

# THE HILLSBORO ARGUS.

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## YIELDS RATHER LIGHT ALL OVER COUNTY

Yield All Over State and California Means Good Price

Will Not Commence Here Until About September 1

Washington County's hop crop is shorter this year than for any harvest, but the quality is more than make up for the shortage. Prices will open strong and good authorities believe that the ruling offerings will be better than was expected at the opening of the season.

The drought of July has kept hop yards from maturing well, farms being short of burrs everywhere, with an exception here and there. In a few favored localities the buds are nearly up to the average, but the bumper crop yard is far between. This condition prevails all over the Willamette Valley, and the shortage is expected to exist down in California, picking will not begin in this county until about September 1, though there are some yards that will ripen a few days earlier. Portland pickers are strongly of opinion this year, judging from the applications coming to growers, and there will be a heavy harvest of the crop.

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For sale or rent: Ranch of 16 acres with 6 acres clear; 100 fruit trees in bearing; good onion ground on quarter acre; good pasture; all slashed; house and barn and chicken house, and onion house. Running stream through place. Good spring, and well. Five miles S. E. of Hillsboro, on river road. Terms.—J. Q. Johnson, Hillsboro, Oregon, Route 2.

Roy Hays, who has the J. C. Hare ranch, south of town, under lease, commenced improving the grounds down at the "Old Swimming Hole," the other day, and will put in picnic grounds, two bath houses, and a right-of-way lane down to the "Big Bend" of the Tualatin. He will have the place fixed up for a swimming resort where people can enjoy a tryst with old Neptune any old time. A place of this kind, with a nominal charge, has long been a need here, and it will prove a popular place from its inception. This is one of the finest places along the Tualatin.

Aleazar ranges are strictly new, up-to-date, Colonial style, typifying simplicity and beauty, highest quality and mechanical perfection.—D. Corwin. 13-1

W. E. Smith returned Friday from a ten days visit at Creswell, Southern Oregon, looking over the country with a view of seeing what that section is for permanent residence. He was the guest of Geo. Schulmerich, and says that Geo. is the proud possessor a young fawn which was born last week. This makes three pet deer at Schulmerich's. It is so dry that it is impossible to hunt with any degree of success.

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OREGON ELECTRIC TRAINS To Portland—55 minutes.

6:29.....a.m. 7:10.....a.m. 8:28.....a.m. 10:47.....p.m. 1:14.....p.m. 3:55.....p.m. 6:05.....p.m. 8:09.....p.m. 9:58.....p.m. From Portland—55 minutes.

## HILLSBORO PEOPLE ENROUTE SOUTH

Singing San Diego and Camping by Dale and Stream

SALEM PAPER TELLS OF GREAT TRIP Will be in Roseburg Tomorrow Evening For Engagement

The Salem Capitol Journal, in an issue last week, has the following article about Hillsboro people who started for California, enroute to San Diego, in the big Schmelzler Auto Truck. The Company has organized the "Choir Girls," and will sing in all the principal towns between here and the California city. The article says: "When the big Federal motor truck, carrying the 'Choir Girls,' on their way from Portland to San Diego, arrives today it will have as driver Miss Hazel Schmelzler, the 17-year-old organist and musical director of the party. The 'Choir Girls' have fitted up the big truck as an apartment on wheels and have all the conveniences of a well regulated flat. Cooking and lighting by electricity is only one of the up-to-the-hour attachments of the big car. Each one of the party has their allotted work to do in the packing and unpacking and putting together of the fittings that when 'set up' makes for all the comforts of home. The girls are all optimists, believing everything happens for the best, and no one is allowed to have a 'grouch'; to smile and be happy is the plan of every day's travel. Mrs. 'Mandy' Schmelzler is the matron and chaperone of the party, and as a domestic science exponent is a past grand master.

Angela May is the star singer of the Choir Girl act, and has been heard in Salem musical circles. An engagement of one year at the Panama-California exposition at San Diego, opening January 1, 1915, makes the long trip possible and gives all the towns on the way a chance to see and hear the Choir Girls in what they call the "Act Beautiful." Their route takes them to Albany, Eugene, Roseburg, Cottage Grove, Grants Pass, Medford and Ashland in Oregon, then over the mountains into California.

The Schmelzler family left Hillsboro, Aug. 2, and the list of passengers from here were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schmelzler and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis McEvoy, who have been Hillsboro residents for a year. Hillsboro people wish them a financial success and a good time. The Salem clipping comes to the Argus through the kindness of Chas. McFadden.

Donald E. Long arrived home from Washington, D. C., where he is attending Georgetown University for a term of years. He will remain on the coast for thirty days, and be back to school by September 15, when the college opens. He came West over the Northern route—the Canadian Pacific, and will go East on the Milwaukee.

Henry Challacombe, of Cornelius, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

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 Forest Grove Train.....6:47 a. m. McMinnville Train.....7:36 a. m. Sheridan Train.....9:58 p. m. Forest Grove Train.....12:50 p. m. McMinnville Train.....2:15 p. m. Forest Grove Train.....4:15 p. m. Eugene Train.....4:58 p. m. McMinnville Train.....6:37 p. m. Forest Grove Train.....9:50 p. m.

From Portland Eugene Train arrives.....8:15 a. m. McMinnville ".....9:42 a. m. Forest Grove ".....11:59 a. m. Forest Grove ".....3:15 p. m. Sheridan ".....4:30 p. m. McMinnville ".....6:37 p. m. Forest Grove ".....7:15 p. m. Forest Grove ".....9:00 p. m. McMinnville ".....12:15 a. m.

All trains, except Eugene trains, stop on flag at North Range and Fir streets and at Sixth and Fir streets and at Tenth street.

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

Argus and Oregonian. \$2.25. Sam Moon, of Centerville, was a city caller Saturday.

Chris. F. Hesse, of Scholls, was up to Hillsboro, Friday.

Henry Miller, of Witch Hazel, was a county seat visitor the last of the week.

D. J. Barrett, of Cornelius, was down to the county seat Saturday.

F. S. Smith, of South Tualatin, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

L. M. Beebe, of Springfield, Ore., was a guest at the Hotel Washington, Friday night.

Mrs. Alice Foord departed last week for an extended visit with her son, Albert Foord, and wife, at Umatilla.

A complete line of wall papers, the newest patterns, at Grover Combs' Furniture Store.

The Witch Hazel school house is about completed, and painters will soon have the building ready to turn over.

For sale—Pony team, harness and wagon. Team good work animals. Call up Phone City 247.

The Food Products Co. is running full time at the plant on Washington and Ninth, and the season will be utilized to its fullest extent.

Sergeant Lawson McCurdy, of Vancouver, accompanied by his wife, visited at Hillsboro the last of the week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Trambley.

A. L. Holcomb, of Bethany, was in town Saturday afternoon, feeling a little indisposed as to health. He says he and his family expect soon to leave for California.

Haviland Melnis and Miss Maggie Brown were united in marriage at the home of Edw. Brown, Tualatin, Ore., Aug. 5, 1914. Rev. Henry Blake officiating.

The German Speaking Society of Washington County will meet at the C. P. Wunderlich home, at Centerville, Sunday, Aug. 23, 1914, at ten in the morning. Members are requested to be in attendance. 21-2

William C. Foote, of Esperance, New York, arrived in Hillsboro the last of the week, for a short visit with friends. Mr. Foote was out here several years ago. He says that since his last trip to Hillsboro he sees evidence of much local improvement here.

The Knights of Pythias, at Winnipeg, Canada, the other day, in Supreme convention, voted to come to Oregon in 1916. Mrs. Cora M. Davis, of Eastern Oregon, was elected Supreme Chief of the Pythian Sisters. Mrs. Davis has a large number of personal friends in Hillsboro and Forest Grove, who congratulate her upon the high honor.

Assessor Crandall gives notice in another column that the Board of Equalization will convene in Hillsboro, September 4, to examine the assessment rolls, correct errors, and to change values where people can show them that the assessment is excessive. The public can have its say if it will attend.

J. H. Daoust and J. F. Luder-mann, Portland men, were arrested the other day for stealing copper wire from the S. P. Co., at Beaverton. They pleaded guilty before Judge Smith, who fined Daoust \$60, and Luder-mann, \$25. Daoust appeared to be the chief offender in the larceny, and Luder-mann brought letters to show that he hitherto has borne a good reputation.

Another year and there is no reason why Portland should not be connected with Hillsboro by two macadam roads. The short stretches between the two places—one on the Canyon Road and one on the Cornell Road—are so short that with a special tax in the road districts along the line the thoroughfare could be made traversable at all times of year, without discomfort. Let us hope that by this time next year we shall have rock roads through to the Rose City.

Lack of rain at an opportune time has cut down the yield of Spring oats, and the product of Washington County will this year not be anywhere near a full crop. A soaking rain about the Fourth of July would have given us a big crop. Dr. Bailey states that the yield of oats is the lightest for many years—but he says there is a plenty of all other things. Hill potatoes are doing finely, but all vegetables on the lowland appear to be much in need of moisture.

## ODD FELLOWS READY FOR BIG PICNIC

Will Award a Fine List of Prizes For Contest Winners

BIG CROWD FROM ALL-COUNTY COMING Three-Linkers Will Make This the Big Fraternal Event of Year

Montezuma Lodge I. O. O. F. is very busy these days, getting all in readiness for the big all-county picnic to be held in Hillsboro, at Shute Park, Saturday, Aug. 22, the occasion to be an all-day affair. Merchants and business men have donated a fine lot of awards to go to the parties who will excel in the field events, such as running races, tug-of-war, and contests of skill and strength.

The committee in charge have assurances that every lodge in the County of Washington will be well represented, as every Odd Fellow is taking an interest in the big occasion. Local Odd Fellows have put in much time visiting the subordinate lodges all over the district, and results are following.

Judge Galloway will make the big speech—he being Grand Master of the Oregon three-linkers. The awards of prizes will be as follows—

Athletics Potomac Race, Boys under 18—1st prize, military brushes, offering by Dr. J. R. Marshall; second, flash light, offering by D. E. Blackburn.

Egg and Spoon Race, Girls under 16—1st prize, camera, offering by Hillsboro Pharmacy; 2nd, hand-mirror, offering by Dr. R. M. Erwin.

One Hundred Yard Dash, Free for all Odd Fellows—1st prize, leather traveling bag, offering by Grover Combs Furniture Store; 2nd, cigar case, W. O. Donelson.

Fifty Yard, Ladies' Race, free for all Rebekahs—1st prize, silk umbrella, offering, Moore Laundry Co.; 2nd, jewel case, by Dr. J. P. Tamiesie.

Shoe Race, Boys under 15—1st, jointed fishing rod, by R. L. Sears Garage; 2nd, finger mitt, same donor.

Past Grand's Race, Fifty Yards—1st, Fountain pen, engraved, by E. L. McCormick's Music Store; 2nd, I. O. O. F. cuff buttons, by E. I. Kuratli.

Ladies' Nail Driving Contest—1st, choice electric flat iron or thermo bottle, by Owl Electric Co.; 2nd, percolator, by Long's Hardware Store.

Sack Race—1st, punching bag, by Nelson Hardware Co.; 2nd, pocket knife, by J. H. Foote, of the Tualatin Hotel.

Men's Button Sewing contest—1st, Eight day clock, by Hoffman, the jeweler; 2nd, smoking set, by W. G. Hare.

Fat Man's Race—1st, pair \$4 shoes, by Greer's Grocery; 2nd, I. O. O. F. shaving mug and brush, by Sorenson's Tonsorial Parlors.

Tug-of-War—Hillsboro versus the World. Ball Game—Hillsboro versus the Universe.

Ball Park, through courtesy of Moose Lodge, of Hillsboro. Coffee will be donated by Ward Brothers Red Ribbon Grocery and Board's Cash Grocery.

All the prizes are on exhibition at Grover Combs' Furniture Store.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Foord, of Umatilla, Ore., August 3, 1914, a daughter.

Wanted: Girl to do general housework, in family of four. No heavy washing.—R. H. Walker, Beaverton, R. 2. 19-1

Miss Lena Goodin, of Portland, was out to Cornelius, Monday, attending the funeral of the late Mrs. J. H. Cornelius.

For sale: 130 acres of land, with 40 acres cleared; 7-room house and barn; 2 wells and large running stream; balance of acreage has lot fine merchantable timber. Six miles south of Hillsboro. Will sell all, or 60 acres with the buildings. Price, \$150 per acre, including stock.—A. L. Grebe, Hillsboro, R. 2. 19-1

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## The Story of the Bills

BILL SMITH thought he had paid a certain grocery bill. The grocer thought otherwise and demanded payment, which Smith was obliged to make. Even supposing that he had not paid it twice, the doubt, which he could not dispel, caused uneasiness.

BILL JONES also had a grocery bill, but when a duplicate came to his notice, his check book quickly showed the facts, both to the satisfaction of himself and the grocer. See the point?

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