

FOR A COUNTY FAIR.

It seems that the efforts of Messrs. Wehrung and Wisdom, members of the state board of agriculture, have already aroused an interest in county exhibits. At its meeting Saturday the Corvallis Grange looked pretty thoroughly into the matter, and it has appeared to them that it would be a capital scheme to hold a county fair in Benton, even though there may be no concerted action regarding a county exhibit at the state fair.

At this time it is hoped that all classes of citizens will turn out and voice their ideas. The object of holding the county fair is not to make it a mere agricultural show, but to have every class of industry represented. It could be made a matter of much interest to all if properly managed. There could be a stock exhibit; a department of cereals; manufactures of various kinds; native inventive genius would receive recognition; all professional people and tradesmen would be encouraged to participate; fine arts of every nature should have a place; everything of a domestic character, pertaining to the household, needlework, embroidery, and hundreds of kindred features of particular interest to ladies would be on exhibition. Everybody having any curios, or relics of any character, time or age, would be earnestly solicited to give them a place at the fair.

The Fruit Crop.

Regarding the prospective yield of fruit this year in Oregon the Telegram has a very good summing up of the situation in the following:

Reports of the fruit crop of Oregon show that the damage hitherto reported has been, as usual, somewhat exaggerated. Even French prunes, that, according to the pessimists were all killed some months ago, now promise a yield of 100 per cent of a full crop in some parts of the state, and not less than 50 per cent in any large region. Fallenberg prunes run from 10 per cent in Southern Oregon to 100 per cent in Eastern Oregon. Pears and peaches are on the whole, from half to two-thirds of a crop, while apples, except in the Upper Willamette valley, are nearly a full crop. Apples are reported to give a prospect of a superabundant crop in all parts of the country, so that the price may be lower than usual, and while this will not be pleasing to apple-growers, it will be satisfactory to consumers, who for the past year or two have noticed a strong silver taste in the apples. Other fruits will bring a good price, either fresh or cured, and there will be no scarcity in Oregon. The horticultural board has been doing some excellent work in looking after orchards; fruitgrowers generally are becoming more intelligent and painstaking; and it will not be many years till Oregon will be able to stand in the front rank of fruit producing states, as regards both quantity and quality.

Born, Sunday night, July 1st, to the wife of Geo. B. January a daughter. Mr. January lives in the Burnett place near town. Attorney Joseph H. Wilson's new residence on Sixth and Jefferson streets is completed and he moved his family into it yesterday. Mr. Wilson can be complimented on having a very neat and tasty residence property.

James Cauthorn and family arrived Saturday from Portland, where they have resided for the past year or such a matter. They intend to again take up their residence in this city, where they resided for so many years in the past. Mr. Cauthorn's health is still poor, but he is still able to get around a little.

Strayed

About May 10th, a gray mare, 12 years old; weight about 1300 pounds. Finder please report at this office, or return to C. A. Woods.

A New Departure

At her death, which occurred a few months ago, Mrs. Mary E. Lilly left an estate consisting of 1460 acres of land situated near Wren. It has fine farm buildings on it, is well stocked with fruit, farming implements, etc., and is well provided for in the way of live stock. There are seven heirs, and after due consideration they have determined to keep the settlement of the estate out of the courts, fearing entanglements that might be of great expense and involve even years before they should have it free. On the other hand, left as it is it is one of the finest places in Benton county, but should it be divided into seven separate tracts it would be at a sacrifice to all, it is thought. In pursuance of this idea the heirs have inaugurated a new regime for the handling of an estate of this nature and Saturday they caused articles of incorporation to be filed with the county clerk. The company incorporated under the name of the "Lilly Company," it is on a share basis, each share being valued at a certain figure, and there are the usual officers to be elected by the stock holders. George E. Horace and Homer Lilly are the incorporators. This is simply an experiment and there may be a little difference of opinion, even among legal lights, as to the success of this new departure, but it is the intention of the incorporators to abandon the project should it fail to fulfill its promise.

It has a Meaning.

There is something on foot all right in railroad circles regarding Central Oregon, and several different companies are striving for the advantage in the way of franchise, right-of-way, etc. Among others the C. & E. is looking out for its interests pretty sharply. Hon. J. K. Weatherford has just returned to his home in Albany, and it is stated that he has been through to Eastern Oregon in the interest of the C. & E., and that he has filed a map of right-of-way through the mountains. This action has a very favorable aspect, and should this company extend its line through to Eastern Oregon it would cause much rejoicing among the people who reside along the entire line, as it would prove of great benefit to them in many ways. Can it be that after so many years passed, alternating in hope and despair, that the much-hoped-for is going to come to pass? From what can be gathered from outside sources there is every reason to hope that there is a movement contemplated, that, if executed, will cause much satisfaction to the people of this vicinity.

Ko-nut—a pure sterilized vegetable fat, at Zieroff's.

Veterans, Attention!

All old soldiers are requested to meet at the cigar store of D. C. Rose on the morning of the 4th, at 10 o'clock, where they will form for the parade.

Milch Cows for Sale.

Two Jerseys, one Holstein, one Durham. For particulars address, J. H. EDWARDS, Dusty, Or.

To O. A. C. Cadets.

It is the desire of the citizens of Corvallis that a company of cadets participate in the parade on the Fourth of July, therefore I earnestly request all cadets of the O. A. C. now in this vicinity to assemble at the college armory at 10 a. m. July 4th.

J. C. Kennedy, Roanoke, Tenn., says, "I cannot say too much for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. One box cured what they called an incurable ulcer on my jaw. It cured all piles and skin diseases. Look out for worthless imitations. Graham & Wells."

For Sale.

We have now on hand the finest and most complete stock of fish lumber and the best grade of flooring, rustic, etc., ever seen in Corvallis. Also cedar posts in any quantity. We have a good fair grade of cedar shingles which we are offering for \$1.40 per thousand. CORVALLIS SAWMILL COMPANY.

The easiest and most effective method of purifying the blood and invigorating the system is to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for cleansing the liver and bowels. Graham & Wells.

Local Train Service.

Beginning July 2nd there will be a local train leaving Corvallis at 6 a. m. for Albany; returning, leaves Albany at 7:20 p. m. for Corvallis, arriving here at 8:05. This train connects at Albany with S. P. Albany and Portland local, Daily, except Sunday.

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Mid-Summer Reduction Sale.

Shirt waists, crash skirts and crash suits at 20 per cent discount. Some mens suits at half-price at Miller's.

Notice to Bidders.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Corvallis Celebration Committee up to 3 p. m. Saturday, June 30, 1900, for the exclusive privilege of conducting a stand for the sale of refreshments at Kiger's track on July 3; also for similar privilege at the Court House Grounds, July 4. Separate bids must be made for each concession. All bids should be directed to the "Fourth of July Committee, Corvallis, Oregon." The envelopes enclosing the bids should be labeled "Bids for Stand Privileges." The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated June 27, 1900, Corvallis, Oregon.

Notice to Delinquent Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that the delinquent tax-roll has been returned to me, together with a warrant for the collection of the taxes therein. In pursuance thereof we will proceed immediately to levy on and sell property for said taxes. PETER RICKARD, Sheriff of Benton County.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Martha Jane Rice, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Benton county. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same duly verified to me at my residence in Kings Valley, Benton county, Oregon, or at the law office of E. Holgate in Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Dated this 22nd day of June, 1900. CHARLES E. RICE, Executor.

J. Q. Hood, Justice of the Peace, Crosby Minn., makes the following statement: "I can certify that One Minute Cough Cure will do all that is claimed for it. My wife could not get her breath and the first dose relieved her. It has also benefited my whole family." It acts immediately and cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe, bronchitis, asthma and all throat and lung troubles. Graham & Wells.

"DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the finest pills I ever used."—D. J. Moore, Millbrook, Ala. They quickly cure all liver and bowel trouble. Graham & Wells.

For Sale.

Clean, bright stock of Ladies' Furnishing Goods and Fancy Goods. Address Box 415, Corvallis, Oregon.

"After suffering from severe dyspepsia over 12 years and using many remedies without permanent good I finally took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It did me so much good I recommend it to everyone." writes J. E. Watkins, Clerk and Recorder, Chillicothe, Mo. It digests what you eat. Graham & Wells.

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On improved farm security, long or short time, in sums of \$500 or more. No commissions, no agents. For particulars, address P. O. Box 145, Albany, Or.

To Exchange.

Property in Corvallis and vicinity for Portland property. For particulars address Box 77, Portland, Oregon.

Get your Job Work done here

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Shirt waists, crash skirts and crash suits at 20 per cent discount. Some mens suits at half-price at Miller's.

W. H. Musser, Millheim, Pa., saved the life of his little girl by giving her One Minute Cough Cure when she was dying from croup. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It quickly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, grippe, asthma and all throat and lung trouble. Graham & Wells.

For Sale or Exchange.

Four lots, improved, in Avery's Add. to Corvallis, for sale; or will exchange for small stock ranch. For further particulars enquire of U. G. BERRY, Peoria, Oregon.

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The Eagle Will Scream In Corvallis, July 4th, 1900.

We have a store full of wearables appropriate to the occasion and at right prices.

Wash Dress Goods, Shirt Waists, Separate Skirts, Ladies and Children's Shoes, Ribbons, Laces, Hosiery, Gloves, Parasols, Etc.

For Men and Boys we have Serge Suits, Crash Suits, Light Weight Suits, Bicycle Suits, White Duck Pants, Negligee Shirts, Linen Dusters, Summer-weight Underwear, Straw Hats, Light Weight Shoes, Flags, Bunting, Etc.

You will have money left for other purposes if you let us supply your wants for this occasion.



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Table with train routes and times: Ar Ogden, Ar Denver, Ar Kansas City, Ar Chicago.

Table with train routes and times: Ar Los Angeles, Ar El Paso, Ar Fort Worth, Ar City of Mexico, Ar Houston, Ar New Orleans, Ar Washington, Ar New York.

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For Sale or Exchange.

One hundred and eighteen lots, in half and whole blocks, in the original town of Newport, that beautiful and beautiful summer resort, in Lincoln county, Oregon; some business lots; residence lots near the principal churches, school house, and other residences; also residence lots commanding beautiful views of ocean and bay.

Five fractional blocks, south of and near the State Agricultural College; all completely tiled, streets through and graded; beautiful, convenient and healthful for residence.

Large dwelling, barn and outhouses, centrally located on roomy and commodious grounds, in Corvallis; will exchange for farm near Corvallis.

Twenty acres highly improved, all tile drained, and in good state of cultivation; excellent roomy buildings; about one-fourth mile from Agricultural College.

Large and roomy house and stable and lot to Corvallis, good residence; two blocks from the Court House; high, rolling ground.

Eight nice residence lots, thoroughly tile drained, in Wilkins addition to Corvallis.

One lot and hotel, The Vincent House, on Front street, in Corvallis, centrally located.

Seventy-three acres, 4 in orchard, 18 in wheat, balance in grass, timber and pasture; situate west, adjoining the Odd Fellows Cemetery, near Corvallis.

Will exchange the town property named for suitable farm or acreage property, or will exchange the acreage property described for town property, or other farms or acreage, or will sell all of said property on reasonable terms and time at reasonable rates and prices. M. S. WOODCOCK, Corvallis, Oregon.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Oregon City, Oregon, June 19th, 1900. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 2, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

OF St. Charles Hotel, Portland, county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, in compliance with the provisions of the SW 1/4 of Section No. 14 in Township No. 12 S, Range No. 7 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of said office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Friday, the 7th day of September, 1900. He names as witnesses, Abraham Jones of Portland, Multnomah Co., Oregon; Rily Smith, of Portland, Multnomah Co., Oregon; W. J. Allen, of Philomath, Benton Co., Oregon; Lewis C. Stone of Valley City, Barnes Co., N. D.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of September, 1900. CHAS. E. MOORE, Register.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Geo. W. Dockingham, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Benton county. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same duly verified to me at my residence, near Dunst, in Benton county, Oregon, or at the law office of E. Holgate in Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Dated June 1, 1900. J. P. GRAGO, Executor.

"I had stomach trouble 20 years and gave up hope of being cured till I began to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It has done me so much good that I call it the savior of my life," writes W. R. Wilkinson, Albany, Tenn. It digests what you eat. Graham & Wells.

Notice of Executor's Sale of Real Property. To Whom It May Concern: By Virtue of an order of the county court of Marion county, Oregon, duly made and entered, the undersigned executor of the estate of C. J. Mulkey, deceased, late of Marion county, Oregon, will receive bids for the interest of said estate, and to the following described lands, to-wit: Claim 14 in Township 14 South, Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian, beginning at the southeast corner of said claim, running thence north 90 degrees 14 minutes east 14 minutes to 69.90 chains; thence west 16.62 chains; thence south 90 degrees 24 minutes east 60.23 chains to the south boundary line of said claim; thence north 89 degrees 18 minutes east to the place of beginning, containing 167 acres of land situate in Benton county, Oregon.

Terms of sale to cash in hand on the date of the confirmation of said sale by the said county court, and that from and after the 23rd day of June, 1900, that said executor shall proceed to sell said real estate at private sale; said bids to be addressed to my attorney, W. H. Holmes, at his office on Commercial Street, in Salem, Marion county, Oregon. The said bids will be received up to and including the 23rd day of June, 1900. MILES LEWIS, Executor of the Estate of C. J. Mulkey, Dec'd. Dated this 18th day of May, 1900.

Just a few left. Ladies' skirts to close at 25 per cent reduction. KLINE

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TIME CARD.

2 For Yaquina: Train leaves Albany 12:45 p. m. Corvallis 1:55 p. m. arrives Yaquina 7:25 p. m.

1 Returning: Leaves Yaquina... 6:00 a. m. Leaves Corvallis... 11:30 a. m. Arrives Albany... 12:15 p. m.

3 For Detroit: Leaves Albany... 7:40 a. m. Arrives Detroit... 11:30 a. m.

4 Returning: Leaves Detroit... 12:20 p. m. Arrives Albany... 5:45 p. m. One and two connect at Albany and Corvallis with Southern Pacific trains, giving direct service to and from Newport and adjacent beaches.

Trains for the mountains arrive at noon, giving ample time to reach camping grounds on the Breitenbush and Santiam river the same day.

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O.R.&N.

DEPART TIME SCHEDULES. ARRIVE

Atlantic Express 9 p. m. Salt Lake, Denver, Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East. Fast Mail 7:00 p. m.

Spokane Flyer 6:30 p. m. Walla Walla, Lewiston, Spokane, St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee, Chicago, and East. Spokane Flyer 8:40 a. m.

Ocean Steamships. All sailing dates subject to change. For San Francisco, Sail Dec. 3, 8, 13, 18, 23, 28, and every 5 days. 4 p. m.

Columbia River Steamer. To Astoria & way-landings. 4 p. m. Except Sunday

Willamette River. Oregon City, Newberg, Salem, and Way-landings. 4:30 p. m. Except Sunday

Willamette and Yamhill Rivers. Oregon City, Dayton & Way-landings. 3:30 p. m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday

Willamette River. Portland to Corvallis & Way-landings. 4:30 p. m. Daily

Snake River. Riparia to Lewis'n. Leave Lewiston 8:30 a. m. MR. THAYER, Local Agent.