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BOOSTERS HOLD LIVE SESSION

Many Things of Interest Are Discussed by Members.

The meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Thursday night was given over to the discussion of different problems, civic and local. Several letters from different clubs were read, chief of interest among them was the one from the Huber Commercial Club asking for co-operation in securing a change in the present form of commutation books sold by the Southern Pacific company, it being deemed much more convenient if books of tickets could be secured for three months containing half that amount. To this the local boosters gave their indorsement and will do all that is possible to help in securing the change.

Delegates were elected to attend the meeting to be held in Hillsboro soon for the purpose of forming a county organization for the boosting of Washington county. The following are the three men chosen: S. H. Davis, L. L. Gilbert, and T. W. Zimmerman. The delegates were given instructions to work for a county agriculturalist.

A report handed in by R. L. Tucker, delegate of the Chamber

of Commerce at the recent preparedness convention held in Spokane, was read. Mr. Tucker was one of many delegates attending this great convention held in the interest of preparedness in the Pacific Northwest.

The evening discussions of every day problems, namely that of adequate transportation, its relation to the market and production of marketable produce, was very interesting and instructive.

Before the meeting adjourned the possibility of a float in one of the Rose festival parades was discussed and it was decided to give it a trial. In connection with this we copy the following from the Morning Oregonian.

Beaverton will have a float in the fraternal, military and civic pageant on the closing day of the tenth annual Rose Festival. In a letter to the Festival Association from T. W. Zimmerman, secretary of the Beaverton Chamber of Commerce, he announces it has been decided to enter a float in the parade of June 9 that will be typical of the agricultural and horticultural products of Beaverton and vicinity.

Beaverton has also asked for a liberal supply of the 1916 Rose Festival posters and these will be placed in stores and offices in Beaverton to keep the dates of the Festival prominently before the people of that vicinity.

It pays to advertise. Try a few lines in the Times when you have anything to sell.

AROUND THE COURT HOUSE

Interesting Items Gleaned From the Court Records.

Marriage licenses were issued the past week to the following: M. LeRoy Sturdevant and Myrtle O. Grubel. Miss Grubel is a resident of Hillsboro where her father is bailiff of the Circuit Court. Mr. Sturdevant is a resident of the Reesville country.

Ralph O. Smith and Mary J. Case. The former is a resident of Clackamas county and the latter gives the address of Washington county.

Suits were filed the past week as follows:

Jennie Catherine McKelson vs. B. E. Melvin. Suit for foreclosure on mortgage for the sum of \$5000 with interest. The mortgage is security on a note dated Sept. 12, 1913.

Portland Mercantile Union vs. E. K. Klotz. For the collection of a bill amounting to \$71.01 with interest at 6 per cent since first day of September, 1914, with costs. The bill was incurred at the establishment of Fred Dunjee of Portland.

F. W. Lopschat vs. Chas. Rhoades. Foreclosure on mortgage involving property in Hillsboro to the sum of \$1500 with interest at 7 per cent and costs. Mortgage dated in December, 1915.

H. Grogerson vs. R. E. Neighbor. Judgment against defendant for sum of \$395.50 with interest at 6 per cent from sixth day of November, 1914.

Alma Williams vs. Floy Bilyer. Judgment on mortgage for the sum of \$300 dated December 4, 1915. Mortgage upon personal property.

Daniel Wright vs. Math. L. Huss. Suit for satisfaction on mortgage on real property for the sum of \$908.08 with interest and costs. Mortgage dated in June, 1912.

Jennie J. Palmatur vs. Chas. B. Noble. Foreclosure on mortgage for the sum of \$2000 with interest dated Feb. 19, 1914.

Arthur Turner, the man brought back last week from Crescent City, California, to face the charge of stealing saws from the Helvetia sawmill was turned loose after giving a cash bond of \$200.

Democrats Put Ticket in the Field.

The democratic central committee of Washington county met in Hillsboro last week and decided to circulate petitions to place the following names on the ballot at the primaries. All those whose names are used have agreed to run, is the report:

State Senator—Dr. R. M. Erwin, Hillsboro.

Representatives—Wm. Schulerich, Hillsboro; Mancho I. Langley, Forest Grove; H. V. Meade, Orenco.

County Clerk—F. E. McBride, Dilley.

Commissioner—Chas. E. Hanley, Hillsboro.

Treasurer—D. B. Burkhalter, Farmington.

Assessor—C. E. Hedge, Beaverton.

This makes a good ticket and will, beyond a doubt, make a strong run.

Horse and Buggy Stolen—Recovered in Portland.

Wednesday night, April 12, a horse and buggy belonging to Paul Hinchel, living near Hillsboro, was stolen from the barn and driven into Portland. After considerable search Sheriff Reeves found where the horse had been sold to a Jew for \$50

and the buggy to a blacksmith for \$16. The Jew gave the man a check for the amount of the horse but becoming suspicious he went to the bank to stop payment on the horse. Here he found that the thief had already cashed the check at a grocery store where he had purchased \$5 worth of groceries giving the check in payment. The man gave his name as Evans and was described as being tall, lanky, smooth shaven and about 35 years of age.

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN! SAFETY FIRST.

If you want to keep from being disfigured for life, retain your sunny disposition, or keep your corns from being trampled on, be sure to get your tickets early for the "Big Show" at the Grange hall, Beaverton, Oregon, next Tuesday evening, April 25th.

Prof. Kellerman, the renowned prestidigitator will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction that "The quickness of the hand deceives the eye." He will thoroughly explain all of his tricks and after the explanation you will not be any wiser than you were before, and will thoroughly agree with us; that it is "as clear as mud."

Ah Yet will relate some of his experiences as friend and confidante of Li Hung Chang. His English is so grammatically correct, and his diction so pure that anyone can readily understand him with perfect ease.

Herr Schnitzelbaum and his "Liddle Yellow Dog, that speaks just like a man," will entertain with some of his choicest German dialect readings and recitations.

Miss Kluna, the noted exponent of classical dancing, will demonstrate some of her very latest dances. It is rumored that she will do a—, but that would be telling, and our advice is that you should go early and get a front seat, for we can assure you it will be worth while.

So get your tickets early and don't forget the date. "If you forget it, you will regret it."

City Water System to be Metered.

All private residences will soon be metered if the plans of the City Council are carried out. An order for forty meters will be placed with a Portland firm at once, and Elmer Stipe has been hired by the city to install twenty of them immediately. Beside meters within the city limits, several on branch lines outside the limits of the town will be ordered installed.

Among the other business acted upon was the hole above the city hall on the Fisher property into which a sewer is said to empty. This was ordered connected with a septic tank and the hole filled. E. E. Fisher was also ordered to clear the street in front of the Fisher property of certain stumps.

Elmer Stipe complained of trouble to collect the twenty-five cent assessment which was added some time ago to the regular charge. By paying in the water bill at the bank this can be avoided and the water user receives a rebate of 25 cents.

The following bills were allowed at Monday night's meeting: Max Orndall for expediting city books \$75.00 Bill Wolf for burying dog 1.00 Cady and Vincent were allowed expenses for trip to St. Helens \$9.70

E. B. Poole, formerly in charge of the Beaverton section of the Oregon Electric, has taken a position on the Hillsboro section of the same road and this week began preparing the brick pavement on Washington street damaged during the winter for repairs.—Independent.

NEWS LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Things That are of Interest To Everyone.

Better buy your tickets for the Big Show early.

S. K. Nelson, of Portland, was in town Saturday looking after business.

Several new advertisements are in the columns this week. Take a look at them.

St. Cecilia's Club is reported as having planned a dance to be given next Monday evening.

Mrs. S. H. Davis returned Wednesday from Veiva, North Dakota.

Mr. James Brehaut and wife of West St. Helens were over Sunday visitors with L. R. Dean and family.

Tickets for the Chamber of Commerce Entertainment on sale at Times office, Beaverton Hardware Co., and Bank of Beaverton.

L. L. Gilbert and Bert Martin made a fishing excursion one day last week to some point in the vicinity of Beaverton. We are still uncertain as to the number of the catch.

R. L. Tacker has secured the position of representative for the Curtis Publishing Co. and will now take subscriptions and renewals for the Saturday Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal, and the Country Gentleman. His advertisement appears elsewhere in this issue.

A pleasant surprise was instituted Friday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Peterson by some of her friends. The surprise was complete and everyone enjoyed a delightful evening. Following an excellent lunch the party dispersed. There were about nineteen present.

Vilas Shepard has just completed a modern barn for Andy Kennedy on the Kennedy place East of town. The barn is reported to be one of the best and most modern of this class of structures in Washington county. The work was completed in the record time of twelve days.

Pigs for Sale—25 head 3 to 4 months old. A. Schaeffer, 312 Bacon farm, Beaverton.

Francis Davies, of Kinton, was a Beaverton visitor Monday.

Frank Stroud has a new Ford he expects to travel considerably this season. When you have any printing to do have it done at home.

Tom McCord was down from Hillsboro Monday and looking after some business. D. M. McInnis, candidate for sheriff from Orenco, was in town Saturday.

L. A. Fernsworth, of Banks, candidate for the legislature, was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Watts visited La Fayette the other day, bringing home some of the far famed Mineral water of that place.

Tickets now selling for the Chamber of Commerce benefit to be given in the Grange hall next Tuesday evening, April the 25th.

Arthur Allen was in town over Sunday from Stevenson, Washington. Arthur looks just like he always has and says that he is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Horace Caswell arrived from Stella, Washington, the first of the week and will visit for a few days with the Wm. Hinchey family.

John Rowe has his house in East Beaverton about finished, with the exception of a few final touches, such as paint. He has a very fine little home and a real credit to Beaverton.

Geo. Klein blossomed forth in a nice arrow hat Monday like they wear in August. This is the first specimen of its kind to venture out in the rain this season.

A five, ten and fifteen cent store is said to be contemplating opening here soon. It is to be hoped that this is more than rumor as every business added to the town will be that much more.

The dance given by the Band Boys last Saturday night was reported as being an enjoyable affair. A large crowd was present from different parts of the county and the floor was continually thronged with dancers. The band will, no doubt, continue these dances in the near future and they will develop into a regular event for the summer.

Tom Allen called on the Times the other day and told us of a dollar which he spent back in the days of 1884, and which had just returned to him. He said it was the last dollar he had at the time and so he marked it by clipping the end off one wing of the eagle with a chisel. Last week, he stated, the dollar returned to him. He was in the mines in Kentucky, when he marked the dollar, which was a bright, new one of the 1883 issue. It is now worn quite smooth on one side.

BEAVER PROGRAM

Saturday night April 22
"Facing the Gallin Guns" 3 reel drama (A war story)
"Prince Charlie" 2 1 reel comedies
"Buy Bye Baby" 1 reel comedy
Easter Sunday April 23
"Unwritten Justice" 3 reel drama (Western play)
"Lady Audley's Secret" 1 reel comedy
"Hating the Honeymooners" 1 reel comedy
Wednesday April 26
A White Slave Drama 3 reels

To Our Friends and Patrons

In Consideration of Your Support with the object of securing your permanent patronage and good will, we institute Crescent "Profit Sharing Plan."

We offer this plan in order to make you a participant in our profit. Nothing will be taken from the quality of the goods sold, nor will anything be added to the prices charged, on account of the Profit Sharing Stamps.

Customers will continue to receive our lowest prices, and the Profit Sharing Stamps are added in recognition of, and to induce Continued patronage and with the View of getting our customers to Concentrate their trade with us.

Remember, it is to your interest to secure Crescent Trading Stamps in preference to others. Only 500 required to fill a book, half the usual amount. Premiums are on Display in the Windows of the Beaverton Hardware Co., Crescent Trading Stamps are given by: Geo Thyng, Beaverton Hdw. Co. and Cash Grocery & Dry Goods Co.

Thread spool	4c
Pearl buttons card	4c
Brucilla crochet cotton	10c
Mens work shirts	50c
Mens work sox	5c
Towels bath large size	35c
Ladies gowns	49c
White galatea	15c

Beaverton Hdw. and Cash Grocery

THE STORE OF QUALITY

On Monday morning THE STORE OF QUALITY opened their doors for the first time in the new, modern, right up to the minute location across from the bank.

New Stock New Fixtures

Every thing to fill the wants of the people of Beaverton. Our store force is amply adequate for handling our large trade. No long waits, and no delay in filling orders. You are invited to come in and call on us.

FERGUSON & SONS Beaverton Ore.