HILLSBORO INDEPENDENT.

FRIDAY, MAY 14, 1897.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Fresh cows and seed oats for sale at C. H. Warren's. 49-51

Screen doors with fixtures, 75c, at Carsten Bros., Hillsboro. 48-4

The Ladies of the Congregational Church will give a rose show in June next. 51-52.

Money to loan in sums to suit. Rooms 1-2 Shute Bldg., Hillsboro Oregon.

Call on Humphreys for loans on good property, also farms to rent and to sell.

Rev. Geo. H. Brown, of Portland, will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.

The oder of new mown hay is over the court house yard. The crop is not a heavy one but is that of the native grasses.

Lost—between Hillsboro and Portland a lady's Astrachan fur cape. The finder will confer a favor and receive his reward by leaving it at this office.

We are agents for the Columbia & Hartford bicycles manufactured by the Pope M'f'g. Co., which is a guarantee of their superiority. Call and get prices. The Delta Drug Store.

New goods, new prices, Bryan-Laidlaw Co. are receiving a very large stock of spring and summer goods at prices lower than ever. Fine stock of groceries, shoes, and clothing at special prices this month.

Wm. Mohr makes boots at his shop on Second street, Hillsboro, for $5.50 per pair, sewed shoes for $5, and gives special attention to repairing. He uses only first-grade stock which enables him to guarantee his work.

Lost—A black horse—10 yrs. old—shod before—branded H. on left shoulder—white face—3 white feet—right eye white—white saddle marks—left April 28 1897—liberal cash reward for recovery—M. H. Parker, Greenville, Or.

The parties who are to represent the various business houses of the city at the Merchants Carnival which is to be held June 2d, are requested to meet at the Grange hall to drill Saturday eve., at 7:30 sharp. By order of the committee.

The cheap rates of $12 cabin and $6 steerage, including meals and berth, are still in effect on the O. R. & N. Co's steamers, from Portland to San Francisco. Steamers leave Portland every five days. For further particulars see J. I. Knight, Hillsboro.

The Magic Yeast factory is around again with samples of the wonderful magic yeast which is better than ever this year owing to new machinery being used for pressing out the cakes. No excuse for having poor bread when you can get magic yeast, good flour and a hot oven.

Why suffer with coughs, colds and la grippe when Laxative Bromo Quinine will cure you in one day. Does not produce the ringing in the head like sulphate of quinine. Put up in tablets convenient for taking. Guaranteed to cure or money refunded. Price 25 cts. For sale by the Delta.

The S. P. Company has not taken off the flying train between Portland and San Francisco, nor have the standard rates been established. Including berths, the tickets for Pullman standard sleepers are $21 and for Pullman tourist sleepers $14. A train starts every five days, leaving Portland at 10 p. m. The next trains leave Portland Monday evening, May 17th and Saturday evening, May 22d.

Touching the idea of annually celebrating Independance day, first at one place and then at another by the whole county, Mayor Barrett has initiated a correspondence with the mayors of the several towns in the county, first inviting them to the celebration here next July which the public meeting of citizens had then voted to hold. Mayor Hinman of Forest Grove under date May 9th writes that "I will express a desire that our citizens join with you and that you may have delightful celebration." It is hoped that between now and Independence day that the mayors take occasion to learn the wishes of the citizens and if favorable hold a meeting during the celebration and have an understanding relative to holding the county celebration.

Last Saturday Hon. G. W. Marsh was attacked on his farm near Centerville, by a vicious bull. The mad animal threw him down and commenced to trample and gore the prostrate man. Mr. Marsh's daughter, a lass of 17 years, went to her father's rescue with a pitch-fork and without hesitation attacked the bull quite as viciously as he had done. The sharp fork tines soon proved too savage for taurus and he sullenly retired. Miss Marsh assisted her father to their home and started a messenger for Dr. F. A. Bailey. Dr. Bailey found that three ribs had been fractured and an ugley wound had been made just over the heart. It is this latter that will prove most serious, though an ultimate recovery will be made, but it will be tedious. The timely assistance of his heroic daughter is all that saved Rep. Marsh's life.

I told you so. In November 1895 there was a more or less fierce campaign waged in city politics. The INDEPENDENT urged the funding of Light and Water bonds at a lower rate of interest. The opposition could not deny that the proposition was a good one but opponents raised a dust that the interest of the city in the light and water plant had not been properly protected for a mortgage to Helen M. Gates had been put on the property. The INDEPENDENT claimed that the city's right were not jeopardized in the least. Attorneys Tongue and Huston held that a private party could not encumber city rights, but these assurances were not quieting. Indeed the street gossips had more followers that the gentleman skilled in law and precedents. Well events have proven that the INDEPENDENT was right. The placing of the mortgage was a legitimate transaction and when it was satisfied a release was entered of record. The cancellation was made the 11th inst.

The two story frame dwelling of H. Toelle at Phillips, was burned last Friday evening. The fire caught in the upper story from a defective flue and was not discovered by the family until about eight o'clock when the flames were bursting through the roof and out of the upper windows though it had been smouldering since 6 o'clock when supper was preparing. How this could have been will be understood when it is stated that three of the young men, Mr. Toelle's sons, were practicing on their horns. Mr. Toelle sen., first saw the fire when he was drawing water from the well. His alarm sent his daughter up stairs for wearing apparel but she was met by a scorching sheet of flame when she opened the door leading to the upper halls. She retreated but with eyebrows and hair badly singed. A cook stove, a heating stove and a sewing machine were all the articles saved. The sleeping apartments were in the second story; every thing there was burned. The loss is between five and six hundred dollars, one item being the destruction of a fine cherry orchard that grew about the house. The premises were insured for $400 of which $380 is allowed, $20 being deducted for the stoves and machine saved. A neighbor who had a garden spray pump turned it into a fire engine and did excellent work in protecting the wood shed and store house that stood only a few feet away Mr. Toelle will at once set about building a new dwelling.

The following news paragraph bearing date Goldendale, Wash., May 12th, is published in the Oregonian: "Tom Firman, of Pleasant, arrived in Goldendale at 4 o'clock this morning, and reported to the county coroner that Wesley Williamson, a bachelor and farmer, resident of Washington county, Or., had been found dead in the smoldering ashes of his cabin, that had been burned between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock last night. Officers have gone to the scene of the ghastly find, 25 miles from here. Suspicion seems to point to a well-known Ktickitat Indian. One link is needed to complete the chain of evidence that will show the crimes of murder and arson, and possibly robbery. The Indian is said to have had a difficulty over a pasture with Williamson, who held a deed to the land in dispute. The Indian is said to have made murderous threats, that were not regarded by Williamson Deceased was a prominent church member, and was known to be fearless. It is said he was in good health, and would not have committed suicide." The Wesley Williamson above named was not long a resident of this county though he at one time lived in Hillsboro. He was a son of John Williamson who in his lifetime lived in Chehalem Valley, Yamhill county, and a brother of Mrs. Dr. E. M. Brown who with her husband in Hillsboro about 16 years ago. Wesley was a stripling of a boy when here but very bright in mathematics.

The public will pay more for its hellos now than has been the wont. The Supreme court of the United States has decided that the Berliner telephone patents are valid hence the Bell Telephone Company has a monopoly of all telephone devices for 17 years from Nov. 17, 1891, which expires Nov. 17, 1908, eleven years hence. This stops all telephone line building except by the lessees of the Bell Company. Lessees of the Bell Co. who have instruments already in will probably not be disturbed, but rival companies can quit business. This is unfortunate for the public but very profitable to the Bell Company.

The county court has been at great expense for the past six winters in an attempt to keep the water out of the furnace room. Finally it has been decided to raise the boiler and fire box above high water mark. This has been done, and the pit has been filled up. By the old arrangment the condensed water from the radiators was conveyed to the boiler by gravity, but since the boiler has been raised, this water will be injected by a steam pump. It falls into a reservoir, the pump takes it then automatically and forces it into the boiler. It is now believed that the former annoyances will be removed.

The reed and cornet band will give its regular weekly concert tomorrow evening commencing at eight o'clock. The ladies of the Congregational church will serve ice cream and cake on the grounds during the concert. It is reported that like refreshments will be served each week by the ladies of some of the churches, they taking their turn at entertaining. Visitors from the surrounding neighborhood will be welcomed at these concerts. The excellent music of the occasion is a fit ending for a week of toil.

Carl, the 7-year-old son of Elder Shelley fell from the top of a fence by the Baptist church and dislocated the elbo and fractured the bone. The hurt is a serious one and Dr. Tamiesie who attended the young sufferer, fears that there will be trouble in securing the freedom of motion possessed by the normal arm.

The A. O. U. W. of the county will hold a basket picnic at Warren's grove on Friday, June 4th. Great preparations are making for the occasion. The program includes speaking, singing, declamations, games and dinner. A number of the grand officers of the state will be present.

Mrs. Clarence Cornell, died at her home in Hillsboro, Thursday morning, aged about 27 years. She leaves a husband and two children, aged 6 and 3 years. The funeral services will be held at the M. E. Church tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Madge and her family of ten puppies graced the show window of the Delta, two days this week. It goes without saying that no show window in the state attracted more attention though one cynical farmer said he had a sow and 12 pigs that he considered of more value.

For Sale—1 top buggy, 1 trotting sulkey, 1 light one-horse wagon, 1 light single harness, 1 heavy single harness. Inquire at the buggy hospital, L. W. House manager.

The first to have a posegay of roses on his desk is County Clerk Imbrie. On Tuesday last he had a magnificent bunch of tea roses in his office from his rose garden.

Senator S. Hughes spent several hours in Hillsbore last Monday.

Wednesday was a warm day. The mucury reaching 92°.

Born, at Cedar Mills, to the wife of H. Schlottman, a son.

Mr. George Alexander who lives across Gales Creek from Forest Grove was a visitor at Hillsboro yesterday. He brings good reports from the growing crops.

Elijah Corbett, a well-known figure in Portland, died in that city last Wednesday at the age of 72 years. He is best known to the citizens of Washington county as the proprietor of the Corbett livery stable corner Third and Main streets.

Tomorrow is the date fixed for the horse sale at the Fair grounds. Good horses will be offered and sold at what the bidders offer. Descriptive catalogues may be had on the grounds or by calling on Mr. E. B. Tongue at his office in Morgan block.

Engineer Walker has been at work in the county surveyors office for a fortnight or more making a school district map of the county. That is completed but he is now making copies to be deposited in each district and with the county assessor.

Bishop Dubs, of the Evangelical church preached an eloquent sermon at that church last Friday morning. The bishop is not only an eloquent pulpit orator but a cogent reasoner. He has very many inferiors who are pastors of large and fashionable churches.

Rev. Evan P. Hughes will discuss at the Congregational church, next Sunday morning, "What do we go to church for? The nature of worship, entertainment or prayer?" In the evening will be held the third union service, Rev. C. E. Cline preaching the sermon.

When he came to take posession of the premises leased on Main street, Mr. Q. W. Hop found them unsuited for a laundry. He gave up the lease and took another house on Base line street between 2d and 3d. It is the building that was once an annex to the old public school house.

Attorney Rand, formerly editor of the Vancouver, Wash., Independent, was in Hillsboro yesterday. He says that populist legislation and the admininistration of the party is becoming very unpopular. Clark county is good for an increased republican majority at the next election.

For sale—fine pure bred and grade jersey cows all in milk and also gilt edge A. J. C. C. registered jersey bull calves of Stoke Pogis, Landseer and Darlington blood, the richest dairy families the world has any record of, at prices to suit the times. Call on or address Thomas Withycombe, Farmington, Oregon.

Last Monday evening the door bell at J. I. Knights residence was rung about 8 o'clock. J. I. answered it in person, and met a yard full of people who had come to congratulate him on the anniversary of his birth. A cordial invitation to enter was extended, whereupon the people went in and stayed till midnight.

Grand Lecturer Herren of the A. O. U. W. met the workmen and their friends at the M. E. church last Monday evening. The interests of the order seem not to be neglected while Mr. Herren is in the field. Hillsboro Lodge A. O. U. W. is growing and is fast coming to be an influential factor among the societies.

The case of the State v. Peter Barret was before Esquire Hicks yesterday. The defendent lives near Cedar Mills, and was charged with throwing down a fence. The evidence went to show that he had opened no fence except what he had a right to open. Barret was discharged and the costs taxed to the private prosecutor. This is a good way to settle neighborhood quarrels.

On Friday evening of last week sixty or seventy of the young people belonging to Elder Shelly's congregation called at the parsonage to pay their respects to their popular pastor. The surprise was complete but the shock was a pleasant one, and the social festivtity only more firmly cemented the love and esteem which already existed. The event conclusively proved that Elder Shelly has a place in each heart present and while the apartment may be somewhat smeared with blood, but there is no bad blood dripping from the ceilings.

Mr J. R. Bailey of Buxton as foreman, starts on Monday next with teams and men for Vancouver Island B. C. to open up a logging camp for Mr. R. E. Bryan, of our city, who has for a number of years owned a valuable timber limit 23 miles inland from Cowichan Bay. The camp will be some 60 or 70 miles north west from Victoria. When an opening has been made a powerful steam engine will be employed to draw logs to the lake beach. The engine will be stationed and a steel wire cable will reach into the woods for the logs. These cables a mile in length are already successfully used about Oak Point, Washington, though Mr. Bryan will not have to use a cable more than 1000 feet in length for a long time. The market for the logs is the Puget Sound mills.

Teacher Rogers is not treading in flowery paths this spring though why he should have thorns for a resting place is not plain. He has been teaching near Tulatin and a few days ago he received a summons citing him to appear before the superintendent of common schools and show cause, if any he has, why his certificate should not be revoked. Mr. Rogers asked for specific charges so that he could prepare his defense. This the superintendent gave orally to Rogers' attorney to the effect that the permit to teach had been obtained fraudulently because he submitted letters of recommendation from New Mexico when he had other letters of a later date from Kalama, Wash., which he did not submit. The permit was valid only until the first public examination occurlug after it was issued. At that time Rogers passed such an examination as entitled him to a first grade certificate, which he holds, and which is sought to be revoked, though there is no taint of fraud connected with its issuance. The superintendent admits that an oral statement is not sufficient, but he has not time now to reduce them to writing but continues the investigation. This continuance will probably not be satisfactory to Rogers. The whole charge is thin and gaugy and will scarcely hold water, though it is a cloud upon his professional reputation that ought to be at once removed.

We can afford to have you try all five flavors—one after another—of *Schilling's Best* tea, and get your money back if you don't like any.

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San Francisco 411

Marshal Lane has and is yet wrestling with the dog question. He is meeting with annoyances in collecting the dog-tax and when the tax is not paid he is causing the canines to bite the dust. To help to a better understanding of the dog question the following decision of the Supreme Court is referred to which fixes the status of dogs in the eyes of the law. The owner of a valuable Newfoundland dog in New Oreleans sought damages from a railroad company for killing it. The case turned on the validity of an act of the Louisiana legislature, recognizing dogs as personal property only when placed on the assessment rolls. The Supreme Court sustains the law and refuses damages, since the dog was not assessed. The Court said: "The very fact that they are without protection of the criminal law shows that property in dogs is of an imperfect or qualified nature, and that they stand, as it were, between animals 'ferae naturae,' in which, until subdued, there is no property and domestic animals, in which the rights of property is complete. They are not considered as being upon the same plane with horses, cattle, sheep and other domestic animals, but rather in the category of cats, monkeys, parrots, singing-birds and similiar animals, kept for pleasure, curiosity or caprice. Unlike domestic animals, they are useful neither as beasts of burden, for draft, nor for food."

Lost, strayed or stolen.—About April 10, one sorrel mare, about 11 years old, with star on forehead and scar on left hind leg between knee and hock; had on bell, and halter when last seen, was accompanied by small black mare. Both animals recently seen in neighborhood of Hillsboro. I will pay $5 to any person who will take up these animals and communicate with me. John D. Kelly, Sylvan Oregon.

Deputy Assessor Pointer reports that the Italian prunes on the foothills in the northwestern part of the county are dropping the young prunes. They bloomed well, but fruit is not setting. No reason for this failure is known. There is no complaint of the orchards in the lower lands.

All the populistic papers in Oregon (Argus take notice) are taking the INDEPENDENT to task because it has been jubilant over the high prices of farm products in Oregon. Such papers generally gloat over depression—it is their stock in trade—but the INDEPENDENT will still be pleased to quote high prices under the republican administration—"junta" press muttering to contrary notwithstanding.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Dead Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Hillsboro, May 8, 1897:

Carter, G H
Fogel, Mrs S
Whiteside, Mr Gromelda

All letters not called for by May 22d will be sent to the Dead Letter Office. One cent will be charged for each letter called for.

H. SCHULMERICH, P. M.

Y. P. S. C. E.

The Hillsboro local union executive committee held a meeting Monday evening and issued an invitation for the November session of the county union to be held here. It was also suggested that the societies of this place hold a union meeting on the evening of July 4th.

The Hillsboro Congregational seniors and juniors met together last Sunday evening, the meeting being led by a junior.

Let each society in the county be represented at our next convention at Forest Grove, May 22d and 23d.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, administrator of the estate of Perren Steeples, deceased. Now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate of Perren Steeples, deceased, are hereby required to present them to the undersigned at the law office of Geo. R. Bagley, at Hillsboro, Oregon, together with the proper vouchers within six months of the date hereof.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon on the 11th day of May, 1897.

W. D. BRADFORD,
Administrator of the estate of Perren Steeples, deceased. 51-3

Notice of Final Account.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned administratrix of the estate of John Trumbo, deceased, has filed her final account in said estate in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, and that the judge of said court has appointed Monday the 21st day of June, 1897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon as the time for the hearing of objections to said account and the settlement thereof. All heirs, creditors or other persons interested in said estate are hereby required to appear on or before the said day appointed and file their objections to said account.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 13th day of May, 1897.

RUTH E. TRUMBO,
Administratrix of the estate of John Trumbo, deceased. 51-3

Notice to Bridge Builders.

THERE WILL BE LET TO THE LOWEST bidder or bidders, at the office of the County Judge in Hillsboro, Washington County Oregon, on Saturday May the 22, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p m, contracts for the building of 4 bridges in said county, the Commisioners Court reserving the rights to reject any or all bids. Specifications may be seen on said day

Dated this 12th day of May, 1897.

B. P. CORNELIUS,
51-52. County Judge.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ATTACHMENT execution, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, in favor of H. McArthur and against N. H. Farnham and C. D. Farnham, for the sum of $22 costs, and for the further sum of $970.60 U. S. gold coin with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 16th day of March, 1897, and for $125 attorneys fees and for the costs and expenses of sale and of said writ.

Now, the store, by virtue and in pursuance of said judgement, and attachment execution, I will, on Monday the 17th day of May, 1897, at the south door of the Court House in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a m, of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit:

The Henry Davis tract of the donation land claim No. 38 of William and Maria Baldra, in township one, north of range two west of the Willamette Meridian, bounded by beginning at the northwest corner of said Baldra donation land claim and running from thence south (½ 18° E) with the west boundary of said claim sixty-five (65) chains; thence east twenty (20) chains; thence north sixty-five (65) chains; thence west twenty (20) chains to the place of beginning and containing one hundred and thirty (130) acres of land, more or less, except from the above one half of an acre of land heretofore sold to Thomas H. Tongue by deed dated July 7th 1894, and recorded in book "40" at page 150, record of deeds of Washington County, Oregon, also the following towit: Commencing on the west line of the donation land claim of L. M. Evans and wife in section 7 township one north of range two west of the Willamette Meridian at a point 11.30 chains north 23' from the south west corner of said claim thence south 20 degrees east on said west line 11.30 chains to the southwest corner of said claim; thence north 80° 30' east on south line of said claim 72.30 chains; thence north 9° West 11.20 chains thence south 80° 30' west to the place of beginning and containing 80 acres of land, all of said above described property being situate in Washington County, Oregon, to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale.

Said property will be sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon.

Witness my hand this 13 h day of April, 1897. W. D. BRADFORD,
Sher ff of Washington County, Oregon.
Davis & Graham,
Attorneys for Plff 47—51

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, decree and order of sale, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County in favor of H. B. Adams and against Jonas Carlson and Julia Carlson for the sum of $10 costs, and for the further sum of $179.50 U. S. gold coin with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 1st day of April 1897, and for the further sum of $35 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 1st day of April 1897, attorneys fee, and for the costs and expenses of sale and of said writ;

Now, therefore by virtue and in persuance of said judgment decree and order of sale, I will, on Monday, the 24th day of May, 1897, at the south door of the Court House, in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following-described real property towit:

Commencing at the southeast corner of the Phillip Harris and wife's donation land claim, thence running north 43° and 55' east about 11 chs to a point in the center of the Tualatin river on the claim lines thence along the center of the Tualatin river in a westerly direction to a point where the west claim of the Phillip Harris and wife donation land claim crosses the said river and being about 3.75 chains to the southwest claim corner, thence south 87° east 7.36 chains to the place of beginning, containing 35 acres more or less, said land being in section 5, township 2, south range, 2 west, Willamette Meridian, to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums, an for the costs and expenses of said sale.

Said property will be sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon.

Witness my hand this 13th day of April, 1897.

W. D. BRADFORD,
Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon,
By E. B. Sappington Deputy. 48—52
H. L. Adams, attorney for plaintiff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, decree and order of sale, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, in favor of Elizabeth C Mills and against Eugene D White, Emma G White Geo Banford C F Plympton and Benton Killin for the sum of $32.75 costs, and for the further sum of $3782.95 U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 19th day of March, 1897, and for the further sum of $300 attorneys fee with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 19th day of March 1897, and for costs of and expenses of sale and of said writ.

Now, therefore, by virtue and in persuance of said judgement, decree and order of sale, I will, on Monday the 31st day of May, 1897, at the south door of the Court House, in Hillsboro, Washington Oregon, at the hour of ten oclock a. m., of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

Lying and being in Washington County, State of Oregon. An undivided five-sixths (5-6) of the following portion of the donation land claim of James A. Mills, said portion being described as the North half of the Southeast quarter and the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of section 12 Township one south of Range one West of the Willamette Meridain to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale.

Said property will be sold subject to redemption, as per statute of Oregon.

Witness my hand this 13th day of April, 1897. W. D. BRADFORD,
Sheriff of Washington County, State of Oregon. 47-1
Frank V. Drake, Atty for Plaintiff.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the undersigned Administratrix of the estate of Larets K. Larson, deceased has this day filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, her final account in said estate and that Monday, the 7th day of June, A. D. 1897, has been set by said Court for the hearing and determination of the same. All persons interested in said estate are notified to be and appear in said Court on said day and make objections if any they have, to the allowance of said final account and the discharge of said Administratrix.

Dated May 5, 1897.

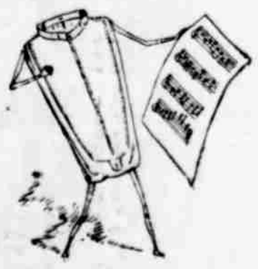
MARY LARSON,
Administratrix of the estate of Larets K. Larson, deceased. 50—2

Sealed Bids for Painting.

TENDERS ARE REQUESTED FOR the painting of the Convent, Cedar Mills and will be received to May 6th, inclusive. Apply to Sisters of Mercy, Cedar Mills.

LAUNDRY!

Baseline St. bet. 2d and 3d



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Q. W. HOP.

F. M. HEIDEL'S LIST OF LANDS NOW ON THE MARKET.

No. 1.

77 acres, 6 miles from McMinville, Yamhill county, Oregon; 15 acers cleared 60 acres slashed and seeded; baliance easy cleared. One thousand bearing fruit trees. All fenced, running water &c. A good portion of this is river bottom land. Handy to school, church and postoffice. Cheap house and barn. This is offered very cheap for cash or would trade for some good business. Bakery and confectionary prefered.

No. 2.

40 acres 2 miles from Hillsboro, nearly half of this is genuine beaverdam, mostly all cleared. No buildings. Price $1,000.

No. 3.

160 acres about 18 miles from Hillsboro, 50 acres brush land, easy cleared; balance good timber; no improvements. Price $650; easy terms.

No. 4.

320 acres in Marrow Co. Oregon, 3 miles from Lexington. 160 acres in cultivation; house, barn and all smooth land, to trade for Willamette Valley farm.

No. 5.

160 acres, rich and smooth farming land in the "Big bend" country, Eastern Wash., no improvements; to trade for Hillsboro Property.

No. 6.

10 acres just outside city limits; about 7 acres of this is high ground, fine for building sight and the best of fruit land. 3 acres beaverdam. A fine little stream runs across one corner, fed by numerous springs some of which are on this tract. None of this is yet in cultivation, but is all slashed and seeded also fenced. This could be made a model suburban home. This costs the owner already in cash, (not counting the clearing of it), about $140.00 but I am authorised, for a short time, to sell it for very much less.

No. 7.

3 and one half acres of land in heart of Hillsboro. All platted. This is a real snap.

No. 8.

5 acres, all fenced, slashed and seeded. Fine building sight, would make good home. Very cheap and on easy terms

No. 9.

5 and one-half acres, inside city limits, a fair house, good bearing orchard of about 150 trees, springs, &c. This would be a good site for a creamery, being close to railroad track. I have a surprise for you in the price of this property. If you are looking for a real soft "snap," then don't fail to investigate this.

No. 10.

Two lots in Center of Hillsboro on which are a well finished 6 room house barn and other out buildings. Fruit trees and shrubery. Very desireable property and we are going to let some one have for about half its actual value. $650 takes it.

No. 11.

A nice and profitable business for sale. In good town. Invoices about $1100. Part cash, baliance time.

No. 12.

6 room house, in Hillsboro, in good repair, 4 blocks from business center, (electric light and water maines on this street) one large lot all planted to fruit and shrubbery. Barn and other outbuildings. Will sell on easy payments.

No. 13.

Will trade the four tracts last above described for a good improved farm in the Willamette Valley.

No. 14.

A good 4 room house, good woodshed, large lot in Hillsboro for sale. Price $250.00, $100.00 cash. Ballance on time.

No. 15.

If you wish to get into a good, substantial business in a good town in the Willamette Valley, then don't fail to investigate this. The stock consists of about $4000 worth of hardware, tinware, tools, groceries, provisions, &c., and is just the place where one could profitably add a full line of implements and farm machinery, as there is nothing of the kind in the town. Will sell on easy payments, or might consider a trade for a good, improved farm in the Willamette Valley.

The above is only a partial list of property I have on my books.

Should you fail to find what you want, write me or call, and you will very likely find what you want.

F. M. HEIDEL,
Hillsboro, Oregon.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT George Blasser, Executor of the last will and testament of Magdalen Blasser deceased, has this day, filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County his final account in said estate and that the 17th day of May 1897 at one o'clock a. m. of said day is set for hearing the same. All persons interested in said estate are herably notified to be and appear in said Court on said day and make objections, if any they have to the allowance of said account.

B. P. CORNELIUS,
County Judge.
April 14, 1897. 47 51.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Administratrix of the est te of J. J. Bertscher has filed her final account in said estate with the Clerk of the County Court and that Monday, May 17, 1897 at ten o'clock a. m. is set for hearing the same. All persons interested are hereby notified to be and appear in said Court on said date and show cause if any they have why said account should not be allowed and said administratrix and her surities be discharged and said estate closed of record.

B. P. CORNELIUS,
County Judge of Washington County, Oregon.
April 13, 1897. 47 51.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Clara Skeels, administratrix of the estate of Harvey Skeels, deceased, has filed her final account in said estate with the Clerk of the County Court of Washington County, Oregon and that Monday, May 17, 1897, at ten o'clock a. m is set for the hearing of same. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to be and appear in said Court on said day and show cause if any they have why said final account shall not be allowed and said Administratrix and her surities as such be discharged from further liability and said estate closed of record.

B. P. CORNELIUS,
County Judge of Washington County, Oregon.
April 14, 1897. 47 51

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, decree and order of sale, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, in favor of Jacob Bruger and against G. Wilhelm Hildenbrand and Anna Barbara Hildenbrand, for the sum of $15.00, costs, and for the further sum of $1270.00, U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, from the 15th day of March, 1897, and for the costs and expenses of sale and of said writ.

Now, therefore, by virtue and in pursuance of said judgment, decree and order of sale, I will on Monday the 17th day of May 1897, at the south door of the Court House in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following-described real property, to-wit:

Commencing at the ¼ stake of the north line of Thomas Summers Pre-emption land claim running thence rest 80 rods to a stake; thence south 70 rods to a stake; thence west 80 rods; thence north 70 rods to the place of begining, containing 35 acres, more or less, and lying and being in Washington County, Oregon, in section 35, T. 1 N. R. 1 W., to satisfied the hereinbefore named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale.

Said property sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon.

Witness my hand this 13th day of April, 1897.

W. D. BRADFORD,
Sheriff of Washington County, State of Oregon.
S. B. Huston,
Atty for Plaintiff. 47 51.

SALE OF ROADSTERS

AND STANDARD BRED FILLIES

A chance to buy a first-class Driving Animal, Saddle Animal, or Young Brood Mare at your own price.

I will sell at public auction, at the Hillsboro Fair Grounds, on

SATURDAY, MAY 15, 1897

Twenty-three young Driving Animals and Standard Bred Fillies and Saddle Animals. All broken to drive single and double. The sale will be absolute, no by-bidding, and every animal offered for which a bona-fide bid is received will be sold. Sale will commence promptly at 10 o'clock in the morning and be completed in one day.

TERMS OF SALE!

Six months' time will be given on approved paper, drawing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum. Five per cent off or cash. Sale to be without reserve.

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All gilt-edged butter put on the market by creameries is wrapped in paper. The product of the private dairy would reach its market in much better condition if wrapped in Butter Parchment than it does when wrapped in cloth. Parchment is not only better than cloth, but cheaper. Cloth sells at 6 cents per yard, from which 27 sheets can be cut—27 Parchment wrappers cost 3½ cents.

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500 Sheets, 8x13, - - 60 cts

The standard size for 2-pound rolls is 8x11 inches; 2-pound blocks are wrapped in the 8x13 size. One reason why paper has not been generally used heretofore, farmers could not get it at the general store. It is now kept at the Independent office cut to any size wanted.

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