

TILLAMOOK COUNTY BANK JOINS FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM.

County's Biggest Irritation Links Up With Nation.

The announcement that the Tillamook County Bank, the largest banking organization in this county, has joined the Federal Reserve System is naturally attracting attention in financial circles all over the United States. The reasons that impelled the bank to take this step are set forth in the following statement by Mr. Thad Robison, Vice President, and will be read with much interest by the people of this community as they indicate that the Bank is thinking of its customers from a National standpoint and is doing its part to make the finances of our County as well as of our Nation as solid as a rock and instantly responsive to emergency demands.

"The Tillamook County Bank decided to join the Federal Reserve System after giving the matter very serious and very careful consideration covering many months of close study, keen analysis and continuous observation," said Mr. Robison.

"We feel that the Federal Reserve Act is by far the best financial legislation that has ever been enacted. It is a long step in the direction of banking and currency reform that makes permanent the solidity of the business structure of our country.

"Now that our country is engaged in this great war we must conserve all our financial as well as physical and moral resources in order to win it and in our judgment this absolutely necessary condition can best be made permanently effective by the concentration of the banking strength of our country in the Federal Reserve System. Therefore we believe that membership in this system and especially so at this time is a distinct and significant evidence of practical patriotism.

"Our Central Federal Reserve Bank, located in San Francisco has nine directors of whom six are elected by its member banks. Three of these directors are bankers and three of them must represent the industrial, commercial and agricultural interests in the district. The three remaining directors are appointed by the Federal Reserve Board to represent the public at large and at least two of them must be men of banking experience. Therefore it can be seen that the Federal Reserve Bank is managed by men representing the public and the business and the farming interests of a district and strengthens a member bank's ability to give broader co-operation to its depositors.

"When analyzed from angles the Federal Reserve System was created by Congress more for the benefit of business men and producers than for the benefit of banks and I am thoroughly borne out in this statement by the fact that the Reserve System has played a large part in maintaining business confidence and steady business conditions during the past thirty-six months.

"The system is like a huge reservoir of gold and currency with direct connections to all its member banks and through them extending its service into every mill, every store and every farm which desires it. Its efficiency as a shock absorber has been tested over and over again during these months and the confidence its mere existence creates is perhaps one of its most beneficial results. This System with its immense resources is a bulwark of strength to the banks which are members of it and it will assist them in any financial needs which they may be called upon to meet.

"Of every dollar the people of this community keep on deposit with us a certain portion—and the portion is the same whether you are our largest or smallest depositor—is in turn deposited by us in our Federal Reserve Bank where it adds to the strength of the System. The resources of the System being always available to us our depositors may feel sure that their money kept with us is not only safe but may be drawn out at any time when wanted.

"We join the Federal Reserve System because we believe at this critical period in our nation's history—when our manufacturers are offering their mills and our young men are offering their services to the United States Government—that we should provide the fullest measure of co-operation, stability, strength and protection to our depositors through this Government enterprise."

Bids Wanted.

Cloverdale School, Dist. No. 22, will receive bids up to and including Saturday April 11, 1918, for 45 rks. dry alder and 5 rks. dry fir wood to be ricked in school woodshed. 1/2 by Sept. 1st balance by Oct. 1st.

Fred Briody, Dist. Clerk.

The Careful Barber.

"The most careful and obliging barber I know," relates a friend, "works at—" (We hate to omit the name of the shop, but the rules against free advertising are strict.) "The other day I decided to have my mustache shaved off. I told the barber, and he started in on it. When he had shaved one side off, he wiped my face carefully and straightened me up in the chair.

"What's this for?" I said. "Aren't you going to finish the job?"

"Sure, if you like," said he. "But I didn't want to go any further till you looked at yourself and saw how you liked it."

"I told him to go ahead—it looked fine."

Wagers.

A soldier boy from Clay county, now in training, wrote a letter to his sweetheart, and on the flap of the envelope he wrote these words:

"I'll bet a kiss you don't find this."

Whether or not the little fairy, love, whispered in the maiden's ear, telling her how to open the letter, remains a secret, but anyway she sent back this reply:

"I'll bet you this I found your kiss." —Indianapolis News.

Lost Time.

Mother (to Frank)—How is it that you're late home nearly every afternoon?

Frank—Well, no wonder; we've got such a big clock in our school.

Mother—Why, what has the clock to do with it?

Frank—"Cause it's so big it takes the hands an awful long time to get round it. If we had a clock like papa's little one I'd get home a great deal quicker." —Pearson's Weekly.

Reciprocity in Forbearance.

"Come go on a fishing party with us," urged a friend to a man prominently in the eye of the public.

"I don't want to go fishing," replied the other.

"Why not?" asked his friend.

"Why should I go fishing?" demanded the conscientious one. "The fish never did anything to me."

Little Pitchers.

"Pa, was that a Christmas present you brought home last night?"

"I didn't bring anything home last night, Tommy."

"Well, I heard Mr. Smith next door tell Mr. Jones as I was passing them on my way to school, that he saw you go in last night with a large-sized package."

Rabbits of the World.

All of the domestic varieties of rabbits, except the Belgian hare, are descendants of the burrowing rabbits of the Old World, and the big European hare, almost as large as our western jackrabbit, is the ancestor of the so-called Belgian form, which is now quite popular as a domestic animal of profit and is becoming more so, observes an exchange.

In the Northern hemisphere of the New World we have many more species of hares than the Old World can boast of, as the cottontail, the Southern swamp hare, the Arctic hare or snowshoe rabbit and two species of Western jackrabbits or giant hares. Yet we have not successfully domesticated one of these forms, though this might be done as a matter of profit in the production of meat.

San Francisco now has women on police court juries.

Windsor Locks, Conn., is replacing town hall used since 1838.

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

Chas. Ray, Plaintiff, vs. F. C. Feldschau, Defendant. } Summons.

To F. C. Feldschau, the defendant—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 action within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to answer or appear, for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of One Hundred and Thirty-One and 05/100 Dollars, together with the interest thereon from January 5th, 1917, at 8 per cent per annum; for \$50 attorney fees and for the costs and disbursements of this action, and an order of sale of the property attached herein, to wit: Lots 5 and 8 in Block 11 in Stillwell's addition, to Tillamook City, Oregon, and one sand and gravel dredge with all its equipment with a 15-horse power heavy duty Morse engine with all its equipment; one Schmidt concrete paver; one Little Wonder mixer; one scow in dimensions 20 feet by 40 feet; 6 dump wagons; 3 Fresno scrapers; one gas engine and pump; about 3000 feet of 1 1/2 inch pipe; about 2000 feet of 2 inch pipe and one Overland truck. This summons is served upon you by publication thereof, for six weeks in the Cloverdale Courier, by order of Hon. Geo. R. Bagley, Judge of said court, made at Chambers in Tillamook City, Oregon, March 29th, 1918, and the first publication thereof is made on the 4th day of April, 1918.

Dated at Tillamook, Oregon, this 1st day of April, 1918.

C. W. Talmagr, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

Beginning Saturday, May 4th and Continuing for One Week Only OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS REDUCED IN PRICE

A PHENOMINAL sale affording the women of this county an extraordinary opportunity for securing a smart, stylish, good looking, good quality Suits at a splendid saving.

If you have not yet selected your new Spring and Summer Suit here is an opportunity you should not allow to pass by without investigating.

The fabrics of which the Suits are made are splendid quality Serges, Poplins and Gabardines, each garment being finished in the most careful manner, the workmanship on every Suit being of a particularly high class nature. The Suits are shown mostly in tailored styles, some have belts and others are trimmed with buttons.

We would urge you to come to the store and see for yourself what wonderful savings are made possible by this very special event. Note the reductions:

- \$15.00 Suits are now \$12.85
- \$22.50 Suits are now \$18.65
- \$32.50 Suits are now \$26.80
- \$39.00 Suits are now \$29.60



Saturday and Monday Only May 4th and 6th

TWO DAYS SALE OF SPRING MILLINERY

AT \$2.98

For Actual Values to \$8.00

THE MOST stupendous Price Reduction Sale the Millinery Dep't has ever announced. And only new 1918 models are included in the event.

Come to the store Saturday, May 4th or Monday, May 6th, and see what a wonderful bargain you can secure in this Sensational Sale of new Spring Millinery.

- GOSSARD CORSETS
- Butterick Patterns
- Nemo Corsets and Brassieres
- La Porte Woolen Mills Dress Goods

Haltom's

TILLAMOOK, OREGON

- Mallory Hats
- Florsheim Shoes
- Arrow Shirts and Collars
- Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothing