THE WEST SIDE.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1, 1890.

TOLD BY SIDEHEADS.

THE SAW MILL.—The busy hum of the steam mill on the river bank is music to the ears of all our town people. It is sawing from 20,000 to 25,000 each day, and yet such is the demand that the yard seems to scarcely to be any fuller than the first week after commencing Hardly any hour of the day passes but from six to seven teams are loading, and three to four visitors are inspecting the mill. This week the new planer was put to work. It planes both the upper and lower side of a board, also both edges at one operation. Since the river has gone down so low the eddy for holding logs in the river is cut off from the main channel by the gravel bar. A tramway has been built across the bar, and by means of a steel wire cable logs are dragged across. The following are the names of those employed in the mill of Prescott & Veness: J. A. Veness, overseer; J. A. Wheeler, manager; Mrs. White, bookkeeper; Guy Rankin, head sawyer; Chas. Macaulay, screw tender; John Lemon, engineer; John Fluke, planer; N. Dyer, planer; T. H. Baker, off bearer planer; C. Fluke, off bearer planer; S. E. Lemon, edger; ——Cramer, off bearer edger; T. L. Hartman, off bearer saws; J. A. L. Myers, trimmer; J. D. Winn, slab cutter; J. B. Ford and B. F Holt, lumber pilers; G. D. Hanford and James Reese, log pullers; Wm. Kelly, carpenter; D. Boydston, with two wagons hauling away slabs.

IMPROVEMENTS. — Prof. McAdams and Dr. Johnson have their houses well along. J. D. Irvine has the frame work raised of his residence. The Richardson sisters are building a board house, which is partly completed. T. J. Fryar has raised his house several feet off the ground and is building a brick foundation. Mrs. D. J. Whiteaker has built a new fence and so has David Johnson. Frank Kennedy's residence is completed. The brick foundation to the flouring mill and concrete of the school house is finished. The motor line is all completed waiting for the motor. The Independence bank brick walls are up to the second story. Pile driving has commenced on the bridge to North Independence. Mr. Hendricks has placed two new cleaners in the Salem warehouse. The gravel for the cement sidewalk is all in place.

CHURCH DEDICATION.—On last Sunday the new M. E. church at Dallas was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies. The dedication sermon was delivered by Rev. S. R. Wilson, presiding elder. After his interesting remarks it was announced that a debt $1520 32 still hung over the church and in a few minutes by voluntary contributions the amount was raised and over thirty dollars in a collection besides. The people of Dallas are public spirited and generous. The church building is of modern style of architect and is a credit to the town The music on the occasion was led by the Dallas orchestra and was a feature of the occasion. Rev. Royal, the pastor, feels very proud of the success of his work in building up the church in Dallas.

FROM MISSOURI.—W. E. Dalton came in on last Monday direct from Missouri and brought thirteen people with him to this state. Seven came through to Independence, and six will be here in a few days having stopped to visit Spokane Falls. Those here are W. S. Hyde, M. McFarland, J. R Dempsey, C. Swain, B. Miller, F. Schwartz, E V. Dalton and wife, all of Keytsville, Mo. Those to arrive in a few days are T. N. Bayley and G. A. Tutor, of Solesbury; and G. W. Brown, John A. Lee, Grant and Teen Hurt, of Keytsville. Those of the party whom we have met are wide-awake, intelligent looking gentlemen, and will evidently make desirable additions to our county. They are looking over the country.

BURGLARY.—On Monday July 21st the residence of Frank Reed, near Buena Vista, on the Bonzey farm, was entered by some person during his absence, and clothing, etc., taken away to the value of about $25. Entrance was effected through a back window by using an axe and breaking in the sash. Mr. Reed has his suspicions of the guilty party, and as soon as found, arrests will be made.

HAZEL NUTS.—The wild blackberry season is about over and our people have stored up hundreds of gallons of this lucious fruit for winter's use. Now the hazel-nuts is very plentiful, more so than for years, and what is better than nutting parties along the creek bottoms. Do not let the products of nature which are so free, go to waste.

NEW TRUCK.—H. M. Lines of the Independence Hack & Dray Company, now uses a bran new truck built by Krengel. The wheels are painted a dark red and the body a deep blue, all neatly striped. This makes the second truck our wagon maker Krengel has turned out, and they reflect credit on his ability as a manufacturer

NEW HACK.—Mr. Newt Jones has just received from the wagon shop of E. E Krengel a strong hack which was built especially for the trade of traveling men. It is strong yet light and mounted on heavy steel springs so that even when heavily loaded it is easy riding. He is much pleased with the workmanship done by Krengel and his workmen.

VALUABLE HORSE KILLED.—Mr Wayne Williams of the dray company of Elkins & Co., informs us that last Sunday he was compelled to shoot his fine gray horse valued at $150, on account of its leg being broken by the kick from another horse. He had just purchased an exact mate for him.

AT YAQUINA.—Mr. and Mrs. Shelly and children, also Miss Essie Tatom left last Saturday for quite a visit at Yaquina bay. We hope that during their idle moments down by the sea they may write to the WEST SIDE of the sights at the coast, particularly of those who are there visiting.

LOCALS.

Ben Dice has returned from Tacoma.

Alex Holmes was in town this week.

Camp stoves at Goodman & Douty's.

J. J. Russel, of Monmouth, is quite sick.

Mrs. White, of Linn county, is quite sick.

Fresh candies, at G & G's. on Main street.

Miss Pet Cattron returned home Thursday.

Cook stoves, a fine line at Goodman & Douty's.

The board of trade meets next Monday evening.

Get your hop tickets printed at the WEST SIDE office.

Mrs. Dr. O. D. Butler is visiting relatives in Corvallis.

The genial Dick Tom, of Parker, was in town last Friday.

Miss Becky Wing came up from Prortland Thursday.

There is to be a big wedding in Peedee Valley next Sunday.

Milk shake, at Gelwick & Goffs stand, next to Stockton's.

Miss Alice Williams was out at Airlie visiting relatives this week.

Mr. Graves, of Newport, was visiting Mr. H. D. Waller this week.

John Brooks and Dr. McAfee, of Salem, were in town last Friday.

Mrs. Estes' mother, Mrs Elkins, left for a visit to Philomath last Saturday.

The first wheat at Monmouth was delivered on Thursday by Sen Doughty.

Goodman & Douty have 300 dozen fruit cans and are still manufacturing more.

Our people should make it a point to ornament their premises with shade trees.

Our efficient job printer, Mr. Arthur Wilson and wife, are rusticating at Newport.

Mrs J. W. Baster and children are still at Finley springs, above Lebanon, rusticating.

B. F. Whiteaker and wife left on Wednesday for Yaquina Bay for a few weeks visit.

S. A. Craven has been lying quite sick in his room next the postoffice for the past two weeks.

The annual election of officers of Eagle Engine company takes place this Friday evening.

Rev. N. Shupp will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday evening at 8. P. M. All invited.

Mr. White and family seranaded Mr. and Mrs. McAdams Wednesday evening after the marriage.

A. J. Whiteaker returned from South Bend last week. He will go back again in a short time.

A N. Hallock has the contract for carrying the mail from the train to the Independence postoffice.

M. Rosendorf, of Portland, will conduct Z. Rosendorf's store during his absence in San Francisco.

H. B Theilson, engineer in charge of the Independence-Monmouth motor line, was in town Tuesday.

We are indebted to our Secretary of State Geo. W. McBride for the use of some valuable statistical tables.

W. H. Pugh is doing the brick work on the bank and school house for the contractors, Hutchins & Jackson

Postmaster Robertson announces that the postoffice will be open from 1 to 2 o'clock each Sunday afternoon.

L. Kelso is painting his house and building an addition to it, and G. W. Shinn is building a new fence this week.

We were honored with the presence in our sanctum this week of the earnest temperance worker of Salt Creek, McM. Jodson.

Mr. John McDaniel is limping about having run a nail through his foot while working in Jasperson & Parker's lumber yard.

J. V. Creighton, traveling freight agent for the N. P. R. R., was here on Tuesday looking after the interests of his company.

Mr. John Sellers, of Pleasant Hill, Lane county, has made Monmouth his home, and his brother J. D. Sellers is visiting him there.

W. V. Price, of McMinnville, was in town Monday. Miss Nettie Cook accompanied him upon his return and will visit near McMinnville.

Lou, the China cook at the City hotel, wears diamond rings, smokes imported cigars, and Wednesday hired Johnson's best team and took in the circus at Salem.

A. J. Goodman and wife have gone to Fish lake and A. S. Locke and wife are at Finley springs, M. A. C. Robertson and family goto Yaquina bay Saturday.

The Daily *Observer*, of Dallas, on account of unsufficient patronage ceased publication last week. It is a sure sign of decay when the newspaper cannot live in a town.

The Dallas people are indignant over the arrest of Hale Bakeusto, James Wilson and A. K. Wilson for allegel selling of liquor to an Indian. They were taken to Portland last week. The charges are probably false.

The very symetrical hop house of Mr. J. E. Kirkland is approaching completion. Mr. Gates was out there plastering this week and as soon as the painters finish you can hardly tell it from some modern dwelling house.

Monmouth had an alarm of fire on Tuesday. The roof of Mrs. Cook's residence caught fire and had it not been for prompt efforts of citizens the building would have been destroyed. The damage was however only nominal.

Commencing July 25th summer excursion tickets over the Oregon Pacific railroad to Yaquina and return, will be sold every day except Sunday, good for going passage on date of sale on all regular trains. This will continue in effect during the season until revoked.

Providence permitting Rev. T. F. Royal will hold services in the Evangelical church in Independence next Sunday at 11 a. m., and at Dixie at 3:30 p. m. Our fourth quarterly meeting will be held in Dallas on the 9th and 10th of August. The first service at 2 p. m. on Saturday.

TOLD BY CORRESPONDENTS.

BALLSTON ITEMS.

July 23d.

I. Ball went to Lafayette Monday on business.

Rev. G. W. Clark is building him a new residence at this place.

Mrs. J. W. Bridwell returned to her home above Dallas Tuesday.

Mrs. G. H. Ball and Jas. Gies little boy, who have been very sick, are improving.

The shooting match between Al Southmayed and Shannon, was won by the former.

A colt belonging to L. C. Wann ran against a barbed wire fence Monday and was badly cut.

S. E. Notson will teach the school at this place this winter, and C. A. Ball the Bellevue school.

Rumors are that one of our fairest young ladies is soon to be married to a young gentleman of Portland.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Percival, of Monmouth, and Mrs. Ed. Ford, of Yaquina, are visiting J. L. Riggs of this place.

Jeff Byerly, brother of H. Byerly, of this place, returned from Harney Yesterday bringing thirty-eight head of cattle with him. He was five days making the trip, and after arriving sold his cattle at twenty-six dollars a head.

ZENA ITEMS.

Mrs. W. B. Earnest is visiting friends and relatives in Portland.

Mrs. T. B. Waite, of Salem, has been visiting friends here the last two weeks.

J. E. Hoomer started for Tillamook last Monday looking for a location and school.

Mr and Mrs. Grant Walling, of Pullman, Wash., are visiting relatives in town this week.

Next Wednesday our new hog law will go into effect and many farmers are glad of the fact.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M Toner, of Yaquina, are visiting friends and relatives in our city this week.

Chas. and Sam Phillips and families visited friends and relatives in Independence last Sunday.

Miss Emma Hughes, of Dallas, is visiting Mrs. Ira Burley near Ryderville, and Charlie is happy.

Geo. Griswold and family, of Salem, passed through our city early Monday morning on their way to Tillamook bay.

We are glad to notice that our stage driver Mr. Redwine is being well patronized, his stage being crowded most of the time.

Toner and Walling started up their steam thresher last Monday, but broke their engine and had to stop for repairs, which will delay them several days.

Jas R. Shepard started for Tacoma, Wash., to see about a market for his fruit. He says he will pay Salem prices. Our fruit men will thus save time and ferriage money.

Geo. Dixon, of McCoy, passed through our burg last Wednesday morning with 500 head of sheep. He says that he has 1000 head of stock sheep which he will sell in any number to suit.

HO FOR YAQUINA!—Round trip tickets are for sale at the first National bank in this city from Corvallis to Yaquina and return, good until Sept. 30 at $3.25 each.

SALT LAKE.—On last Monday E W. Cooper and wife, R. D. and Patie Cooper and Mrs. E. C. Crossett left for a short visit to Salt Lake City, via the Union Pacific, in an excursion party.

RETURNED.—Mrs. Garrigus and her daughter, Mrs. Blanchard, returned last Saturday from the East. In the absence of any better house they turned Mr. Crow out of his fish market and are occupying that building.

RAILROAD FREIGHTS.—Not only is the Southren Pacific bringing in large quantities of merchandise and lumber but from four to six car loads of hard wood lumber is taken back, making loaded cars each way.

FIRST THRESHING.—On Thursday morning Mr. M. Haley with his steam plant threshed twelve hundred bushels of wheat in half a day on the farm of Square Whitman, near Monmouth. The wheat is plump, but very dry.

NEW STORE.—Mr. David Gelwick and Miss Solphia Goff will open a confectionary and fruit store in the building next to the Independence National bank next week. The room has been repapered and conveniently shelved and a first class stock of goods will soon be displayed.

CHEEK BONE BROKEN. — Tuesday, July 22d a nephew of J. C. White, o Crowley, while near the heels of a col was kicked in the face breaking the malar bone. Drs. Lee & Butler dressed his wounds and he is recovering, but will bear the scars resulting, for many years.

LEG BROKEN.—A man by the name of Mackey foreman of the Oregon City pulp mills logging camp on the Luckiamute, was so unfortunate as to have his leg broken last week. He suffered several hours before medical assistance arrived from this city.

DEMAND FOR HOUSES.—Both Mr. Wilson and Mr. Rennie of this office have been on the lookout for the past month for a house to rent and can get none. More houses are needed. This winter at least forty more houses could find good tenants.

BRILLIANT METEOR.—As Dr. Butler was returning from visiting a patient at 2 o'clock on Tuesday morning of last week he was startled at seeing the heavens suddenly illumned, and looking up saw a meteor of dazzling brightness pass from the northwest to the southeast. We have noticed no mention of this meteor in any of our exchanges.

SAILING DATES.

FROM YAQUINA.

Willamette Valley	July 28
" "	August 8
" "	August 18
" "	August 28

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Willamette Valley	August
" "	August 11
" "	August 2
" "	August 21

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Mrs. L. L. Whiteaker, Editor.

OUR WORK.

(Continued from last week.)

Dear sisters of the White Ribbon—Again I take up the pen to finish the pleasing task of giving you a few more items of work done in our cause at other points in our county, by our state workers, Mrs. Riggs and Mrs. Montgomery. I believe the last place mentioned on my list was Parker and from this point we went to the little city of Suver. Through some mistake our meeting was not advertised in the farming district, but we were pleasantly received by the few who knew of our coming and we were encouraged to believe a Union and Loyal Legion will be the result of the labor there. We were sorry we had so little time to present our different lines of work, and become acquainted with the needs of the place, yet we believe much good will result from the earnest efforts put forth by the dear sisters, and we feel glad to be able to add several more names to our list of friends from that place. Mrs. Montgomery was called from here to Dallas to fill her appointment for Sunday.

Our next appointment was at Airlie the first time we had ever visited that place, and we were very much pleased with the surroundings and the kind friends we found there. At this point we only had time for one meeting in the evening, which was well attended by the young folks. Much interest was felt in our work, and a Loyal Legion was easily organized after the meeting was over. Some of the ladies were willing to take up the work of the Union, but it was thought best to wait till the busy season was over. We were sorry our time was so taken up that we could not give them another evening to fully present our department work, as we wish each point visited to understand the need of and demand for this united effort of Christian temperance work. Yet we feel sure our visit there will accomplish much good for our cause.

Our next meeting was at Cochrane, where Mrs. Riggs held services in the evening. The young ladies and gentlemen seemed quite interested in her lecture, which was principally addressed to them. They were willing to take up the young ladies' work to assist the Union already at work, and will soon organize. The Loyal Legion is also talked of, so our work is reviving at this point in the county, and we are pleased that the young folks are willing to wear the white ribbon and work for the good of humanity, to help make the world better for their having lived in it.

Dallas was the next place visited, where Mrs. Riggs again joined company with Mrs. Montgomery who had been holding gospel temperance meetings morning and evening. On Sunday Mrs. Riggs held an afternoon meeting for the ladies and children of the city, which resulted in organizing a strong Union of forty members, also a Loyal Legion of twelve members, which we are sure will increase in numbers as that used to be the strongest Loyal Legion in our county, and we expect to hear of grand results in this part of the Master's vineyard. We are glad to note that much interest was taken in all the meetings both Sunday and Monday, and our speakers left feeling that their visit there was both pleasant and profitable to themselves and the cause they so much love to present.

Lewisville was the last point that was visited. We had supposed that it was nearly impossible to reach that place and made no appointment for it till we found it was so near Airlie, then we made an effort to reach it, but failed to get it well advertised, so only a few were able to meet with the speakers, who reported a pleasant place and kind people, trusting good would result from the sacrifice they had made to reach this people. We hope to record a Union and Loyal Legion there also sometime in the future.

It had been the desire of the state president to visit every point in Polk county where people congregate for public worship or Sunday school, to present our department work and urge all children and moral people to join in this Union work, to educate public sentiment in our favor and help save our children from falling into the evil temptations, which is destroying soul and body of our fairest and best loved ones. Not a place visited by us but had some sorrowing mother or wife, over the loss of the love and protection of the one they had fondly hoped to depend on in their journey through life. Let us all do our best in every way we can to stop this sorrow all over our fair land, and we can all do something if we will. "If we seek a field of labor we can find it anywhere." We hope to have our county thoroughly organized and a Union and Loyal Legion everywhere possible before the state convention, as our president has offered the prize banner to the county which has the most new members. This banner was at the Paris exposition, and is this year given to Coos county I believe. The county that has the greatest number of Loyal Legion will also carry the banner for that organization. Will Polk county get it? I say yes, and hope the Unions of Polk may also get it.

And now dear sisters and friends of our cause let me thank you all for the many favors we received at each place, of the many encouraging words, kind hospitality and assistance given us in many ways, and may God's best blessings be yours till we meet again, where trials and troubles cannot reach us.

DALLAS UNION W. C. T. U.

This Union was organized on the 11th day of July, 1890, by Mrs. Anna Riggs with forty charter members. The following are the officers: Mrs. J. Groves, president; Mrs. C. W. Smith, corresponding secretary; Mrs. F. M. Morrison, recording secretary; Mrs. E. Biddle, treasurer.

BUENA VISTA UNION.

This Union was organized the 9th day of July, 1890, by Mrs. Anna Riggs with twelve charter members. The officers are: Mrs. Mary Stevens, president; Mrs. M. L. Jeter, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Shreves, recording secretary; Mrs. V. S. Nash, treasurer.

[Commenced business March 5, 1890.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL BANK.

At Independence, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, July 18, 1890.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 106,708.45
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	7,175.65
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Due from approved reserve agents	198.78
Due from other National Banks	1,357.71
Due from State Banks and bankers	30.40
Banking-house, furniture and fixt'rs	2,900.49
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,505.88
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	3,375.00
Checks and other cash items	1,290.65
Bills of other banks	300.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	3.05
Specie	11,381.45
Legal-tender notes	107.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	562.50
Total	$149,170.09

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	4,000.00
Undivided profits	3,174.94
National Bank notes outstanding	11,250.00
Individual deposits subject to check	74,279.80
Time certificates of deposit	5,520.80
Due to State Banks and bankers	945.45
Total	$ 149,170.99

State of Oregon, County of Polk, ss:

I, W. P. Connaway, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief,

W. P. CONNAWAY, Cashier,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of July, 1890. A. M. HURLEY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ABRAM NELSON,
THOMAS J. LEE,
H. H. JASPERSON,
Directors.

To Our Customers.

Having sold our entire stock of hardware, stoves, tinware and implements to Mr. John F. O'Donnell, we thank our customers for their liberal patronage in the past, and would recommend that they continue to patronize the old stand, as Mr. O'Donnell is an experienced hardware man and also a practical tinner. Yours truly,

COOPER BROS.

VIRTUOUS INDIGNATION.

Prostitution Cannot Thrive in Independence—A House Broken Into, Windows Demolished—A Lawless Act.

Last week it was rumored that a house of ill-fame was to be established in our town. The first of this week two women, one a blonde of about twenty-two years and the other a mere girl took possession of a house in North Independence. They purchased furniture and house furnishings to the amount of several hundred dollars, and settled down to housekeeping. On Monday night a committee of citizens visited the house and we are told ordered them to leave town within twenty-four hours or suffer the consequences. They left the next day for Salem, but it seems the consequences came just the same for on Wednesday night some unknown persons took rocks and broke every window and sash in the building. Lamps, crockery and window curtains were demolished. The house was apparently not entered. The parties owning the contents of the building had not returned from Salem Thursday morning.

The intentions of those who took part in the lawless act of breaking windows may be in their minds warranted by the circumstances, but if the matter is brought before the court it will deem it a crime, and penitentiary will be the result. The laws of Oregon are very explicit in declaring a house of ill-fame unlawful, but breaking windows and ruining furniture is not the procedure laid down in the law. Those who took part in the raid of Wednesday night had best make no boasts of what they did. Two wrongs do not make a right.

TRAVELING IN EUROPE.

Paris to Geneva.

[Special to WEST SIDE.]

GENEVA, Switz., July 9, 1890.

We left the Continental hotel at 9 a. m June 28th, and had a beautiful ride all the way to Fontainebleau, where we arrived in time to have a game of baseball in the afternoon, having purchased a Spaulding bat and two or three balls in Paris. Sunday, some attended church, while others visited the palaces, which are much finer than those at Versailles.

Bright and early at Fontainebleau Monday morning, June 30th, the boys were up and bustling about preparing for the road. After *cafe au lait* and omelet at 7:30 a start was made. On leaving the town our road lay for some five or six miles through the forest and over billiard table-like roads. All kept well together, riding down the shady reaches of the famous wood, we sped along at a fifteen mile an hour gait with as much ease as you would go six or eight at home. Singing college songs, shouting and blowing whistles and we soon emerged from the forest, then riding past the residence of Rosa Bonheur, and on to Nemours, having done the twenty miles in one hour and twenty-five minutes. While waiting for lunch we employed an hour in a swim in the Seine, about half a mile above the town. The Kodaks were in clover at the bathing place, catching the divers in the water and the heads and feet promiscuously scattered over the surface. Soon the bath over and with ravenous appetites we assailed the lunch. Then the usual lounge and rest, and about 2 o'clock started for Sens, where we spent the night. We had not been on the road long until it began to rain and we were soon drenched, and all but seven took the train for Sens. We seven who rode arrived almost as soon as those that trained it in.

Tuesday, July 1st, via Joigny, where we lunched, to Tonnerre, 54 miles, our route lay through a repetition of the previous day. Over the most perfect roads and under a cloudy sky we passed along through fields of ripe wheat and oats, and passed picturesque red roofed villages.

Wednesday morning we left the picturesque and ancient town of Tonnerre. It was one of the quaintest places we had seen, being piled up on the side of a mountain with two huge cathedrals towering above all the town like two soap boxes surrounded by a shoal of match boxes. (Excuse the comparison.) At Montbard, where we spent Wednesday night, we struck the smallest town and hotel yet. It was drawing so near the Fourth of July, and we without "fireworks or ice cream," we sat out in front of the hotel till all hours singing patriotic songs. About us gathered an entranced (?) multitude of ninety-seven people—the population of the town—and in silent awe they watched and listened to the strange looking animals from "Amerique." After we had sung everything from "John Brown's Body" to "White Winged McGinty" and "Little Annie Rooney," at our request, one of the hotel men sang the "Marseillaise" the crowd and ourselves joining in the chorus with a vim that shook the street. Then Tommy Brinsmade on behalf of our party, formally drank to the health of La France, while the hotel man drank to the health of the U. S. A. Next day we had a pleasant ride to Dijon. Here we stayed at Hotel de la Cloche. This is one of the best hotels we ever stopped at, very large, grand, elegantly furnished, and ably conducted.

Next morning, the Fourth of glorious memory, we bought up all the red, white and blue that we could use, decorating our wheels and wearing gay belts, sashes and streams of tri-color bunting, besides the numerous American flags we already had. Thus a sight we were as we wheeled through one awe-stricken village after another all that fine summer day, to Dale, where we stopped for the night. At night in honor of the day, we had quite a formal little dinner. It was also Floyd Jones birthday and he set out Mumms-extra dry and cigars. But, oh how our thoughts went back across the sea to the good times, the picnics, ice cream and the fireworks we were missing, also the Fourth of July orations, etc., but not even a bunch of fire crackers could be procured, and so, for lack of else to do, to bed. Alas and alack! We continued our ride in the direction of Geneva, by going to Poligny, we at once entered the Jura mountains by a slow ride and walk, up one continuous hill five miles long. Once up, the road became fairly level for miles along the high tableland. Then once more in the mountain passes we followed up the bed of a roaring stream, well named, La Furiuse, mile after mile. Above us the sheer precipice often rose five hundred feet and as often we could look down nearly the same distance. In the midst of this wild country a railroad recently completed runs through tunnels and over viaducts near the road. Some of our party had been through the White mountains, the Alleghanies and even the Rockies, and yet declared that nothing they had ever seen equalled this days ride. At every turn fresh beauties and grand views came before us. Now we could look down, down, down in a valley and see the clustering houses, the roads winding like white ribbons, and the fields of grain like a checker board and now our view would be shut in and restricted to perpendicular walls of rock rising hundreds of feet above our heads. And all this grand day's ride, the road-bed itself was smoothed as a plank road or an asphalt street. It was by far the most memorable day's riding on the tour so far. Marez is a long town of a single street, completely hemmed in by mountains Though it was Sunday, work seemed to go as usual, and we saw a parade of the firemen, who pulled their old hand engine. Wood seems one of the staple products (and naturally enough) of the Jura towns, and wood sawers were working on every side. At La Faucile we were 4333 feet above sea level, it being the highest carriage pass in the Juras. From La Faucile we got our first view of the Alps. On turning a corner of the road suddenly the whole panorama burst out upon us and we stopped in our mad descent to drink in the view. Imagine it, if possible! From a mountain top nearly a mile high, after having come through miles of forest road, we were looking out over the broad valley of Cantons, Vand and Geneva. Winding its way like a broad river lay Lake Geneva, the city itself seventeen miles away glistening at the head of the lake. Beyond the broad and level valley and shutting it in like a wall, opposite to where we stood were the Alps in all their grandeur. Mt. Blanc, it is true was not visible, but would have been but for the haze. We had been told of this view many times but no description can do justice to its beauty. After half an hour spent in admiration we remounted and continued our descent. For ten long miles (by cyclometer) we coasted contiously down the ever-winding road to the valley. It was something like going down from the Marshall Pass on the Denver & Rio Grande railway, at least the road was graded something like that Such a "coast" we had perhaps dreamt of, but never expected to enjoy Three times we stopped to let our brakes cool and see the view to better advantage and then continue our plunge. At Gex we lunched, then a ride of two miles brought us to the frontier. Here the management had to deposit 20 francs on each wheel to be returned on leaving the country. Then on, it was only a matter of minutes to Geneva, our hotel and dinner. Our two days at Geneva we have pleasantly spent in seeing the beautiful city. We received quite a bit of American mail here. The city has a great many American visitors outside our party, and we were well heralded among them by the papers. The coming week we look forward to as the most picturesque and exciting of the trip, and until the week or more has passed into history we can only say au revoir.

LATER.

One of our party Mr. E. J. Parker, of West Chester, Pa., received a telegram announcing the death of his father. He is now on his way home having started at once. Our party now numbers nineteen.

PIONEER REUNION.

The WEST SIDE is probably aware that there has been a call for a pioneer reunion to take place at Monmouth on the 11th and 12th of September. No doubt the WEST SIDE commends the efforts of parties interested to make this affair one of peculiar interest and one that will be a season of joy and pleasure to all who may participate in it. A reassembling of our early pioneers, would be an occasion for gathering incidents connected with the past. Time and again I have met with companions in travel, and on meeting it has always been an occasion of interest and enjoyable converse. Time hastens on, and soon the harbingers of civilization of this coast will have been gathered to the dust, and all opportunities of receiving from them personally, marked events in history will haved passed beyond our ken. Some may be indifferent to the struggles of the early pioneers in their efforts to obtain the "wherewithall to be clothed," but those engaged therein retain a lively remembrance of the times when wheat and peas were a legal tender, and there are others who greatly enjoy the recounting of incidents of forty or more years ago. There are those living, who, ere the coyote ceased its howling, or the darked skinned aborigine had vanished from the sight, perambulated the soil where the lively town of Independence is now situated, and I feel warranted in the assurance that a meeting with these old pioneers, conjointly with the citizens in general, may be made a marked epoch in the history of Polk. Then, for a season, let our usual avocations "take a rest" and let us come up to the pioneer reunion, determined for the time being, to abandon all care and devote ourselves to make the occasion one long to be remembered.

S. S.

A Famous Woman's Experience

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.

Mr. Wisdom: Dear Sir.—I beg to thank you for the delightful and refreshing "Robertine" you so kindly sent me. I have used the toilet and preparations of the most celebrated manufacturers of London and Paris, but consider your "Robertine," their superior in point of purity and excellence. Wishing you the unbounded success you deserve, I remain.

Faithfully yours,

EMMA ABBOTT.

If you want a fine $55 sewing machine for $35 delivered to you direct from the factory call at the WEST SIDE office. Only one for sale. Good note taken in payment. *

A SCARED EDITOR.

A rugged farmer stalked into the sanctum with a big whip under his arm.

"Be you the editor?" "I am," was the half apprehensive reply.

"Here's two dollars—send me your paper, for life," he said.

"You see," he went on, "our daughter was sick and like to die; she drooped and grew weak and pale, had headaches, no appetite, back ached, hands and feet like ice, couldn't sleep, hacked with cough, and we thought she had consumption. No medicine helped her until she tried that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription mentioned in your paper, when she began to mend in no time and is now well and handsome as a rose—put me down as a life subscriber."

Now the editor is looking for another scare. The medicine has cured thousands afflicted as was the farmer's daughter, restoring the female functions to healthy action, and removing the obstructions and suppressions which caused her trouble. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or price ($1.00) refunded. It's a legitimate medicine, not a beverage. Contains no alcohol to inebriate; no syrup or sugar to sour or ferment in the stomach and derange digestion.

For a Book of 160 pages on Woman: Her Diseases, and How to Cure them, (sent sealed in plain envelope) enclose ten cents, in stamps, to WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

DR. PIERCE'S PELLETS Purely Vegetable. Gently Laxative, or Cathartic, according to size of dose. Smallest, Cheapest. Sugar-coated and easiest to take. Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Constipation. By druggists. 25 cents a vial.

Take Care! There is Danger

In allowing inactivity of the kidneys to grow through neglect. The deadly shoals of Bright's disease and diabetes will wreck the goodly bark of health if it is allowed to drift rudderless upon them. The bladder, too, if inactive, and judicious medication does not speedily direct the helm toward the port of safety, will be whelmed by the quicksand of disease. In selecting a diuretic, let your choice fall upon Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which stimulates the renal organs without irritating and exciting them, two effects to be apprehended from the unmedicated stimuli largely resorted to. These have a tendency to react prejudicially. The Bitters invigorate the kidneys and bladder, in common with the nerves and the digestive organs, and so afford least aid. It also affords dual assistance in preventing and curing intermittent and remittent fever. Biliousness, constipation and rheumatism it alone subjugates.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County.

In the matter of the estate of Joshua Brown, deceased.

To the heirs next of kin, and all persons interested in said estate. You are hereby notified that Jacob Brown has filed his final account in the estate of Joshua Brown deceased, and the final hearing of the same has been set for

Monday, August the 4th, 1890,

at which time you, and each of you, may appear in said court and file objections to said final account if any you have.

JACOB BROWN, Executor.

A. M. HURLEY,
HUTLER & TOWNSEND,
Atty's. for said Estate. 7-18-1

CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Polk County.

In Probate

In the matter of the sale of the real estate belonging to the estate of C. J. Cooper, deceased.

To William Tate, Thomas Moon, Margarette Osborn, Mahalia Sherwood, Elizabeth Kays, Rachel Fox, Robert Foster, John Foster, Thomas English, Jane Williams, Mahalia Riggs, Lafayette English, James Brown, Louis English and Elizabeth Riggs, heirs and next of kin to C. J. Cooper, deceased.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said County Court, praying for an order to sell the real estate belonging to said estate, you, and each of you, are hereby citited, and notified, to appear at the term of said County Court to be held on the

4th day of August, 1890,

and show cause why the order for the sale of said real estate should not be granted as prayed for in said petition, which real estate is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of Uglows mill lot, thence North 9° 30' West, 4 links to the edge of Mill street; then North 64° 45' West 1.25 chains along said street; thence South 2.12 chains; thence East 1.18 chains; thence North 1.07 chains to the place of beginning. Also beginning at the Northwest corner of the land above described; thence South along the West line of said land 2.13 chains to the Southwest corner thereof; thence West 82½ links; thence North 2.48 chains to the Northeast corner of John Warners storehouse; thence South 60° 30' East along the South line of Mill street 90 links to the place of beginning, situated in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon.

J. STOUFFER,
County Judge.

Dated at Independence, Or., June 27, '90.

Take it Before Breakfast

The great appetizer, tonic and liver regulator. In use for more than 50 years in England. Positive specific for liver complaint. Bad taste in the mouth on arising by the morning, dull pains in the head and back of the eyes, tired feeling, dizziness, languor—symptoms of liver complaint. Remedy—Dr. Henley's English Dandelion Tonic. Relieves constipation, sharpens the appetite and tones up the entire system. Get the genuine from your druggist for $1, and take according to directions.

MARRIED.

KENNEDY—HILL. — At the residence of the bride's mother, Sunday, July 27, 1890, Miss Martha Hill to O. F. Kennedy, both of this city, Rev. A. Byers, of Monmouth, officiating. No cards.

Within a few days the newly married couple will commence housekeeping in the new residence on E street, which will be their home. We wish them joy and may their troubles only be small ones, and all that

DIED.

LONG.—At Kings Valley, on Monday, July 21, 1890, Mrs. Ellen Long, aged 54 years of pneumonia.

Mrs. Long was born in Beaver county, Pa., in the year 1836, and came to Oregon in 1852, where she has since resided. She leaves a husband, two daughters and one son to mourn her loss. She was an effectionate wife, loving mother, a kind neighbor, and a faithful member of the Presbyterian church for over 20 years.

May God grant the bereaved companion, and the children of our departed his sustaining grace, and a happy reunion in the Realms of Glory.

S.

SHORT MENTION.

Croquet sets and hammocks for sale at Wheeler's. *

A complete piece of sheet music for ten cents a copy, at Wheeler's. *

You can get six bread tickets for a quarter at Taylor's bakery. *

Ice cold soda, all flavors, at Wheeler's book store. *

Taylor's bakery is prepared to furnish bread in quantity, to threshing crews. x

Ladies and children's shoes at cost, at Stockton's. *

Sewing machines and extras, also organs and pianos at Wheeler's. *

Ladies and children's shoes at cost, at J. L. Stockton's. *

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Cudahay's Bros. celebrated Cream city hams, for sale by Henkle & Walker. *

Room to rent. Inquire at WEST SIDE office.

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And of course he will convince you by his courteous treatment, that you can do better with him than anyone else.

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