

WEEK'S WORK DONE IN TOWN

Electric Line is Being Rushed to Finish

SUB-STATION BUILDING

Meas and Twelve Teams at Work in This City

work of grading and track laying on the part of the Oregon Electric line through the city of Hillsboro, began early Monday morning.

Persons wishing to tile their farms will always find a large stock of fine tile in our yard at Scholls.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

- names of successful candidates who passed the examination held by the Oregon Electric Company...

CHABROL

Chabrol (22732 Registered), B-J-B (Stallion, imported from Europe, and weighing 2160 pounds...

Terms—\$10, \$15 and \$20 Care taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

PROBATE

In the matter of the estate of Fred Sommers, dec'd; final account filed and approved.

Card of Thanks

Delicious ice cream, refreshing cold Root beer, and fine confectionery for everybody, at L. J. Palmer's.

Thanks to Voters

I wish to thank those who gave me their support in the recent election.

The contest in this county for the clerkship was mighty close Tuesday morning, the returns indicated the election of Mr. McCormick by over a hundred majority.

The Hillsboro High School baseball team defeated the North Central team of Portland on Memorial day, by a score of 9 to 5.

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Geo. R. Bagley has a number of men at the Dudley Mills ranch, engaged in building 40 chains of 12x12 flume, and expects to irrigate this year about 50 acres of land.

Silver Leaf Camp, No. 8193, M. W. A., will give a picnic on June 13, 1908, at Allen's Grove, one mile north of Reedville.

At a meeting of the directors of the Oregon Electric Company held in Portland last Saturday, the directors of the company voted \$30,000 to build the line from Garden Grove to Hillsboro.

L. M. Commons, formerly proprietor of the City Bakery, departed the first of the week for his ranch near Yaquina, and his son, Lloyd, followed, this morning, with a fine herd of dairy cows.

Hazelwood Ice Cream and Hires Root Beer ought to go good this time of year. You'll find such things your heart to cheer.

Kuratli Bros. report the sale of the Geo. Schreiber 60 acre tract, near Phillips, yesterday, to John Schneider, of near the same place, for \$5,000.

George V. James, formerly of this county, was married Wednesday evening to Miss Gillen, of Portland.

A case of diphtheria was reported to Health Officer Wood, yesterday, from Middleton, in the family of Fritz Ellsworth, the patient being a six year-old son. The case has been quarantined.

J. J. Dingman and wife, of Goldendale, are in the city, visiting relatives. Mr. Dingman was a resident of this city 35 years ago.

We carry too many articles to enumerate, but we have anything the farmer needs. The largest stock ever shown in Washington county, and can and will beat all competitors.—Schulmerich Bros.

Asa Eagleton, an old-time Hillsboroite, with his wife and little grandson, of Portland, are spending a week with relatives in this city.

A. G. Gilmore, who has been connected with the city power plant for the best part of four years, left yesterday for Clear Lake, Iowa, where he will spend the summer with relatives and friends.

For Sale:—About 50,000 feet of dry shiplap at Boyd's sawmill, northeast of Glencoe. Phone at 10-13.

Rev. J. R. Welch, of Portland, will preach next Sunday forenoon at Tualatin Plains Presbyterian Church, and in the afternoon at Reedville.

A number of Hillsboro people are attending the Rose Carnival in Portland this week.

REPUBLICAN TICKET ELECTED IN COUNTY

Cake Carries the County by a Plurality of 133

BAILEY IS CLERK BY 14 VOTES

Legislative Ticket Wins From 92 to 300

The entire republican ticket was elected in Washington county. Will Schulmerich, independent, gave the republican legislative ticket a close chase.

EVENING OF MUSIC

On Wednesday evening, June 10th, Miss Wilma Waggener will give a concert at the Crescent Theatre.

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INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM

The state vote on the initiative and referendum measures is as follows: Carried—Scattering state institutions; For November elections; Sheriff to have prisoners; University appropriation; Wheelmen's fish bill; Gillnetters fish bill; Recall; People's Senator Choice; Proportional representation; Corrupt Practices Act; Jury Indictment; Hood River County; Port of Portland. Measures that failed to pass—Legislators increased pay; More Supreme Judges; Army appropriation; Woman Suffrage; Open Town bill; Single Tax.

RAN AWAY FROM HOME

Rufus and Ralph LeMasters, of Linn county, aged 12 and 8 years respectively, arrived in town Thursday morning, on the hurricane deck of a milk wagon.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Following is the program for commencement exercises for the graduating class of the Hillsboro public school, on June 12th: Invocation. Music. Character sketch. Zenas Olson. "The Bell of Atri". Lura Tamiesie. Vocal solo. Miss Florence Tongue. "The Legend Beautiful". Lula Donelson. "The Famine". Lucy Westberry. Piano solo. Blanche Bowman. "The Wreck of the Hesperus". Mary Sewell. Presentation of diplomas by Principal Bates. Duet quartet. Benediction.

Lemuel Brown, about 22 years of age and with the U. S. Navy Department at San Francisco, had one of his legs amputated the first of the week, the result of an injury received while on guard duty.

Phillip Pezoldt, of Phillips, was a county seat visitor Wednesday. Nick Bilde, of Phillips, was a Hillsboro visitor yesterday.

John Schneider and wife, of Phillips, were in the city yesterday.

Godlieb Zurcher, of Cedar Mill, was a county seat caller yesterday.

Ulrich Furgy, a leading farmer of Phillips, was in town Wednesday.

Money to loan on real estate security. Terms reasonable.—Kurath Bros. 46-4f

Born, to the wife of R. S. Alexander, of Fern Leaf Farm, on Iowa Hill, May 28, 1908, a son.

M. C. Hewitt, contractor and builder, Main street. Houses moved and levelled and repairing neatly done. Give him a call.—13



W. H. Boyd, Beaverton, new President of the Oregon Letter Carriers' Ass'n.

A few left—ladies' turnover collars, 5c, at Baird's. 12-4f

Clark Walters, of Glencoe, was in town Tuesday.

Tickets now on sale for the Commencement program, 15 and 20 cents.

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The sermon before the graduating class of the public school will be preached in the Christian church by Rev. Beery, next Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Jos. D. Tamiesie, the youngest brother of Dr. J. P. Tamiesie, was married in Portland, Wednesday, to Miss Vera Pike. Dr. Tamiesie and wife attended the wedding.

Chas. Rithey, son of P. J. Rithey, of the Hillsboro Fish Market, was taken to a Portland hospital Monday, and operated on for strangulated hernia. It is understood the operation will be successful.

As the Chairman of the Republican County Central Committee, I desire to thank the Republican voters who stood by us in the election of the primary ticket in this election. I am also very thankful to the democrat who gave us their support in helping to elect the primary candidates that were so severely attacked in the fight just over, for without the support of the voters that believe in the primary law, it would have been greatly discredited, which eventually would cause the old bossism rule to enter into politics again; and which we are free from at the present time.

Again thanking you for your liberal support, I remain, Yours very respectfully, J. W. Connell, Chairman County Central Com.

Henry Stoffers, of Bethany, was in town today, and called.

Frank Rowell, of Scholls, was in the city today.

Farmers are beginning to buy harvesting machinery.

Skating at the Hartrampf rink with Friday and Saturday nights of this week.

RURAL ROUTE MEN TALK GOOD ROADS

Held State Convention at Albany, Friday

WASHINGTON CO. MAN IS HONORED

W. H. Boyd, of Beaverton Rt. 2, Elected State President

The Letter Carriers' convention at Albany, May 29, was well attended by Uncle Sam's rural mail distributors from various parts of the state.

Ladies' short kimono, nobby patterns, worth \$1.00; 50c while they last, at Baird's. 12-4f

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The Argus was in error, in saying on an outside page that Cornelius precinct had gone "dry." South Forest Grove precinct went dry, but Cornelius gave a majority of 98 against prohibition, and will stay in the "wet" column. The mistake grew out of the report that Cornelius had gone "wet" by only 7 votes, when it was the subdivision that went by 7 votes.

Quong Lee, the Chinaman, who shot Clyde Wilson, will be arraigned tomorrow for a preliminary hearing on the charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. Dan. Malarkey, of Portland, will appear for the Chinaman. Two Chinese merchants, of Portland, were here this week, who are anxious to go Lee's bail.

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