



## Let Father Do the Cooking

Just for one day—say next Sunday—and see what happens.

Many Hillsboro husbands do not realize just what inconveniences Mother is forced to put up with in her kitchen.

About the time Father tries to bake or fry on that old, worn-out wood or coal range he will begin to fuss and fume and say some things and think others:

Monday morning you will find him hustling right down to Patterson's Furniture Store and placing an order for a MODERN CABINET GAS RANGE.

NOW IS THE TIME, Father!

## Every Woman's Desire

In the domestic appointments of her kitchen will be satisfied only when she has an ALL-GAS KITCHEN!

With gas, cooking becomes a daily pleasure—not a burden. Gas ranges reduce the baking failures to a minimum. The heat is easily regulated—just a slight turn of a valve.

Cooking and baking is done in half the time required by the wood or coal-fired range, which means that she will have more time in which to rest. To be a good cook a woman must be cheerful all the time.

Order a Gas Range and Satisfy This Desire Now!



## It Is a Consoling Fact

That with prices of all necessities climbing higher and higher at an alarming rate, GAS is one of the commodities of everyday use that costs no more today than it did a year ago.

Food, clothing, shoes, hard fuels—all have doubled or trebled in price. Despite the increasing prices, the quality is not a particle better than before the advance—for in some cases it is even poorer. Yet

Gas Is High in Quality and Low in Price



You see, our Gas Bill is the only one that's lower

## The Advance in the Cost of Materials

Has not caused an increase in the gas bills. We are hoping that it will not do so in the future. We want to continue to give the same service that we are supplying today; the same high heat unit for Gas lighting, cooking and heating, at the same price we are now charging.

We are glad that we have been able to thus far operate on this basis so that the burden of expense to the average home owner will be lightened that much. Remember also that our appliances are of highest quality and are offered to you at easy terms and moderate prices.

LOCAL APPLIANCE AGENCY  
1261 MAIN ST.

# Portland Gas & Coke Company

CALL AND INSPECT OUR APPLIANCES

## IRRITABLE NERVOUS

Was Condition of Indiana Lady Before Beginning to Take Card-u-i, the Woman's Tonic.

Kokomo, Ind.—Mrs. H. Haankemeler, of this town, says: "I look so well, and am so well, that it does not seem as if I ever needed Cardui. But I was not always this way. I think I have taken a dozen bottles before my little girl came."

I was feeling dreadfully bad, had headache, backache, sick at my stomach, no energy. I was very irritable, too, and nervous.

I began taking Cardui about 6 months before my baby came. As a result all those bad feelings left me, and I just felt grand, just as if nothing at all was the matter, and when the end came I was hardly sick at all.

Since that I have never taken Cardui at all. It has done me good, and I know it will help others, if they will only try it."

Many women have written grateful letters like the above, telling of the good that Cardui has done them. Why should it not help you, too? If you suffer from any of the ailments so common to women, and feel the need of a safe, reliable, strengthening tonic, we urge you to begin today and give Cardui a fair trial. Your dealer sells Card-u-i. EB-10

W. H. Smith, of Portland, with the S. P. & S., was in the city the last of the week. He has been convalescing from an injury received several months ago, and he has a damage case awaiting decision in the Supreme Court. He formerly lived in the Cedar Mill section.

### County Official Paper

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The county war board has secured, Washington County's 42 men for army service, exhausting only 75 out of the 114 called. The returns of the board's labors were sent in last evening to the state headquarters, and in a few days the machinery of getting them into shape will begin. Meantime, remember that every man on that list today stands as the exemplar and majesty of government, for he is fighting your battles; offering his life for your safety, and man can make no greater sacrifice.

### AMBULANCE FUND BENEFIT

The ladies of Leisville and north of town will give a benefit for the Third Ore. Ambulance Fund, Saturday evening, Aug. 25, at the home of Miss Emily Young, 2 1/2 miles north of Hillsboro, on the North Plains road, beginning at 8:30. The program follows:

Mrs. J. L. May, wife of Col. May, and Mrs. R. Oliver will be the speakers of the evening; song, "Star Spangled Banner"; piano solo, Carl Peterson; vocal solo, Prof. Olson; reading, Mrs. Blasing; vocal solo, Miss Gordon; vocal solo, Mr. Eggiman; piano duet, Mrs. McNelly and Mrs. Perrot; vocal solo, Miss Georgia Baldwin; reading, Miss

Esther Chalmers; vocal solo, Mr. Croeni; violin solo, Miss Benjamin; vocal solo, Dr. Hyde. The ladies' quartet will sing, and Mr. Vanandenhagen, the whistler, will be there. Admission, 10c. Ice cream and cake, coffee and cake, and candy will be for sale. Come and help the fund.

### LIQUOR RAID

Sheriff Applegate Monday arrested Louie Stoller, proprietor of a Beaverton hotel, charging him with selling liquor contrary to the prohibition statute. The sheriff took a search warrant with him and found some bottled beer and a jug of wine, together with some alcohol. Stoller was brought to Hillsboro, and gave bail before Judge Smith, to appear for hearing later. A. Beggi, an Italian, was also arrested and placed in jail. Beggi is charged with selling liquor, and the sheriff brought to the county seat anywhere from 40 to 60 gallons of wine from Beggi's cache. One cask of 30 gallons is about full, and there are all kinds of wines and Chiantis. Beggi has been selling according to information lodged against him, and such is said to be the case against Stoller. Both will answer in circuit court if held.

Jos. E. Bateman, T. N. Stewart, Wm. Basse, Jos. McRoberts and S. Johnson were arrested on the headwaters of Gales Creek, last Sunday, by game wardens from Portland, the charge being hunting deer with dogs. The men say that they were not hunting with the dogs, and will fight the case in Judge Smith's court.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Taylor, Hillsboro, Aug. 22, a son.

### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY

In the matter of the Estate of Anna C. Downing, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executors of said estate have filed in the above entitled court and cause their final account and report as such executors, and the said court has fixed Monday the 24th day of September, 1917, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, and the Court room of the above entitled Court in Hillsboro, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and for the final settlement of said estate. Dated this 22nd day of August, 1917.  
James B. Downing and H. P. Downing, Executors of Estate aforesaid.  
Hare & McAlair, Attorneys for Executors.

When I was very little  
And didn't own a name,  
I worked for farmers in the field,  
Both day and night the same.

But soon the dear old farmer said,  
"We know the kid's worth while!"  
So one and all they call me,  
Their good friend "Wondertile."

## Wondertile OREGON BRICK & TILE CO. BEAVERTON, OREGON

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Greer and little grandson, Norman, left yesterday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Willis, and family, at Cle Elm, Wn., and other relatives at Yakima, Seattle and Napavine. Before leaving the state they visited their son, Robert, at Clackamas, who will probably be sent South in a few days.

The mothers of the enlisted boys gave a food sale recently, which netted \$18.70 for the 3rd Oregon Ambulance Fund. The same evening they sold punch at the dance, making \$5.10. This they gave to the Honor Guard girls to augment their fund for the ambulance.

C. C. Beers, of Stayton, Ore., was in town, the first of the week, making arrangements to move back to this county, where he has large property interests. He has sold his place at Stayton and will return here about October 1.

A communication from Ronald Vaught states that the boys in the South have an ideal place at Camp Fremont, Menlo Park, near Palo Alto, and soon 40,000 men will be camped there.

## Hillsboro Mercantile Company

### Kingsbury Hats



The standard of fashion. Perfection in quality.

Although nearly everything has advanced in price, we still sell the KINGSBURY HAT \$3.00 for

Agents for M. Born & Co. Tailor-Made Clothes

### From Hardware Department

Now is the time to paint, and the place to get your material is at the Mercantile for we have too much on hand and must sell at wholesale prices.

Save feed by keeping your stock in condition. Feed International Stock Food.

Conkey's remedies for chickens. 3-in. wagon with 3-in tire \$95. Ensilage cutter, blower, distributor and truck \$215.

You will soon want plows. We sell at 10 per cent less than Portland prices.

We have just received the largest shipment of heating stoves ever in Hillsboro.

A full line of tin and granite-ware, bought last year, which we sell below all competitors.

## SPECIAL!

3 Gallons Sour Pickles.....85c  
6 Bars Soap.....25c  
3 lbs. Steel Cut Coffee.....85c  
5 lbs. Steel Cut Coffee.....\$1.40  
30c Bulk Coffee.....25c  
50c Japan Tea.....35c  
Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans.....25c  
Light House Cleanser, can.....5c

Stop and get our prices on Flour and Sugar.

We pay the highest price for eggs and all produce.

## SPECIAL

### Friday and Saturday

Corned Beef.....12 1-2c  
Salmon.....18c  
Halibut.....18c  
Dressed Hens.....18c  
Chickens for Frying.....23c

John Meier, of Bethany, was a city caller today.

Born, to A. A. Bramwell and wife, Hillsboro, Aug. 18, 1917, a daughter.

Edw. H. Weich, of Linton, and Mabel White, of Cornelius, were married at Vancouver, Aug. 22.

Kenneth Humke, well known here, was married to Miss Ethel Kelly, Portland, Tuesday.

Mrs. Rena Craig, of Portland, was the guest of her father, J. W. Enochs, over Sunday.

Mrs. E. B. Tongue is spending a few weeks at Rockaway. She was accompanied by Mrs. A. E. Reames, of Jacksonville, and Mrs. Glen Metzger, of St. Helens.

Services at the Baptist Church, Sunday, Aug. 26.—E. A. Smith, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. W. P. Dyke, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m., by the pastor. Theme, "So Great Salvation." Young People's Meeting at 7 o'clock; Haskell Carter, Pres. Preaching at 8 o'clock. Special solo, Theme of sermon, "Reaching Forward."

### NOTICE

The city ordinance require property owners within the city to keep the weeds and grass cut down adjacent to their premises, and it is the purpose of the undersigned to enforce this provision as per instructions of the city council.

Dated at Hillsboro, Ore., this 20th day of August, 1917.  
Grant Zumwalt,  
Chief of Police.

Nick Kemmer was up from Beaverton today.

