

The Endless Chain. "What became of the little paragraph...

The Hatpin Law. "By Jingo, the policeman said, 'This new job ain't no fun!'

He walked, dejected, down the street. Alas! his heavy pride...

He took his helmet in his hand. And wiped his sweating brow...

The bride wept on her mother's shoulder. Her father stood silently by...

The Modern Elopement. A restless man puts a careless arm round the hips of a haughty girl...

The young lady from Vassar had just returned to her parental roof...

On the Wagon. It's a long and lonesome ride on the wagon...

Flinging With Fame. "Why do you insist on nibbling around that book?" asked the wise fish...

Spirit of Resignation. "I did my best," said Uncle Jim. "No one can say I shirked."

The sun is shining on the stream. That sings its song so light...

President Wilson at a dinner party in Washington said of a statistician: "His figures are so precise that one declines to doubt them."

That crater, George, is just 70,004 years old. "But why the four?" George asked.

German Lutheran services Sunday afternoon, June 8, at 2:30 o'clock, at the city hall.

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The war talk with Japan has subsided, the warm weather having put the "Jingo" to sleep. The man who has worried for fifty years about our "decrepit navy" has gone to the beach for a rest, and to figure out why, during fifty years of protective tariff, those who made such laws haven't built a naval equipment, and why we have no merchant marine.

The rush to construct hotels all over the state of Oregon should be news for the Hotel Gazette. The new liquor law gives no one a license, outside of incorporated cities, save a bona fide hotel keeper, with capacity in his hostelry for fifty guests.

Well, well, even if the wine manufacturer in Washington County can't sell his wine by the gallon at his place, he can sell it as a manufacturer, to the metropolitan centers, anyway. And Washington County wine is some wine, too.

Portland now has a genuine silk-stocking mayor, and this reminds us that the late Gov. Penney, who liked a chew of plug tobacco, was himself an aristocrat, even if he were a democrat.

CLUB RECEPTION

The Commercial Club entertained the ladies last Friday evening. Five Hundred and whist were the amusements of the evening, and the handsome club rooms were filled to capacity.

The event was a success in every way, and the Club expects to make a feature of these gatherings in the future.

BID REDUCED

The Montague-O'Reilly Co. has bid \$4 cents per yard for the Hillsboro macadam, and the council has awarded the contract.

Excavation is paid for at 42 cents per yard. North Third and Jackson, east and south of the Geo. R. Bagley block, will be improved with a cement street, no bids being offered on the old specifications.

Decoration Day was appropriately observed in Hillsboro last Friday in the Crescent Theatre. The school children rendered an excellent program and drill. Mayor H. T. Bagley delivered the patriotic address, and a large crowd attended the service.

The Kinton High School held commencement exercises last Friday evening. A splendid program of recitation, music and song was rendered. Judge Thos. O'Day, of Portland, delivered the graduation address.

Mrs. Martha Clark, of Woodburn, was in the city the last of the week, the guest of Mesdames Susie and Henrietta Morgan.

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MARRIED 49 YEARS



A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schneider, Blooming, the occasion being the forty-ninth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Schneider.

OREGON ELECTRIC TRAINS

Table with 2 columns: Direction and Time. To Portland: 6:24 a.m., 6:59 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 10:49 a.m., 1:19 p.m., 3:55 p.m., 6:15 p.m., 8:20 p.m., 9:38 p.m. From Portland: 7:48 a.m., 9:07 a.m., 11:47 a.m., 2:28 p.m., 4:48 p.m., 6:24 p.m., 7:38 p.m., 9:22 p.m., 12:30 a.m.

A pitiable case was tried in the circuit court room, before Judge Reasoner this morning, when Drs. Tamiesie and Erwin examined two sisters, Millie and Ruth Vannoy, daughters of Mrs. Catherine Vannoy, for their sanity.

The ten-dollar prize, given by the City Bakery for a suitable name for their famous twin loaves, was awarded to Mrs. W. F. Stockman, of Forest Grove, who gave the name of "Tulips."

Clerk Luce reports that pensions claimed by widows, and up for consideration by the county court, now total \$2,940 per year, with more in sight.

G. W. Hines and wife have moved down from Manning and will reside in Hillsboro, Mrs. Hines has an announcement in another column that will be of interest to the feminine readers of the Argus.

The "Iconoclast," in three reels, a real, live, thrilling romance of frontier life, at the Peoples' Theatre, next Monday and Tuesday, and a fine bit of comedy as a filler. Come and see them.

The Grand March is the most wholesome "two for a quarter" smoke on market—made in Oregon, by E. Schiller. When you indulge in a good smoke buy a Grand March.

Fred Schomburg, wife and son, Henry, depart Saturday, the two latter to visit at Buhl, Idaho, while Fred starts on his trip to the Fatherland.

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J. H. Wolfersperger is again on duty at the City Bakery, after an illness of three months.

Expense Stops When Your Cooking Stops. This is one of the big advantages of the New Perfection Oil Cook-stove.

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STANDARD OIL COMPANY CALIFORNIA. PORTLAND SAN FRANCISCO. Between fifty and sixty ladies, representing the Ladies' Societies of the Cong. Church, met at Fair Acres, the home of Mrs. R. E. Harbison, Wednesday afternoon.

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executor of the last Will and Testament of Joseph Engle, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, as the true and correct account of the estate of said decedent.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the firm of Fretzel & McFarland Bros., of Hillsboro, has been dissolved by mutual consent of the co-partners, and the assets of the old firm sold and transferred to its successor, Dunning & Fretzel, who will collect all outstanding accounts, which are now due and payable at the office.

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Notice to Contractors. Sealed bids will be received by the school directors of school District No. 87, Washington County, Oregon, for the construction of a school building in said district, contractor to furnish all materials, and complete structure ready for occupancy.

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Indian Runner ducks, the egg machines, the world's greatest layers of pure white eggs. Get a setting of 13 from R. H. Greer, Hillsboro, and have eggs in the Fall and Winter, when your hens are not laying. Yard No. 1, \$3; No. 2, \$2; No. 3, \$1.50; No. 4, \$1; or \$10 and \$6 per hundred.