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GOOD ROADS ASS'N. ASKS FOR SPACE

Wish Orenco Meeting Transactions Given to Public

ALLEGED HAVE BEEN MISREPRESENTED

Send in Complete Record of Business at Recent Session

The executive committee of the Wash. Co. Good Roads Ass'n. sends in the following transcript of the meeting at Orenco, March 24, and wish it published to refute alleged reports which they claim are erroneous. They tell the Argus that the below is a correct report of everything, except the speeches in favor of the big bond issue:

"Whereas, The roads of Washington County should be improved and put into the best possible shape for travel the year round: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we the following citizens of Washington County, form ourselves into a permanent organization to be known as the Washington County Good Roads Association, and that the purpose of this organization shall be to work for good roads, and that as members of this Association we use our influence to have our separate road districts vote a special levy for road improvement whenever it is necessary: And be it further

Resolved, That the officers of this Association shall consist of a President, Secretary-Treasurer and an Executive Committee of one person from each road district. That meeting shall be held at such places and times as the Executive Committee shall deem necessary.

Whereas, The Road leading from the City of Hillsboro to the City of Portland, known as the Cornell Road, has a gap of about four miles that needs to be rock-ed, and should also be straightened in places, thus shortening the distance; and as this is one of the principal thoroughfares leading from the City of Portland to Valley Points, and has not in the past received just aid from the County: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That this association work to secure the rocking of this gap so that the road will be serviceable for travel the entire period of the year.

Whereas, There is a \$6,000,000 Bond Issue to be voted on June 4th for the purpose of building State Highways, and, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this meeting endorse the proposed Bond Issue and pledge its members to work and vote for same.

Whereas, There is a State wide interest on the subject of Good Roads at this time: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the executive committee of this association is hereby authorized to call a mass meeting to be held Saturday, May 26, at Orenco, Ore., to be known as "Good Roads Day," and secure speakers to discuss the \$6,000,000 Bond Issue to be voted on June 4, 1917, and other matters of interest to Good Roads.

Whereas, The people living south of Orenco have no way of entering the town except by coming up over a hill which is very steep and up which it is hard for a team to pull an empty

rig; and as they have to make a wide detour to even get to the hill; and

Whereas, The people living along the route of the proposed road, which will connect the Baseline Road with the Reedville Road due south from Orenco, have nearly unanimously signed a petition to the Honorable County Court to have said road opened, and have also donated labor and right-of-ways for same, and the citizens of Orenco have also donated labor and cash to help open up the road and grade said hill and have been assured of cheap rock for surfacing said hill; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Association pledge its moral support to the people of that neighborhood in their efforts to secure the said road.

Mr. Chairman, I move that a committee of five be appointed to interview the County Court on the matter of taking up New Roads and vacating of old roads as shown by the County Surveyor's Report; also to provide for the rocking of the four mile gap on the Hillsboro, Orenco, Portland Road.

Spirella Corsets—Not sold in stores. A question and a suggestion. Have you any corset troubles? If so, let Spirella service cure them. Over three million satisfied Spirella wearers testify to the ease, comfort and perfection of style produced by Spirella corsets. Many exclusive designs from which to select the corset best suited to your individual needs. A Spirella residence corsetier in this field. My advice, experience and training are at your service, without obligation. Appointments by letter or telephone given prompt attention.—Telephone Main 384. Residence, Fifth and Jackson, Hillsboro, Ore. 51-11

Portland hop buyers are turning their hand to a little outside business these days. They are buying all over the county. They are not paying very much per pound, and do not make a great deal of profit on it, but it all helps. The wire is shipped to the allies in Europe, and a bar is inserted here and there, and it is then stretched for entanglements on the battle lines.

J. F. Carstens, of Banks, was down Saturday. He says that everybody is loyal up his way and the big matter of interest now pending is the road matter. Arrangements are under way for a joint debate on the bond matter and Supervisor Vanderzanden will take the affirmative.

For sale: Dairy and stock ranch of 300 acres with 75 cows and young stock, horses, and fully equipped. Will take smaller ranch up to \$10,000, as part payment. If interested address P. O. Box 112, Hillsboro, Oregon. 401f

Wm. Asbahr, of South Tualatin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Asbahr, is a member of Company C, having been one of the first to enlist from this section. He is at present guarding bridges in Southern Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Asbahr have lived here for 48 years, and have seen their sons rise to men's estate and enter places of honor and trust, all showing good accounts of themselves.

E. I. Kuratli has his office in the Hillsboro National Bank Bldg. Loans your money, insures your buildings, rents your houses, buys and sells your property, makes collections. Notary Public.—Also speaks German and Swiss. 421f

LOCAL POTATO CROP GETS GREAT RETURNS

Washington Co. Probably Sold More Than Any Sister County

BIGGEST MONEY EVER RECEIVED

Crop Sold All the Way From \$1 to \$3 per Hundred Weight, Cash

Washington County's potato crop was its big thing this year from an agricultural standpoint. The man who had planted from two to five acres of potatoes and had a fairly good yield was the man who got inside the money. Potatoes started selling early in the Fall at \$1.10 per hundred and before February closed the price had gone up to \$3. The market slumped a little in March, and then stiffened in April.

C. B. Buchanan, whose company has been the big buyer in this county, estimates that the new money brought to the county for the 1916 crop runs into round numbers the magnificent sum of \$600,000 if not a little more. He thinks that over 300,000 sacks have been sold and the average price to the grower has been over \$2 per sack. Mr. Buchanan says that there are still about six thousand sacks in the hands of the growers.

State Industrial News

Albany working to secure cannery.

Eugene—W. B. Hall to start new shingle mill in Lane county.

LaGrande has gasoline motor car service to Elgin via O. W. R. & N. 24-tf

Portland—200 foot wooden ship launched for Libby McNeil & Libby.

Lebanon—\$10,000 subscribed for cannery here.

Bend will vote on \$30,000 school bond issue.—Power plant will build \$30,000 addition.

Oregon City—\$1,000,000 Hawley Pulp Paper mill starts here.

Lakeview—584 head of cattle sell for \$23,360.

Heppner farmers to build \$18,000 grain elevator.

Ontario Fruitland people to build \$15,000 cannery.

Pendleton—Blewett Harvester Co. has 37 men at work on construction of 40 harvesters.

J. R. McNew, of Scofield, was in town Monday. He recently received a letter from Miss Cora Burchell, daughter of H. L. Burchell, who is now with the Seattle Red Cross. Miss Burchell thinks that it is the duty of all young men not married and with no one dependent on them, to get into training, and that young women who can should join the Red Cross. Miss Burchell is well known up at Scofield and Buxton, and is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McNew, of Hazeldale.

Judge Reasoner last week heard the case in probate where J. N. Atterbury fought removal as guardian of the estate of Geo. Robinson. The Court decreed that there was no evidence to warrant removing Mr. Atterbury. The estate is worth in the neighborhood of \$30,000 with some liabilities that constitute a heavy interest charge.

Work has started on the Wilsonville bridge across the Willamette, and the work will continue all Summer. The construction will be slow owing to trains passing every few hours.

Wanted—Hogs of all kinds, sheep, beef, poultry of all kinds.—C. K. Rogers, Beaverton, Rt. 4, Box 20. Phone Beaverton 53, line 3. Will call at any place designated. 37-tf

M. N. Bonham, who closed a successful term of school at Midway, between Laurel and Scholls, last Friday, was in town Saturday. His school had a delightful closing day program Friday night.

G. P. Martin, of Tualatin, was in town Monday. He says that onion land down his way is still under water and they are as late as we are up here where the altitude is higher.

F. J. Williams was in the city Monday morning. He will run his cannery to capacity this year and expects to turn out 25 to 50 per cent. more product.

M. Sturm Jr., of Blooming, was in town Saturday, enroute home from Portland, where Mrs. Sturm visited for medical treatment.

Ben Dogley, of Banks, was greeting friends in Hillsboro Sunday.

M. J. R. coffee at Greer's. Try the Argus for one year.

John Oppenlander, of Varley, was in the city Friday.

Alfred Erickson, of Mountindale, was in town Monday.

Geo. Hathorn was in from Laurel, Saturday.

N. Bennett, of Laurel, was in town Saturday.

Bulk garden seeds—the freshest and best to buy.—Greer's.

W. B. Peterson, of Reedville, was a county seat visitor Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Myers, of Chehalis Mountain, were in the city Friday.

Robt. McKnight, the Meek Plains hopman, was in the city the first of the week.

Wm. Josse, of West Union, was greeting friends in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Peters, of above North Plains, were in the city Monday.

W. K. Newell, of Gaston, was transacting business in the city the first of the week.

Ben Thurner, of above Blooming, was greeting friends here Monday afternoon.

Dr. Via, of Buxton, came down Monday on consultation in a case with Dr. Hyde.

Gerhard and Fred Goetze, of above Blooming, were in town Saturday, enroute to Portland.

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White Leghorn eggs for sale for hatching purposes; good laying strain. Sixty cents per dozen.—Box 27, Reedville, Or. 5

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Lawn mowers put in shape and sharpened. Will call. Telephone The Palm, City 166, and will come at once.—W. S. Tilton. 6

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GRANGERS LISTEN TO PAUL V. MARIS

County Agent Leader of Oregon Agricultural College Here

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY OPEN MEET

Agitation on to Have County Agent Here to Co-operate With Farmers

Hillsboro Lodge Patrons of Husbandry met Saturday and enjoyed a good program, with a big dinner. In the afternoon there was an open meeting, which was addressed by Paul V. Maris, of Oregon Agricultural College. Mr. Maris is the County Agent Leader in the state, and he says that with the establishing of county agents over the state a vast deal of good is accomplished. The state pays half the expense and the county liquidates the remainder.

The County Agent works in unison with committees appointed by either the Granges or the county court, and matters pertaining to the best interests of the farmers are threshed out. Practical farming, the best principles of diversified farming, better handling of dairy work and the matter of cooperation is gone into, along with many general welfare provisions. Mr. Maris' address was listened to with much interest and an effort will be made this Fall to have the county have the appropriation for an agent in the budget.

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