

THE INDEPENDENT.

HILLSBORO : : : THURSDAY.

NOTICE.—No certificate of publication will be given until the fees are paid. WE SHALL MAKE NO DEVIATION FROM THIS RULE in future.

Notice.—Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted without charge. Obituary notices will be charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line. We assume no responsibility for views expressed by correspondents.

Local News.

RELIGIOUS DIRECTORY.

REV. J. F. ELLIS will preach every Sunday in the Congregational church at Forest Grove, at 11 a. m.

DR. G. H. ATKINSON of Portland will preach at the M. E. Church in this place every 5th Sunday in the month, at 11 a. m.

PRESIDENT MARSH will preach at Hillsboro on the 1st and 3d Sabbaths in each month at 11 a. m.; and at Dilley the 4th Sabbath in each month 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 each month at Columbia Academy, 11 a. m.; Lacey 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 a. m.; Centerville, 2 1-2 p. m.; Cornelius, in the evening; at Oak Grove on Sat. at 2 p. m. before the 3d Sab. in each month.

Celebration Picnic.

The picnic given by the Grangers at the Hillsboro Park grounds occurred on Saturday the 3d. In spite of the prognostications of rain, the malign influence of two "Arctic Soda Fountains" in this place, and that the widows in the neighborhood had got new summer dresses, and the haying season had just begun and several camp-meetings were on the tapis—in spite of all provocations to rain the day was as fair as a blonde and as sweet as a b. d. of pinks and roses. The fields were green and the skies were blue. Old Hood looked white from the blue sea that lay calm above and St. Hellens wrapped in her white robe looked more saintly than ever. People from different parts of the county, from Portland and other places, came in crowds until the Park grounds looked like a floating island of women, and trees, and birds. From 1,000 to 1,200 were on the grounds. The orator of the day, Jas. Imbrie, Jr., did not appear and Dr. F. A. Bailey was invited to take his place. Although the Doctor was taken by surprise and had no time for preparation he mounted the stand and in his easy, flowery and graceful manner made an excellent impromptu speech of a half hour. The Doctor is famous for these impromptu efforts, which show what he can do when he prepares himself. After the speech Abio S. Watt of the Grove read the Declaration of Independence, and although there was a good deal of confusion he did himself much credit. It would have been more pleasant for all concerned if a marshal of the day had been appointed to keep order during these exercises. We neglected to state that Rev. W. Jolly chaplain of the occasion introduced the exercises with an appropriate prayer. There was no music, which was quite a defect, but there was no end of gossip—the mingling of the gold and silver of voices drowned now and then by a roar of laughter from Ben Cornelius or Riley Cave. The Cornelius and Glencoe base ball clubs played a match game on the outskirts of town. The contest was very close and exciting. At the 9th inning the score was even, but on the 10th the Cornelius boys took a spurt and victory perched on their banners. The score stood as follows: Cornelius, 45; Glencoe, 41. The peanut stands, the soda fountains and the riding machine drove a fair business. Although the picnic was not so largely attended as last year it was very pleasant. The only wonder is that it did not rain.

LICENSES.—The following marriage licenses were issued by A. Luelling Co. Clerk of Washington county for the month of June: Green Hale and Emma N. Vite, Jas. Withycomb and Isabel Carpenter, Chas. Pomeroy and M. E. Sweet, Carlos D. Wilcox and Melinda Hanley, H. C. Curry and N. J. McConkey.

SUCCESSFUL MEETING.—At a meeting held at the Christian church near Harris' bridge by Elder G. W. Richardson on Sunday, July 4th, six were added to the church, three by confession and baptism, one by letter and two reclaimed.

READ Dr. Vite's notice to debtors.

Hammond at the Grove.

This great English revivalist who has created much excitement both at San Francisco and Portland visited the Grove and held two meetings on last Friday. President Marsh of Pacific University had chartered a train for the special purpose of bringing Mr. Hammond to the Grove from Portland. The cars arrived with the reverend gentleman and eighty-two Portland folks in the morning and a meeting was held in the Congregational church at 11 o'clock a. m. at which we were not present but we are told that his manner of preaching was the same as in the afternoon service. At noon the strangers took dinner in the grove on President Marsh's grounds where it was shady and cool. The Portlanders were delighted with the appearance of the Grove, expressing their admiration in extravagant terms. At 1 o'clock another meeting was held in the Cong. church and Mr. Hammond preached a discourse which was made up of anecdotes, stories, poetry and droll humor intended for the ears of the children. The Bulletin's report stated that his sermon was divided into three parts and the discourse was a grand one and that there was a great revival at the Grove. That reporter's imagination captured his judgment. The sermon was a pleasant commonplace talk, and as to the revival, there is no one at the Grove that has discovered it. If Mr. Hammond and his co-workers had held meetings there for a week there might have been a revival but the Grove people do not enthuse in a day. As a preacher there were several gentlemen in Mr. Hammond's company who in our opinion are much better preachers than he, and so at the Grove. But Mr. Hammond's forte, as has been oft repeated by the press, lies in his capacity for making others work in union; in his personal magnetism, and his direct appeals to the sympathy and religious nature of his hearers. He does not try to pound logic into logical minds but leaves them out of the question except to keep down their opposition, while he brings his forces to bear on the young. In his afternoon sermon, which, as the Bulletin says, was divided into three parts, he talked about songs, gave a short sermon of thanksgiving in the form of short speeches from persons who wished to speak, skillfully marshaled new converts white and black on the stage one by one to tell their experience, then recited some more poetry declaimed in a sing-song style, and then a song in which sinners were asked to rise; but the gallery where they had principally collected did not respond. Then came dismissal and a rush for the cars off for Portland. In the evening, services were again held at the Congregational church, conducted by Capt. Wilkinson. The Captain's stories grew too long and the meeting adjourned without any special interest being awakened.

We Don't Want it Changed.

ED. INDEPENDENT.—Why should the name of the Scoggin or Martin valley be changed? It was named by the first settlers of the valley a very pretty name. I dare say there is not a single child, or scholar in the district school but what could tell the name of the valley if asked. The idea of changing the name of the beautiful little valley known, for the past fifteen years at the least, as Forest Dale valley to that of "Mill Glen", would not make the valley any better, or the mill either. I hope all will understand that the valley has been named and would have it known as Forest Dale Valley. M. I. A.

Dilley Items.

ED. INDEPENDENT.—Some boys at Dilley were on a whisky "tare" last week. Some Cornelius boys came up to the dance. Saturday morning when dancing broke up the Dilley boys repaired to the saloon here and cards and bad whisky drew two of them into a fight and they sprinkled two new suits of clothes with blood. The saloon kept one man drunk five days and a half, some of the time perfectly helpless. He left Monday. Dilley is becoming notorious for yelling, swearing and filthy language to the annoyance of peaceable citizens. RENO.

Notes from Cornelius.

JULY 1st, 1875.

Wm. Reeves was elected Master vice H. C. Raymond resigned in Cornelius Grange.

The new officers elect in the I. O. O. F. are: N. G. J. DeLetts, V. G. J. E. Bailey; R. Seey., Wm. H. Parker; Pr. S. D. L. Turpin; T. L. Kelso; T. R. Cornelius, O. Martin and J. Nestor, Trustees.

The following are the officers for the ensuing term in the I. O. G. R.: C. R. John Emerick; D. R. James Montgomery; Sec., John Montgomery; F. S. H. G. Guild; Treas., Wm. H. Parker; M. Scott Cornelius; H. Anna Ketchen; C. Thos. Tolbert; I. G. Molly DeLetts; O. G. Chas Meek, Sr.; P. C. R. Geo. Vickers.

The ennuie occasioned by the continued sombre weather was totally dispelled last Saturday by the presence of the match game of base ball. Every ballist played as though his "daily bread" depended alone on that game. The best of feeling prevailed throughout the whole game. Our "Stars" begin to think they are some pumpkins.

A school paper called the "Vindicator" has been introduced in our public school. It is a monthly. Henry Guild and Miss Mary Reeves are its retired editor and editress. They did nobly, and produced a spicily little sheet. Fred Punch and Miss Olive Cornelius have now assumed the "editorial quill."

Mr. G. Vickers and A. Phillips are slashing brush for Col. Cornelius by the wholesale. They each cut a half acre per day; they are good, study, industrious boys.

Jack Powers sends off two or three loaded cars every now and then. Sawlogs, staves, and cord wood is the trash he deals in.

Our merchants have been replenishing their stock of goods, and their stores present a more enticing store.

"O. K." keeps going after "Jonny's" scalp, and finally concludes that the reason Jonny does not appear in print more often is because he is so much like himself—"has nothing to write about." It appears however like "O. K." will keep writing nothing while Jonny keeps mate.

John Nestor, one of Oregon's best architects, having become tired of the vocation he had so faithfully followed for many years, purchased a little farm adjacent our town, and has become a "hardy tiller of the soil." He has a most fearful trial with the squirrels and crows; he swears that Oregon strychnine is worthless, and too shoot one of the "bructs" only increases their number. John is an honest, hard-working, congenial fellow, and we feel proud of him as a citizen, and only wish there were more "retired" architects to settle amongst us if all are like him. He is on the lookout for a boy to drive his team, and to pull weeds, while he runs with the squirrel tribe. Immigrants are arriving here daily.

One of our young ladies cut her foot badly, with an ax, a day or two since. W. H. PARKER.

GRANGE FUNERAL.—The funeral obsequies of Miss Freeman a notice of whose death is published elsewhere, took place at the West Union church Tuesday where she was buried with the rites of the Patrons of Husbandry of which she was a member. A large concourse of the friends of the deceased were in attendance from different parts of the county. She was cut down in the flower of her youth and has gone it is to be hoped where youth is immortal.

MEASLES.—Five families of immigrants who came here recently and are living near town have taken the measles, having been exposed on the steamer as they came from San Francisco, and they have had a hard time with the disease. At one time eleven of them were bedfast. Most of the male members have been looking over the Valley for homes and the women have had a severe trial. Many good Samaritans in the place have assisted them and they are getting well now.

PRESIDENT MARSH will discontinue his appointment at this place for several months, as he intends to start East in the interest of Pacific University soon. RENO.

Farmington News.

FARMINGTON, June 25, 1872.

ED. INDEPENDENT.—Travel on the road is increasing.

The people here are anxious to see the new Board of Directors get control of the West side railroad. They think that Holladay has feathered his nest long enough off of the people of this county.

Some of our people talk of going to the coast this summer.

R. A. Carpenter, road Supervisor, is doubling the tax on the road this season. He is making good roads. They are in better condition now than I have ever seen them.

A camp-meeting will be held at Pleasant Hill, three miles from here, beginning Friday, July 9th. Bro. Roe is the minister in this charge and is an earnest worker in the vineyard of the Lord.

Mr. John Withycomb, County Surveyor, has been busy the past two weeks surveying.

Game is plenty in these parts. The river is full of fish this season. The deer are eating up the grain. Along the river there are beaver, otter, mink musk-rat. Last winter Joseph Robinson in six weeks caught and sold \$126 worth of beaver and other skins, which is pretty good for a boy.

Joseph Jack has just completed a large granary. The design is fine and the building very substantial.

Haying will begin in about ten days.

Mr. George Robinson has an heirloom in his possession consisting of a newspaper published in Philadelphia and said to be the oldest paper known in this State. It has the names of the three commissioners to the Six Nations appointed by the Continental Congress on the 22d of June, 1775, a hundred years ago. The name of the paper cannot be made out. The reading is so dim that it can scarcely be read. He also has a journal kept by his grandfather in 1768. He being the only son left of the old stock has come into the possession of these rare relics of the past.

Mr. Flint says that the crows are worse this year than he ever saw them before. They have taken his corn twice this season. Now they have begun scratching up his young potatoes. Scare-crows don't scare them off.

In Mr. Flint's district they propose to build a new school house. The Directors are Messrs. Flint, Kent and W. Landess.

JULY 3d, 1875.

Last Wednesday there was a spelling match at Miss Anna Luelling's school. Hard words got the advantage of several aspirants for orthographic honors. J. Robinson spelled it, "Konnetikut." "Inadequate" was spelled inadquate by John Stuart. J. L. Thomas spelled "Selvage" selvege.

J. L. Thomas gave a lecture on temperance after the spelling match which was well attended. Mr. Thomas is doing a good business in his blacksmith shop. VULCAN.

THE BALL.—The ball given by D. L. Turpin our excellent host of the Tualatin Hotel, on Saturday the 3d inst. was a decided success. Forty-two tickets were sold and over a hundred took supper. And the best of it was that the ball was conducted in a decent and respectable manner for which Mr. Turpin has always been in this county.

INSTALLATION.—The lodge of the Golden Rule had a public installation Tuesday evening in Mr. Hay's building. After installation came ice-cream and music. This quilt ate two plates and can vouch for its superior excellence. The occasion was very pleasant, and might have netted a handsome sum to the Order had general notice been given of the meeting.

QUARTERLY MEETING.—The Methodist quarterly meeting will be held at Columbia Academy on Saturday and Sunday next, under the auspices of Rev. J. W. Miller and Elder Roberts.

GRANGER LETTUCE.—Uncle Jake Hoover brought us three heads of lettuce the other day as big as cabbage heads and tender and sweet. Such lettuce we never saw in all our born days.

Mrs. Hinton of Scholl's ferry fell senseless at her father's place on the 4th and it was thought that she was dead but she revived. Her husband died at Portland about two weeks ago.

Grove Items.

Rev. Walker has torn the old roof off his dwelling house to put on a new one. This was undoubtedly the first shingle roof in the county having been put on when the house was built about 27 years ago.

Dr. Saylor has traded his house and ground in the Grove to Mr. R. P. Wills for his farm of 150 acres near Cornelius, giving Mr. Wills \$500 to boot.

Ed Matthews is building a "back-elor's hall" 18x27 on his property in the southern part of town.

Some of the Grove people went up on Gale's peak picnicing on the 3d and had a splendid time.

An "old back" in the Grove who is a woman suffragist says that he is in favor of every woman being her own man.

Hogs runs at large in the Grove now. The Marshal has been urged to put them in the pound but he says that he has principally quit running with hogs.

A Forest Grove boy asked his mother the other day if he might not go to the centennial and was answered in the negative, when he asked if he could not go to the next centennial.

Jerome Porter's and Sam Hughe's new barns all painted white and two stories high present a neat appearance for barns.

The boys at the Grove hire one of Henderson's buggy teams by the day and divide up the time among themselves.

Steve Harris has sold 160 acres of unimproved land up on Gale's creek near Ed Wooley's to Thomas Naylor lately returned from Pennsylvania, at \$4.00 an acre.

W. D. Hoxter's team while coming from Cornelius last Thursday ran away and smashed up the wagon and injured both horses more or less.

A good many Grovians went down to the Hillsboro picnic Saturday, and returned home tired and in bad humor. There was no red-eye on the grounds for the "boys" and no music to sweeten the ear of lovers of songs. TOOTS.

Real Estate Transactions.

B. H. Catching to H. Buxton 20 acres being a part of the donation claim of B. H. Catching and wife; consideration \$90 in coin deed of general warranty.

U. S. to Moses R. Barman, to donation claim; consideration, residence and cultivation.

James McCoy and wife to J. W. Brazeo part of the David McDonald land in Washington county and also the E 1/2 of donation claim of Hyer and Eliza Jackson in said county and other lands in Multnomah Co., Oregon; consideration \$3,000, warranty deed.

S. A. Holcomb and wife to J. T. Buxton a part of lot No. 2 in block No. 5 in Forest Grove; consideration \$175, coin, warranty deed.

Robert Imbrie and wife to Bernard Kelly a part of the Edward H. Lenox claim containing 140 acres; consideration, \$1,200, warranty deed.

Jesse Cornelius and wife to Ira Lyon, conveyance deed.

Isaac Meyer to S. W. Childers the N E 1/4 of Sec. 15, T 1 S, R 3 W; consideration \$480, in coin, special covenant.

H. C. Raymond to S. Childers that part of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 10, T 1 S, R 3 W, lying south of the Tualatin river being 30 acres more or less; consideration, \$100.

GOING TO THE COAST.—Rev. W. Jolly and family, Mr. Edward Long and family from East Portland, Mr. W. R. Jolly and family, Mr. J. T. Jolly and family are going to the coast, whether to Yaquina, Tillamook or Clatsop beach we are not informed. They expect to have a good time camping out and gathering shells down by the sea. That will be a Long, Jolly crowd in fact as well as in name.

BISHOP PECK'S APPOINTMENTS.—Bishop Peck will preach at Hillsboro on the 13th of this month and at the Grove on the 15th.

Hot.—The mercury on Monday afternoon went up to 92° in the shade, on Tuesday afternoon, 96°, and as we go to press is up to 98°. Ice CREAM!

DAILY, those rose spuds were jolly good muck-a-muck. We can beat them though.

LECTURE.—Mrs. Dunnway will lecture at the Court House this evening.

J. C. Traullinger has opened a large dry goods store in Astoria.

GREEN HALE moved into his house this week. SUBSCRIBE for the INDEPENDENT.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

WHEAT—\$1.60 @ \$1.70 @ 100 lbs. FLOUR—Extra, \$5 @ 5.75 @ bl. OATS—\$1.95 @ 2.15 @ 100 lbs. POTATOES—\$3.50 @ 100 lbs.

PORTLAND MARKET.

Gold in New York, \$1.16 @ 1.16 1/2. Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 86 1/2; selling 87 1/2.

Latest Liverpool wheat quotations 8s 11d per cental ex-warehouse.

WHEAT—\$1.55 per cental. OATS—\$1.80 @ 1.85 per cental. FLOUR—\$3.50 @ 4.50 @ 100 lbs. ONIONS—\$1 @ \$1.25 @ 100 lbs.

POTATOES—\$1.00 @ 1.00 @ bush. BUTTER—25 @ 40c @ lb. EGGS—18c @ doz.

POULTRY—Chickens, \$4.50 @ doz. BACON—Sides 11 @ 11 1/2; shoulders 8 @ 9; hams 14 @ 15 @ lb.

LARD—18 1/2 @ 14c. APPLES—\$1.00 @ 1.00 @ box. WOOL—20 @ 25c @ lb.

Forest Grove Retail Market.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Wheat, Oats, Flour, Corn Meal, Potatoes, Eggs, Butter, Chickens, Bacon, Cheese, Dried Flax, Dried Apples, Syrup, Coffee, Tea, Salmon, Sugar, Lard, Beef, Pork, Fish, White Beans, Wool, Strawberries.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

F. A. Bailey's NEW DRUG STORE, MAIN STREET, HILLSBORO. Keeps constantly on hand—

PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, DRUGS, MEDICINES and CHEMICALS. A LARGE ASSORTMENT ON HAND.

Patent Medicines. TOILET ARTICLES. SOAPS, SPONGES, PERFUMERY, &c. &c. &c.

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Glass cut to any size desired. Prescriptions carefully compounded and all medicines warranted genuine.

CUSTOMERS WISHING ANY thing in my line will find say and all articles usually found in first class Drug Stores, and for sale LOW for cash.

Montezuma Lodge No. 36, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening, at Masonic Hall, in Hillsboro. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order N. G. 35-4.

Kahn & Freidenrich. Have just received a large and elegant stock of the very latest styles of Ladies Dress Goods, Hats, Shoes, Hosiery, etc. Also a fine lot of clothing and everything else to complete a gent's attire. Groceries, Crockery, Hardware, Notions, Tobacco and Cigars, and many more items too numerous to mention. Prices about everybody. KAHN & FREIDENRICH, Hillsboro.

A. HINMAN. Has the largest stock of goods in the Grove, consisting of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, FANCY ARTICLES, &c. Family Groceries and Provisions, HARDWARE, CROCKERY &c. &c.

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