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Inasmuch as the United States built the big canal to the south of us, there is no reason why Uncle Sam's merchant ships carrying coast to coast trade should not go through free of tolls. The days of toll-gates for American travel located on American territory has gone. It is an anachronism to continue tolls on American vessels sliding through an American canal. It is archaic, as well as a relic of bone-headism, and the more one looks at Senator Chamberlain's idea of free tolls to American shipping the more readily we can see that his position was the best. Let the United States do business as business should be done if it wishes to encourage its maritime power.

The Argus will tell the world that Washington county is com-

ing out of its drive for funds to aid starving Europe with flying colors, for to save lives abroad means market for the future. Just now, however, this feature is forgotten in the general distress of the Central Europe peoples.

CAMP INSTALLS

Hillsboro Encampment No. 84, I. O. O. F., of this city, Saturday evening installed officers as follows:

Post Chief Patriarch, Fred S. Olsen; Chief Patriarch, E. L. McCormick; High Priest, S. N. Poole; Senior Warden, J. C. Ene; Junior Warden, J. Sorenson; Scribe, Benton Bowman; Treas., Don K. Gregg; Guide, R. N. Brown; Inside Sentinel, T. H. Riggs; Outside Sentinel, L. E. Wilkes; 1st Watch, A. G. Gilmore; 2nd Watch, R. T. Bennett; 3rd Watch, W. O. Morley; 4th Watch, H. L. Greer; 1st Guard of Tent, Percy Long; 2nd Guard of Tent, F. L. Erwin.

District Deputy Grand Patriarch Bernard Ortman, of Forest Grove, officiated as installing officer, and several visitors were present from that city. Light refreshments were served after the induction ceremonies were completed.

FREE!

Pennsylvania Auto Tube

"Ton Tested"

Prices on Vacuum Cup Tires were materially reduced on November 10, 1920.

Despite this fact, we are going to make your tire purchases doubly attractive.

For a limited time, we will give you, ABSOLUTELY FREE, a "Ton Tested" Automobile Tube of corresponding size, with each regular Vacuum Cup Fabric or Cord Casing you purchase at our store.

This Offer Must Soon be Withdrawn.
Better Anticipate Your Requirements Now!

Service Garage

A. H. RASMUSSEN, Prop.
Hillsboro, Oregon

THE LATEST IN BRUNSWICK RECORDS

"MY HOME TOWN IS A ONE-HORSE TOWN"
"APPLE BLOSSOM TIME"
"HUMORESQUE," by Max Rosen
"OH, PAUL, WHY DON'T YOU ANSWER ME!"
"BEAUTIFUL FACES"
"MARGIE"

Ask For a Catalogue of
Brunswick Records

The Hillsboro Pharmacy

PYTHIAN MASQUERADE

The Pythian Sisters will give a masquerade dance and basket social Friday evening, Feb. 4, for Pythian Sisters, Knights, and the families.

Dancing will be from 8 to 11 o'clock, at the American Legion hall, above Perkins Garage, corner Second and Washington Sts. Walker's orchestra will furnish the music.

Those not masked will be charged 25 cents admission.

Prizes will be given for most comical and best sustained characters.

At 11 o'clock the revelers will adjourn to the K. P. hall, where the basket social will be held.

Ladies, please bring baskets.

L. A. Jackson, of Cornelius, was in town yesterday, on business for the city of his residence.

Sam J. Galloway, of Leesville, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. T. Kucher is at the Washington County hospital, convalescing from an operation performed last week by Dr. Robb.

G. A. Larson, of below Benton, was a city caller yesterday and made his usual call on the Argus.

Dave Wenger Jr., of Helvetic, was in town yesterday. Dave served in the U. S. navy during the war.

Detinson Bros. now pride themselves on occupying one of the best equipped garages in the county—their new quarters east of the Hotel Washington.

F. W. Kellogg, of Newton, says he looks for an early Spring. F. W. has been here ever since the days of the flood and he is some quainter when it comes to weather.

Twenty per cent saved in your building by our special Unit System.—Fischer-Melroe Co., 205-9-10, Lewis Building, Portland, Oregon.

The Woodmen of the World head officials have passed to verify the policy on the life of the late J. H. Kay, and the family will soon receive the insurance. Mr. Kay also carried a policy in the Fraternal Brotherhood, and the widow received their check a few weeks ago.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Third and Washington Sts. (The Church of the Friendly Greeting) Union Shipworth, pastor—8:45, Sunday School; 11 a. m., sermon, "The Attractive Power of the Cross," 6:30 p. m., Young People's meeting; 7:30 p. m., sermon, "The Christian's Guaranteed Supply" choir practice Wednesday evening; prayer meeting on Thursday evening.



Give Us a Chance to Nail These Rumors of High Building Costs

Without a doubt there are a number of families in this town who would be building a home of their own if they had not been misled by talk about the high cost of building materials. And it is "talk," these cost-of-building rumors, for like most rumors, it is gross exaggeration.

Here's a straight common sense tip to all you men and women who long for a home of your own—

Come to our lumber yard and let us show you some plans and pictures of various types of homes. We have them to fit any purse. You can pick out a home that suits you and we'll tell you what it will cost.

Then you'll have the facts to guide you and not gossip. You owe it to yourself and your family to obtain this definite information before you throw up your hands and say, "Oh, a home is out of the question now. We can't afford it."

R. L. Tucker Lumber Co.

Main Street, Hillsboro, Oregon
Telephone 841

Making Good

To make good my statements of the past that my prices were at all times as low as could be secured in the city, I am offering

Price Reductions

Which Eclipse Anything Ever Given the Washington County Public. If interested call and get my prices. Discount from

20 to 50
per cent

Laurel M. Hoyt

SECOND ST., HILLSBORO

Sewing Machines



White
New Home
Standard

Rentals
\$3 Month

Exchange your old machine for a new one before you start your Spring sewing.

We sell Machines on Easy Terms. Call Phone 773.

Patterson Furniture Co.

Don't Forget---

W. W. Boscow's MONEY SAVING SALE

Every article in my stock reduced to a figure that will pay you to buy now.
This is my first big sale with prices far below the new price level.
Everything in the store goes on sale—nothing reserved—my loss is your gain.
Bargains all over the store. Money talks. Positively no credit during this sale.
Watch show windows for bargain prices.

Sale Now In Full Swing

W. W. Boscow's Cash Store

Main Street, Hillsboro — Next to S. P. Ticket Office.