

# THE HILLSBORO ARGUS

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The Highway Commission is having its troubles over the high cost of materials and labor. The idea is now to cut down the width of the roadbed in places. Well—anything but the roads we now do not enjoy. A six-foot roadway of hard surface with a macadam shoulder on each side would be better than the spring-breaker tracks one now must follow.

Oregon women can vote for President, members of Congress, or any old thing, just the same as the genus homo. So why waste the perfectly good time of legislators in convention to ratify the National amendment?

Don't kick because the pinhead sits in judgment. He can't help it any more than a bench-legged pup can help but bristle at the dead carcass of a mastiff.

Discharged service men whose insurance has lapsed can get it re-instated by writing to Insurance Office, Western Dept., 501 Sante Fe Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Andrew Heckman, of Bethany, was in town this afternoon. Andrew is still interested in permanent road work, and has built many miles of this kind of highway in the old days.

Mrs. Frank Reynolds, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Powell, for several months, returned to her home in the Big Bend country, on the upper Columbia, the first of the week. She visited with her sister, Mrs. G. A. Reynolds, at Elma, Wash., on her return.

For Rent—Forty-six acre farm, 32 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture; good buildings; farming implements in good repair, go with place; also good team of horses; 1/2 mile from railroad; near good school. Terms, \$500 a year; \$800 down, balance secured by mortgage on crop. Can lease from one to five years, if satisfactory. Will give possession of place Oct. 1.—Martha M. Rice, Cherry Grove, Ore. 22-24

Mrs. A. L. Trautman and son and daughter went off the grade on the Jolly Plains hill, near the Chris Peterson place, one day last week, and their machine tipped over, throwing the three occupants out. Mrs. Trautman suffered a badly bruised shoulder, but otherwise the party escaped injury. The machine tipped, owing to the driver getting too far over the edge in order to avoid a passing machine.

Three divorce cases were started by Portland people in circuit court this week. Ben H. Baker, who married at Vancouver, in 1914, says his wife deserted him in 1918, while they were living at the Willamette Moorage Club, a houseboat colony, and he wants his freedom. Philmore Daniels, who was married at the same Greta Green, sues Norma Helen Daniels for separation, alleging the wife has an uncontrollable desire to have companionship with other men, who came to his home and took her away to dances until the wee small hours. Ellen Mellis, who married A. J. Mellis in 1912, wants a divorce and \$80 per month alimony for the support of their son, aged 4 years. She says that Arthur Ikeg other women, has told her to go to h—, and once struck her.

## CITY DADS MEET

The City Council met for the August session Tuesday night, and the usual grist of claims was allowed. An ordinance was ordered drawn, touching on the laying of sidewalk around the Crescent Theatre. The attorneys of the Oregon Electric asked for repeal of the ordinance requiring that the space between the rails on Washington, between Sixth and Seventh, be paved. This was granted, and the company will lay rock and gravel in the interstice.

R. R. Easter, of the water and light plant, was before the council and asked for hearty co-operation on the part of the city, and said that the North Coast people would do all in their power to satisfy the city, but said that support of genuine character was asked. He stated that he had the State Board of Health's recent analysis, which showed that the water was O. K., and it would be given publicity in the press.

Byron Garrett's claim for \$100 for damages by reason of a platform falling at the city park July 5, was placed on file.

## CARD OF THANKS

To all who so kindly offered aid and sympathy in our late bereavement, the death of our dear mother, we extend our heartfelt gratitude, and we also thank Undertaker Donelson for his kindly courtesy.

W. T. Shackelford,  
H. D. Shackelford,  
Mary Shackelford.

Portland, Ore., R. F. D. 2, August 6, 1919.

## MILK \$3.15

The Carnation schedule for milk for the first half of August is \$3.15 per cwt. This is an advance of twenty cents over the July quotation.

May L. Goodrich, of Forest Grove, has sued Arthur Goodrich for divorce, alleging that she has given her husband \$35 since his return from U. S. service, and that while he was in the service he insisted she give him half the government allotment, which she did, thinking she had to. She says he has not contributed to her support or the support of the minor child, a boy, and she asks the court to give her \$40 per month as alimony. She alleges he works for the American Express Co., at Astoria, and makes five bucks daily. She also avers that the husband gave her endearing excerpts from a letter from another woman, hence she wants Arthur to go on the sidewalk.

Wm. Spence, of Gaston, on August 5 suffered a dislocation of his spine, and may die. He was putting in hay, when in some manner he stepped on the tripline, precipitating the load, which had reached the top of the barn, back on to the hayrack, pinning Spence. Spence is a brother of Peter Spence, of the S. P. freight department, Portland, and he is living with his sister, Jane Spence. The injured man is prominent as a K. of P.

Jas. McCain, McMinnville attorney, remembered here as the counsel for X. N. Steeves when that attorney was tried for the murder of Geo. Sayres, died at the Yamhill county seat, August 5. He was noted as a defender in criminal suits.

Washington County service men landing yesterday at New York are Cecil H. Bennett, Cornelius, and Lewis and John H. Pointer, sons of Theodore Pointer, of Hillsdale.

Literary program and ice cream social, at the Helvetia Church, Saturday evening, Aug. 16, proceeds for church improvement. Everybody invited. 23

Lester Glascoe fell from the family woodshed, Sunday, and sustained a broken arm. Dr. E. H. Smith reduced the fracture.



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The Weil building is progressing rapidly these days, and the brick work will have been completed in a fortnight. The Weils are discovering that with advanced prices the structure is going to cost them away in excess of the original estimate. They are doing the work on force account.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Olsen and daughter, Miss Gertha, left the first of the week for their annual vacation over in the Alsea-Waldport section. Fred is congratulating himself that he knows more about the habits of clams and fish than any other Hillsborite, and he expects to come back full of the juice of seven seas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Schulmerich were up from Scholls yesterday. Bruce has in nearly fifty acres of potatoes this year, with prospects for a pretty fair crop on the bulk of the acreage. What with about 14 acres of onions, and a big dairy herd Schulmerich has had about all he could handle.

Special Officer Wm. McQuilman made several arrests down on the state highway construction the other day. Travelers in machines have thrown down the barricades and have driven over the highway before it was opened, and this was wanton trespass. Following the arrests the violations were much less frequent.

For Sale—Mare, 7 years old; weighs about 1050; good buggy or work animals; three mules, 2 of them 6 years old; weigh from 1100 to 1250; all good work animals. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once.—Bruce Schulmerich, Hillsboro, Route 2. Residing near Scholls, on Laurel-Scholls road. 22-24

J. E. Reeves has 10 acres of fine looking onions on his ranch south of Cornelius, and J. E. has done the greater part of the work all by himself. He will realize finely on the product if there is anything like a decent price. A little shower would mean hundreds of dollars to the crop, but it promises to be a good yield any way.

Jonas Moline, of near Reedville, was a caller yesterday.

Nels Larsen, of below the Minter bridge, was a caller yesterday.

Born, to Rudolph Meyer and wife, Blooming, Aug. 1, 1919, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Craig, Hillsboro, Aug. 3, 1919, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Foege, of near Elmonica, were city callers today.

Francis Cota has departed for a visit with relatives at Aurora, Kansas.

John McClaren, of upper Gales, was down to the city this afternoon.

C. E. Potts, the Gales Creek contractor, was an Argus caller this morning.

Clifford Meats and Mabel Olson, Beaverton, were married in Vancouver, August 6.

Henry Fugy, of Phillips, was in town this morning, paying tribute to the local garages.

Harry Guild, with the Oregon Journal, is again in the harness, after a ten days' vacation.

John B. Dorland, of Shady Brook, was greeting acquaintances in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Maud Lake, of Gresham, is in the city, the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. M. Pittenger.

Miss Alice Sewell, of Portland, was out this morning, on business with City Recorder McCormick.

Mrs. L. A. Long and daughter, Margaret, are spending the week with the G. W. Wells and B. K. Longs, in Portland.

Dr. E. H. Smith this week operated on the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wolf, of Gaston, for appendicitis.

C. M. Seefeld, of Strassel, who first went there over 30 years ago, was down to the city yesterday, and called on the religion weekly.

John Engledinger, of Vancouver, Wash., is over on a short visit to the old home town. He had three sons, Geo., Fred and Vincent, in the service.

J. C. Buchanan raised over 140 tons of Loganberries in his yards between Cornelius and Forest Grove, and the crop was sold for a good stiff price.

Wm. Gray departed last evening for San Francisco, to again receive treatment at the United States Hospital for his injury received in service in France.

Arthur Knaus, of Portland, was united in marriage to Maude Hamel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamel, of West Union, at Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 5, 1919.

Chris Peterson, of Jolly Plains, and W. J. Gregg, of Leisville, were city callers today. Gregg recently threshed 42 bushels of wheat per acre from a sixteen-acre lot.

Attorney S. B. Huston, formerly of Hillsboro, and M. B. Meacham, attorney, have formed a partnership with offices in the Chamber of Commerce Bldg., in Portland.

## Notice to Water Consumers

In answer to the many false and highly magnified rumors of contamination to your water supply, the North Coast Power Company begs to submit for your information, the following reports of tests made of water taken from your water system:

Sample from Hillsboro mains, submitted by Dr. J. O. Robb.

"This (test) proves the water to be free from contamination and safe for domestic use at above date. (August 1, 1919.)"

STATE HEALTH OFFICER,  
David N. Roberg.

Sample from intake to reservoir, submitted by Dr. Robb.

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Statement by Dr. Robb—

"Waters referred to in the above tests were of samples which I, personally, took on August 1st, 1919, from the sources above mentioned in sterilized containers furnished by the respective laboratories."

J. O. ROBB  
Your water utility is glad to submit this clean bill of health, and asks its patrons to have faith in the purity of the water supply, and also confidence in the ability of its operators to maintain it so.  
Hillsboro, August 6, 1919.

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