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At Hopkinsville, Ky., a 9-year-old daughter of James Cannon, a saloon keeper, died from the effects of 4 ounces of whiskey which she drank from a bottle she found on the mantel. Physicians worked for twenty-four hours in an effort to save her life.

A news telegram from Scranton, Pa., says: "The diphtheria epidemic at Minooka has developed nine new cases since Sunday, and the school board will again order the schools closed. Local physicians allege that even ducks and geese which swim in the town's stagnant ponds are plagued with diphtheria."

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Gaskill, a negro, reputed to be the heaviest woman in Delaware county, Pa., took place recently. She weighed nearly 500 pounds. It required seven able-bodied men to assist the undertaker in placing the body in the casket, and it was necessary to remove the window-jams to get the casket into the parlor.

Mrs. Margaret Fry of Morrilton, Pa., says she has used sticky fly paper as a rat catcher with great success. She says she was called to the cellar the other evening by a great racket. To her surprise, she found two rats and a cat mixed up in a sheet of fly paper. "One rat got caught," she said, "and when its mate came to its assistance, it, too, got stuck."

A car of the Salem street railway is out of commission owing to a collision with a sad-eyed mule at the corner of Garfield avenue and Sixth street, Salem, Ohio. The car has been in constant service since 1865. The mule, which is used by a coal dealer, was struck by the car, and before the motorman could stop it or get out of his vestibule the surprised animal had kicked all the glass and a good portion of the vestibule framework into fragments. Mand was uninjured and the motorman escaped with only a few scratches.

A careless remark made by some citizens unknown to the police started a run on the savings bank at Chillicothe, Ohio, recently. It began at noon and continued until late that evening. Women, children and men quit their employment and ran to the bank breathless. One depositor said he saw a statement in an evening newspaper that the bank had closed. It was discovered, however, that he saw the bank's semi-annual statement which read, "balance on hand at close of business November, 10," etc. The amount of withdrawals, it is reported, reached from \$10,000 to \$15,000. The depositors who withdrew this money will lose a month's interest.

When two young men applied for two marriage licenses at Clinton Ia., last week within twenty minutes of each other, and both gave the name of Christine Michaelson as the young lady in the case, there was more trouble and more explaining for one Christine Michaelson than has been connected with any marriage in Clinton since the county clerk's office was opened. Anton von Essen, a farmer, first took out a license. Then Theodore Prepers demanded one be issued to him to marry one Christine Michaelson. "Another man has just been here and secured a license to marry Miss Michaelson," said the clerk. "But she told me not half an hour ago to go and secure the license and we would be married," said Prepers. "I tell you that you are twenty minutes too late," said the clerk. "Another man has secured a license, and has probably married Miss Michaelson before this, as he left here with a minister." Furious, Prepers hastened to the home of Miss Michaelson. He found her cool and composed, anxiously waiting his return. After she had submitted numerous proofs that she did not know Von Essen, her mother came to the rescue and informed her that there was another girl by the name of Christine Michaelson living in Clinton. This proved to be the case, and Theodore Prepers and Anton von Essen both married Miss Christine Michaelson on the same day, though the girls never met each other.

Notice to Fruit Growers in Washington County.

The Fruit Inspector of this County has found that almost all trees are infected with fruit pests and the law requires the owners or persons having possession thereof to destroy or eradicate such orchards or pests. You are therefore notified that unless such orchards or pests are destroyed or eradicated before the first day of April 1907, I will proceed under the law to either cut

down or destroy such orchards or have the trees sprayed and cleaned at the owner's expense.

W. R. HARRIS, Washington County Fruit Inspector.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned will sell at Progress, near Beaverton on Wednesday, December 19, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described articles: One sorrel mare, 5 years old weight 1000 pounds; 1 sorrel horse, weight 900; 1 black mare 950; 1 cow will calve in; 1 heifer with calf; 1 wagon; 1 hack; 1 new buggy; about 10 tons hay; harpoon with hay rope; 1 set bran new double harness; 1 set double harness; 1 set single harness; 1 blacksmith anvil; 1 pair blacksmith belovs; 1 large anvil; 1 3-inch tire shrinker; 1 Twerp iron; 1 blacksmith drill; assortment of horse drill bits; 1 vice; all kinds of tools; large assortment of bolts; pipe wrenches all sizes; 1 cart; Fairbanks scales, 4 ton; nearly new plow; 1 harrow; 1 saddle, 3 spray pumps; one cultivator; 1 feed cutter 200 sacks potatoes more or less; 125 sacks; 1-22 rifle; 1 45-70 rifle; 1 shot gun 16; household furniture; quantity of books and 3 stoves. Also a stock of general merchandise including drugs, dry goods, hardware, groceries, stationary, etc.

Terms—All under \$10 cash; over that amount six months' time at 6 per cent on bankable notes.

Lunch will be served at noon. JOSEPH HINGLEY, J. C. Kurath, Auctioneer.

Horticulture Meeting.

Beaverton, Nov. 30th 1906.—A meeting was called to be held in Beaverton hall on November 30th at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of organizing a horticultural society, and a goodly number responded to the call. County Fruit Inspector Harris was present and explained some of the benefits of such a society. Fifteen of those present decided to form such an association, signed their names and paid their cash. J. W. Barnes was then called to the chair to act as chairman and X. A. Gassner, secretary. It was then voted to elect officers to serve for one year. The following being the ones elected:

President, X. A. Gassner; secretary and treasurer, N. P. Oakerman; first vice president, D. L. Morlock; second vice president, B. K. Denny; executive committee, F. M. Austin, W. B. Emmons and B. Leis. A committee of three was then appointed on constitution and by laws namely, X. A. Gassner, D. L. Morlock and N. P. Oakerman, to report at the next meeting to be held in the city hall on Saturday evening December 8th at 7:30 p. m., when we will be glad to take more names and more money.

Wanted: Lady to advertise our goods locally. Several weeks home work. Salary \$12.00 per week, \$1.00 a day for expenses. SANDERS CO. Dept. W. 46-48 Jackson Boulevard. Chicago, Ill.

According to an official of the geological survey, a comparison of the gauge records for a period of twenty years shows that the land surrounding the great lakes is being gradually tilted from northeast to southwest at such a rate that of two points 100 miles apart, the northern rises 5 inches with reference to the southern in 100 years. At Chicago the lake level rises about 1 inch in ten years. The official quoted predicts that if this movement continues, in about 3000 years all the upper lakes will discharge into the Illinois river, the Detroit and St. Clair rivers will flow backwards, carrying the water of Lake Erie into Lake Huron, and the Niagara river will run dry.

Considerable discussion has been aroused by a signed prophecy of Thomas A. Edison, detailing what our large cities will be like 100 years hence. He says they will be free from smoke and steam, and that the chimney will be a thing of the past, while the waste of coal and other fuel will be stopped through the use of electricity, generated direct from the fuel without the aid of engine, boiler or dynamo. In factories each machine will have its individual motor. Houses will be heated electrically, and most of the cities' noises will cease. Skyscrapers will be universal in the business section, and the streets will be bridged over at different heights to facilitate transit from one side to the other. He estimates that buildings will then average thirty stories in height, and the greater number will be constructed of concrete and steel. Such buildings, he says, will stand a thousand years or longer. His new battery will make electricity portable for street vehicles or airships.

The big stores of the city have already mapped out their campaigns for holiday window displays and advertising. The window displays will be very beautiful in the big stores this year. Chimneys and reindeer and snow scenes and Christmas trees and Santa Clauses will abound and gifts of every kind and description will be tastefully and temptingly displayed. But how about the little stores in the country towns? What have they planned? They have not the window space nor the variety to choose from, but they all have windows and they all have holiday goods. A new idea, a little work at night, and the trade will surely be attracted. The window displays need not be costly nor elaborate in small stores. Simplicity, taste, appropriateness, cleanliness may be secured with but little ex-

penditure of money or time. And it pays splendidly. Don't forget your windows before Christmas, and let the people know you have something to sell.—Oregon Tradesman.

And it came to pass that after he had advertised his goods, there came unto him great multitudes from all the regions about and did buy of him. And when his competitors saw it they marvelled among themselves saying: "How be it that this man is busy while we loaf idly about our doors?" And he knowing their thoughts, spake unto them saying: "In this fast age of push and rustle, it is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a business man to flourish without advertising."

The oyster leads a quiet life. He does not attend association meetings, nor does he write letters to his congressman. He does not clean up his place of business, and he does not advertise. He lives all right, for his food comes along to him and he takes it in by merely opening his front door and closing it again. But the tides of commerce are not so kind to human beings as the ocean tides are to the bivalve. A man may stand with his mouth wide open all day, and not a single bit of food floats in. Who wants to be an oyster, anyhow?—Oregon Tradesman.

For Sale.

A lot of Black Minorca, Brown Leghorns and Barred Rock Cockerels. C. Rhoades, Oak and Seventh streets, Hillsboro.

Strawberry Plants for Sale.

Magnons and Clark Seedlings. Inquire of C. Rhoades, Oak and Seventh streets, Hillsboro.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

GEORGE A. GORE ESTATE.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate by Administratrix.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of George A. Gore, deceased, of virtue of an order of the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, made and entered on the 27th day of October, A. D., 1906, will, from and after the 31st day of December, A. D., 1906, at her residence near Sherwood, in the County of Washington, State of Oregon, or at the office of her attorney, W. A. Cleland, Rooms 522-524 Chamber of Commerce Building, in the City of Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, sell at private sale, and will continue to sell until sold, the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said George A. Gore, deceased, and situated in said Washington County, Oregon, to-wit:

1. Beg. at center of Sec. 22, T. 2, S. R. 1, W. W. M., thence W. 37.50 ch.; thence S. 40 ch.; thence E. 29.75 ch.; thence N. 21 deg. E. 18.90 ch.; thence N. 22.50 ch. more or less, to the place of beg., containing 142 acres, more or less. N. W. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 Sec. 27, T. 2, S. R. 1, W. W. M., containing 40 acres. S. E. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 Sec. 27, T. 2, S. R. 1, W. W. M., except beg. at N. E. corner S. E. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 said sec., running W. 119 ft.; thence S. 30 deg. E. 109 ft.; thence E. 18 deg. N. 101 ft.; thence N. 58 ft. to place of beg., said land owned by said estate being about 30.45 acres. N. E. 1/4 S. W. 1/4 sec. 27, T. 2, S. R. 1, W. W. M., containing 40 acres. Also, beg. 20 ch. N. of 1-4 sec. corner on S. line of Sec. 27, T. 2, S. R. 1, W. W. M., thence N. 17.50 ch.; thence N. 63 deg. E. 4.75 ch.; thence S. 19.75 ch.; thence W. 4.25 ch.; to the place of beg., containing 7.91 acres, more or less.

The terms of sale, ten (10) per cent to accompany the bid and as a forfeit in case of refusal to complete the purchase; balance, cash on confirmation of sale, all sales to be made subject to confirmation by the County Court of Washington County, Oregon.

GRACE H. GORE, Administratrix of Estate of George A. Gore, deceased.

Proclamation.

Whereas, on the 26th day of October, 1906, an initiative petition was filed in the office of the City recorder of Hillsboro, Oregon, for the proposed amendment of subdivision 57, of section 5 of the act incorporating the city of Hillsboro, Oregon, filed in the office of the Secretary of State February 30, 1895 as amended by an act approved February 6, 1895 and as amended by an act approved February 6, 1899, and as further amended by an act filed in the office of the Secretary of State on January 27, 1905; and

Whereas said proposed amendment authorizes the City Council of Hillsboro, Oregon, to grant telephone, telegraph and railroad franchises upon the streets of Hillsboro, Oregon; and

Whereas, said petition is in due form as required by Ordinance No. 256 of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, and has been certified to me by the Recorder of the City of Hillsboro;

Now Therefore, I, R. P. Cornelius, as Mayor of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, in obedience to and by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the ordinances of said City, do hereby make and issue this proclamation to the people of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, and do hereby announce and declare that said petition and proposed amendment are in due form and that said proposed amendment will be submitted to a vote of the people of said City at the annual City election of said City to be held on Monday, December 3, 1906.

Done at Hillsboro, Oregon, this November 6th, 1906. [Seal] R. P. CORNELIUS, Mayor of Hillsboro, Oregon. Attest: H. T. BAGLEY, Recorder.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County.

JOHN W. KEAS, Plaintiff,

vs. MARY O. MARION and WILLIAM MARION, her husband, HENRY N. KEYES, and JOSEPH A. KEYES and ETNA KEYES, his wife, defendants.

To Mary O. Marion, William Marion, Joseph A. Keyes and Etna Keyes, defendants above named:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: On or before the 12th day of January 1907; and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for a judgment and decree as prayed for in said complaint, to-wit:

1. That the defendants herein may be re-

quired to set forth the nature of their claims in and to the following described real estate, lying and being in the County of Washington and State of Oregon, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the Section line 15 chains North of the Southeast corner of Section 25 in Township 1 South, of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence West 20 chains; thence North 25 chains; thence East 10 chains; thence South 10 chains; thence East 10 chains; and thence South 15 chains to the place of beginning, containing 40 acres, and that all adverse claims of the defendants may be determined by a decree of said Court;

2. That by said decree it be declared and adjudged that the said defendants and each and every of them have no estate or interest whatever in or to said lands or premises and that the title of plaintiff thereto is good and valid; and

3. That the said defendants and each and every of them be forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said land or premises adverse to plaintiff and that the plaintiff may have such other and further relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable in the premises.

This summons, by an order of the Honorable Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the above-entitled Court, made in open Court at Hillsboro, Oregon, on the 26th day of November, 1906, is served upon you by the publication thereof for a period of six consecutive and successive weeks immediately prior to the 12th day of January, 1907, in the "Hillsboro Independent," a newspaper of general circulation, printed weekly at Hillsboro, in said County. The date of the first publication of this summons is November 30, 1906.

OSCAR HAYTER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS

For Toll Roads.

In the matter of the application for the leasing of County Road No. 218 and known as the Wilson river road;

Now at this time comes this matter on for hearing upon the petition of John McClaran and John Heister asking that this Court lease the following described road to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of the O. Parsons D. L. C. No. 50, T. 1, S. R. 5, W. in Washington County, Oregon, and running thence in a westerly direction following the Wilson river road to the Tillamook County line, for the purpose of making said road a toll road and it appearing to the Court that the road herein mentioned is so situated that there is little or no local labor along the line of said road, and that it is impossible for said road to be kept in proper condition for travel by local labor along the line of said road, and that it is for the best interests of the said County of Washington and for the people living along the line of the said road and for every person interested therein for said road to be leased for a toll road. That said road is a public County road. That it is expedient and lawful under the provisions of section 4967 of B. and C. annotated codes and statutes of the State of Oregon, that said road be leased.

It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the road described as follows to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of the O. Parsons, D. L. C. No. 50, T. 1, S. R. 5, W. in Washington County, Oregon, and running thence in a westerly direction following the Wilson river road to the Tillamook County line, be leased for the purposes of keeping the same open and in repair and improved for a period of 10 years with the right to consider therefor to collect and receive tolls for travel thereon in the manner provided by law. That there shall be placed upon said road one sign at the grade of the road shall be kept the same that it now is and the materials used in the repair or construction of the road or

any part thereof shall be same as is now used in such places. It is further ordered and adjudged that the Clerk of this Court be and hereby is ordered to cause this order to be published in a weekly newspaper of general circulation within this County and State for a period of four weeks, and in like manner to publish a notice to the effect that sealed bids will be received at the Clerk's office within Washington County, Oregon, for the leasing of said road, until Wednesday the 2nd day of January 1907, until the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said date.

Now Therefore, in pursuance of the foregoing order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, made by said Court on the 7th day of November, 1906, and entered in the records thereof,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk of said Washington County, Oregon, in Hillsboro, said County and State, on Wednesday the second day of January 1907, until the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, for leasing of a County road for the purpose of making it a toll road, which said road is described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the south-west corner of the O. Parsons, D. L. C. No. 50, T. 1, S. R. 5, W. Will Mer. and running thence in a westerly direction following the Wilson river road to the Tillamook County line. Bidders must state the amount of toll to be charged.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by an undertaking, executed by two or more sureties, in the sum of two thousand dollars, to be void upon the condition that the bidder, if the lease is awarded to him, will within ten days thereafter enter into the contract for keeping above described road and give the undertaking to secure the performance thereof as provided by law.

The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Hillsboro, Oregon, November 27th, 1906. E. J. GODMAN, County Clerk.

Proclamation.

Whereas, on the 26th day of October, 1906, an initiative petition was filed in the office of the City recorder of Hillsboro, Oregon, for the proposed amendment of subdivision 58 of section 5 of the act incorporating said City of Hillsboro, Oregon, filed in the office of the Secretary of State February 30, 1895, as amended by an act approved February 6, 1895, and as amended by an act approved February 6, 1899, and as further amended by an act filed in the office of the Secretary of State January 27, 1905; and

Whereas, said proposed amendment authorizes the City Council of Hillsboro, Oregon, to purchase a park for a sum not to exceed \$2000, and to maintain the same and levy a special tax therefor, and create a fund known as the "Park Fund," and

Whereas, said petition is in due form as required by Ordinance No. 256 of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, and has been certified to me by the recorder of the City of Hillsboro;

Now Therefore, I, R. P. Cornelius, as Mayor of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, in obedience to and by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the ordinances of said City, do hereby make and issue this proclamation to the people of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, and do hereby announce and declare that said petition and proposed amendment are in due form and that said proposed amendment will be submitted to a vote of the people of said City at the annual City election of said City to be held on Monday December 3, 1906.

Done at Hillsboro, Oregon, this November 6, 1906. [Seal] R. P. CORNELIUS, Mayor of Hillsboro, Oregon. Attest: H. T. BAGLEY, Recorder.

Guardian Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale duly made and entered by the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, on November 14th, 1906, directing me to sell the herein described real estate, I will, on Wednesday, January 2, 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. at the South door of the Court House in Hillsboro, Oregon, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of Everett Dillaboy and Louis Dillaboy, minors, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

Part of the S. W. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 of Sec 25, T. 1, S. R. 2, W. W. M., in Washington County, Oregon, bounded by beginning 5.09 chs. N. from the quarter section corner between sections 25 & 26, T. 1, S. R. 2, W. W. M., and running thence N. on section line 14.25 chs., thence S. 87 deg. 08' E. in the center of County Road, 8.37 chs., thence N. 88 deg. 10' E. 5.89 chs., thence S. 14.02 chs., thence W. 14.25 chs., to the place of beginning, containing 19.94 acres, more or less.

I will also convey my dower right in said lands for a reasonable consideration.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this November 30, 1906.

EMMA DILLABOY, Guardian of Everett Dillaboy and Louis Dillaboy, minors. G. A. LANE and BENTON BOWMAN, Attorneys for Guardian.

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When you are in town drop in and get warm. We always have a nice warm stove and you are always welcome. Hot Bullion, Coffee and Chocolate at all hours. We always appreciate a new acquaintance. Lest you forget!—Our Fruit and Nuts are always the freshest the market affords. Don't forget us when you think about FILLING THE STOCKINGS.

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