

FOREST GROVE PRESS

RACE MEET A SUCCESS

**55 Entries Were Made.
35 Horses Took Places.**

The Washington County Live Stock Association Meet, of three days, Friday and Saturday of last week and Monday of this week, held at racing tracks east of town, was well attended, and the best of feeling manifested throughout the meet. Fifty-five entries were made and thirty-seven horses took places in the different races and seventeen took places as winners. June 14th, first days races, 2 in 3 class One, 2:20, trot 1/2 mile; Purse \$150. Eleven entries, nine starts, Dally McKinley 1st premium, \$75.00 Lady Dillon 2nd, \$37.50. Wild Fire 3rd, \$22.50. Padishahe 4th, \$15.00. Class Two, 2:18 pace, Purse \$150, 1/2 mile 2 in 3; eight horses starting, Aldine 1st, premium \$75.00. Lightfoot and Mc-N. 2nd, \$37.50. Sally Younger and Bon Lovelace 4th, \$15.00.

Saturday, June 15th, Class Five 2:35 trot 1/2 mile, 3 in 5, seven entries, six starts; Sweet Genevieve 1st prize \$75.00. Lady Dillon 2nd, \$37.50, Mark H. 3rd, \$22.50. Sargo 4th, \$15.00. Class Six 2:20 pace, 1/2 mile, 3 in 5, eleven entered, eight starting; Aldine 1st, prize, \$75.00, Lightfoot 2nd, \$37.50, Admiral Tago 3rd, \$22.50, Billy Sunday 4th, \$15.00. Class Eight, Two-year old, trot 1/2 mile, 2 in 3, four entries, four starting, Barbria 1st prize, \$37.50, Patch McKay, 2nd, \$18.50, D. Billy Mack, 3rd, \$11.25. Monday's races:- Class nine Free for all trot, 1/2 mile, 2 in 3, six entries, four starting. Wild Girl, 1st prize, \$75.00, Dolly Mc Kinney, 2nd, \$37.50, Padishahe 3rd, \$22.50, Killarney 4th, \$15.00. Class ten, Free for all pace, 1/2 mile, 2 in 3, five entries, four starting, Mack N, 1st, prize \$75; Bonnie Antrem, 2nd, \$37.50, King Lee 3rd, \$22.50, Baron Lovelace 4th, \$15.00. C. W. McNamer, A. Shearer, and C. W. Redmond, timers; R. M. La Rue, Duncan MacLeod and J. W. Cornelius, judges.

What Single Tax Would Do and What It Would Not Do.
It Would—
Tax land only.
Destroy land values.
Make the State the landlord.
Force the owners to be tenants.
Destroy incentive for gain.
Breed indifference and decay.
Undermine our Social System.
Greatly retard Social Progress.
Spread alarm and fear.
Check investments in the State.
Cause financial disorder.
Paralyze industry.
Do irreparable harm.
Advertise Oregon as a dangerous state.
Be a great step backwards.
It Would Not—
Tax loan sharks.
Tax monopoly.
Tax commodity speculators.
Tax automobiles and luxuries.
Tax jewelry and diamonds.
Tax great incomes.
Tax those most able to pay.
Help the poor man.
Relieve where relief was needed.
Help Oregon.
Oregon don't want it!

At the Christian Church.

The Rev. T. S. Handsaker, of Walla Walla, Wash., will preach at the Christian church next Sunday both morning and evening. Rev. Handsaker is a fine speaker, and is doing a fine work here in the Northwest. Hear him next Sunday. The revival begins in just three weeks. Evangelist Kellems has held two meetings for Rev. Hilton previous to this. One was held at Ellensburg, Wash., in which there were 127 additions, and the other at Milton, Ore., in which there were 187 additions. Singing Evangelist Fagan is from Australia, and has won fame since coming to this country as a singing evangelist. The time for the revival is July 7. All are welcome. The congregation of the Christian church Sunday, extended to Rev. C. H. Hilton a unanimous call to continue as a minister of the church here.

Chas. Long, brother of W. A. Long was taken suddenly ill last week with an attack of appendicitis. He was taken to the Forest Grove Sanitarium Sunday, where an operation was performed. While he is very weak, he is improving and it is hoped that he will be able to be out soon.

HEARD ON THE STREET.

That the Rose Show in Portland was the finest ever, the electrical parade excelling anything seen on the coast.

That it was too bad the races at the fair grounds came in conflict with the Rose Show, as they suffered thereby.

That the City Council were playing politics of the ward politicians variety when they made the News-Times the city official paper, so they need not consider the lower bid for printing made by the Press.

That it is up to the Council to make the Warren Construction Company the official paving concern, so they will not have to ask for bids for paving.

That it is up to the School Board to consider carefully the reports current on the streets regarding the misappropriating of the funds of the Athletic Association, and if correct to act accordingly.

That if all the residents in the paved district would take care of their parkings it would add much to beautifying the city.

That the Street Carnival in our city was a stench to the nostrils of the better class of citizens and if the Fair Association caters to that class, the Fair grounds is the place for them.

That the plea of Mayor Allen and Councilman Barber that they did not understand the proposition of the Fair Association, regarding the Miller Amusement Company—is childish puerile and smacks of "innocence abroad," but if correct would suggest to the President of the W. C. T. U. that she have a guarraian appointed to care for them.

That some of the property owners on 1st Avenue, since the S. P. R. will pave only 19 feet and want the street 42 feet wide are beginning to have pains in the regions of their purses.

That it is a case of the rankest egotism for Director Peterson to take the credit of paying the bonds on the Central School building, when all but \$500 of them had been provided for before he was elected director.

That the 4th of July will probably be safe and sane in Forest Grove this year.

DEATH OF ROBERT HARDIN

Robert Hardin was born in Wayne county, Indiana, July 2, 1825. He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Ramsey, June 5, 1912, at Forest Grove, Oregon. He moved with his parents to Appanoose county, in 1851, where he was married to Miss Mary Lynch, Jan. 28, 1858. The first of March 1858, they moved to Harrison, Missouri, and lived there until 1881, and then they moved to Beaver City, Nebraska, and in 1891 they moved to Forest Grove, Oregon.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hardin was born seven children, of whom five survive him. They are as follows: Mrs. E. J. Lambert, Mrs. Frank Ramsey, Mrs. Carrie Ramsey, Mrs. John Pritchard all of Forest Grove, and Thos. A. Hardin of Beaver City Nebraska.

Mr. Hardin was a man of fine moral character and strong convictions. He joined the Methodist Church in 1858 but never united with the church in Forest Grove. The funeral services were held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Ramsey's, at half past ten June 7, 1912, conducted by the Reverend Gould. The pall bearers were his Nebraska neighbors.

We wish to extend our thanks to the kind friends for their help and sympathy.

Mrs. Mary Hardin and children.

WATTS.

How many crates of strawberries can you pick in a day?

Mrs. Roberts and children with Bismark Rhodes came home Monday, after a weeks camping. They went to Gobel Washington.

The services at the church Sunday were enjoyed by those present.

Grandpa Campbell was eighty years old yesterday.

Have you been in to the carnival yet?

The Ladies Aid met at Mrs. Frosts last week.

Rhea Bailey left last week for the home of her sister at Yamhill. Reah was neither absent nor tardy during the school year. She is the only one who has made such a record.

Won't someone tell us how to catch something besides crawdads-when we go fishing.

Some from our neighborhood attended the suffrage meeting Wednesday.

MASS MEETING.

At a mass meeting of the citizens of Forest Grove, Friday, June 14, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved by the citizens of Forest Grove in mass meeting assembled, that the use of any of our streets for shows, amusements or games similar to those carried on at this time at College Way, is against the moral and financial interests of our city.

We further protest against the use of College Way being granted to any person, company or corporation for any show, celebration, or other amusements, without the consent of Pacific University and the Trustees of the First Congregational church, for the reason that such use encroaches on the rights of the college and church, and is detrimental to their work.

We further respectfully call the attention of our City Council to this protest.

Single Comb White Leghorns, White Wyandottes and Rhode Island Reds, last year's chicks. We want to sell. Phone 76. Mrs. E. J. Fischer, 310 3rd St.

ONE SIDE OF THE QUESTION

That the entrance of women into general wage earning has unquestionably lowered the wages of men, is no longer a disputed question. There are men today who cannot support their families because their wives are doing for less money the work with which they once secured their incomes. The economic independence of the wife, as argued by the suffragist, is distasteful to American women. If the women does not take enough into the home without wage earning to make her contribution equal to the man's to make the partnership a fair one—then there must be something wrong with the woman.

The cry that has been heard so long in this country, that every woman should be economically independent has had sad effects. The desire of the women to be out doing the world's work is not helping the nation. The revolt of woman-kind against those necessary tasks which were accepted by our grandmothers is threatening many of the homes of this country. Suffrage will not make our existing homes more stable, or imbue the young woman who becomes inoculated with its precepts, with the ambition to start one of her own. On the other hand, it is likely to fill her with contempt of old traditions and thus greatly harm society.

COURT ITEMS.

Circuit Court.

June 17th, 1812, Jundge J. U. Campbell, Presiding.

Shankland vs Shankland, divorce decree.

Roemild vs Griffith. Decree quieting title.

Allen vs Beimroha. Hearing for June 24, 1912.

O. & C. R. R. Co. vs Ott. Dismissed.

O. & C. R. R. Co. vs Patton. Dismissed.

Burnett vs Bertruche. For trial June 24, 1912.

Gore vs Gore. Divorce Decree.

Mazuba vs Mazuba. Divorce decree.

Hawes vs Hawes. Divorce decree.

Moseman vs Moseman, Divorce decree.

James vs James. Divorce decree.

Wong John vs Hodges. Trial Judgment for plaintiff.

Williams vs Williams. Divorce decree.

Davis vs Davis. Divorce decree.

Cormack vs Cormack, Divorce decree.

Probate Court.

Estate of Margaret Goodin, deceased. Final account set for hearing, July 13th, 1912 at 10 a. m.

Estate of Christian Larsen deceased. Administrator authorized to sell personal property at private sale for cash to highest bidder.

Estate of Petronella Joosten deceased. Administrator authorized to sell real property for cash in hand at private sale.

Estate of Isaac Allen, deceased. Emma Dant appointed co-administratrix. Bond fixed at \$20,000.

Estate of Samuel Schaeerer, deceased. Final account set for hearing, July 22d, 1912, at 10 a. m.

Accident.

Mr. Allen Haydon, who lives just beyond Thatcher, was splitting wood with a double bladed ax yesterday, when the blade happened to strike a clothes line, which caused the ax to rebound and come back and strike him a hard blow with the back blade, cutting a gash in his forehead to the bone. Dr. Geiger was called and dressed the wound.

CITY NEWS NOTES

Want home in Forest Grove. Offer exchange for same Portland bungalow, leased at \$30 a month. Lock Box 18, Forest Grove Oregon.

The Equal Suffrage League takes pleasure in inviting all women interested to meet Mrs. George Carver Howard of Snohomish, Wn., at a social gathering in the Congregational church parlors at 3 p. m. Friday. Mrs. Howard is a sister of Prof. Proctor.

The Miller Amusement Co. occupied College Way between the Congregational Church and Pacific University for four days last week with their merry-go-round, wheel-of-fortune, negro show, dancing girls etc.

Will Johnson, proprietor of the U. S. livery barn, sold out his business last week to Charles Samuels who will conduct the business in the future. Mr. Johnson will leave for eastern Ore., where he has a ranch, which he will look after.

A mass meeting was called Friday evening at the Congregational Church to review the action of the Council in permitting the Amusement Co. to occupy the street in front of the Church and University. The meeting was largely attended and much interest manifested.

Hillsboro is putting on a bankrupt sale of the Wyatt & Co. stock of merchandise, in charge of Miksche & Co. Prices are being cut far below cost of goods. Sale closes July 3. It might be of interest to our readers to make some purchases for future needs.

At the annual school meeting held Monday at the Central school building, C. A. Littler was elected director for three years. R. P. Wirtz was unanimously elected clerk. The board was instructed by the meeting to secure a place where the manual training class could be accommodated. About sixty patrons were present.

FOR SALE—200x400 (2 acres) best of land, all clear, 15 minutes walk from Forest Grove post-office. \$500; \$100 and 100 per year, 5 per cent. Land will more than pay for itself. Press office.

We have decided to discontinue handling the cylinder phonograph records and will close out our entire stock of indestructible records at less than cost. 2 minute records, regular 35c. at 24c. 4 minute records, regular 50c. at 36c. You will have to hurry and get your pick before they are all gone. Forest Grove Pharmacy.

The state convention at the Christian church begins at Turner, Ore., on Saturday night. Those who will attend from here are Rev. C. H. Hilton and wife and son, O. E. Darby and wife Mrs. G. A. Moore, Mrs. Clara G. Esson, Miss Ethel Smith, Zenas Olson and Miss Anna Neuman. Rev. C. H. Hilton will preach the convention sermon next Sunday morning, and O. E. Darby will sing for the same service.

While we boast of one of the finest little cities in the neighborhood of Portland, there is still room for improvement. We do need a night watchman who may be called in emergency cases. Monday night when the hours were growing old an auto party of boys and girls well armed with bottles and a little overloaded, took occasion to make the night hideous on the corner at Williams store, Pacific Ave. It might be well for some parents to inquire "where was my boy and girl that night."

COUNCIL MEETING

Finance Committee Reports. Injunction Served.

The City Council met on Tuesday evening, June 10th. All members were present but W. F. Schultz.

Finance Committee Repots.
Paid out of general fund..... \$ 3190 80
Library fund..... 50 00
Treasurer Reports General fund.
Balance on hand May st \$5066 82
Recd. light..... 525 37
" Water..... 672 45
Other receipts..... 11 50
Paid out warrants.... 1403 55

Balance, June 1st 4873 59
Building fund, June 1st..... \$ 500 00
Library balance, May 1st..... 500 00
Received..... 15 00
Paid out..... 50 00

Balance June 1st 485 00
Street Bond Fund 815 98
Balance May 1st.... 1502 19
Recd. Int. on Principal..... 562 49

Total..... \$2380 66
Paid coupons..... \$ 1582 01

Balance on hand June 1st..... \$ 1298 65

Contract with Wash. Oregon, corporation to furnish water at 3c per 1000 gallons for use of City of Hillsboro for a period of six months was signed, the Wash. Oregon corporation to pay for all piping outside of the city. The Chief of police tendered his resignation which was laid on the table for future consideration.

The question of jail and pound facilities were talked of.

The Council adjourned to meet June 18th, at which time bids will be opened for street paving on Colldge Way, First and Second Avenues.

On Tuesday, June 18th the Council met and opened bids for the improvement of Collegeway and 1st and 2nd Avenues.

The Warren Construction Co., bidding \$1.68 for paving was awarded the contract for 1st Ave. and College Way, Rogers & Miller being awarded contracts for curbing.

Injunction was served as to Second Avenue and until such time as the injunction is made permanent, or dissolved by the court, nothing will be done.

Hillsboro Will Celebrate.

Hillsboro never loses an opportunity to gather in the county residents when the opportunity affords. The local committee in charge of the Fourth of July celebration arrangements announces that the programme has been prepared so as to include July 3 and 4. The Arnold shows have been secured for the occasion, and Senator Chamberlain has been invited to deliver the address, if he reaches home in time. Several hundred dollars have been spent in improving the park, and the grounds are in good shape. The usual side attractions, such as balloon ascension and games, have not been overlooked, and it is the intention to eclipse all former efforts in the celebration line.

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