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POLK'S FINE FARMS

Words of Praise From Oregon Agriculturist For Two Dairy Ranches.

The following from the Oregon Agriculturist gives its field representative's opinion of two of Polk County's finest and most up-to-date stock farms:

"In December last, F. E. Lynn, the proprietor of Oak Lodge, made a tour through Kentucky and came back with a rare consignment of Jerseys, which he purchased from the celebrated herd belonging to Colonel Scott & Son, of Shelbyville, Kentucky. In all he brought back with him 21 head of one of the finest herds in the United States.

"He now has some direct descendants of Merry Maiden. In fact, one of his herd bulls, Rose's Merry Maiden's Son, is sired by Merry Maiden's third son. His other one, Cowslip's Ashley, was imported from the island direct. This will be of great interest to Oregon cattlemen, and Mr. Lynn is to be congratulated on the acquisition of such meritorious stock.

"What a fine place is Oak Lodge! A new residence has been lately built, finished in elaborate manner throughout, augmented by cement walks and drives and shaded by a beautiful grove of fine old oaks. Hospitality seems to shine in the brass doorknobs, and the door bell has a welcoming ring. Mr. Lynn reports indications good for the dairy business.

"Half a mile east of McCoy, 470 acres, Reg. A. J. C. C. These are notes. Now let us say something about the details. There are about 60 head of registered Jerseys, the herd bull of which is Rose Marigold's Challenger. In this herd there is Landseer's Pacific Pearl, who has an official test of over 7 per cent; Pearly Exile's Lambert, who at two years of age on a three-month trial, produced 3746 pounds of milk, 276 pounds of butter. This herd is officially tested monthly by a professor from the O. A. C. At the present rate half of his dairy herd will be eligible to the Advanced Register.

"The writer was assured that \$2000 would not buy the two forementioned cows in this article. The representative of The Agriculturist spent a day at Cloverdale Farm, and a pleasant day, too. The active manager, really, of the dairy branch of this farm is young W. J. Domes, a man too young to be even a Democrat or a Republican, for he has never voted. But he's sure of his ground in dairy matters and will be heard from at the State Fair."

Prepare For Alumni Reunion.

A meeting was held in H. C. Seymour's office last night for the purpose of making preparations for the joint reunion of the alumni of LaCreole Academy, Lafayette Seminary and Dallas College. Efforts will be made to secure as large a representation from former students of the institutions as possible and to make the reunion a success in every respect.

DEATH CALLS AGED WOMAN

Mrs. John McQuerry Passes Away at the Home of Her Son in Independence.

Mrs. John McQuerry died at the home of her son, David Sears, in Independence, Saturday, aged 82 years. She was born in West Virginia, March 18, 1826 and moved to Iowa at the age of 11. There she was married to John Sears, who died in 1861. In 1870, she was married to John McQuerry. They moved to Oregon in 1874, where she made her home continuously until the time of her death.

Mrs. McQuerry is survived by the following children: J. K. Sears, of McCoy; Van B. Sears, of Ballistoun; Mrs. J. H. Collins, of Independence; D. W. Sears, of Independence; and Mrs. Mary Bricker, of Dallas. Her other son, Samuel P. Sears, was killed in a railroad accident near Bellingham several years ago. Beside her children, Mrs. McQuerry is also survived by 22 grandchildren.

The funeral was held Sunday at the home of her son, D. W. Sears, the pastor of the Presbyterian Church, of Independence, conducting the services. The remains were buried in the Independence cemetery. A number of friends and relatives of the deceased went over from this city and attended the funeral.

State Pioneer's Reunion.

The thirty-seventh annual reunion of the Oregon Pioneer's Association will be held in the Masonic temple in Portland, Friday, June 11. The entertainment will derive additional interest from the fact that the present year marks the semi-centennial of the admission of Oregon to statehood and an exceptionally large attendance of Oregon's pioneers, Indian war veterans and native sons and daughters is expected. Among the prominent speakers of the day will be Mayor Lane, of Portland, Hon. P. H. D'Arcy, of Salem, and Hon. J. E. Magers, of Portland, president of the Oregon Pioneer's Association. The railroads have granted round trip rates from all parts of the state to Portland for the day of the reunion.

Rock Crusher Has Been Moved.

The county rock crusher has been taken from the Warren Frink quarry near Falls City and moved over to the Lyons quarry near Salt Creek, where work on the roads in that vicinity will be taken up at once. Although the season is still only a few weeks advanced, the crews of workmen have accomplished much in the road improvement districts and it is possible that a greater stretch of road will be macadamized before the season closes than the county court had at first planned.

F. R. Bronson, recently from Manila, where he has been in the government service for nearly nine years, arrived in Dallas, Saturday, for a few days' visit with his cousins, Mrs. H. C. Eakin and Mrs. J. E. Sibley.

HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION

Protective Association Chooses Officers and Plans Celebration For Fourth of July.

Election of officers for the ensuing year was held at the meeting of the Merchants' Protective Association last night, and several new measures calculated to increase the scope and effectiveness of the influence of the organization, were passed upon.

Hon. U. S. Loughary was re-elected by a unanimous vote to the office of president, J. R. Craven, of Craven Brothers Hardware Company, was chosen vice-president to succeed G. N. Cherrington. A. S. Campbell, of the firm of Campbell & Hollister, was re-elected treasurer. The matter of granting L. D. Butler, secretary of the association, a raise of \$5 in his salary, owing to the increase in the amount of work required from him, was discussed and will be passed upon at the next meeting.

Messrs. S. M. Ray, J. R. Craven and C. L. Crider were appointed on a committee to wait upon the County Court and bring about arrangements, if possible, to have the road leading from the Salt Creek camp to Dallas macadamized. Residents of that vicinity have stated that they are willing to donate labor in the work of improvement and are eager to have it done, since it will assure them a good avenue of traffic with the city at all seasons of the year.

Messrs. Hinshaw & Hinshaw, successors to E. Boyd & Son, and J. A. Lynch, successor to Johnson Brothers, applied for membership and were admitted to the association.

Of principal interest was the plan introduced for holding a big three day Fourth of July celebration in Dallas this year. The matter was discussed at length, all of the merchants present declaring themselves in favor of holding the celebration. It was decided that the Mayor of the city should be requested to call a mass meeting of the citizens of Dallas, for the purpose of making plans for the celebration, appointing the various committees and arranging for the securing of funds for the enterprise.

A second meeting of the Protective Association has been set for Wednesday night, May 19, and it was decided last night that meetings should be held regularly on the fourth and nineteenth of each month in future. At those times, merchants will be allowed to introduce new names for the list or make suggestions for the removal of names already on the list.

Henline's Confectionery Store.

R. S. Henline, in addition to his well equipped and thoroughly modern pool room, has installed a fine line of cigars, tobacco and confectionery goods in his store on Main street adjoining the Star Theater. He carries as complete a line as can be found in the city and assures all his patrons prompt careful and courteous attention.

Legal Blanks at this office.

THE STATE BOUNTY LAW

Rewards For Destruction of Beasts of Prey Will Be Effective May 22.

The state bounty law will go into effect May 22. This law provides bounties as follows: \$1.50 for each coyote or coyote pup; \$5 for each gray or black wolf pup, timber wolf or timber wolf pup; \$2 for each bob cat, wildcat or lynx; \$10 for each mountain lion, panther or cougar. One half of the bounties are to be paid by the state and one half by the county.

To obtain the bounty, the person killing the animal must present within six months of the date of killing, to the clerk of the county in which the animal was killed, its entire skin, including all four of the paws, the tail and the skin of the entire head, including both ears and eye-holes and the skin to the tip of the nose.

The applicant for bounty must also file at the same time an affidavit as to the kind of animal, when killed, etc., together with an affidavit of a resident taxpayer, giving his address and stating that he is personally acquainted with the applicant. Affidavits can be made before the county clerk only.

Willamette Glee Club Coming.

The Glee Club of Willamette University will appear in Dallas at the Woodman Hall, Friday night, May 21, in one of the best musical entertainments that has been given in Dallas this season. The program, which is divided into three parts, will consist of choruses, vocal solos, quartettes and readings, the second part being a musical comedy sketch, "The Rajah of India." The glee club is composed of sixteen trained male singers under the direction of Freddie S. Mondenball. The club has met with an enthusiastic reception in every town in which it has appeared and its director promises the people of Dallas a rare musical treat.

Resolution of Condolence.

Whereas death has removed from our order our venerable brother Elijah T. Miller and we realize that in his death we have lost a valuable citizen and an honorable member who has been an active promoter in the order for 36 years and one whom we shall miss from our councils and whose memory we will always cherish in our hearts; Resolved that we, the members of Dallas Grange, Number 353, extend to his relatives our heartfelt sympathy in this their sad bereavement.

T. V. B. Embree, committee.

The Dallas Mohair pool, which was sold last month to William Brown & Company, was purchased by the Griswold Worsted Company, of Darby, Pennsylvania, whose representative, Mr. Drews, was a recent visitor in Oregon. Mr. Drews predicts a bright future for the mohair industry throughout the United States.

OPEN NEWLY PLATTED TRACT

Wilkins Real Estate Company Will Hold Big Picnic in City View Addition, Saturday.

A big basket picnic, with all its appropriate associations, will mark the opening of the new City View Addition, which is to be placed on the market by the Wilkins Real Estate Company, Saturday, May 22.

The new addition was formerly the W. P. Marra property and was purchased only a short time ago by M. W. Wilkins, of Portland, representing the Wilkins' Real Estate Company. The lower half of the tract has been platted into city lots, 165 in number, the upper half being left still in acreage. Graded streets, cement curbs and sidewalks, with many other extensive improvements place the tracts in perfect preparation for the homeseeker.

The greatest point in favor of the new addition is its excellent location. Situated on the heights in the southwestern part of the city, it affords from every point the finest view of the city and the beautiful valley country about it, that can be secured.

The picnic has been planned for the purpose of getting the people of Dallas and vicinity (or in fact people of any city who are able to attend) to visit the new addition and see for themselves the quality of the property which is being placed on the market.

The entertainment will begin at about 11 o'clock and will continue during the remainder of the day. Horse races, foot races, jumping contests and many other sports have been planned for the occasion, cash prizes aggregating about \$50 being offered in the various events. The company, which has control of the enterprise, believing that it has planned a picnic which will be appreciated by all, is extending a hearty invitation to each and everyone to "come, bring their lunch and spend the whole day in a thoroughly enjoyable manner."

Stolen Motorcycle Located.

The motorcycle which was stolen from Julius Essig in Portland about six weeks ago, has been located in Sacramento, and a man named Peter Brozat is charged with having committed the theft. The suspected man has been arrested and will be brought back to Portland for trial as soon as the necessary papers can be prepared. Mr. Essig was visiting at the home of Benton L. Yost in Lenta at the time the machine was stolen and had left it standing overnight on the porch of the house, where it was an easy matter for the thief to lead it away in the dark undetected.

The 220 acre farm at Lake Labish, belonging to the estate of the late Tilton Ford, has been sold to Eastern parties for \$23,000. The purchasers will subdivide the place, retaining about 40 acres which will be planted to walnuts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chase returned to Newberg, Sunday, after a short visit in Dallas.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Oxfords

See us before buying. Our line is up-to-date and consists of Blacks, Tans and Oxbloods. We will take pleasure in showing them to you.

Don't forget our

Children's Clothing Department

We have a new snappy lot of Boy's Suits. A look will convince you.

NOTICE--We now carry a complete stock of the LADIES HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS



Send us your mail orders and they will be attended to promptly. Yours truly,

Campbell & Hollister
CASH STORE

Electricity for Lighting

Is only expensive to people who are wasteful and careless. To you, who are naturally careful, it does not come high.

It is economical because it can be quickly turned off when not needed. With gas or kerosene there is the temptation to let light burn when not needed to save bother of lighting and adjusting. In some homes the electric light bills amount to only one or two dollars per month. You can probably get some kind of artificial light for less money than electric light, but does it save you anything when it limits opportunities for work and recreation--ruins your eyesight--smokes your walls--mars decorations and increases household work. You could probably save a dollar tomorrow by going without your meals but it wouldn't be economy. It is not so much what you save, but how you save that counts.

WILLAMETTE VALLEY CO. RATES--Residence on meters, per Kilowatt 15c; Residence, flat per month, 16c 50c. RATES FOR BUSINESS HOUSES--25c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt up to 10 drops; over 10 drops 20c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt up to 40 drops; over 40 drops 17c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt. A drop figures 16c or less. For power rates apply at the office. We are always ready to explain the "ins and outs" of the lighting proposition to you, call on us or phone to us, we are never too busy to talk business.

Willamette Valley Company

E. W. KEARNS, Manager for Dallas.

Office on Mill street, just north of the Court House. Phones Bell 421, Mutual 1297.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

Woodman Hall



WILLAMETTE GLEE CLUB

Which Will Appear in Dallas on

FRIDAY, MAY 21st, 1909

"Dallas is Growing" A Grand Opening Picnic

Will be Held at

City View Addition

Saturday, May 22d

EVERYBODY WELCOME

SPORTING CONTESTS--Horse Races, Foot Races, Walking Races--Liberal Cash and Other Prizes.

MUSIC BY DALLAS BAND

Come early. Bring your Picnic Basket. Free Ice Cream for all at CITY VIEW ADDITION.

Lots will be placed on the market at 11 a. m. Opening prices \$125 up. \$10 down and \$10 a month. Graded streets, sidewalks in and city water. Every lot will advance 10 per cent to 20 per cent on Monday, May 25th. A small payment on Saturday will secure any of these lots at above prices. Come and see.

CITY VIEW ADDITION

Wilkins' Real Estate Co.

Mutual Phone 1387