



FOREST GROVE, WASHINGTON CO., ORE., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1906.

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SCHOOL TEACHERS ANNUAL INSTITUTE

Teachers of Washington County Meet Annual Institute at the County

Large Attendance Present

Instructors of the East of Oregon Give the Pedagogues of This County Pointers

The Washington County Teachers Annual Institute which is being held at Hillsboro, began its sessions yesterday, continuing today and tomorrow.

The meetings were held in the Court House. Many instructors, present in this state, are on the program and giving the teachers good advice.

Last evening Preston W. Williams, instructor and lecturer of the Ohio, gave a lecture on the "Best Pictures of the World."

Lecture was delivered in the Hillsboro theatre before a very large audience. This evening the lecturer gave his last lecture on the "Life in the Fatherland."

Other instructors and lecturers who are attending and are assisting in the work are: Hon. J. H. Ackerman, superintendent of public instruction, Oregon; Dr. H. D. Sheldon, Oregon University, Eugene; Hon. I. A. Williams, former editor of Salem Statesman, Salem.

County School Superintendent M. C. Day has charge of the exercises. The teachers of the Forest Grove schools and the pupils of the tenth grade are attending the institute in a special session.

No classes are being held here during the meeting of the institute as the teachers are required to attend.

HILLSBORO MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

J. H. Donaldson, of Hillsboro, Was Deaf and Did Not Hear Warnings.

James H. Donaldson, aged about 60 years, was run over by a Pacific Railway & Navigation Company engine in North Hillsboro Saturday evening about 6:10. Engineer Charles Follett was at the throttle, and the engine was returning from taking wood. The engine was backing up and was not running over 10 miles an hour.

Donaldson was badly mangled, but his face was untouched. The old gentleman was very deaf, and although the bell was ringing, evidently did not see the locomotive until it was within 20 feet of him. He was pushing a wheelbarrow in front of him and crossing the track at right angles. Upon seeing him the engineer did all in his power to stop the engine.

Coroner E. C. Brown called a jury, which acquitted the engineer of any blame, and found that the accident was unavoidable. Donaldson left a widow and two children, one of whom, the youngest, is at home. The other is Mrs. John Beauchamp, of Lyle, Wash. This is the first fatal accident that has occurred on the Pacific Railway & Navigation Company's line.

The Pacific Railway & Navigation company began construction on the Tillamook end of the line Monday. Last week about 20 teams, wagons, scrapers and other tools and a large force of men were sent overland from this end. The crew will be increased as fast as men can be obtained.

A large force is at work near the summit on this side and work will commence in a few days on a large tunnel 1,400 feet in length.

Track has been laid to Buxton, a distance of 17 miles, and the steel gang commenced laying again Saturday. As soon as the bridge is reached, about a mile out of Buxton, the company will begin laying steel on the Y at Hillsboro and the switch to the new lumber mill in course of construction. It is expected the mill will begin operation in six weeks.

BUSY WEEK AMONG OUR CORRESPONDENTS

A General Round-Up of the Week's Happenings--Items of Interest from the Public Schools, Gales Creek, Gaston, County Seat, Greenville, Dilley, College and Other Places.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

The literary society held its first meeting Friday afternoon which proved a success for beginners. Resolved, "That railroads have been more beneficial to the commerce of the world than steamboats," was debated by, Affirmative: Robert Loomis, Guy Stockman. Negative: Orvil Mann, Harold Ulm, and was decided in favor of the negative.

Miss Shanahan, Miss Foster and Miss Sorenson were the judges. The society holds a meeting every two weeks, and from these meetings each one will be benefited. Clara Chalmers, Lizzie Weitzel and Ivan Noble are on the program committee for next meeting. The next subject for debate will be Resolved, "That the right of suffrage should be denied a woman."

The seventh and eighth grades practice calisthenics in the vacant room of the school building.

There were 44 pupils in the fifth grade last month and not one of them was tardy. The ninth and tenth grades had no tardy marks this month, but there are not so many enrolled.

Eva Newman entered the sixth grade this week.

Ernie Lambert, who has been ill from poison, returned after a two weeks' absence.

The new sand table is an item of interest in the first grade.

We had several visitors this week, among them were, Mrs. McNutt, Mrs. Sessman, Miss Gordon, Miss Fletcher, Prof. Marsh, Mr. Garrison, Mrs. Levy and Miss Kate Jackson, a former teacher in the sixth grade.

In the second grade, a great interest is being taken in the study of Hiawatha, for they are building in reality each scene of the poem as they study it.

Several of the ninth and tenth grade pupils attended the institute yesterday.

GALES CREEK

Herbert Britton was a passenger on the Varley stage, Monday.

Greene Lilly is on Hillside this week, picking his apples.

Mrs. Hattie Allen was in the Grove last Saturday, visiting friends.

Grandma and Grandpa Lyda moved back onto their home place last Sunday.

Mrs. Carpenter is in the Grove this week, staying with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edmond Wagner, who is quite ill.

Our Road Supervisor has several teams hauling gravel on the roads this week.

George Chapman came home last Sunday with a new mule team he has recently purchased.

Miss Emma Wilson, who has been in Portland, for some time returned home last week.

School at the Wilson district was discontinued this week as the teacher is attending the Institute.

John Ranes and Alonzo Wilson took over a load of hay and oats for the Wilson River mail-carrier, Sam Dallas.

J. J. Adkins and family have been over on the Wilson River spending the last week with his brother Charles and family. They returned home Monday, with a nice lot of fish.

GASTON

Last Thursday night the Jollity Club girls gave a kitchen shower at the Gaston Hotel, in honor of Miss Mabel Raiston.

Miss May Wahl returned from Portland Sunday after spending several weeks with Mrs. Harry Baker.

Misses Mamie and Edna Hibbs were guests of Edna Jenson and Mabel Matteson at Forest Grove over Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Baker and Mrs. Ward were in Forest Grove the fore part of the week.

Mr. Griebler and Mr. Saterlee of Portland, have gone to the Wilson River to trap for an indefinite time.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Louis Shogren. Coming up for final settlement. Ordered that all cash in hand be turned over to Pauline E. Shogren, and on filing receipts, bondsmen be released and administrator be discharged.

Estate of Lars Neilson. Petition filed and allowed; authorizing administratrix to borrow \$725 of Hillsboro Commercial Bank, bearing interest at 8 per cent.

Estate of J. F. Lafferty. Letters of administratrix issued to A. F. Lafferty. N. C. Lilley, James McClaren and Alonzo Mason appointed appraisers of said estate.

Estate of John P. Hiltbrunn. Report of appraisers filed. Valuation \$700 Report approved.

Guardianship of Harry Wilson. Frederike Wilson appointed. Bonds \$100.

Estate of Frank Clapshaw. Petition asking to sell real estate. Nov. 5th time set for hearing objections.

Estate of N. S. Howell. Estate closed of record.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Fred E. Gheen and Grace A. Bear. Frank S. Allen and Dott E. Stevens. John P. Coxon and Sadie May Chapman. W. E. Prickett and Grovaline Baldwin. Arthur Hepp and Jeannette Lierman. William Spreadborough and Mrs. H. Gable. Walter C. Hoffman and Pearl Kopplin.

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Holy Rollers in Farmington.

One of the most peculiar cases brought to the attention of the medical fraternity in years is that of Mrs. Anna Mack and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Moring, both of Farmington, six miles south of Hillsboro. Mrs. Mack, a widow 60 years of age, has been deaf a number of years and the daughter, a young woman of 25, is a sufferer of a disease of the bones of the limbs. Hearing of Sawtelle, the religious healer who held out at Sixth and Main streets in Portland, the two went to him to be annointed, as they say, and participate in his healing seances.

Just what the course of treatment consisted of cannot be learned, but the mother returned a religious fanatic after the Holy Roller fashion. Stripped of all wearing apparel, she runs about the house, rolls upon the floor, shouts, sings and prays.

Dr. J. P. Tamiessie of Hillsboro was called and declared that the case of the mother will result in acute mania. The daughter is in a cataleptic hypnotic state and is under the control of the mother. She remains in bed most of the time, but will sing, laugh, cry or pray just as the suggestion comes from the mother. While the doctor was present he had no difficulty in controlling the girl as long as the mother could be kept silent, but as soon as the elder woman began her seances all control of the girl was lost. She would jump from her bed, assume a praying attitude, sing and then return to a hypnotic sleep immediately upon suggestion. She has not taken nourishment for 48 hours and Monday both were reported worse.

Charles Moring of Farmington, Monday evening telephoned County Judge J. W. Goodin that his wife and her mother were much worse, the mother being violent and his wife declining nourishment. He asked the court for advice and wanted to know if he could send the two afflicted women if he could send the two afflicted women over to the State of Washington as another daughter of Mrs. Mack arrived that day and wanted to take her relatives with her.

The County Judge informed him that it would be better for him to come to Hillsboro and confer with Deputy District Attorney Tongue. This he promised to do.

Mrs. Mack's mania increases in violence each day. The daughter with whom Mrs. Mack lives is still in her hypnotic or cataleptic state, and follows suggestions from the mother, who is conceded to violently insane. Mr. Moring is about distracted over the situation, and has consequently appealed to the authorities for advice.

Rev. C. D. Sawtelle of the Christian and Missionary Alliance contends that a great injustice has been done him by dispatches from Hillsboro, connecting his name with the great religious frenzy of two women near that city. He says that when these two women came to his meeting, he at once noticed their inclination toward fanaticism and sought to restrain them.

"We are no more healers of the body than saviors of the soul," said the reverend gentleman. "We are mere finger-boards pointing men to Jesus for needs both physical and spiritual. If a man is sick and has'n't faith, we tell him to get a doctor and get him quick. We have in our society men of character and intelligence and we object to being linked up with holy-rollers and other fanatical fake healers. We are intensely conservative and work hand in hand with the old established churches."

CHANGE TRAIN SERVICE

Will Accomodate Sheridan People and Connect With East Side Line

Responding to demands made for the last year or two by people of the West Side division, the Southern Pacific company has granted a new train service that will work a great change in the matter of accommodations and business travel between Portland and Forest Grove and other points in the Willamette Valley. The changes are effective today. The daily train leaving this city at 9 a. m. will leave on and after October 25 leave at 6:35 a. m., arriving in Portland at 7:55, and giving connection with the train east on the main line. Returning the Forest Grove train will leave Portland at 6:20 instead of 8 o'clock p. m. To accommodate Sheridan neighborhood the train now leaving there at 5:50 a. m. will leave at 7, arriving here at 10:20. Its Portland leaving time will be changed from 4:50 to 4:10 and it will reach Sheridan at 7:30 instead of 8:20 as at present.

O Chowning Found.

Oliver Chowning, who last year was fined \$300 for selling liquor without a licence was caught Tuesday evening, on the down passenger, by Sheriff Connell, and landed in jail to serve out an unfinished commitment. Chowning could not pay his fine and was to have laid it out in jail. He remained in confinement until about 30 days before he had settled with the state of Oregon, and, one day while working the roads under Supervisor Kelsay, went the way of escape. Chowning went down to Southern Oregon and he could not be located. He came back last week and loaded his household furniture. This he shipped, and he and his wife started away. Connell was apprised of the fact and went to the depot. Chowning secreted himself in the lavatory before reaching the station, where he was found by the sheriff and the brakeman. Mrs. Chowning accompanied the officer and her husband up town, and Sheriff Connell was the recipient of a few choice bouquets on the way up to the stronghold. Chowning still has the thirty days to remain as a guest at the Hotel de Connell.

At the last hour, today, Chowning paid the county school fund \$66 and departed.—Argus.

Banks Sawmill Sold

The Carstens-Hartley sawmill above Banks, has been sold to Fred Briske, of Portland, who has taken possession. The deal was a cash proposition. Louis Carstens, the senior member of the old firm, has been in the sawmill business for seventeen years, and has made many friends by his square dealings. The new owner also bought 160 acres of timber land along with the mill.—Argus.

—Low prices every day at Levy's Market.

WEDDINGS THE LATEST FAD

Beautiful and Impressive Ceremonies Unite Many Prominent Young People for Life

Dan Cupid Does Good Work and Wedding Bells are to Ring Again Soon.

Prickett-Baldwin

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of A. Baldwin Tuesday evening, October 23, when his daughter Grovaline was united in marriage to Mr. William E. Prickett of Banks, Washington County, Oregon.

The home was tastily decorated with autumn leaves, ferns and flowers. Promptly at 4 o'clock the bride and groom appeared in the parlor where in the presence of a few immediate relatives, the Reverend Mr. Gould pronounced the words which made them man and wife. After the ceremony all repaired to the dining room to partake of the sumptuous supper prepared in honor of the occasion. After enjoying this repast and wishing the young people a prosperous journey through life, all retired to their homes.

The bride and groom left immediately for their home on the farm near Banks, where they will be at home to their friends after December 1, 1909.

Both are well and favorably known in this county and their many friends join us in wishing them long life and prosperity.

Allen-Stephens

The most beautiful and most impressive social event of the season was the quiet home wedding which united the lives of Miss Dott Elenore Stephens daughter of J. C. Stephens of Tillamook, and Mr. Frank Allen of this city, on Saturday evening, October 20, at the Allen residence on the corner of Third Avenue and Second Street. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion with Oregon grape and roses.

The ceremony began at 7:45 p. m. sharp with the beautiful "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin, by Miss Reba Hoffman. Little Aileen Hoffman, the ring girl, led the procession down the beflowered stairway, followed by the maids of honor, the Misses Gertrude and Martha Allen. The procession marched to the beautiful arch festooned with Oregon Grape and flowers between the hall and parlors, where the Rev. Mr. Gould of the Methodist Church, united the young people with the impressive ring ceremony.

The bride, who is a stately brunette, was dressed in a lovely princess gown, a creation of white silk lace mull over

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—Money to loan on farm security. W. H. Hollis, Forest Grove, Oregon.

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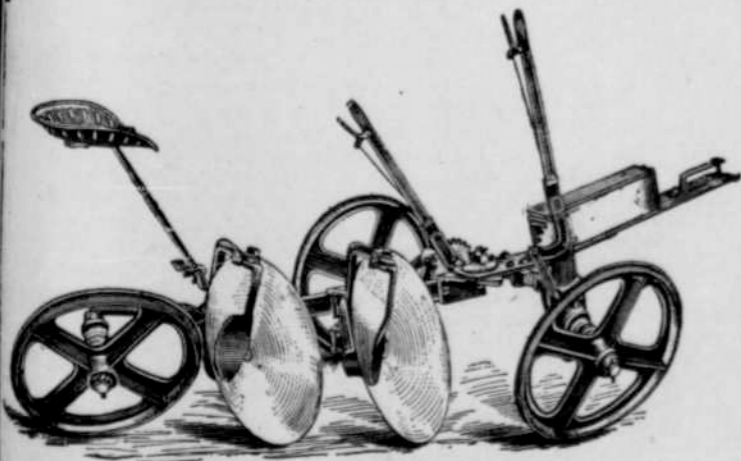
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