Local News: RELIGIOUS DIRECTORY.

At the Baptist church, Rev. Mr. Chand'er reaches on the second and fourth Sunday hi each month, at Forest Grove.

Pres. Marsh will preach every Sunday evening at the Congregational church at Forest Grove; at Hilisboro the 3d Sabbath in each month at 11 A.M.; at Dilley the 4th Sabbath in each month at 11 A.M., at Green-

ville the 2d at 11 A. M. Rev. J. W Miller will preach on the 1st Sabbath in each month at Forest Grove, 11 a. m.; Gaston, 2 1-2 p. m.; 2nd Sabbath in Licey sh. 2 1-2 p. m.; Hillsboro in the evening; 3d Sabbath in each month at Forest Grove, at 11 a. m.; Greenville, 2 1-2 p. m.; 4th Sabbath in each month at Hillsboro, 11 n. m.; Centreville, 2 1-2 perm.; Cornelius, in the evening; at Oak Grove on Sat. at 2 p. m. before the 2d Sab. in each month.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

On Sundays the office will be kept open from 9 o'clock to 12 a. m. Mails close going West at 91/2 o'clock A. M., East at 12, M. No letters mailed after that time. A. Y.BOYCE, P. M.

WE are not responsible for the views of our correspondents. The columns of the Independent are open to the peo p'e of this county for the discussion of C's. all questions concerning our local interests. Make your articles short, gentlemen and to the point, and we promise you all a hearing.

A Man Lost on His Own Farm-Offers Five Bushels ot Wheat and Three Pigs to find Himself.

One day last week while Mr. D E. Wheeler, ot our county, was working roads near his farm he was sent by the boss to the woods to cut some timbers, and after traveling around a while he became bewildered and struck out in a run to find his way out of the woods to the working party. After running eight or three miles and becoming somewhat warmed to the work he begahalooing to his companions. One of the men compreh nding what was the matter went to meet him and so in discovered him coming around on the circle which he had been traveling all the time, under a full head of steam, making as much noise as a run down locomotive and three Mr. U Jackson lost some sheep on grizzly bears in a canebrake, and his Walter farm. He drove the now and then exclaiming between herd home and on Mond y night of wheat and thee pigs to find my one very ladly. Mr. Jackson supway out of this blasted neck of poses it was wolves, and says he has woods." The gentleman who went lost some thing like a hun led dolin the wilderness, stepped up to him and claimed the reward, and piloted him out. Mr. Wheeler found that he had been runnine all the time that he was lost on his own farm. The Supervisor docked him a third of a day for lost time.

Prof. Plummer's entertainment at this place last Wednesday evening was nearly spoiled by the disturbance of a drunken rowdy. The Professor is an artist of no ordinary talent and it was a pity to have such an intellectual treat marred. Notwithstanding the disturbance however the Professor did some fine acting. His representation of "Prometheus Bound" was excellent, as were several other peices which he rendered.

D. M. GAULT is building up the best District school in the State. And the large number of students that attend his school is evidence of the fact. The District ought to keep up a school for nine months in the year at this town instead of six. A first-class teacher cannot afford to be idle half of the year.

a German while at work for Mr. John his posters. He has Mr. Swift as-Kunrath on the mountain towards sisting him now, in selling his goods. St. Helens, fell from a ladder a diswas set and the wounds were dressed | manently locating at the Grove. by Dr. Bailey.

meetings by the United brethern church have been going on up near Lousignot's lake and the mouth of yesterday. Gale's creek eanyon this week conducted by E.N. Adams of Philomath. Several seekers have come forward asking for the prayers of the church.

LAST Friday Dr. G. H. Atkinson drove the four horse wagon of J. D. Bates out to Hillsboro, a distance of twenty miles and over a mountain road. And the Doctor preached an excellent sermon to our one of the best brood mares in Wash- bushes. Good for Cornelius. people on Sunday.

THE Hill boro Postoffice is conducted most obliglingly as our citizens all know.

We are informed by Dr. G. H. Atkinson of Portland that J. D. Bates of Forest Grove, while going to Portland Friday of last week with a load of wheat fell off of the wagon near Pointer's place some three miles this side of Portland and one of the wheels ran over his right leg, breaking it just above the ankle. He was taken to the house of Dr. Atkinson where his leg was set. Both bones were broken. And considering that there were over 4,000 pounds of wheat on the wagon he was fortunate to save his each month at Columbia Academy, 11 a. m.; limb. His left leg had been broken twice reveral years ago. He will remain where he is until he is able to not be very long.

Since the above was put in type we lea n that Mr. Bates was taken home the first of this week. He wa convered carefully in the cars to Smith's Station(?) where he was rec ive l by his friends and taken home on a bed, fixe l in a spring wagon. He is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstan-

TALMAGE'S PAPER. -- THE CERISTIAN AT WORK (New York) ranks with the best of the religious weeklies. Dr. TALMAGE is its active editor, and his sermons are published exclusively in its columns. The terms, \$3.25 per annum, cover everything, including postage and delivery of the new premium, a "Portfolio of Twelve Gems," or a copy of Landseer's "Twins. Without the premium it is only \$3 per annum, postage prepaid. as above. Agents will find this

es of the Senior Class of Pacific University at Forest Grove, for the first | Mountain Dale for relief. term, will take place this evening at the Congregational church in that place. The Cl ss consists exclusively of young ladies, and of course there will be a large turn out to hear them. The Crove always turns out enmasse to hear her students.

SHEEP KILLED.—On last Friday his shouts, "I will give five bushels someting got after them and crippled see this voice crying las worth of sheep his summer.

> WILLIARD LATOURETTE has lo rated at the Grove. He was present at the performance of Prof. Plummer Monday evening at the Grove and says that there would be fewer cases of consumption in the country if the Psofessor wou'd come around occa sionally.

WE fa'led to notice in our last is sue that Mrs. M. E. Hoxter of the Grove made the most graceful and pointed speech of the evening at the Good Templars sociable at this place two weeks ago.

STEVE HARRIS at the Grove has finished the sidewalk around his property as ordered by the Trustees and Steve is as happy as a man with \$86 worth of new sidewalk can possibly

Wolves-There seem to be more wolves around in this county than usual. Complaint is made in several neighborhoods of the e pestiferious animals. We want a scalp law in this county.

stock of goods at the Greve. Al-ARM BROKEN .- One day last week ready his shelves show the effect of

PROF. PLUMMER gave one of his tance of eighteen feet breaking his characteristic entertainments to a left arm near the wrist and badly crowded and appreciative house on next meeting. spraining the right arm. The limb | Monday evening. He talks of per-

Hon W. D. Hare, Collector of REVIVAL-A series of interesting Customs at Astoria, visitedHillsboro this week and was greeted by many friends. He returned to Astoria

> DR. S. H. MARSH, President of Pacific University, will preach at the M. E. Church in this place next Sunday at the usual hour.

struction in Forest Grove, over eight | machine and popular everywhere. thousand feet of sidewalk. Can any small town in the State beat that?

ington county. N. E. GOODELL, formerly p. m. at at the Grove, has gone down to Coos Bay to see the country.

The Grangers at Columbia Academy Hold a Feast-Great Excitement at Glencoe!—A Saloon Keeper's Door Rammed and a Blacksmith Loses his Bacon!-Requisition on Greenville and Mountain Dale for Relief!. A Man on his Ear.

Our regular correspondent at Columbia Academy sends us the following interesting letter:

the Hall to listen to Dan. Clark, front of Wehring's and went through come home, which it is thought will listened to with marked attention. says darn a doctor's business if it is On Saturday the Grange held its all like that. Feasts. A number of visitors were present from other Granges. The business finished, the table was spread with every luxury that could tempt the appetite. We had a splendid time. Socially the people of this n. ighborhood were never on better terms of fellowship, and of course they enjoy themselves as only a class of honest and hard-work ing people

door, and a blacksmith on 521 First word to the wise etc. nim completely out of time. It is enough. College Exercises. The exercist thought that our J. P. will have to

took a spin from Mr. Can ly's out to fore. Je se Cornelius's. Fortunately noththat it rubbed the pannels along for of Science." quite a distance. The team ran ou few small straps were broken and for goods. will need repairing.

m rket opened the 1 rst of this same by calling at this office. month in Portland. We have been Hillsboro has seven widows and crediby informed that the sum of yet Finney, Wilcox and Laughlin :150,000, has been subscribed to are not happy. the capital stock. We also learn | Fast Team.-W. D. Hoxter's bay that D. E. Wheeler of this county stallions is the fast st team to buggy thinks of accepting the Superinten- in the Grove. dency of the market.

Epidemic, -- Mr. Wm. Jackson infor as us that a very valuable mare of his has been stricken down in the same manner as the blooded mare of Mr. S. G. Reed. It seems that the animal loses at times the use of the right hind leg and becomes so weak in the loins as to be unable to walk. Gives us a remedy someobdy.

WEATHER REPORT-Reported by W. D. Pittenger:

A FISTICUFF AT GLENCOE .-- The Smith family named respectively William and Tany had a slight collision on Friday with 'Scissors'as um-MATTHEW's is fast closing out his pire. The umpire seemed to be the worst injured of the lot.

No Quorum. - The Board of Directors of the Washington County Agricultural Society failed to have a quorum on Tuesday last. Saturday the 12th of this month is set for the

THE County council of the Granes held a meeting at this place Tuesday for the purpose of perfecting the business organization of the Granges in this county.

N. RICHARDSON of this county has sold his farm to an Englishman, and has bought Hodges' farm in the same neighborhood.

T.. E Improved Home Shuttle is the best and cheapest Sewing Machine THERE is now in course of con- there is made. It is the Grangers'

HOOP FACTORY.-Cornelius has a hoopfactory not the female kin.l of W. Myers on Wapato Lake owns hoops, but regular hoops made of oak

> W. H. PARKER of Columbia Academy has just sent us a club of twelve subscribers for the INDEPENDENT. Who will send us another.

A SHORT NEWSY LETTER.

Lost.-Frank O'Connor went to Cornelius and stayed till after dark. He started home but got lost. He says his horse left the road and went stumbling and pitching over ruts, hog-holes and everything else. Sometimes he was on the horse and sometimes the horse was on him. The horse took him into the brush and logs. He says, "I was scared; didn't know where in thunder I would fetch up." He finally, by crawling around, got into a road that led bim On Thursday Nov. 24th a large out again. When he got home he number of Grangers assembled at pitched over an old stove left in Master of the State Grange. He the window. Frank's hair looks as spoke about two hours and was though it was turning gray. He

A PETITION will be presented at the next term of court to be held next Monday for a clange of a county road between N. E. Richardson and W. D. Hare in South Tualatin. The itself. object is to get the road on the line | 75 cents per Dozen. so that it will be permantly located. The work then will not be thrown

GENTLEMEN will please not hitch The Emporium Ablaze with Excitement their horses on the sidewalks so that Glencoe, the commercial empori- to get around them people have to um of Egypt, was thrown into great walk in the mud. Some people don't excitement the other morning. A fancy horses'heels. The sidewalk in saloon keeper on Fifth Avenue found in front of Mr. Hay's shop shop often a fence rail punched through his blockaded by wagons anI horses. A

had walked off with his bacon. Two other night should have been jugged of the citizens got into a drunken instantly. This matter of rowdies brawl on I roadway and one struck and hoolums disturbing public meetthe other over the head and knocked ings in this place has gone far

THE I. C. R. C. have changed the make a requisition on Greenville and time of meetings in the Grove, to the second and fourth Friday evening's in each month, instead of ev-R NAWAY.-Herry Wooley's team ery Wednesday evening as hereto-

WE are under obligations to H. C. ing was broke though the wheels of Lieser for a copy of Prof. Tyndall's the buggy ran so close to the fence late leecture on the "Advancement

County Orders buying at 95c and a gate post and one of the horses none offered. Stores in the county turned a couple of sommersaults. A take them at their face in exchange

A GLOVE. - The girl who lost her GRANGER MARKET .- The Grang rs' glove two weeks ago can find the

Next term of Tualatin Academy and Pacific University commen ed

Wednesday this week. SEE W. D. Hare's notice to credi-

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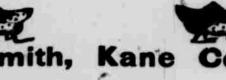
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