government \$2.50 per acre, and he will still hold his title, just the same as though he had procured it from Uncle Samuel.

Oregon Electric officials were here Monday and signed up the legal agreement to put in a proper crossing where their line crosses the public road, near West Union. The company was debarred from building their grade across the highway, as there was a seven foot cut at that point, and they failed to sign up to either plank or gravel approaches the full width of the right-of-way. This the court determined should be done, and to protect the county two deputy sheriffs have been watching nights and one in the daytime to prevent the company from "leading from a sneak." After two weeks of holding out, the papers were signed the first of the week and the embargo removed.

T. S. Wilkes has a dredge model on a farm above the Watts' schoolhouse, on Gales Creek, that promises a revolution in river dredging. It is nothing more nor less than a current dredge, and the way the little contrivance can move gravel is not slow. It consists of two scoops, lengthwise with the current, between which are two blades, together, wider than the scoops' widths, and when these are let down to the bottom the current does the rest. Mr. Wilkes will in a short time have the channel of Gales Creek moved entirely, thus preventing cutting away valuable farm land on one side of the stream. Many river men have taken a look at the dredge, and all pronounce it practical. The Argus reporter saw it work Sunday, and if it can dredge the Willamette River, on a large scale, in the same manner it can tear a channel in Gales Creek, the invention will be of untold benefit to the government.

SEVENTY-SIX PUPILS PASS EIGHTH GRADE

Eighty-Nine Failures and Ninety-Seven Pass Conditional

LATTER WILL WRITE AGAIN IN JUNE

Hillsboro Leads in Number Passing, With Forest Grove Next

Supt. B. W. Barnes Saturday mailed Eighth Grade diplomas to 76 graduates, who passed at the exams held last week. Ninety-seven failed on one or two branches, and will have another trial in June. Eighty-nine failed outright. Hillsboro led in graduates, with Forest Grove a close second.

A list of the graduates follow: Dist. 2, Harry Schoen, Mark Phelps; teacher C. C. Ailor, Cornelius.

Dist. 7, Claude Bettis, Maurice Van-sickle, Ben Griffin, Velma Tipton, Laura Payton, Lawrence Taggart, Clifford Payton, John Shute, Marjann Stauffer, Haskel Carter, Alia Russell, Oliver Gray; teacher, Mrs. M. C. Case, Hillsboro.

Dist. 9, Rose Debnar, Elmer Batchelder; teacher, J. P. McGlasson, Hillsboro.

Dist. 11, J. Willie Bates, Alice Hamrick, Mable Schultz; teacher, O. E. Kraus, Gaston.

Dist. 13, Dorothy Davies; teacher, Geo. S. Yates, Banks.

Dist. 15, Vera Schaeffer, Camilla Mills, Evelyn Patton, Millie Fomme, Lucile Highy, Francis Taylor, Joseph Loomis, Enecl Todd; teacher, H. E. Inlow, Forest Grove.

Dist. 16, Aleta Hoednryl, Howard M. Farris; teacher, Albert Hatch, Gaston.

Dist. 17, Geo. W. Clark; teacher, M. N. Bonham, Sherwood.

Dist. 18, Alice Erickson; teacher, Earl E. Fisher, Sherwood.

Dist. 23, Essie Gustin, Roy Carnes; teacher, Anna Thompson, Tigard.

Dist. 26, J. Dorothy Potts, Mary Thompson, Irene Martinazzi, Gladys Heathley; teacher, H. T. Evans, Tualatin.

Dist. 33, Edna Bailey; teacher, J. W. Peabody, Cornelius.

Dist. 37, Harry Richards, Alice Ker-shaw; teacher, Calvin C. Cloud, Beaverton.

Dist. 38, William Meade; teacher, R. L. Wann, Orenco.

Dist. 40, Lawrence Brown, Alois J. Schlecht, Virgil Meyer; teacher, H. C. Todd, Beaverton.

Dist. 41, Ruby Reynolds; teacher, Leah E. Chase, Mountaine.

Dist. 45, Fred Cole; teacher, Gertrude Bailey, Sherwood.

46, Jt. Kenneth Maynard; teacher, Lena Gualhorn, Laurel.

Dist. 48, Stanley Summers; teacher, J. C. Ryan, Beaverton.

Dist. 50, Walter Jaquith, Max Bennett, Carl Hansen; teacher, Bernice Tenney, Laurel.

Dist. 52, Helen Pfahl; teacher, Clara M. Walker, Cornelius.

Dist. 54, Daniel Lehrer, Robert Lyeen, Paul Dodge, Clara Jaggi; teacher, Mrs. Effie Arns, Holbrook.

Dist. 55, Otto Rieken; teacher, Mat Reeve, Banks.

Dist. 73, Lorne Thornbrue; teacher, Mae Fitzwater, Sherwood.

Dist. 77, Edna Hogrefe; teacher, Anna Morrissey, Cornelius.

Dist. 88, Anna Galbreath; teacher, Sarah A. Donohue, Sherwood.

Dist. 89, Agnes Rieder; teacher, Lester Mooberry, Hillsboro.

Dist. 90, Lyla Short; teacher, Inez L. Wyvel, Banks.

Dist. 92, Catherine Brand; teacher, Iva C. Peterson, Beaverton.

Dist. 94, Asa H. Griffith, Crystal Ridge; teacher, Louise A. Huber, Beaverton.

Dist. 95, Mary Niel, Lancelot Kennedy, Dewey Patten, Margaret Fuhrer, Mildred Nichol; teacher, Minnie Davis, Hillsdale.

Dist. 97, Anthony Vandenberg; teacher Sister M. Agnes, Forest Grove.

Dist. 99, Celia Wells, Florence Mott, Frank Buckley; teacher, Norma McKeever, Forest Grove.

Dist. 105, Howard Means; teacher, Margaret Rickett, Hillsdale.

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