

INDEPENDENCE ENTERPRISE

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HOOD RIVER'S VICTORY

Hood River in 1910 took the grand sweepstakes prize at the National Apple Show at Spokane. Last year the same distinction was achieved by the Rogue River valley. This coveted prize was won in each instance in competition with Wenatchee, Yakima, Idaho and other famous apple-producing districts of the Pacific Northwest, which is the same as saying that these were the strongest rivals in all the world. It would therefore appear to follow that Hood River's only real rival is Rogue River; and that Rogue River's most dangerous competitor for all-around excellency, beauty, flavor, order and shapeliness of its apples is Hood River. In other words, there is not anywhere an apple like an Oregon apple, except another Oregon apple.

It isn't necessary for anyone to attempt to settle the question as to whether Hood River or Rogue River apples are the better, or the best. No knowing person ever permits himself to doubt or worry about it, for they are both the best. The record shows it, experience proves it, and the world's judgment confirms it.

Hood River is entitled to congratulations for its deserved triumph at Spokane, and Rogue River is admonished to be there next year with its finest product. If both Hood River and Rogue River are at Spokane, all Oregon can rest content, for whatever happens, an Oregon apple will win the championship belt.—Sunday Oregonian, Nov. 20.

Oregon apples have accomplished a signal victory by capturing the sweepstakes prize at the recent National Apple Show at Spokane. A carload of Hood River Spitzenbergs, exhibited by C. H. Sprout, took the \$1000 award and gold medal banner over apples exhibited by practically every fruit growing section of the Northwest. This is the second year that Oregon apples have won first honors at Spokane, last year Rogue River taking the sweepstakes. Apples from the Rogue River district also took first prize at the Canadian National Apple Show recently held at Vancouver, B. C.

W. O. Minor of Heppner is one of the state's most useful citizens. He has bred a famous herd of Shorthorn cattle that are the delight of livestock experts. Mr. Minor has sent seven head of his cattle to the International Livestock Exhibition at Chicago where they will be exhibited and later sold. This is the only exhibit Oregon will make in what is claimed to be the greatest livestock show in the world. What Oregon needs is more Minors rather than more professional men.

The Oregon Highway Association has been formed by good roads advocates for the purpose of building a main thoroughfare from north to south across the state, becoming part of a main highway along the coast from Canada to Mexico. Monday, December 12, has been fixed as the date of the state good roads convention, when all interested in the work will meet in Portland to formulate good roads bills to present to the next legislature.

With the completion of the Panama Canal, believes Secretary Williamson of the State Board of Horticulture, will come the opening of much wider markets for Oregon apples. He thinks the people of Europe can be supplied direct from Portland and that the demand there for this highly prized fruit will be strong.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Wealthy Mitchell, deceased, by the County Court of the state of Oregon for Polk County, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned administrator at his residence in the City of Independence, in said county and state, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated, and first published November

ber 25, 1910.

J. S. BOHANNON,
Administrator of the estate of
Wealthy Mitchell, deceased.
R. F. Swope, Attorney. 25-30

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Henry Flickinger, deceased, has filed his final account and supplementary final account thereto, in the county court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, and that Saturday, December 17, 1910, at 10 a. m. thereof, at the court room of said court, in the city of Dallas, Oregon, has been appointed by said court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

Dated and first published November 18, 1910.

ALFRED FLICKINGER,
Administrator of the estate of Henry Flickinger, deceased.
R. F. Swope, Attorney. 25-29

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the executors of the estate of Viola Sloper, deceased, have duly filed their petition for final settlement and final account in the said estate; that by order of the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, made and duly entered of record, December 10th, 1910, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court Room in the City of Dallas, was fixed as the time and place for hearing said petition for final settlement and final account. All persons interested are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and show cause, if any there be, why said petition of said executors should not be granted.

Dated and first published November 4, 1910.

WILLARD A. SLOPER
CHESTER C. SLOPER
W. H. COCKLE
Executors of the estate of Viola Sloper, deceased.
N. L. Butler, Attorney. 23-27

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of Hannah Eames, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Polk, Administrator of the estate of Hannah Eames, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same to said Administrator at his office at Independence, Oregon, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 18th day of November, A. D., 1910.

B. WILSON,
Administrator of the estate of Hannah Eames, deceased. 25-29

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Independence & Monmouth Railway Company will be held at the Independence National Bank in Independence, Oregon, on the 21st day of December, 1910, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing officers for said company for the ensuing year and for the transaction of other business that may properly come before said meeting.

D. W. SEARS, Secretary.
Dated November 18, 1910. 25-31

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