

THE HILLSBORO ARGUS.

AN ENGINE FOR THE TILLAMOOK LINE

Wheeler Came out Friday Evening

BE USED AT THE FRONT
McLachlan at the Throttle—Went out Monday

Pacific Railway & Navigation company brought out a 67-ton engine Friday evening, and Harry McLachlan, as engineer, took the driver out Monday morning. Service at the front. Chester Anderson is the fireman, and the engine will have a strenuous time of it at the 17 mile post for Sweetwater big contractor, and from there he will get into the wilderness where there are no roads that lead to the Rome of construction. Sweeney is sending out men every day, and road work for concrete of material has already commenced. Mr. Sweeney first considered the advisability of pack trails, but as it will be necessary to use steam shovels, dump trucks and much heavy material, he canceled this idea, and put in roads. So far there are but few animals that have made the trip into the mountain fastnesses, these are two "burros" owned by Lytle people. Early every train brings in apples and Norwegians who are sent out to prosecute the work. Inside of two weeks things will be up in the hills.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Trains for Portland—	
St. Grove Local	6:51 a. m.
Mad Flyer	9:12 a. m.
St. Grove Local	10:42 a. m.
St. Grove Local	3:42 p. m.
Miss Overland	4:59 p. m.
Leaves Portland for Hillsboro	
Miss Overland	7:20 a. m.
St. Grove Local	8:50 a. m.
St. Grove Local	10:42 a. m.
Mad Flyer	4:10 p. m.
St. Grove Local	5:40 p. m.

W. Sloan, one of Forest Grove's farmers, was down to the city today.

C. Beach, one of Glencoe's big businessmen and farmers, was in town today.

E. E. Smith, the South Tualatin rancher, was in the county seat today.

Wells, of near Cedar Mill, up from the ranch, Sunday, taking the day with home folks.

Miss Marie Tinnerstedt, of Portland, was in town Sunday and Monday, a guest of the Misses Wall-

John J. Benson, formerly in the grain business here, was out of Portland, Sunday, greeting friends.

Grant Mann, one of the progressive farmers of South Tualatin, whose cattle are prize winners, in town the first of the week.

G. Wingren, who owns a fine place down on the Oregon Electric, in Quatama, was in the city today, and called on the Argus.

Entire herd of 65 goats for at \$1.25 per head.—G. S. Roberts, four miles south of Laurel, Oregon, was in the city today, and called on the Argus.

Miss Ona Foord returned the first of the week from an extended trip with her uncle, Geo. Phillips, Vibur, Wash. Miss Foord was many years a stenographer for Wilkes Bros. Abstract Company.

F. C. Gishart, of Reedville, whose father died May 11, was in the city Tuesday. He and his mother have just returned on a trip back to Edgerton, Wis., where they accompanied the remains of the husband and father.

Robert Tozier, erstwhile home-keeper in the Hood River district; measurer in the capital print office; and an old time printer and newspaper man, was in the city Saturday evening, greeting the friends of his Hillsboro boyhood.

As H. Sewell, the veteran hop grower, whose large yards are located a mile or two northeast of here, says that the vines are a tri-backward this season, but that recent rains, with warm weather following, will make them reach splendidly.

Bernard Bell, of Seattle, was in town Saturday.

Abraham Zahler, of Phillips, was an Argus caller Friday.

Henry Delsman, farming below the Hood Bridge, was in town the first of the week.

Fruit jar caps and rubbers at Portland prices—Frank & Borwick, Reedville, Ore. 12 tf

S. A. D. Meek, of Glencoe, J. N. Loudon, of Laurel, and Benj. Scholfield, of Cornelius, were in the city last Saturday.

For Sale: Good, young cows, all fresh; will take sheep in trade—Victor Collier, Cornelius, Oregon, Route 2. 12-5

M. N. Bonham, of Laurel, was in town last Saturday. He reports a heavy rain in the Laurel section Friday night.

Bring your watches and clocks to Libby, for prompt and skillful repairing. Corner Main and Third streets. 49tf

E. F. Fraley, Secretary of the United Trust Co., of Portland, was in town last Friday, and will plant a tract of land in the northeast part of the county, on the line of the United Railways survey.

Taken up at my farm, 1 mile south of Newton, 2 1-year-old heifer calves, and 1 heifer between 1 and 2 years old, all graded Jerseys. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.—J. S. Steinko. 9 12

Harry Asbahr, who graduates at the Oregon Agricultural College, next year, is home on a short visit with his father, Julius Asbahr. He spends the summer as manager on a big dairy ranch, at Joseph, Walla Walla County, where there are three milking machines in operation.

Mrs. Josephine Case, a teacher in the public schools, and a wife of the county school superintendent, has brought suit against A. J. McCabe, for timber alleged to have been cut and destroyed by the defendant, on her land on the line of the P. R. & N. Railway, above Buxton.

Rev. Evan P. Hughes, of Corvallis, pastor of the Congregational church of that place, has been secured by Principal H. L. Bates as speaker for the graduating exercises of Tualatin Academy, at Forest Grove. Mr. Hughes has been heard at various times and is a strong, forceful speaker. He was at one time pastor of the Congregational church in this city.

South Hillsboro Greenhouse has a good assortment of plants to sell, at a very reasonable price. Shrubbery, roses, hardy pinks, pansies, lilies, clematis, wisterias, chrysanthemums, bulbs, ivy, peonias, house plants; also cemetery plants; cabbage, tomatoes and kale. Call and see us, corner of Seventh and First streets.—Mrs. Agnes Campbell, Hillsboro, Ind. phone, 1154. 52tf

John Fletcher was at Glencoe last week making a survey of a road which is to run through the property recently purchased by E. W. Haines and John Templeton. The tract which contains more than 500 acres is about two miles from Glencoe and six miles from Hillsboro. A portion of the land is quite heavy in timber. The greater portion of it is in cultivation and the growing crops upon it are showing up fine.

E. D. Kingsley has filed suit against the United Railways company in the circuit court for \$12,000 damages for injury alleged to have been done to his property on the St. Helens road by the building of the railway. He states that he was ejected in April, 1908, by the builders of the road, and that the cuts, fills and unsightly piling have made him \$12,000 poorer. He holds a bond for a deed to the land from A. L. Mills.

The contract for the construction of the new school building in the north part of Forest Grove at the corner of Main street and First Avenue, North, has been awarded to Loynes & Moore, of that city, for the sum of \$11,311. The contract calls for the completion of the new structure by the middle of September. Forest Grove has engaged 14 teachers for the coming year and the proposition of adding the 11th grade for the coming year is to be put to a vote of the patrons of the district on June 20.

At a meeting of the board of editors of the college paper, at Forest Grove, the Weekly Index, Miss Jessie Hoge, of Portland, was elected editor in chief for the coming year. Miss Hoge is a member of the present junior class and president of the Philomathean Literary Society. The leadership of the college paper is one of the most influential positions in the student body. The following additions have been made to the board of editors for the coming year: Miss Dora Baker, R. I. Abraham and Charles Ward.

THE ST. HELENS BLACKMAIL CASE

Prosecuting Attorney Tongue Probing the Matter

TOWNSFOLK TAKE SIDES IN CASE

Hooks of County Treasurer, E. E. Quick, Being Experted

A remarkable case is that which is unfolding in St. Helens. E. E. Quick, Oregon pioneer of 1862, resident of Columbia County for 27 years and at present County Treasurer, member of the City Council and chairman of the Board of School Directors, asserts that he paid over to Blakesley approximately \$600 under the threat of threats received in the form of letters sent through the mails and supposed to be from a desperate crook he had never seen.

Blakesley, known by every one in St. Helens by his baby name of "Toots," was born two blocks from the site of the court house which Quick says Blakesley proposed that he, Quick and McCarty rob, blow up and burn. "Toots" has lived in St. Helens all his life. His father was A. H. Blakesley, who settled there in 1853, and who for 20 years has conducted a hotel.

So well known are both the principals in the case that naturally the townspeople are taking sides. Concerning Mr. Quick only the kindest words are spoken, except by those most intimately associated with Blakesley. Blakesley is described by his friends and those who accuse him of the crime as a "good fellow," and one ever willing to help out another in trouble. About 35 years old, rotund and jovial, he does not bear the look of the blackmailer or criminal. But now that he has been definitely accused of crime, there are many reports that may be heard of past misdeeds.

Mr. Quick is described by his friends as easily imposed upon in money matters, which is the only explanation for his strange submission to the blackmailing scheme. Probably accurate knowledge of his characteristics in this regard may be obtained from the remark of one friend, who said: "Why, if any man wanted to borrow money in this town, and didn't ask him to endorse the note, Quick would be insulted."

Mr. Quick is 57 years old. He was born in Indiana and came to Oregon with his father in 1862, settling in Linn County. The family soon afterwards moved to Washington County, where his younger life was spent and he went to Columbia County as a young man to teach school. In the early days of the county he was elected School Superintendent, and served six years. In 1888 he was elected County Clerk and served in that capacity for six years. Between 1894 and last year he served almost continually in one city office or another.

Last year he was elected County Treasurer. On December 1, 1908 his books were experted and found without a flaw. The grand jury is now checking them again, but has not completed its work. Mr. Quick says that he is certain they are in good shape and that the cash will balance.

Fred Goetza, of above Blooming, was in town Monday, wearing the smile that all farmers have donned since the shower.

Work has been suspended on the Donelson concrete block building on the corner of Third and Main. The blocks on the east side, in fact on all three walls, are cracking and when it is decided where the trouble is something definite will be known as to future work. Some think the foundation is the cause; others say not; while some aver the blocks were too green; some swear the blocks are not the right mixture, and so on. Experts will probably decide the question. The Tualatin Pressed Stone Co. gave Mr. Donelson a bond before work commenced, and there the matter rests.

J. A. Zimmerman, of Roseland Farm, was up Tuesday, and says that several young ladies down in his section went over Sunday night and charivariated Victor Nord, the 37 year old groom, and his 80 year old bride. The young ladies, he states, found no one at the house, but later found the bride and groom at the barn, where they were entertaining their friends to a regular old country luncheon with a large keg of "hop juice." And all went merry as a wedding bell. It is rumored that the young ladies attired themselves like their brothers before they made the visit, but they couldn't stand for the beer, and refused to indulge.

Judge Goodin was a Portland visitor last Friday.

Fred Lucy, of Portland, was in the city last Friday.

Herman Renfrew, of Reedville, was in town Friday.

Victor Collier, of Cornelius, was an Argus caller Saturday.

A. W. Walker, of South Tualatin, was in town the first of the week.

A sixteen year old girl desires work in a respectable family.—Address Argus. 11-2

David Rice, with the Mays & Conover people, Scholls merchants, was in town Saturday evening.

For Sale: Clay pigeon trap, and 24 barrels of blue rocks. Will sell for \$15.—L. M. Miller, Scholls, Or., at Rowell Bros. & Co. store. 11-3

Miss Beane, teacher in the Seventh Grade, treated her pupils and invited guests to a picnic at Davis' Hill, last Saturday.

D. M. Whitesell, of South Tualatin, was over Tuesday, and says that he is still smiling over the rain, which means much to the advantage of crops.

Save the little chickens from indigestion, diarrhea, etc. Conkey's Cholera Cure in the drinking water is guaranteed by R. C. Hartrampf Price, 25c and 50c. 11 4

Herman Bishop, who has been sawing lumber above Buxton for Contractor Andrew McCabe, has completed his work, and was in the city the first of the week.

Noxicide disinfects and kills the germs. Mixes with water. Is cheap and effective. Use it now and prevent disease. Pint, 35c; quart, 60c. R. C. Hartrampf 11-4

W. H. Ringle, former superintendent of the local water and light plant, was in town Monday. He has just finished stalling an electric plant for the St. Johns Lumber Company.

For sale: Two fresh milk cows and one heifer, soon fresh; at farm, one-half mile west of Middleton school; Phone No. 8-2, Sherwood-Middleton line.—L. Shaltenbrand, Sherwood, Ore., R. 3. 12

Elder A. A. Beery will preach next Sunday, at the Christian Church, as follows: Morning—"The Watchman and his Responsibility." Evening—Children's Day exercises. The public cordially invited.

Cashier Schulmerich, of the Commercial Bank, has found a strawberry plant which beats the one he counted last week. The original heavy bearer had 217, and his latest find has 229. There is nothing fair about this racing against one's self.

Ervin Burkhalter, of South Tualatin, and who owns a big ranch, was in Tuesday and says the big storm was just in time. "We'll have a bumper crop of both Spring and Fall-sown grain. Hay will be a little short," says the former "brauerie heister."

Edgar Hannan, Buxton merchant, was in town Tuesday. Mr. Hannan says Buxton is doing a nice business and there is much activity there, with railroad men going in and coming out. "We'll have a good summer at the front," says Mr. Hannan.

R. B. Goodin and wife, of Salem, were in town Memorial Day. Mr. Goodin is still one of the chief accountants at the Asylum. While here they were guests of Judge Goodin and T. K. Imbrie and families. "Dick" was our county clerk for two terms back in "Auld Lang Syne."

Paul Schwartz Jr., the 12 year old son of Paul Schwartz Sr., while setting a gopher gun, Monday morning, before breakfast, received the load in the palm of his right hand, the charge passing in so deep that it bulged the cuticle of the member. Dr. A. B. Bailey dressed the wound and says all will be well if tetanus does not set in. The Schwartz family lives near Phillips, and the lad says he'll set no more guns before breakfast—he'll wait until his nerves are settled.

Talk about a wilderness close to home—but within a mile of Hillsboro you can find the wild that calls to nature lovers. On the Jackson Bottom, located on the J. C. Hare ranch, there is a colony of seven or eight beavers, and they are working like their traditional kind. Every night they get out and cut down trees and small growth, and industriously prepare the foundation for some more of Washington County's famous beaverdam land, that sometimes raises 722 sacks of onions per acre. The strict law protecting beavers has made them very incursions, and this is the second family close to town. Less than a mile northwest there is another Mr. and Mrs. Beaver and their progeny. Time to send for a "nature faker." 12-3

VICTOR NORD WEDDED TO ANNA O. POULSON

Young Man of 37 Years Weds Octogenarian

CEREMONY TOOK PLACE SUNDAY

Happy Couple Reside at Bride's Home, Near Minter Bridge

Last Friday, Victor Nord, aged 37, and Mrs. Anna Olena Poulson, aged 80, took out a license to wed from County Clerk Bailey. The wedding was at the bride's home, Sunday, May 29. Mrs. Poulson has lived about four miles southeast of this city for a number of years, and owns 30 acres of land, 15 of which is in cultivation. For 15 years, a young man named Chas. Jaspersen has tilled the land for her, and the other day she deeded him 15 acres, comprising the brush land, and told him that she had fallen in love with young Nord and was soon to be married. Jaspersen came to Hillsboro and tried to get the County Judge to interfere, but as the Judge found that the old lady was in a good state of health and mind, he refused to interfere. Both Mrs. Poulson and Nord are old country people, the groom is a Dane, and the bride is a Norwegian. The happy bride has promised Nord the 15 acres of land, so it is said, provided he shall treat her as a good husband should treat his wife. The affair has caused some comment in the neighborhood on account of the difference in the age of the contracting parties.

Rev. J. A. Campbell, the pioneer Christian minister, performed the ceremony, and in the evening the neighbors were all invited in for a jollification.

GRANGE PICNIC

To the patrons of husbandry and Farmers and all citizens of Washington County: You are cordially invited to join in a public basket picnic to be given under the auspices of Hillsboro Grange No. 73 to be held at Hillsboro, in the City Park, Tuesday, June 15. Speakers will be present to explain our principles and what we stand for. Come one and all, with your baskets well filled, and join with us in the festivities of the occasion. Hillsboro Grange No. 73.

OREGON ELECTRIC SCHEDULE

The Oregon Electric runs six cars each way daily. The 8:55 a. m. and 1:45 p. m. trains out of Hillsboro connect promptly with Salem cars at Garden Home. The Hillsboro-Portland timetable follows:	
Leaves Hillsboro	Arrives Portland
7 25 a. m.	8 30 a. m.
8 55 a. m.	10 00 a. m.
11 10 a. m.	12 15 p. m.
1 45 p. m.	2 50 p. m.
3 35 p. m.	5 00 p. m.
6 15 p. m.	7 20 p. m.
Leaves Portland	
7 00 a. m.	8 05 a. m.
8 55 a. m.	10 00 a. m.
10 25 a. m.	11 30 a. m.
1 30 p. m.	2 35 p. m.
4 10 p. m.	5 15 p. m.
5 30 p. m.	6 35 p. m.

200 pairs Baby shoes in Price 50 to 75 cts. now on sale at 40c

James Gibson and wife, of Reedville, were up Monday, taking in the Memorial exercises.

M. C. Collier, of Scholls, was up Monday, observing Decoration Day with the remnants of the "Old Guard."

L. C. Kinser, who bought the Benson place, near the Tualatin Plains' church, North Plains, was in town Monday.

Richard Wiley, attending the Hill Military Academy, Portland, spent the first of the week with his father, W. V. Wiley.

Fred Taylor, the 17-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor, is just beginning to mend from a severe attack of typhoid-pneumonia.

Contractor C. F. Smith has three houses under way and has taken a contract to put up a modern cottage for A. M. Carlile, on his property south of the school house block.

Ernest Stewart, cashier of one of Portland's banks and trust companies, was out Sunday, accompanied by his wife and children, visiting at the home of Judge L. A. Rood.

Francis Cota, who has sixteen acres of hops beyond Laurel, says that the vines, generally, are late this year, but that a few yards are doing finely. He is now training his yard.

Mrs. A. M. Wells, located across the street from the Dr. Tamiess residence, Main Street, has a nice line of Millinery which she is closing out. Call in and inspect some real bargains. 12-3

High Quality Drug Store

When you are sick and in need of Medicine, you want not only that which is True to Name, but also that which is of the highest quality obtainable. Such is the class of Drugs which we constantly endeavor to furnish our customers.

None but Competent registered pharmacists are allowed to fill Prescriptions or sell drugs of any kind in our Store:

The Delta Drug Store, Hillsboro, Ore.

1500 PAIRS SHOES SLAUGHTER PRICES!

To make room for other Stock I am making a sweeping reduction on the prices of all lines of Shoes. These are absolutely the greatest values in Footwear ever offered in this city. Just read the following prices:

For Ladies	FOR MEN
\$1 75 Reg. now \$1 35	In men's shoes we
2 00 Reg. now 1 65	are making the same
3 00 Reg. now 2 45	quotations, dollar
2 50 Reg. now 2 05	for dollar, as in
3 50 Reg. now 2 65	the opposite col-
4 00 Reg. now 2 95	umn. Good, durable
4 50 Reg. now 3 45	shoes, and in style
\$5 00 Reg. now \$3 85	and money savers.

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Misses & Children	Sale on Boys' and Youths' Shoes
75 ct shoe for 60 cts	\$1 50 shoe for \$1 20
\$1 00 shoe for 75 cts	1 75 shoe for 1 40
1 25 shoe for 95 cts	2 00 shoe for 1 55
1 50 shoe for \$1 15	2 25 shoe for 1 70
1 75 shoe for 1 35	2 50 shoe for 2 05
2 00 shoe for 1 45	3 00 shoe for 2 35
2 25 shoe for 1 60	
2 50 shoe for 1 70	

JOHN DENNIS, HILLSBORO

Look Out for Watch Troubles

Few watches are cleaned and oiled as they ought to be—once a year. People usually wait until something breaks. The other way is cheapest in the end and saves the watch.

LAUREL M. HOYT

WATCHMAKER And Jeweler Graduate Optometrist