

THE INDEPENDENT.

HILLSBORO : : : THURSDAY

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

NOTICE.—Simple announcements of marriages and deaths will be inserted without charge. Ordinary notices will be charged 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 on Sunday in the Congregational church, Forest Grove, at 11 a. m.

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

REV. J. W. MILLER will preach on the Sabbath in each month at Forest Grove, a. m.; Gaston, 2-1-2 p. m.; 2nd Sabbath each month at Columbia Academy, 11 a. m.; Lacey sh. 2-1-2 p. m.; Hillsboro in the morning; 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, a. m.; Centerville, 2-1-2 p. m.; Corvallis in the evening; at Oak Grove on Sunday 2 p. m. before the 2d Sab. in each month.

KILLED BY THE CARS.—Last Wednesday a week ago the down train ran over a six-months' calf a short distance below town and crushed skull killing it instantly. The calf was owned by Frank Rice of place. The train gave no warning and must have willfully run the down. Now if the Company the first instincts of humanity or about them they would have advised that they had killed the animal and offered a fair price for the damage done. But this was not expected of Holladay, Halsey & Rice twenty times the cost of the calf to recover its value and they do not propose to pay him the loss they have inflicted upon him. Thank justice, which ultimately makes all things even. Company of grabbers will soon kicked out and men of business paucity and with some instincts honor will manage it for the interests of all.

IS LUCK.—Mr. J. H. Garrison met with bad luck last fall in having some money stolen from him has learned that a piece of property which he owns at Seattle and which he thought was of little value is worth \$5,000 or \$6,000. Several years ago Mr. Garrison bought some lots in Seattle, and afterward sold half of the property to a young man on credit but giving no deed. Since then the young man sold the whole property to another party and moved away. Mr. Garrison has warned persons to not build on the land but they disregarded him and several valuable buildings have been erected thereon. Mr. Garrison has entered suit for possession and we understand that he has been offered \$5,000 by parties who have built on the land to compromise. Good luck for Mr. Garrison.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—At the last regular meeting in July Montezuma Lodge, No. 50, I. O. O. F., the following officers were installed for the current term: N. G., D. M. C. Gault; V. G., S. H. Humphreys; R. S., G. N. Hale; T. C. T. Tozier; R. S. N. G. W. D. Pittenger; L. S. N. G. W. Miller; R. S. V. G., T. H. Tongue; L. S. V. G., Jno. D. Rowell; W. Geo. Campbell; C. A. W. Luelling; O. S. Chas. Laughlin; I. S. R. C. Baldry; R. S. S. E. R. Ennis; L. S. S. James H. Sewell.

GRAIN PROSPECTS.—The prospect for crops in Washington county are good. The fall wheat and most of the spring crops will make more than an average yield. There is some wheat and oats that was sown very late that will be rather short and light, but there is not much of this. The harvest has already begun, one or two fields of wheat having been cut this week.

CAPTURED.—Mr. Beacham went out blackberrying this week captured two young coons which came to him in the woods. Mr. Beacham supposes that the mother had been killed was the cause of the docility of the young varmints.

SMOKE.—The atmosphere for two or three days has been very smoky. Extensive fires are raging in the mountains. Many farmers are clearing land and burning brush and logs.

TASTE raspberries sold on the streets Monday at 8 cts. per lb.

Tualatin Items.

Farmington Items.

FARMINGTON, July 17, 1875.
ED. INDEPENDENT:—I shut my letter for last week by Stephen Harris and he lost it so that it leaves me a week behind. I want to try and keep this place before the people whenever anything of interest occurs.

The young folks of Scholl's Ferry had a picnic on the 5th of July. They had all kinds of games and a good time generally.

Lost. On the 3rd of July at the picnic at Hillsboro a young lady of his vicinity lost a gold bracelet. The finder will receive the thanks of the young lady by leaving the bracelet at the INDEPENDENT office.

Mr. Jas. Bennet of Scholl's ferry felled a board tree five feet in diameter across the public road recently and has been four days in cutting off two cuts and clearing the road.

Last Monday Mrs. Eliza Stewart and two daughters, paid a visit to her daughter living on the west bank of the Tualatin, and on their return the ferry boat swamped and they came near getting drowned. Mr. John Simpson came to the rescue and jumped into the river and towed the boat ashore and rescued her parties from their perilous situation.

Mr. James Vinson was the champion at our last spelling match.

Mr. Alexander Griffith is just recovering from an attack of measles.

Haying has begun in good earnest.

There has been a great deal of haying done here this season and turning brush has been all the rage at the last week or two.

The Tualatin is at its lowest stage.

A private letter from the Spokane country says that the crops in this valley are good. The country is healthy and is just the place for a poor man to "make a stake." Some of our people have the Spokane fever very bad. They want more haying land for their stock.

Glencoe Items.

Mrs. Hoover, wife of Jack Hoover of Glencoe, and another lady were bathing near the village the other day when Mrs. H. accidentally got into deep water and, not knowing how to swim, would have drowned had it not been for her little brother only ten years old who happened to come along just at the time and who bravely jumped in and seized her and swam with her to shore saving her from a terrible death.

Henry Johnson who lives near Glencoe met with a serious accident lately. He was riding on a reaper with his legs hanging down and one of his feet got in front of the master wheel and it caught between the wheel and shaft mashing his foot badly.

We are informed that what appeared in the INDEPENDENT last week in respect to the action of the Methodist Quarterly conference at Columbia Academy representing Mr. A. C. Lebo and Mr. P. G. Northrup as ministers was incorrect. Mr. Lebo, as we learn is an exhorter, and that his license was renewed. Mr. Northrup is not authorized to preach or exhort and there was no action by the quarterly meeting in his case.

EXTENSIVE CLEARING.—D. M. C. Gault reports that extensive clearing has been done on both sides of the Tualatin river and that there has been some extensive burning down there this week. There is a great deal of rich bottom land along the Tualatin which only needs clearing and draining to make it the most productive land in the State.

Baptist Preaching at the M. E. Church in this place to-night. Turn out everybody and hear the Bishop. You hear only a few such powerful speakers as he is in a lifetime. Let Hillsboro and neighborhood give him a rousing house.

Mrs. J. D. MERRYMAN who has been visiting her relatives and friends in this county started for home at Astoria this morning accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Eggleton, who goes to enjoy the health giving breezes of Clatsop beach for a season.

Hot weather continues. The thermometer has been up into the nineties every day if we recollect rightly since our last issue. Sunday and Tuesday the mercury went up to 98° in the shade.

PAID HIS TAX.—The case of A. H. Garrison, Road Supervisor Dist. No. 14, vs G. H. Gee, civil action, was settled before trial this week by the defendant paying his road tax.

Grove Items.

Mr. White has bought a lot here and will erect a fine dwelling thereon.

Mr. A. Leo has bought the lot south of the district school house for \$200.

Mr. James Walker has repaired his old house giving it a splendid appearance.

Mr. Shearer from Nehalem has taken up a home-stead near E. Horner's place called Cedar Canyon.

Ex-butcher John and Welch will move to Dilley in a short time.

They have purchased ten acres lots in that place. It is a quiet, rural village and just suits them as they have grown tired of a city life. They say that there is plenty of room over there and that there are lots of lots dirt cheap.

Mrs. Stoughton is dangerously sick. **Drs. Bowly** and **Saylor** were called to consult, **Dr. Geiger** being the attending physician.

Rev. J. F. Ellis and family, and **Mr. Curtis** and family and **Miss S. E. Bowlby** started for Clatsop beach last Friday. **James Martin** and a party of young folks from the Grove have gone on a pleasure excursion to Siletz. Were it not for the Tillamookers, Nehalemites and other immigrants the Grove would be a howling wilderness and the whang-doodle in these deserted streets would mourn for her first born in vain.

Henry Corbett is off on a hunting expedition. He is a successful hunter.

A. L. Johnson has just received a large invoice of furniture. He will soon give the INDEPENDENT an advertisement.

Mr. Hoxter and lady have gone to Scappoose on a pleasure trip.

Toots.

North Yamhill Items:

The farmers of Yamhill are repairing in their hedges, fences and threshers for the coming harvest.

Mr. Chas. Bertram has made the Markam place blossom like the rose.

Mr. Smith, the Milley hoop-pole maker is running the grist mill in North Yamhill.

Mr. McConnell is building a brick kiln here.

Prof. J. M. Garrison who has been enjoying himself at Astoria and on the Sound for a while has been visiting his brother in this county the past week. The Professor is in a remarkable state of preservation and proposes to take his case for a few weeks during the heated season.

VACATION.—The public school at this place conducted by School Supt. Gault assisted by Miss Dora Hinchshaw closed Saturday the 10th inst. after successful and pleasant term. There will be a vacation now until the first of September.

GOOD HAY CROPS.—Gale's creek has an unusually good hay crop this season. The Timothy hay was never better before. The grain crops on the creek are likewise very good and the Gale creek farmers are in consequence in "tall oats."

PREACHING.—Rev. Dr. Thompson, Agent for the American Bible Society on this Coast, will preach at the Congregational church at Hillsboro in the evening. Rev. F. C. Hetzler, Asst. Supt. Am. Bible Society will preach at Cornelius Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

REV. DAVID ENIS of the United Brethren church preached at this place last Sunday to a fair attendance. He will preach here again on the 3d Sabbath in next month.

Miss Ellen Luelling finished her school in Forest Dale on the 9th inst. after a pleasant and prosperous term.

DRUGS SOLD.—Dr. Jno. Vita has sold his drugs to Dr. Price of Farmington who is coming to Hillsboro to locate.

Dr. A. Y. Boyce and family returned from their visit to Turber's Station, Monday, having had a very pleasant visit.

POWL.—A neighbor cleaned out his well this week and it had eight dead chickens in it. Soup!—what?

GLOVE FOUND.—A lady's glove may be found by the owner calling at our residence.

There have been several cases of "summer complaint" in the neighborhood lately.

CONFIRMATION.—The rite of confirmation was extended to four persons in the M. E. Church at the Grove last Sunday.

To Correspondents.

Correspondents should not feel disappointed if we do not publish every item they send us. For sometimes we are compelled to leave out unimportant items in order to get the more important ones in. Sometimes two correspondents write the same item or items, and of course it would not do to publish both. Sometimes correspondents thoughtlessly write items that would wound the feelings of others without just cause and thereby injure our business. Of course we could not publish such items.

And there is another point on which some people need a little information: Newspapers rarely publish notices about the private business of individuals without pay. Newspapers are principally supported by their advertising patronage and of course they cannot afford to advertise people's business for nothing. Newspapers give their advertisers notices once in a while, but to none others unless it be of public interest. If men could get their advertising done for nothing of course they would not pay for it and it is our plan to make them pay for it when they get it through our columns.

Another point. We do not wish to publish communications purely on Biblical doctrines. People can get all they wish of that in books and of a good deal better quality than they could expect to find in a country newspaper. Articles on religion in schools or in politics, etc., or items concerning religious meetings, as appointments, baptisms, conversions, etc., we will gladly publish. We would like to get the name of every person who joins a church or temperance society or any other organization. Such news is interesting in a local paper and is really proper field for work. Local topics discussed dispassionately, justly and briefly are acceptable all the time. We do not make any special bid for "fine writing," but will give space when possible to stimulate culture. We want news. Write about your schools, your stock, crops, improvements, public meetings, weddings, births, deaths, accidents, trials in Justice Courts, etc., and we promise you a hearing. Put in a joke once in a while, but cover it up head and ears with facts.

And finally, a newspaper editor, if he has had any experience, and is of a sane mind, knows better what is suited for his subscribers than any body else.

Centerville Items.

CENTERVILLE, July 18, 1875.

ED. INDEPENDENT:—Your correspondent, who being for a considerable time quite reserved, has been holding a controversy with "grim death" as to which the "checks" belonged to, but was finally decided in favor of the former; yet if some one had told me my character was only worth "a dollar," I believe I would have passed them in.

Bathing is the principal amusement for the boys of this place.

Mike Wren killed a fine deer near his house one day last week, and how Mike thinks he is a hunter.

Rev. Mr. Bunting, late of Kansas, has been waking up the religious people of this vicinity. He is somewhat noted as a revivalist.

Hay harvest has now fairly commenced, and mowers can be heard on either side.

The Germans that purchased the Black farm intend building a fine church on the place. They are of the Catholic faith.

BONANZA.

FAST BUILDING.—Mr. M. Moore of this place built Mr. Finney's paint shop; a barn for a man whose name we have forgotten, and a hog pen for Mr. Butler, besides getting the material ready for his own dwelling all within two weeks time. The hog pen is said to be a model of the kind, being 17 feet wide and 36 feet long with a trough and hopper extending sixteen feet through the pen. Mr. Moore acts things aright when he goes to work.

A HEARTLESS GOAK.—Up on Gale's creek a few days ago some jolly fellows put up a joke on a poor love-lorn bachelor by marrying him in sport with a grass-widow who was a party to the joke. Now since the man was in earnest in the matter the question arises whether he is not lawfully married. It is said that this happy Benedict was about to whip a fellow who offered to escort his bride to church in the evening after their marriage.

A FINE party from Hillsboro went up to Quicks' mill Tuesday to make an onslaught on the funny trials.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

WHEAT—\$1.60 @ \$1.70 per 100 lbs.
FLOUR—Extra, \$5 @ 5.37 1/2 bl.
OATS—\$1.95 @ 2.15 per 100 lbs.
POTATOES—\$2.50 per 100 lbs.

PORTLAND MARKET.

Gold in New York, \$1.16 1/2 @ 1.16 3/4.
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 per bl.

ONIONS—\$1 @ \$1.25 per 100 lbs.

POTATOES—\$1.00 per bush.

BUTTER—25 @ 40c per lb.

EGGS—18c per doz.

POULTRY—Chickens, \$4.50 per doz.

BACON—Sides 11 @ 11 1/2; shoulders 8 @ 9; hams 14 @ 15c per lb.

LARD—13 1/2 @ 14c

APPLES—\$1.00 per box.

WOOL—20 @ 25c per lb.

Forest Grove Retail Market.

Wheat, per bushel 80
Oats, per bushel 50
Flour, per barrel 4 50
Corn Meal, per 20 1 00
Potatoes, per bushel 1 00
Eggs, fresh per doz. 16
Butter, good fresh role per lb. 35
Chickens, per doz. 3 50
Bacon, sides per lb. 12 1/2
Cheese, per lb. 20c
Dried Plums, per lb. 12 1/2
Dried Apples, per lb. 12 1/2
Syrup, per Keg (retail) 4 50
Coffee, (retail) per lb. 25
Tea, Japan (retail) per lb. 87 1/2
Tea, Green, (retail) per lb. 1 25
Salmon, best per 1/2 barrel 5 50
Sugar, by the keg per lb. 10 1/2
Lard, per lb. 14 1/2
Beef, per lb. 8c
Pork, per lb. 10
Fish, (salt) per lb. 10
White Beans 10
Wool per lb. 22c
Strawberries per lb. 8

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