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7th Annual Angora Goat Show

TO BE HELD AT

Dallas, Polk County, Oregon

Thursday and Friday, January 18 and 19, 1906.

The Seventh Angora Goat Show for the State of Oregon will be held in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, on Thursday and Friday, January 18 and 19, 1906, under the auspices of Polk County Mohair Association. The show will be open in the evening of the first day. Diplomas will be given to all prize winners. We would be pleased to hear from you, in what class you will enter, so that we may make our arrangements accordingly. No entrance fee will be charged. Feed will be furnished to exhibitors free.

Yours for success,

W. A. AYRES,
H. L. FENTON,
JAS. RIDDELL,
G. W. MCBEE,
J. I. REASONER

Committee.

There will be two grades of goats eligible for entry: Registered in one class, and Unregistered in another class. The following 45 prizes will be awarded in the Registered class, and the same number of prizes will be awarded in the unregistered class, making 90 prizes in all. All animals, except kids, competing for prizes must have been born in 1905.

FIRST, SECOND and THIRD PREMIUMS on	FIRST, SECOND and THIRD PREMIUMS on
Buck Kid born before March 15, 1905.	Doe Kid born before March 15, 1905
Same on Buck Kid born after March 15, 1905	Same on Doe Kid born after March 15, 1905
Same on Buck, 1 year old and under 2	Same on Doe, 1 year old and under 2
Same on Buck, 2 year old and under 3	Same on Doe, 2 year old and under 3
Same on Buck, 3 year old and under 4	Same on Doe, 3 year old and under 4
Same on Buck, 4 year old and over.	Same on Doe, 4 year old and over.

FIRST SECOND and THIRD PREMIUMS on Aged Doe, One Buck, One Yearling Doe and one Doe Kid. Remember that the same list of premiums is offered in each class. First, Second and Third Sweepstakes best Buck of any age and the same for Doe; same in each class.

SHEEP, SWINE AND POULTRY

Free space will be given to all those who desire to make an exhibit of Sheep, Swine and Poultry. The latter exhibits will be entirely independent of the goat show, and this arrangement is made simply to give the sheep growers and poultry raisers an opportunity to show their blooded stock.

Reduced Railroad Rates and Fares.

The Southern Pacific Company and the Salem, Falls City and Western Railway Company will charge their usual rate on all animals sent to the show for exhibit; but upon presentation of a receipt from the Secretary of the Association, these companies will return all animals to the point from which they were shipped free of charge.

The Southern Pacific Company will also grant a passenger rate of one and one-third fares for the round trip from any point on its lines in Oregon. The Salem, Falls City and Western Railway Company will grant a like reduction.

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Just Arrived Souvenir Plates of

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These goods were ordered for the Christmas trade and must be sold as soon as possible. We offer the entire line for the balance of this month at 20 per cent. discount on all purchases of \$1 or more.

Meiser & Meiser
Dallas, Oregon.

Merry Holiday Party.

Little Miss Lucile Dalton entertained twenty-five of her young friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Dalton, on the evening of December 26. Games were played, ice cream and cake were served, and a merry time was indulged in by the young people. Those present were: Mildred Owen, Mabel Ellis, Margaret Hodge, Opal McDevitt, Dole Pomeroy, Ted Cooper, of Independence; Johnny Burt, C. Butler, of Monmouth; Hallie Coad, Bessie Hayes, Pauline Van Orsdel, Effie Farley, Frances Byers, Buena Fiske, Claudia Coad, Pete Greenwood, Ervin Cone, Roy Finseth, Carl Fenton, Earl Burke, Robert Van Orsdel, Harry Byers, Clarence Reynolds, Charley Lynn, Oscar Smith.

Died.

FINLEY—At West Salem, Polk county, December 29, 1905, of cancer of the stomach, Andrew Finley, aged 82 years.

Mr. Finley had been a resident of Polk county for the past thirty years, having come to this state from Chatfield, Minn., in 1875. He was a native of Pennsylvania, having been born near Pittsburgh, and from there removed to Indiana when about 12 years of age. He was married sixty years ago to Mary E. Ward at South Bend, Indiana, and the results of the union were nine children, six boys and three girls, all of whom, except two, are living. Three of the children, Daniel, Edward and Frank are living in Salem. James M., Simon, William and Mrs. M. J. Welch still reside in Chatfield, Minn. Mrs. Finley is also living on the farm, where Mr. Finley died, she now being in her 70th year.—Salem Statesman.

It invigorates, strengthens and builds up. It keeps you in condition physically, mentally and morally. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Belt & Cherrington.

S. B. Huston, of Hillsboro, has made his declaration of principles for the Republican primary campaign which is to end April 20, when the party will choose its nominee for Congress in the First District. Candidate Toose announced his principles last week. Mr. Huston, like Mr. Toose, advocates harbor improvement of the Columbia River, Coos Bay and Yaquina Bay; National ownership of the Oregon City Locks; Chinese exclusion; more pay for rural mail-carriers; liberal pensions for soldiers of the Civil War and of Indian wars, and better recognition for Oregon in National irrigation projects.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FAVOR INDIRECT TAXATION

Would Raise Large Portion of State Taxes by Taxing Corporations and Franchises.

The following resolutions were adopted by the farmers' and shippers' congress, held under the auspices of the Willamette Valley Development League, at McMinnville on November 11, 1905:

"Whereas other states have found means of raising the larger part of the revenues needed for carrying on their respective state governments by indirect taxation, and in many states conducting the state government without levying any direct taxes on property; and

"Whereas the present system necessitates a state tax this year of over six mills, and the state tax has for many years averaged from five to eight mills, and is a serious obstacle to the development of the state; and

"Whereas the state legislature has failed to pass any and all bills introduced for the purpose of raising revenues by direct taxes on franchises and gross earnings of corporations now untaxed; now therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we as land owners and business men in mass convention assembled protest against a continuance of the present system of taxation, and as we sincerely believe the present system is an unjust one to the producers and owners of farms, homes and personal property who produce and own the tangible wealth of the state.

"Resolved, That at least one half of the state revenues should be derived from indirect sources and intangible property of corporations, and gross earnings of the same, inheritance taxes, income taxes, taxes on stocks and bonds.

"Resolved, That taxation should be extended in that direction so as to reduce the direct taxes for state purposes to not over three mills per annum, and that all revenues required above that limit be obtained by indirect taxation along the lines above indicated."

"Hall of Shame" for Grafters.

An eccentric millionaire of Pennsylvania has evolved an idea that he believes will act as a deterrent to graft and capitalistic oppression. His opinion is that a "Hall of Shame" should be erected where the names of those who have won notoriety by outrageous acts within the pale of the law may find disreputable immortality. He offers \$200,000 toward building a "Hall of Shame." The insurance inquiry just closed would furnish some candidates, according to his idea.

You will not find beauty in rouge pot or complexion whitewash. True beauty comes to them only that take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It is a wonderful tonic and beautifier. 35 cents Tea or Tablets. Belt & Cherrington.

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NEW BOOKS FOR LIBRARY

Patrons Are Requested Not to Leave Books During Librarian's Absence.

Patrons of the library are requested not to leave books on the Librarian's desk, except when some one is present to give proper credit, as confusion results and books are liable to be lost. Furthermore, it is absolutely forbidden to anyone to force open a case and take books. This has been thoughtlessly attempted a few times, and all will readily see the justice of the ruling against such a practice.

The following books have recently been received.

Home Games and Parties—Mott.
Essays—Emerson.
In India—Stevens.
White Aprons—Goodwin.
Beyond Chance of Change—Shafer.
Jan Vedder's wife—Barr.
John March—Cable.
Old Chester Tales—Deland.
Rise of Silas Laphams—Howells.
Diana of the Crossways—Meredith.
Treasure Island—Stevenson.
Story of Ab—Waterloo.
Her Ladyship's Elephant—Wells.
Our Little Japanese Cousin—Wade.
Little Jarvis—Seawell.
Our Little Russian Cousin—Wade.
Hero of Erie—Barnes.
Jack of All Trades—Beard.
Fighting a Fire—Hill.
Paul Jones—Heawell.
Industries of Today—Lane.
Lullaby Land—Field.
Things a Boy Should Know About Electricity—St. John.
Innocents Abroad—Mark Twain.
Huckleberry Finn—Mark Twain.
How to Keep Well—Crandall.
Story of Primitive Man—Clodd.
Cathedral Days—Dodd.
Destiny of Man—Fiske.
Merchant of Venice—Shakespeare.
Midsummer Night's Dream, Shakespeare.

Henry the Fourth—Shakespeare.
Twelfth Night—Shakespeare.
Stories from Hans Anderson.
Arabian Nights.
Guthrie of the Times—Altsheller.
Song of a Single Note—Barr.
Dr. Latimer—Burnham.
Princess of Thule—Black.
Little Minister—Barrie.
Count of Monte Cristo—Dumas.
Ransom of Folly—Davis.
First Book of American History—Eggleston.
Masterpieces of American Literature—Franklin.
Les Miserables—Hugo.
Three Men in a Boat—Jerome.
Old Ma'm'selle's Secret—Marlitt.
Old World Wonder Stories—O'Shea.
Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch—Rice.

The Making of An American—Riis.
Book of Legends—Scudder.
Table and Folk Stories—Scudder.
Black Beauty—Sewall.
Coming of the Tide—Sherwood.
Henry Esmond—Thackeray.
The Virginians—Locke.
Under Sunny Skies—Youth's Companion Series.
Rose to the River—Wiggin.
World's Rough Hand—Whitmarsh.

MASONS HAVE FINE HALL

Members of Amity Lodge Hold Installation and Banquet in Their New Building.

Amity Lodge, A. F. & A. M., held its annual installation of officers in the new Masonic Hall, in Amity, last Wednesday forenoon, which was followed by a banquet in the afternoon. A large number of members were present with their wives, and took an active part in the preparations for the occasion. Many members from surrounding towns were present. Rev. Joseph Hoberg, of McMinnville, made the address of the day which was well received.

The officers installed are as follows: W. M., Horace Wood; S. W., W. S. Fuller; J. W., R. A. Campbell; secretary, S. D. Thomas; treasurer, Geo. E. Wood; deacons, J. A. Willy and M. Campbell; stewards, George Kelly and G. A. McCulloch.

A chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, for the wives and daughters of Masons, will be organized shortly. The Masons of Amity are justly proud of their new hall, for they are now in a position to entertain their guests in a royal manner.—Amity Enterprise.

To the Members of the Oregon Fire Relief Association.

You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the Association will be held at Burns' Hall in McMinnville, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 9, 1906, at 10:30 a. m., for the purpose of electing three trustees, and attending to such other business as may properly come before the meeting. All members are respectfully invited to attend this meeting.

W. C. HAGERTY,
Secretary.

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ACROSS THE SILETZ

Railroad From Dallas Will Reach Fine Body of Timber in Coast Mountains.

(New Year Oregonian.)

Among the independent railroads which have passed from the stage of projection into that of construction and operation, that bearing the somewhat imposing title of Salem, Falls City and Western is worthy of especial notice. The company is about 2½ years old. Construction started from Dallas, the seat of Polk county, in a southwestward direction. The first objective point was Falls City, on the Little Luckiamute River, at a distance of 9½ miles. The falls of the river in question here develops considerable water power, but partially utilized at present. Here are located three saw-mills and two planing mills, which aggregate an output of 125,000 feet of finished lumber daily. The town has a population now of about 800 people, and looks forward to still more rapid growth, as new manufacturing enterprises are founded.

Up to this time the road has been built and opened for operation 3½ miles west of Falls City, and has reached well into a magnificent body of timber which is to supply traffic for many years to come. This timber consists of Oregon fir, larch, cedar and hemlock, the trees ranging from two to seven feet in diameter, and from 150 to 250 feet in height. There are five townships of such timber, through which the line has been located, estimated to yield an average of 7,000,000 feet of lumber to the quarter section.

The westward course of the road is over the divide between the Luckiamute and the Siletz Rivers, with a terminus on Siletz Bay, a distance of about 40 miles, through a country covered with timber of the first class, and in which several prospects of coal have been discovered.

As the timber is cleared off, fertile soil is made available for the stock-raiser and farmer. The district is specially adapted to both cattle and goats. Clover and tame grasses succeed perfectly, and fruit of high quality is grown by all the settlers. The road is stated to be paying its way as far as constructed and operated, and for 1905 net earnings of \$19,500 are reported.

Students Enjoy Themselves.

Headed by President Rossier, a jolly band of about fifty students of the Monmouth Normal School chartered a steamboat at Independence Friday and came down to the capital for a day's outing, says the Statesman. They took possession of the state house for a time and held a mock session of the legislature in the senate chamber where they enjoyed all the fun that could be manufactured for an hour or so. The male members ignored woman suffrage and refused to allow the ladies to participate in "law making," but they passed several measures to a satisfactory conclusion, chief among them being an appropriation of \$100,000 for the Monmouth Normal school. Some flights of forensic eloquence were indulged in, and no "third house" could surpass the session in genuine amusement. They then repaired to the penitentiary, asylum and other institutions and put in the day to their full satisfaction, returning home by the evening boat.

QUIET HOME WEDDING

Mr. Lee Smith, of Dallas, Weds Miss Bertha Barrie, of Grants Pass.

The wedding of Lee Smith, of Dallas, Oregon, and Miss Bertha Barrie, held at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. K. Piquoy, in Grants Pass, Wednesday evening, December 27, was a quiet affair, only the immediate relatives of the bride and a few intimate friends being present. Rev. H. H. Brown, of Bethany Presbyterian church, officiated and the ceremony was performed in an impressive manner. The rooms were tastefully decorated for the occasion, and light refreshments were served and enjoyed after the conclusion of the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Smith left on the early train Friday morning for Portland, where they will make a brief visit, after which they will go to Dallas, where they will be at home to their friends after January 1.

Mr. Smith is a machinist and proprietor of a cycle in Dallas, and is a man of recognized ability and sterling worth. The bride, with the exception of the past few years when she has been following her vocation as a milliner in Portland and other places, has been a resident of Grants Pass since early childhood. She is a talented and highly estimable young lady, and has always been popular in social and musical circles in this city where she has very many friends and acquaintances.—Grants Pass Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith arrived in Dallas this week and are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith until they can secure a dwelling house. On Tuesday evening, a reception was tendered them by the members of the Epworth League. A pleasant evening was enjoyed, about 50 guests being present. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were presented with a beautiful Bohemian vase as a slight token of the esteem in which they are held by their friends in the League.

This Life of Me.

I am dreaming alone in the twilight,
Watching the shadows fall
From Heaven on the golden sunset,
Like the mantle of Death over all.
The shadows fall lower and lower,
Over the deep, dark sea,
Like the weary years that have fallen
Over this life of me.

LEZZIE MILLS BEALL.
Seattle, Wash., Dec. 30, 1905.

No Escaping It.

A wedding in the White House is scheduled for an early date. Already the press has begun the slobbering, and for a time the couple will be photographed, talked about and rewritten until the long suffering public will be sickened completely. It is the way of the world, and illustrates the foppish yellow streak in the great American people.—Gervais Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Shelley spent Christmas in Portland. The occasion of their trip was to visit their son, Hugh, who is ill in the Good Samaritan hospital at that place. Mr. Shelley's son is a railroad conductor and lives at Independence. He is receiving treatment at the hospital and is getting along nicely.—Hood River Glacier.
Three little babes were nestled in bed, "I'll name them William, Willie and Bill," mother said.
Wide was her smile, for triplets they be,
She lays her good luck to Rocky Mountain Tea. (Great baby medicine.) Belt & Cherrington.