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The Poultry Show.
The first annual Rogue River Valley Poultry show was held last week commencing Thursday and continuing through Saturday. This, the first effort of the poultry men was a revelation to the people of this section who have not looked upon the poultry business as of much importance as yet.

The show was held in the recently completed warehouse of Cramer Brothers back of their store, the use of which was donated by the firm. There were 53 coops of birds on exhibit, one from Ashland, one from College Place, Wash, and the balance from within the county. The show was under the general supervision of President John Summers and the committee composed of George Cramer, Charles Kingwell, and J. F. Fryer. Prof. James Dryden of the O. A. C., was superintendent of exhibits. The Judge Elmer Dickson of Oregon City, one of three poultry judges on the Coast, is licensed by the American Poultry association, and his decisions were universally satisfactory.

It is estimated that the show was visited by upwards of 600 people, which number would have been increased had the weather been auspicious. The next fair will be held the first week in December.

Following is the list of first premiums awarded blue ribbons:

- R. L. Newman Barred Plymouth rock cock.
- Edw. E. Dimick, Barred Plymouth rock cockerel.
- Frank W. Broad, College Place, Warr., Barred Plymouth Rock pullet.
- J. L. Fryer, White Plymouth Rock pullet, also took second and third prizes.
- Iona Frier, white Wyandottes.
- L. A. Holloway, Buff Orpington hen.
- C. E. Palmer, Buff Orpington cock, also received first prize for Buff Orpington pen.
- B. O. Longsdorf, Ashland, Rose Comb Rhode Island Red pullet, also second and third prizes for birds and first prize for pen.
- J. L. Fryer, S. C. Rhode Island Red, pullets.
- T. P. Cramer, Brown Leghorn cockerel.
- S. C. Cook, Applegate, Brown Leghorn pullet.
- Mrs. H. M. Parham, S. C. White Leghorn cockerel. Also first prize on pen.
- G. P. Cramer, S. C. White Leghorn cock also second on cockerel.
- Jacob Meier Langshan cock.
- A. E. Sampson, Black Barred Red Game cock.
- J. H. Robinson, Wilderville, Bronze Turkey. Also first, second and third on turkeys.
- Jacob Meyer, pen of White Pekin ducks.

The members of the association wish to thank the business men for the support given the show.

The County Court.
Court met February 6th, 1908 there being present Hon. Stephen Jewell, Judge; J. T. Logan, Commissioner; M. A. Wertz, commissioner; S. P. Chisholm, clerk; W. J. Russell, Sheriff.

The following proceedings were had, to-wit: Petition of J. G. Hill et al for county road in section 34, township 34, south, range 6 west, heard upon first reading of reports.

Petition of T. J. Everton, et al for a County road at the old Ferry Landing on Rogue River heard upon first reading of reports of viewers.

The Court proceeds to open and examine bids for the construction of a steel bridge across Rogue River at Grants Pass and the matter not being concluded and the time for adjournment having arrived the said matter is continued until tomorrow.

Minnie Tuffs, 8th Grade Ex. 3 00
James Holman, drawing jury list 3 00
J. O. Randle, drawing jury list 2 00
John Patrick, drawing jury list 2 00
James Holman, justice State vs Bradley 4 20
George Cronk, burial of paupr A. M. Albright, wrk on roads. 2 50
J. O. Randle, constable, State vs Bradley 4 05
Jury Fees, circuit Court, January 1908 term. 524 10
Witness Fees, Circuit Court January 1908 term. 400 70
W. J. Russell, board of prisoners 7 20
J. T. Logan, com per diem and mileage 20 0 0

Petition of T. J. Everton et al for County road at old Ferry landing on Rogue River heard upon report of County Board of Road Viewers for the second reading of said report, the same was duly read in open court and the petition was granted and road ordered opened for travel.

Petition of J. G. Hill for County road in section 34, township 34 south, range 6 west, heard upon second reading of report of County Board of Road Viewers thereon and it appearing to the court that a remonstrance against said petition is on file herein and the Court not being fully advised on said matter the same is continued for the time.

All bids for construction of steel bridge rejected and new plans to be adopted and new bids to be considered at an adjourned term to be held March 16th, 1908.

Hilt Co Will Build Railroad.

The Northern California Lumber Company, which is now operating in the lumber business near the state line, as successors to the Hilt Lumber Co., is apparently planning on greatly extending its business, notwithstanding the reported quiet conditions in the lumber situation and prospects. Work is to begin at once in the building of six miles of railroad by the company, which is advertising for men and teams for grading. The road will lead from the Southern Pacific main line at Hilt station to the mill site four miles and thence be extended two miles into the timber.

It is also stated that the company is preparing to install a new saw mill of great capacity, equal or superior to any of the mills long the line.

M. A. Leach is president of the Northern California Lumber Co., J. E. Manlove, vice-president; C. A. Webster, secretary, and R. M. Saelter, treasurer, who with Frederick Lyon, Austin H. Brown, E. V. D. Johnson and D. M. Miller, comprise the directorate.

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the service rendered by this company to its members.

Sec. 11. The vice-president shall preside in the absence of the president and shall have all the power and prerogatives of that officer while in the performance of his duty.

Sec. 12. The secretary shall keep in a book provided for that purpose, a correct record of the proceedings of each meeting, which shall be presented at the next meeting of the company for its approval. He shall keep a just and true account of all money that shall come into his hands and pay the same over to the treasurer, taking his receipt for the same. He shall have charge of all books and papers belonging to the company and deliver the same to his successor at the expiration of his term of office. He shall do all the corresponding for the company and attend to any other business that pertains to his office. He shall make a report in writing to be submitted at the annual meeting of this company.

Sec. 13. The treasurer shall keep in a book, provided for that purpose, a correct account of all the money that comes into his hands from all sources, keep a just and true account between the company and its members. He shall keep his books in such manner that he can at any time report the financial condition of the company when called upon, and shall submit a full report in writing to the company at the end of his term of office. He shall pay all orders on the treasury, signed by the president and secretary, out of any funds not otherwise appropriated. He shall give a bond in such amount and with such security as the board of directors shall fix and approve.

Sec. 4. The Board of directors and officers shall constitute the board of management. The directors shall have charge of all business pertaining to this company, the approval of the stockholders being required on all matters so specified in this constitution and rules and regulations. They shall hire and fix the pay roll for employees of this company, audit all accounts against the company and shall have supervision of building and repairing lines, installing central stations and phones and all other matters pertaining to the interests of the company. They may divide the territory covered by this company's telephone system into districts and shall appoint such members of the board to have general supervision of the lines in such districts as may be deemed expedient. The board of directors shall be custodians of all property belonging to the company and they shall make a report in writing to be submitted at the annual meeting of this company, showing an invoice of the company's property and also that acquired during the year. The board of directors shall meet at Provoit, Oregon, on the first Saturday in January, April, July and October, of each year. The directors to fix the hour of said meetings, and also the date and hour for any special meetings they may hold. Five members shall constitute a quorum for meeting of the board of directors. In the absence of both the president and vice-president the board may elect one of its members to preside and may also choose a secretary pro tem. The president can call special meetings of the board of directors, for the secretary shall make the call on a written application signed by at least three directors. The board of directors shall have power to fill by appointment any vacancy that may occur in any office of this company, the appointee to serve until the next regular election.

Sec. 15. The annual election of this company shall be held at Provoit, Ore., at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the second Monday of January of each year, for the purpose of electing a board of nine directors as provided for in section 8 of this constitution. Any other business pertaining to the company may be transacted at this meeting.

Sec. 16. The president shall have power to call special meetings of the stockholders whenever it is deemed necessary, and in case of his neglect or refusal to do so, then the secretary shall make such call on a written application signed by not less than 15 members. The date and hour for holding all regular or special meetings shall be stated in the notices, posted by the secretary. Ten days notice shall be sufficient for all meetings of stockholders except for such as may transact business of which 30 days notice is required by this constitution. At all meetings of stockholders 15 members shall constitute a quorum.

Sec. 17. This constitution may be changed or amended by a two-thirds vote by ballot of all the stockholders at any regular meeting when 30 days notice shall be given by the secretary, posted at the company's central stations, giving the text of such amendments to be voted on at such meetings.

COMING EVENTS

- Feb. 12, Wednesday—Joint Debate at opera house, under auspices of Bethany Fraternal Club.
- Feb. 12-14—County Teachers Examination.
- April 7, Tuesday—Registration books closed for primary election.
- April 17, Friday—Primary election.
- April 21, Tuesday—Registration books reopen.
- May 15, Friday—Registration books close for election.
- June 1, Monday—General election.

Special Rates From Grants Pass.

On account of the 5th annual convention Western Retail Lumbermen's Association at Tacoma, February 27th, 28th and 29th. Tickets will be sold at Grants Pass on the certificate plan, to Tacoma, entitling holders to return at one-third fare from Tacoma, having paid full fare going. Further particulars at the depot.

R. K. MONTGOMERY,
1-24 tf Agent.

Business Change.

J. F. MYERS has sold his barber shop on east Front street to M. Stanton, of Eugene, who will continue the business.

Mr. Myers has bought the half interest of Nate Bates in the barber shop on West Front street, next to Schmidt's cigar store, formerly owned by Myers & Bates, and is now sole proprietor. He will conduct the business and equip it in first class style. Mr. Myers will run three chairs, and will have N. Bates and M. Luckett for assistants. 1-31 tf

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FOR SALE.

A BARGAIN—100 head of goats, about 60 nannies, registered, four fine bucks. Here's a chance to get something good, an extra choice lot. L. A. Dean, Kiddles, Ore. 1-17 8t

FOR SALE—Early Excelsior and Oregon Evergreen strawberry plants, best early late market varieties, fine shippers and canners. \$3.50 per thousand. Best selected plants 75 cents per hundred. Inquire of J. Sams, R. F. D. No. 2, Grants Pass, Ore. 1-17 6t

FOR SALE—Jersey Heifer Calves—Thoroughbred Stock—\$5 each. Ask of R. G. Scott, The Dairyman. 1-17 1t

HORSES and Wagons for sale. Inquire of J. M. Mason, Merlin. 1-17 4t

FOR SALE—Six head full blood Hereford Bulls—R. P. Gecore, Kerby, Ore. 11-1 1t

FOR SALE—J. H. Robinson & Son, R. F. D. No. 2, Grants Pass. Breeders and Sellers of Thoroughbred Short-horn Cattle, Poland-China Hogs, Bronze Turkeys and Brown Leghorn Chickens. Fine Short-horn Bull, which cannot be used with herd, for sale at Reasonable Price. Will furnish pairs of Hogs—Boar and Sow that are of no kin Turkey and Chicken Flock headed each season by Imported Birds and Eggs Guaranteed Poultry and just as represented. 1-10 1t

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NORTHERN California Lumber Co., Hilt, Cal., can use immediately 40 head of horses for their keep. Giving employment to their drivers at \$2 per day. Work grading railroad. 1-31 2t

TEAM WANTED—Anyone having workable team, who wants it kept through winter months for light work, apply to Chas. Meserve for particulars. 12-20 1t

WANTED—Salesmen. Many Make \$100 to \$150 per month; some even more. Stock clean; grown on Reservation, far from old orchards. Cash advanced weekly. Choice of territory. Address Washington Nursery Company, Tappan, Wash. 1-31 2t

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Three Work Horses for sale at Mody's Wood Yard. 1-17 2t

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STRAYED.

There strayed from my ranch near Wilderville, one red heifer, branded WT on hip, one black and white heifer branded WT on hip. Finder notify me at Grants Pass, Ore. W. H. H. TAYLOR, Pine Street. 12-27 5t

There came to my place four and a half miles west of Merlin, on Rogue River, about six weeks ago, five shoats, weight about 75 pounds, speck, black and white spotted, three of them marked a split on each ear and two of them a split on the right ear. Owner can have same by coming and paying damage done by same. CHAS. DORA 1-17 5t

The Southern Oregon State Normal School

at Ashland offers especial opportunities for teachers to review for the Teacher's Examinations in February and August and to take work in Pedagogy and in Special Methods of teaching in the various grades of the training school. Since the public school of Oregon are enrolling for teachers who can teach Manual Training, many are taking advantage of the industrial work lately installed in the school. The State Normal School at Ashland is enjoying the largest appropriation of State funds ever granted a Normal School in the history of Oregon. Catalogues sent on application to the President.