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PRICE LEVELS

The Argus is of the opinion that price levels of the past will never again obtain, and for one to look for a fall to the old basis of pre-war times is begging the question. The war, while costing millions of treasure and human lives, has brought the world into closer communion. Europeans have learned that America has paid her men better in every avenue of life than the old world, and labor over there will ask a better mead—and demand and get it. So it is over here. Money has been augmented in volume, and while the world would be appalled at the sum total of future liabilities which must be paid it is hardly possible that this will affect prices to the extent of lowering them to the old status. The price of farm products largely depends on the wage scale of the great stomach that consumes what the producer raises, and a good price is always a stimulant to production. Taken by and large we are always better off with "cheap money" than we are when money is "dear," for dear money means cheap product and cheap labor—and we have more money based on sound backing today than ever before.

Business men and investors waiting for a regime of cheap muscle and cheap food for that muscle, are discounting the success of the producer as well as the success of labor, and their wait may be in vain.

Gov. Ben Olcott promises to make good as Governor of Oregon. He is taking hold as tho he were to the "manor born" and he enters into the spirit of reconstruction with his usual ability to handle big things. Ben may have his faults as well as his virtues, but the Argus is of the opinion that he will prove a worthy executive.

With the smile of sunshine playing over the features of old Washington County the season is drawing nigh when our county roads will be improved here and there—and there's going to be better "going" this Winter.

A healthy ego is a wonderful thing to possess, but when a man possesses it to a degree that it swells a No. 6 head to the size of a haystack it has its disadvantages, B'Gosh!

Sunday morning's sermon subject at the Methodist church is "The Burden of Intercession." All other services same as usual. You are cordially invited to all.

Frank Keenon, of beyond North Plains, was a city caller this morning. The Argus remembers when F. M. could lift the rear of a thresher before breakfast.

For Sale—Thoroughbred Holstein bull calf, eligible to registry; 5 months old, out of fine milking strain. Will sell very reasonable.—Jesse Hanson, Beaverton, R. 2, Box 86; near Bethany. Phone Hillsboro central 29RX2.

ROSE FESTIVAL

Portland, Ore., March 20—Included in the elaborate plans for a monster celebration of the Victory Rose Festival here, June 11, 12 and 13, 1919, is a flight by military airplanes from the Government field at Los Angeles to Portland where an air meet is to be held.

A series of military pageants will be included in the program and the annual inspection of the Portland Police Department coupled with an extensive demonstration of Safety First work will be one of the features for the opening day.

The directors have offered a cash prize of \$15 for the best slogan of seven words and a \$25 cash prize for the most appropriate poster. All entries must be submitted to the Festival headquarters, 218 Pittcock Block, Portland, Oregon, not later than 5 P. M., March 31st.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

By Leo Goar

Last Monday the student body had the pleasure of hearing one of the former students telling a few things he saw in France. Atha Russell told about the living conditions of the French people and also of the ways of transportation. Atha said that cattle cars were generally used to transport troops in. He said the cars held 8 horses, or forty men, mostly forty men. He brought a gas mask with him and showed the students how it worked.

Archie Pitman, who has returned from overseas, has entered school as a regular student.

On Monday morning Coach Schoth and Manager Carter gave short talks on how we won the Corvallis game last Friday.

Tuesday night the school assembly was transformed into a regular court-room for a mock trial. A jury composed of business men sat along one side of the room, while the tables of the attorneys occupied the front. John R. Pinkerton was accused of smoking on the school grounds. The defendant's attorneys were Edward Wall and Earl Carter, and the prosecuting attorneys were Harold Briggs and Ben Layman. The jury returned a verdict of guilty.

The boys' basket ball team came home with the scalp of the Corvallis High dangling from their belt. The game was played at Corvallis last Friday night and was one of the hardest fought of the season, the score standing 23 to 13 in favor of Hillsboro. This makes our 4th straight victory and no defeats, and is the best showing a Hill team has made for some time. We play Astoria and Seaside this Friday and Saturday, on their own floors. The following are the players who will go to Seaside and Astoria Friday: Carter, Roy, Goar, Patterson, Stofers and Bagley.

NEW BATTERY STATION

One of the most completely equipped Battery Charging and Repair Stations in the state will open in Hillsboro under the management of E. W. Reeves, a well known local Electrician of over ten years experience in the Storage Battery work.

Among the features incorporated in the new Service Station is a Steam Plant for opening up batteries which will enable the owner to ascertain just what is wrong with his battery in a few minutes. This is something new in Battery Engineering and eliminates all breakage, of which the owner usually has to pay.

The new Service Station will be known as the Hillsboro Battery Service Station, located at 1130 Second St., and will carry the most complete line of batteries and parts in the county. They are the Authorized Service Station of the U. S. L. Co. and are equipped to give service and repair on any battery made.

Take your troubles to them for adjustment, and do not fail to take advantage of their Free Service.

Nels Hanson and son, Jesse, of near Bethany, were city callers Tuesday.

OLD TUALATIN HOTEL TO QUIT BUSINESS

Seventy-Foot Frontage, 150 Feet Deep, Sold to Nathan Weil

STORE BUILDING TO GO UP

Price Said to be Around \$6500 —Hotel to Quit in Fortnight

Nathan Weil, of Portland, at the head of Hillsboro Weil's Department Store, has purchased seventy-foot frontage by 150 feet deep on the Tualatin Hotel site, on Main Street, the property bought running east from the Delta Drug Store, and the consideration is said to be \$6,500. This leaves W. McQuillan, who purchased the property some time ago from J. H. Foote, a frontage of 30 feet clear through to Lincoln St., and a frontage of 100 feet on that thoroughfare, opposite the City Library.

Mr. Weil and his sons expect to build a two-story brick in the not distant future, so it will be ready for occupancy by the store by next Fall.

Mr. McQuillan will move the East wing of the hotel to the rear. The old structure will be razed.

The older part of the building was built in the sixties and Asa Williams was the first hotel keeper.

The thirty feet remaining is under option of date to another party whose name cannot be learned. If the option is not taken up Mr. Weil has a contract for purchase as the entire frontage is wanted for mercantile purposes.

The erection of a brick on this property will give the north side of Main, between Second and Third, a solid brick front, and will add much to the block.

Mr. McQuillan has not at all done badly in the transaction. He has the 30 feet clear through to Lincoln, besides the rear of the 70 feet for about \$1,500—and this means making money faster than in the hotel business.

The dining-room will be closed in about two weeks, when operations for building will begin.

ALBERS THREE YEARS

Henry Albers, millionaire mill man, was on Monday sentenced to three years imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$10,000. Albers was convicted of violating the espionage law. He is well known in this county.

AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction at the Main St. Feed Stable, between Third and Fourth, in Hillsboro, at 1:30 p. m., on

SATURDAY, MARCH 29,

Double disc, Monitor drill in good shape, good as new; nearly new 8-ft corrugated iron land roller; 5-ft cut Milwaukee mower; 10-ft Champion hayrake; 14-inch Oliver steel plow; 12-inch J. I Case steel beam plow, 60-tooth pegtooth harrow, 15-tooth spring tooth harrow, rubber-tired buggy, good repair, set new buggy harness, hack, 5-shovel cultivator, Old Trusty 150-egg incubator, good repair; 3 ten-gallon milk cans, 2 hayforks, nearly new steel frame grindstone, and other small articles used on a farm; all implements in good condition.

Terms of Sale—\$20 and under cash; over, 6 months' time, approved note at 8 per cent. Two per cent. off on all sums over \$20 if cash is paid. Nothing to be removed until settled for.

Mrs. I. F. Hoard, Owner.

J. C. Kurath, Auctioneer. John Vanderwal, Clerk.

For Sale—Nearly new "Dairy Maid" International Harvester cream separator 450 lb. size, very close skimmer, used one month, \$40. Also No. 8 hay and green feed chopper, used few times, big enough for few cows, for quick sale, \$15. A. C. Sellers, Argus.

Try the Argus, \$1.50 per year.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Gladis L. Grant, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as by law required, to the undersigned, at the office of J. O. Stearns, at Rooms 202-205, Washington Building, Portland, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published March 20, 1919.

Josephine H. Booth, Administratrix. J. O. Stearns, Attorney for Estate.

NOTICE

To all Persons Concerned—You are hereby notified that it is the intention of the German Mutual Fire Insurance Association, Incorporated, of Washington County, Oregon, to amend Article 1 of its Articles of Incorporation, so that it shall read as follows:

ARTICLE I

The name by which this Corporation shall be known and under which it shall do business is the "Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association, Incorporated, of Washington County, Oregon." This action is taken and this notice published by virtue of a Resolution of the Board of Directors duly and regularly introduced and passed at a regular meeting of said board, by a unanimous vote of all of the Directors of said Company.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1919.

Samuel Graf, President, Erwin Ritter, Secretary.

CANNON MEDALS

Mrs. Sarah Evans, of Portland, writes that two million medals from captured German cannon will be distributed to Victory Loan workers. Mrs. L. W. Hyde, chairman for this county for the women, will send in a list of the names of workers so each will get a medal.

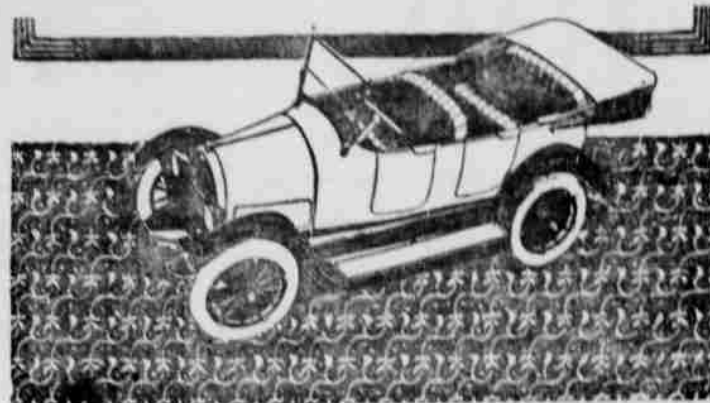
If you think the tires don't make the machine, try going 50 miles without any. Then go to Perkins' Second St. Garage, at Hillsboro, and buy the Miller tires and note the difference in your machine. 2-1f

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We report results.
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We pay the expense.
We take the blame.

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The superior cantilever spring equipment of these cars make your wheels ROLL, instead of BOUNCE, over the rough spots.

Let me demonstrate, and see for yourself.

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THE ROLLER SKATING MULE

The only one in America using ball-bearing skates.

FUN THRILLS FUN

And Many Other Stunts

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THE BICYCLE RIDING MONK

Also rides a pony and goat at the same time.

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THE WONDERFUL MIND READING AND TRICK PONY

DOG

The Only in the world that walks two slack wires at once

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The Mule

Try to ride her and win a big prize. A thousand laughs in one.

THE TRAMP CLOWN

ONE THAT WILL SEND YOU HOME WITH THAT "GLAD-I-COME" FEELING.

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"Doug" Fairbanks in "The Habit of Happiness"

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LIBERTY SATURDAY ONLY

MATINEE AND NIGHT

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