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## CIRCUIT COURT NOW AWAITS MARCH TERM

Joseph Charles and Hettie Wills, of Aloha, Convicted of Charge

ALL CRIMINAL CASES GO OVER

Judge Bagley Goes to Tillamook for a Short Session of Court

Circuit court adjourned the last of the week and will not be in session until the March term, unless it be hearing of desultory motions. The case of State of Oregon versus Joseph Charles and Hettie Wills, of Aloha, charged with living together unlawfully, ended in conviction, Friday morning. The jury was out all night and agreed but a few minutes before court opened at 9:30.

The jury: W E Crosby, Geo Miller, Jacob Correll, G A Pleth, O Griebler, J T Martin, Wm Prickett, A H Thomas, Ben Day, C Blaser, M C Lincoln and L J Rushlow. There were 11 witnesses for the state on direct, 5 for the defense, and 6 on the stand for the state's rebuttal.

The court passed sentence on the two the last of the week. Sentence of six months in the county jail was imposed upon both of the defendants, and the Court allowed them to go upon parole, the two having signified a willingness and desire to be married. They are to have until December 1 to pay the costs of the action. Attorney Bump made the request for parole, and promised a speedy marriage contract if parole followed. They repaired to the clerk's office, where a license was issued, and Rev. Myers, of the M. E. Church, made them man and wife.

The Court felt that the county would be saved a considerable expense by this procedure, and he also took into consideration the fact that both had young children. The couple went on their way rejoicing after being made one, and they will take up life at the home of the bride in Aloha, where she has a small tract under mortgage.

Dismissed—C F Heineke vs Frank Michel; Goodpasture vs Addie Hunt; Ira Hoard vs H R Emmott; C Allen vs Jos Wolfersperger.

Judgment for plaintiff—Albert Bennett vs Harry Kuehne.

Mary Evans was granted a decree of divorce from L K Evans.

All criminal cases were set over to the March term, when a new panel will sit in court, together with a new grand jury.

## OREGON ELECTRIC TRAINS

To Portland—55 minutes.

6:32	.....	a m
7:18	.....	a m
8:28	.....	a m
9:58	.....	a m
12:43	.....	p m
3:58	.....	p m
5:43	.....	p m
8:10	.....	p m
9:38	(Sat. only).....	p m

From Portland—55 minutes.

7:54	.....	a m
9:20	.....	a m
11:25	.....	a m
2:12	.....	p m
4:27	.....	p m
6:25	.....	p m
7:13	.....	p m
8:26	(Sat. only).....	p m
12:25	.....	a m

Sheriff Reeves the last of the week picked up a tramp by the name of Archie Aiton, who resided at Cornelius ten or fifteen years ago. He was searched and given a severe questioning, and then allowed to depart. It was thought he might have had something to do with the forging of checks some weeks ago, wherein two Hillsboro firms lost \$50 between them. Aiton showed a clean sheet on this score, and after leaving a sample of his writing was allowed to depart. He has travelled all over the union since leaving Cornelius. A few years ago he forged a check at Cornelius, which was settled by his people, and this incident led to the belief that there might be something in his connection with the Hillsboro had checks, written on the Cornelius State Bank. Both Mr. Weil and Mr. Reynolds say Aiton was not the man. Aiton went on his way rejoicing, after being given enough money to get him back to the west end of the county where he was picked up by the sheriff.

For sale: Dwarf Essex Rape seed, finely cleaned, at market price. Also a registered Jersey bull, year old last August; dam has official record of 552 lbs; first two months of her second year test she produced 2444 lbs. milk, netting 171 lbs butter. His sire's dam has official record of 12,648 lbs. milk or 853 lbs. butter. Price of bull, \$100.—Wm. Schulermerich, Hillsboro. 48-8

C. W. Brown, of near Orencia, was in the city Saturday. He says he had 33 years of the saw-milling and the spirit has again taken possession of him to the extent that he may again take a shot at mill work this year.

## CELEBRATES BIRTH

Judge Rodolph Crandall celebrated his 84th birthday at his home, Saturday, with a dinner to his family and a few friends who were invited in. He was born at Watson, Lewis Co., N. Y., Feb. 19, 1832, and was married to Elizabeth Shannon, in 1865.

They came to Oregon in 1877, where he has made his home continuously ever since. He served as county judge of Washington County for two terms. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity, a member of the G. A. R., and is widely known in



the county.

His general health is exceptionally good for his extreme age. He and Mrs. Crandall celebrated their golden wedding Dec. 8, 1915, and the affair was one of the finest ever held in the city.

The ladies of the Degree of Honor were guests in the afternoon, paying their respects to the member of their order, a branch of the A. O. U. W.

## ELMER S. HUGHES PERISHES IN SNOW

Body Found Last Friday Morning Near Strassel

HAD BEEN MARKETING AT BUXTON

Corpse Was Found Within 200 Feet of His Own Cabin

Elmer S. Hughes, of Strassel, aged 39 years last April, was found dead last Friday morning by Geo. Varley, who was one of the search party which had set out to find the dead man, who had been missing since Jan. 8. Hughes lived in a cabin one mile Southwest of Strassel as the crow flies. On Jan 8 he went down to the Rineck store at Buxton and purchased some groceries. There were two feet of snow and when at the store he complained of being tired. He had gone into Buxton via Strassel but on returning took the trail. On Jan. 11 his brother, who lives within an eighth or a quarter of a mile from the dead man's cabin went over to see the brother. Not finding him at home, he presumed that Elmer had gone to the home of his father, John Hughes, who lives below Newton, and did not have any particular anxiety. When he later found out that this was not the case he gave the alarm and a search party was formed, resulting in the discovery of the body. That he died from exhaustion and exposure is the verdict of the coroner's jury.

Wm. Hughes, the brother, says he last saw him emerge from the cabin on Jan. 7, when he went to the top of the hill with some sausage and called to him, telling him to come and get the package.

The search party had several times passed where the body laid, and Geo. Varley, in passing the spot, slipped and fell in the snow. His feet kicked up the snow and he discovered the dead man. The corpse was within 200 feet of his cabin.

A deer had passed over the body, which was laying in a trail where a footlog crossed a small branch.

The father did not know of the death until Sunday.

Coroner Barrett impanelled the following jury, which found that death ensued from exhaustion and exposure: J M Hayden, Geo T Varley, Oscar Smith, Frank Elliott, Geo Fisher, Jake T Cox.

Hughes was well known at Hillsboro, and at Orencia, where he frequently worked at the nursery. He was a bachelor, and a man of exemplary habits. An uncle, Edward Hughes, also lives within a short distance of the Hughes cabin, and the night that Hughes died the uncle and the dead man's brother were together at the cabin of the elder Hughes.

## PETER APPLAGATE

Peter Applagate, father of Deputy Sheriff J. C. Apylegate, died at Central Point, Friday night. He was visiting a son, Clyde Applagate, and they spent the evening together. The father failing to come down to breakfast, Saturday morning, the son investigated, and found him dead, having succumbed to heart failure. He was the last son of pioneer Jesse Applagate. He was aged 58 years, and was born down on the Umpqua. He leaves a wife and the following children to mourn his loss—Mark and Clyde Applagate, Central Point; Miss Daisy, Salem; Miss Sue, in California; J. C., Hillsboro, and Miss Blanche, at Salem.

Deputy Applagate went to Salem Saturday, and from there to Central Point, where he brought the remains to Dr. In, for burial in the family plot.

Deceased was three times county recorder and once assessor of Jackson County, and served under Gov. Benson as state land agent.

Money to loan in any amount at 7 and 8 per cent. on acceptable farm properties. Make application now and have the money when you want it. Long terms if desired.—E. L. Perkins, Hillsboro, Ore.

Calvin Jack, Sr., of Portland, and J. H. Jack, of Scholls, were city visitors Friday afternoon.

If you want home made candy, oyster cocktails, or sweet apple cider, get it at Koeber's Confectionery. 32tf

## Bulk garden seeds and onion sets at Greers.

J. E. Bennett, of Orencia, was a city visitor Saturday.

Elmer Lyda, of Gales Creek, was in town Saturday, returning from a week at Portland.

If its shoes you need, buy them at Greer's, where you can buy them cheap. 47-50

For Sale—Nice, clean oat straw, at the Hare-Minter Bridge Ranch.—Inquire of Roy Hays.

C. F. Tizard, was up the last of the week, and filed for county commissioner on the republican ticket.

Pure maple syrup, direct from a New York farmer, now on sale at Greer's. Try a can.

J. W. Cornelius, of South of Cornelius, was down to Hillsboro, Saturday, greeting his county seat friends.

Onion seed for sale: Oregon Yellow Danvers, grown this year. Inquire of E. F. Wohler, Hillsboro, Oregon. Telephone Farmers 35x1. 46tf

Ben Patton, of below Beaver-ton, near Olson, was up to the city the last of the week, and transacted business at the tax county.

Pigeons for sale, cheap: Homers, Carneaux and Crosses. Have about 250 birds, which on account of my ill health, am obliged to sell.—E. F. Sias, Box 493, Hillsboro, Ore., or call at 565 Broadway. 34tf

N. P. Oakerman, of Portland, for many years a resident of this county, and well known in Odd Fellows circles, was out Friday, attending the funeral of the late Geo. Campbell.

I saw cordwood, poles up to 12 inches in diameter, fence rails, and boards of all kinds, into stovewood lengths. Will go into the country. Write, phone or call on me.—Carl Skow, Hillsboro. Phone, City 462, or call at Tualatin Hotel.

Leon L. Long, Paul C. Long and Clifford Long, all of whom have been visiting at Tacoma, returned Sunday, and spent the day with L. A. Long and family. Leon departed Monday morning for his home at Ravalli, Mont., and Clifford will remain on the coast, having disposed of his interests at Downsville, Wisconsin.

## TWENTY YEARS AGO

(From The Argus)

W. H. Rucker alarmed the town Monday night, and at midnight was telling the night watch that some one was trying to rob the First National Bank. Investigation showed that Ed. Bowen, a clerk in Greer's store, was emptying a coal oil tank. Bowen came in late to go to bed, and happened to notice that the tank was leaking. He hammered the burr loose and inserted the pump. The purring of the suction valve caused Mr. Rucker to imagine that it sounded like a drill boring through the vault doors. After the affair was cleared up Mr. Rucker told those whom he had alarmed that there he a drinking man, instead of a staid member of the church, he would treat them to something stronger than water.

A Spreitzer wishes to inform his patrons that hereafter all laundry work must be paid upon delivery.

The Maccabees initiated W. D. Bradford, E. L. McCormick and S. A. Byrne, of the Delta, Thursday evening. It was said that Byrne was given the finest initiation ever conferred on a candidate, and from the noises which came from Wehrung Hall the statement will stand uncontradicted.

S. A. D. Meek and Miss Gertrude Pasley were united in marriage Feb. 26.

D. W. Dobbins and John Hay hitched a horse for its first time to a buggy, this morning, and the equine ran away. The pace down Main Street was a whirlwind, and Hay swears the wind was blowing 60 miles an hour.

Eggs are selling this week at 8 and 9 cents.

A Forest Grove boy who recently moved there from Portland sent in the following composition in school: "One day I was in the country I saw a cow and I hit her with a rock and a dog bit me a sow chased me I fell out of a wagon and a bee stung me and the old gobbler flopped me and I went down to the branch and I fell in and got my pants wet." Some novel in a few words!

Sam Moon, supervisor for the Centerville district, is putting the sawmill hill road into shape.

## SPALDING LOGGING CO. MAKES BIG BUY

Will Cut 105 Million Feet Near Corvallis, Beginning at Once

ONE FARM KILLS 3800 GOPHERS

Spring Opens With Increased Activity All Over State

Many Hillsboro men have gone to the logging camps above Buxton and within the next month labor will be a scarce article in this section.

New industries are coming to the state, and in many towns the erection of new buildings and new plants have been announced. Everywhere in the state are the signs of steady, consistent and encouraging growth.

Marshfield—Sawmill at Isthmus Inlet to be operated this month.

Grants Pass—Dyer Company, of Cleveland, O., have contract for erecting \$600,000 sugar factory near here.

Portland to have new vaudeville theatre to cost \$425,000.

Spalding Logging Co. will cut 105,000,000 feet of logs back of Corvallis.

Plans on foot to irrigate 100,000 acres of Little and Big Agency plains in Jefferson and Crook counties.

Annually enough water goes to waste in Umatilla River to irrigate 100,000 acres land.

Portland—Pacific Coast Steel Co. plans to erect \$500,000 plant here.

Jackson County has good coal, but in January shipped in nearly 100 carloads. Capital needed for development.

Portland Brewing Co. resumes operation and will make non-alcoholic beer.

Ashland—\$13,000 to be spent remodeling hotel Oregon.

Astoria making fight to be designated as a naval base.

Independence—Wm. Riddell hired man to catch gophers on his farm. Result 3800 in one year at 25c each, or nearly a thousand dollars from this crop.

Monmouth gets \$5000 co-operative creamery plant.

Roseburg is planning a \$75,000 high school.

Stanfield—Swift Packing Co. makes 230,000 acre land purchase near here.

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