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COUNTY SCHOOLS HAVE SPELLING CONTEST

Wood School Captures the First Grand Prize, Isa Mills Winning

OUTSIDE SCHOOLS WIN THE PREMIUMS

Members of Youngsters Attend From All Points of County

Nearly one thousand people from the outside, consisting of pupils, their parents, and teachers, were present at the big county spelling match.

Messrs. Barnes and McCarty distributed over 800 tickets to the movies, where the young people were entertained by the moving picture houses, while in the city.

The spelling match was written and took place in the public school building. The prizes totaled \$40 in cash, and the winners, their schools, and teachers, were:

Fourth Grade—Isa Mills, Tilton, Miss Anna Thompson, teacher; prize of \$10, cash, given by A. C. Shute, of the American National Bank, Hillsboro.

Sixth Grade—Paul Newman, Orenco, Ralph Wann, teacher; prize of \$10, given by H. H. Wehrung, of the Hillsboro National Bank.

Eighth Grade—Eleanor Kindt, Kinton, C. C. Cloud, teacher; \$5 in cash, given by B. W. Barnes, county school superintendent.

Fifth Grade—Hazel Fuller, Barnes school, near Beaverton, Miss Violet Taylor, teacher; cash prize, \$5; Hillsboro Mercantile Co., \$3; Morton & Freeman, \$2, Hillsboro.

Fourth Grade—Frank Hanson, near Laurel, Bernice Toney, teacher; \$5 cash; W. W. Boucove, \$2; H. Stauffer, \$1.50; L. P. Adams, \$1, and F. L. Jensen, \$0.50.

Third Grade—Letha Soehren, Siska, Cora Phillips, teacher; \$5 in cash—G. A. Patterson, \$2; J. H. Jack, \$1; C. C. Frick, \$1, and H. T. Koeber, \$1.

The young folks had a great time in the county seat, and while there were tears and disappointments, grief soon gave way to mirth.

In the afternoon the field sports were held at the ball grounds. In the 100 yard dash the time was 11 4-5 seconds, with Geo. Livermore, of Orenco, first; Carl Husson, Beaverton, second; Herman Crocker, of Mountaineer, third.

Fifty yard dash—Livermore, 1st; Perry Bachelar, 2nd; Herman Crocker, 3rd.

In the ball games Dilley defeated Beaverton by a score of 7 to 5. The second game was between North Plains and Hillsboro, and North Plains won. Hillsboro kindly lent North Plains two or three players, and North Plains easily tucked away the honors.

S. P. AND P. E. & E.
All, except the P. R. & N., trains are electric, and stop at the depot on Main street.

To Portland
McMinnville Train.....6:47 a. m.
Sheridan Train.....9:15 p. m.
Forest Grove Train.....1:00 p. m.
McMinnville Train.....2:15 p. m.
Eugene Train.....4:58 p. m.

From Portland
Eugene Train arrives...8:15 a. m.
McMinnville " ".....9:42 a. m.
Forest Grove " ".....10:57 a. m.
Sheridan " ".....4:30 p. m.
McMinnville " ".....6:37 p. m.

Trains each way, except the Corvallis trains, stop at Sixth and Fir, on flag.

Steam Service.....Old Depot
To Portland
P. R. & N. Train.....1:37 p. m.
From Portland
P. R. & N. Train.....10:24 a. m.

Dan Leisy, of South Tualatin, was a city visitor Saturday afternoon.

Dwight Pomeroy and wife, of Leverich Lake, were in town the last of the week. They are very proud of that grandchild out at the Tom Henton place.

J. Q. Johnson, of below Newton, was up to the city Monday morning. J. Q. says the cold of the week was not conducive to good growing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hess, parents of Mrs. Nelson, the occasion being Mr. Hess' birthday.

Fritz Pritzlaff, of Gales Creek, had a runaway last week, while driving home with a load of land plaster, his team becoming frightened at a piece of paper. Pritzlaff was thrown out and injured, and when a farmer hitched up a team to drive the injured man back to the Grove the team ran away, taking fright at an auto. Pritzlaff was thrown under the horses feet and badly cut about the head. It isn't often that a man figures in two runaways on the same day, but this was the experience of Mr. Pritzlaff. Pritzlaff is a dairy man, and formerly worked for the Frank Implement Co., away back in the nineties.

Geo. Armentrout, who is still active notwithstanding his 80 years and over, was down to the city Friday. Geo. says that he first was in Hillsboro 54 years ago this Summer, and that he ate dinner with Henry Wehrung. Mr. Armentrout says he is getting his vision tested so he can go out and get that buck when the season opens. He has missed bagging a five-pronger but few years since he set foot in Washington County.

J. L. Crow, the real estate man with office in the Hotel Washington Building, was stricken with an attack of heart failure, Monday morning, and was placed under the care of Dr. Smith. He is getting along fairly well at last reports, but will be under enforced quiet for several days.

Ladies are requested to call at the Paris Millinery Store before they buy their Spring hats, as the prices are right. Good hats from \$3 to \$5. Mrs. M. L. Berdan, Second Street, near Washington, Hillsboro.

Born, Saturday, May 2, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ringle, of Hillsboro, a son. The happy father works for the Washington-Oregon Corporation. The new arrival is a grandson of Ben Brown, of Laurel, and it is hard to tell which is the most pleased, the father or the grandfather.

Dance at Hendricks Hall, Cornelius, Saturday evening, May 9. Walkers 4-piece orchestra. Tickets, \$1. Ladies free. Management of McCurdy & VanLom. Don't forget the date. 6-7

J. N. Gardner, well known near Orenco, years ago, now residing near the Siletz, was struck by a falling tree recently and sustained a broken leg. He is walking on crutches, and says he is worth a dozen men yet.

For sale—Twelve shoats, about 75 lbs. each.—Geo. F. Heineck, on former John White place, Chehalem Mountain, 3 miles west of Laurel. 5-7

W. H. Reiling returned from Elmore Park, Friday, after completing a cottage for Dr. Wood. W. H. says that the weather over that way has not been very Summerlike this Spring.

For Sale—Six hundred dollar Hardman piano for less than half price; used, but good as new. Call at Cash Grocery, half block east of post office.

L. E. Wilkes, who has been with the government on a surveying proposition down in California and in Washington, is home for a few weeks, making out his reports.

Do not forget to ask for a Schiller when you want a good 10 cent smoke—no "ough dust" in the Schiller. 12-1f

Edson Marsh, for years a resident of Idaho, is down on a visit. He and his sister, Mrs. Isaac Leisy, were out the last of the week, visiting with Leisyville and South Tualatin relatives.

D. G. Lilly, who lives above Forest Grove, was in the county seat Friday, and called on the Argus, which he has taken for a good many years.

James Brown, of Aloha, on the S. P., broke one of his legs in Portland, Saturday evening, while getting off a car at Third and Jefferson.

Geo. R. Bagley, of Bagley & Hare, went to Coquille, Monday, to appear in litigation wherein he is counsel.

F. O. Sipprell, the sawmill man of near Farmington, was up to the city the last of the week.

John Peters, of Verboort, was in the county seat Monday morning.

H. C. Pearson, of South Tualatin, was transacting business in the city the last of the week.

Mrs. Albert Solberger, of above North Plains, was a city caller the last of the week.

R. McKnight, the Connell Plains hop grower, was in town Saturday.

DRAINAGE SUIT WAS SETTLED OUT OF COURT

Parties Get Together After Two Days of Trial and View of Land

LAST OBSTACLE TO DITCH REMOVED

Trustees of District No. 7 Pay \$525 For Right of Way

After two days of a legal struggle in circuit court the trustees of Drainage District No. 7, Washington County, Friday afternoon, effected a compromise with Hubert Bernards and a settlement was effected out of court. The trustees are to give Mr. Bernards \$525 for the land through his property, and the width of the ditch line is to be cut down from the original survey, while as an addition to the price agreement Mr. Bernards is to have all the timber on the land to be used. He also has the right to construct bridges where he wishes across the ditch, and also has the right to have watering places, properly protected.

This drainage district is one of the big affairs of the county, and when the ditch is constructed it will mean reclaiming many hundreds of acres that can not now be cultivated.

It is understood that the differences between the two parties, the trustees, and Mr. Bernards, amounted to several hundred dollars, and Bernards refused to let them go through. Condemnation suit was then brought.

Tongue & Tongue were attorneys for C. J. Birdsell, C. Wylder and Thos. Williams, trustees for drainage district, and John M. Wall and W. G. Hare were defending the suit for Mr. Bernards.

On Thursday the jury visited the lands to be drained, and viewed the Bernards property with the view of fixing values.

Settlement out of court at last clears every obstacle, and the ditch will proceed.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN
I. E. L. Perkins, Recorder of Conveyances, Washington County, Oregon, do state: That it gives me pleasure to recommend Fred A. Everest, to the consideration of the Republican voters in the primaries on May 15th, for the reason, that during the three years he has been with me as deputy I have always found him to be honest, conscientious, industrious and courteous, discharging his duties with promptness, neatness and accuracy.

If nominated and elected I believe Mr. Everest will make an efficient and economical officer. F. L. Perkins.

MARK I. BUTLER
Mark Isaac Butler died at the home of his mother, Thursday evening, April 30, 1914, after an illness of but a few months, his affliction being tuberculosis. He was born on the Butler donation, near the present site of Orenco, April 1, 1875. When a young man he worked with the Gates power plant, and was a proficient workman. He was a son of the late Isaac Butler, his mother and the following brothers and sisters surviving:

Of his immediate family—Jas. E. Butler, Portland, and Miss Lottie H. Butler, at home; half-sisters and half-brothers—Mrs. Alonzo Sigler, Mrs. C. R. Bloyd, Mrs. Jas. Sigler, Hillsboro; Mrs. Emeline Berjiman, Chino, Cal.; Mrs. Sarah Hoopengartner, Portland; George Butler, Hillsboro; Thos. Butler, of North Yakima, Wash.; Benjamin Butler, Payson, Arizona; Wm. Butler, Hornbrook, Arizona, and Mrs. W. H. McEl-downey, Forest Grove.

The funeral took place at the Christian Church, Saturday, at 2:30, Rev. Vallandigham officiating, and interment was in the Masonic cemetery.

FOR SALE
Black mare, 6 years old; weight 1400 lbs. Ask at residence, one-half mile from Rowell Bros. store, at Scholls post-office.—Chas. G. Koeber, Sherwood, Ore., Route 4. 6-8

Mr. and Mrs. Price, of Portland, were visitors to Forest Grove and Hillsboro, last Friday. Mrs. Price was in former days a student at Pacific University, and she was known as Miss Jean McLeod.

E. Widberg, of near Laurel, was in the city Friday.

J. W. Marsh, of Verboort, was in town Friday.

Jacob Buchele, of Cornelius, was a city caller the last of the week.

S. L. Hollenbeck and wife, of upper Dairy, were in the county seat Friday morning.

John Templeton, of Forest Grove, was a city caller, Friday, attending circuit court.

Sam Schmidt, of near Laurel, was a city caller the last of the week.

Miss Pearl Corey, of Mountaineer, was a county seat visitor Friday.

J. W. Jackson, of North Plains, was transacting business in town Saturday.

For sale: Several young cows, fresh.—Ray Emmott, on Garden Tracts, west of city. 7-9

Wm. Boucsein, of above Mountaineer, on Murtaugh Creek, was greeting friends in the city Friday.

L. M. Miller, with the Rowell & Co. store, at Scholls, was in town the last of the week, greeting friends.

For sale—New Winona wagon, 3 inch; Osborne mower.—Roy Hays, one mile south of Hillsboro, near Condenser pumping plant, to left of highway. 52f

John Ireland, of Forest Grove, was down to the city Friday, attending the drainage suit in circuit court. John owns a farm out in the Bellinger Bridge section, and he is interested in the affair.

Chris. Gertsch, of Garden Home, was an Argus caller the first of the week. Mr. Gertsch has made good in the dairy business down his way, and has also benefitted nicely from rise in property values in the Garden Home section.

Examinations for fourth-class postmasters, for positions where the salary is \$180 or more, will be held at Hillsboro and Forest Grove, on June 20, 1914. Applicants will write for offices in the county only, and the government Civil Service Commission has fixed the above date.

Herman Huntemann, of Cornelius, was in Friday, making out an application for irrigation on his Oak Park orchard tract. It is necessary to make a requisition on the state engineer before one can draw water from the river. It will soon be so that one will have to have a license before they can eat.

The eighteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Galbreath, of Cipole, near Sherwood, drank gasoline late last Thursday afternoon, and died a few hours afterward. Physicians were rushed from Newberg, but medical aid was of no avail. The funeral took place Saturday from the family home.

The Chas. Hickenbottom farm, in Shady Brook, has been sold to a Mr. Morrow, of Portland, the deal being closed by Albert Harald, a Portland real estate man. The farm comprises 251 acres, of which about 60 are cleared. The price was \$12,000, which is considered reasonable, considering the locality.

S. Livesley, of Oak Park, was over to the city the last of the week. He will again be in the whirl after hops this Fall. Mr. Livesley has bought hops in Oregon for a number of years, and prior to coming to the state bought in Wisconsin, where he was also a producer. During his incumbency in hop-buying he has made several trips across the Atlantic.

Neighbors and friends of Mrs. E. A. Wolf, of near Aloha, helped to celebrate her 60th birthday, April 30, at the Wolf home. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed, and the close was followed by a delightful supper. Those who enjoyed the occasion were Mesdames Hunt, Hitchcock, Hillier, Wellborn, Townsend, Buck, Sutter, Bockmann, Libby, Cosper, Weisenbeck, Quint, Reynolds, the hostess, and the Misses Lyall and Graves.

Carl Gribner, of above Banks, has commenced foreclosure proceedings against F. J. Wirfs, of Clackamas County, the amount involved being \$3,083.34, with \$500 attorney fees. Gribner sold Wirfs a bunch of timber for \$6,000, and Wirfs was to pay \$500 in cash, and then pay Gribner \$2 per thousand as rapidly as he shipped from a sawmill built by the defendant. About half has been paid, and then default made. Gribner wants his timber released.

HILLSBORO HAMMERS THE POWERS TEAM

Visitors Had no Chance at Local Grounds, Last Sunday Afternoon

PORTLANDERS FAIL TO SCORE ONCE

Hillsboro Tallied Five Runs With Ease—Some Good Pitching

Sunday's game at Athletic Park resulted in a score of 5 to 0, in favor of Hillsboro, the visitors failing to run even one across the home plate. The pitching, however, was classy, for the Powers' team, out from Portland to get the county lads, had a moundsman that held Hillsboro down to seven hits. The Powers' team was allowed but one measly hit, that of Mulkey.

The hits were distributed on the Hillsboro side as follows: Phelps, 1; McCurdy, 2; Freeman, 1; VanBlaricom, 2; Ed. Henderson, 1.

Martin struck out nine, while the visiting pitcher fanned but 3. Martin allowed four men to walk to first base, the Portland pitcher being more liberal, permitting five to walk.

Owing to the cold wind there was not an overly large crowd at the grounds.

The repeated cancelling of games on account of bad weather, and the fact that the Portland teams are not up to standard, it being early in the season, has caused a lack of interest in the games, and the managers hope to get better and huskier contenders in the near future, as Hillsboro has had everything its own way since the season opened.

As a matter of fact, when the boys are right, Hillsboro has the fastest team in the history of local baseball. McMinnville may later come down and try honors, and Banks, too, will want a game a little later on.

Dr. Smith umpired Sunday's game. The line-up:

Hillsboro	Powers'
E. Henderson.....2 b.....	Winters.....
VanBlaricom.....1 f.....	England.....
Freeman.....c f.....	Wright.....
G. Henderson.....3 b.....	C.inton.....
McCurdy.....1 f.....	Lewis.....
Phelps.....1 b.....	Jesup.....
Brown.....c.....	Boutg.....
Phelps.....c.....	Mulkey.....
Martin.....p.....	Jesse.....

BIG DAMAGE CASE
One of the largest personal injury cases ever filed in circuit court was handed in the last of the week when B. M. Nordin, a logger entered a complaint asking for \$35,000 from the Lovegreen Lumber Company, of Cherry Grove, for damages alleged to have been sustained while working for the company. December 13, 1913, Nordin was a "sniper," and alleges that while at work the foreman, Olaf Hedin, caused a cable to be hitched to a log, and ordered the engineer to make a pull. The log rolled against a vine maple, which was sprung down, striking Nordin on the head. Nordin says he was unconscious ten days and that it was necessary to trephine the skull.

He says that he has lost the power of speech, and that he is partially paralyzed as a result of the accident. His complaint says that he has spent nearly a thousand dollars for surgeon and hospital bills. This is the largest damage case of its kind filed against a lumber company in the history of the courts here.

Herschel Clutter, of near Mulloy Station, and Miss Alma E. Beckman, of Portland, were united in marriage at Forest Grove, April 30, 1914, Rev. J. M. Barber officiating. The groom is a prominent young man of his section, and assisted in collection of taxes during the incumbency of ex-sheriff Hancock.

Sherwood has commenced construction on its first big brick, to be used as postoffice. A store will occupy a part of the structure, the building to be 42x50 in dimensions, and brick and concrete will be used in construction.

M. C. Collier, of Scholls, was up the first of the week, visiting with relatives and friends. Notwithstanding he is nearly 83 years of age he is still as spry as the traditional cricket.

George Conzelmann, of near Middleton, was up to the county seat Monday, on business at the court house.

Art Caples, of Forest Grove, was down to the county seat the first of the week.

HARDWARE...

Call in and see our Hardware stock since we have opened in our

New Double Store Room

We are carrying a fine line of Hardware of all kinds and will be pleased to show you our stock

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