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PASSING OF THE PIONEERS.

Paul Hiltibrand and William Percival Pass Across the Mystic Line Into the Silent Beyond.

DIED.—At his family residence in Monmouth, Polk county, Or., Sunday September 29, 1895, William Percival, aged 80 years and one month.

William Percival was born in England, August 29, 1815, emigrated to Oregon in 1853, and has almost continuously made Polk county his home ever since. Mr. Percival was married to Miss Mary Z. Mulkey in Missouri just previous to emigrating to this country. He was a man of positive convictions, honest in his opinions and honest in his dealings with his fellowmen. For nearly half a century his personal interests have been identified with Polk county, and no better citizen or more sincere, earnest man ever lived. Mr. Percival's old home was located near the foothills three miles northwest of Monmouth, and by economy and industry he accumulated a fair share of this world's goods. He raised quite a large family, three sons and four daughters, all of whom are living except one daughter. Several years ago he and his wife moved to Monmouth and they have made that little city their home ever since. The deceased has left a widow and six children, as follows: Mrs. T. J. Fryer, of Independence; Mrs. J. L. Riggs, of Salem; Mrs. Ed Ford, of Tacoma; R. M. Percival, of Yreka; M. F. Percival, of Dallas and W. W. Percival, of Independence.

The funeral was held at the residence in Monmouth on Monday at 10 o'clock a. m., Rev. Mr. Sumpter, officiating. The remains were interred in the Knights of Pythias cemetery.

DIED.—At his home on the Luckiamute in Polk county, Oregon, on Saturday, September 28, 1895, Paul Hiltibrand, of heart failure, aged 72 years, 3 months and 21 days.

Paul Hiltibrand was born in Adams county, Ohio, June 7, 1823; emigrated to Oregon in 1845, and was married to Miss Eveline Tetherow, daughter of Solomon Tetherow, July 3, 1846. The deceased was a mere youth, only 22 years of age, when he made the long and toilsome journey "across the plains" to Oregon, but he possessed the true pioneer spirit and by sturdy industry managed to surround himself and family with the comforts of a pleasant home. He located his donation land claim on the south bank of the Little Luckiamute, in one of the most fertile and beautiful regions of the Willamette valley, and for a half century this favored spot has been his home. Paul Hiltibrand was an honest man, a useful citizen and his friends, and even the stranger at the gate, were always welcome to his hospitable board. Polk county has few citizens more widely known and none more highly respected than this sturdy old farmer whose death stricken another name from the roll call of the Oregon pioneers.

It is commonplace to speak no ill of the dead, but in reviewing the life work of this man there is no ill to speak. He may have stumbled now and then in his journey through life, but who is it that does not, and Paul Hiltibrand passed smoothly over ground where most men slip and fall. He was morally a sound man and mentally and physically a strong man; possessed deep religious convictions, but was broad and charitable towards those who could not see the light that was so clear and dear to him.

Paul Hiltibrand lived a long and

useful life. He had passed the three score and ten mark when summoned to that "bourne from whence no traveler returns." One of his most marked characteristics was affection for his family, and he was always ready to aid his children with wise counsel gleaned from the field of experience and when occasion demanded he never refused to give them financial assistance. He left a widow now nearing her 70th year, and four children, namely: James and John Hiltibrand, Mrs. J. T. Out-house and Mrs. Mart Scrafford. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. L. S. Fisher, of Monmouth, and all that was mortal of Paul Hiltibrand was laid to rest in the Smith burying-ground on Monday September 30th. An honest man has passed away from the trials and troubles of earthly life, but the memory of his good deeds will ever remain fresh and green in the hearts of those who knew him best and loved him most.

FOUNTAIN.—In Monmouth, Or., September 28, 1895, Mrs. Mary Fountain, of neuralgia of the heart, aged 53 years.

The family of the deceased lives in California and she recently came to this country for the benefit of her health. She has relatives living in Monmouth. The remains were laid to rest in the Knights of Pythias cemetery on Monday, September 30.

OPENING OF SCHOOL.

A List of Supplies Needed in the Different Grades.

EVERY PUPIL SHOULD BE IN HIS PLACE

The Independence Public Schools Will Open Next Monday Morning, Oct. 7th. Parents Should See That Their Children Have the Necessary Supplies.

The public schools will open Monday, October 7, and every pupil belonging should be present the first day. Come provided with books, slates, pencils and all other supplies needed in the grade to which you belong.

All those who were not able to be present during the final examination and all others who are not classified will meet in the principal's room next Saturday morning, Oct. 5, at 9 o'clock, for examination and classification.

Following is a list of books and supplies needed in the different grades:

First Grade.—Slate with covered frame, slate pencil and sponge, lead pencil and paper; later in the year a New National reader No. 1 and drawing book No. 1.

Second Grade.—New National reader No. 2, five cent composition blank, tracing book No. 1, ruled practice paper No. 2, drawing book, slate with covered frame, slate pencil, sponge and lead pencil.

Third Grade.—New National reader No. 3, Fish's arithmetic No. 1, five cent composition blank, pen and holder and practice paper, drawing book No. 3, training book No. 3, slate with covered frame, lead and slate pencil, Manson's spelling blank.

Fourth Grade.—New National reader No. 4, Fish's arithmetic No. 1, Maxwell's language lessons, Reade's word lessons and Manson's spelling blank, copy book No. 2, pen and holder, Elementary geography, drawing book No. 4, drawing pencil, slate and pencil, blank tablet and five cent composition tablet.

Fifth Grade.—New National reader No. 5, Elementary geography Maxwell's language lessons and ten cent composition tablet, Fish's arithmetic No. 2, Brook's mental arithmetic, Reade's word lessons, Manson's spelling blank, drawing

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Sixth Grade.—New National reader No. 5, Fish's arithmetic No. 2, Brook's mental arithmetic, Maxwell's language lessons, Comprehensive geography, Reade's word lessons, Manson's spelling blank, drawing book No. 6, drawing pencil, No. 5 copy book, pen and holder, practice paper and a 10 cent composition book.

Seventh Grade.—New National reader No. 5, Fish's arithmetic No. 2, Brook's mental arithmetic, Maxwell's introductory grammar, Comprehensive geography, Reade's word lessons, Manson's spelling blank, drawing book No. 7, drawing pencil, No. 6 copy book, practice paper, pen and holder, ten cent composition book and pencil and paper.

Eighth Grade.—Fish's arithmetic No. 2, Brook's mental arithmetic, Barnes' brief history of U. S., Maxwell's advanced grammar, blank drawing book, drawing pencil, pen and holder, pencil and tablet, Reade's word lessons, and Manson's spelling blank No. 2 and a ten cent composition book.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Robinson's Elementary algebra, Smith's English Literature and ten cent composition book. Barnes' general history, Collar's Eisenbach and pencils and tablet.

REV. O. B. WHITMORE.

Rev. O. B. Whitmore preached his farewell sermon to the people of Independence last Sunday evening. He has accepted a position with the Northwest Savings' Company at Portland, and will move his family to that city the latter part of this week. Mr. Whitmore is a very pleasant gentleman, a clear and forcible speaker and during his ten or twelve months' ministry here as pastor of the Congregational church he has made many warm friends who regret to have him remove from this community. Mr. Whitmore has done good work here and the absence of his influence will be a material loss to the religious and moral uplifting of the community. Rev. Mr. Whitmore and family have the best wishes of their many friends in Independence.

Death of a Yamhill County Pioneer.

Wm. J. Garrison, a pioneer of 1843, died at McMinnville last Thursday, aged 68 years. He was captain of the first camp of Indian War Veterans organized in this state, and, at his request, was buried by that society on Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Two daughters survive him, Mrs. Belle Holman and Mrs. Martha Redmond, both of McMinnville.

A Marion County Pioneer.

There died in Salem on Monday last one of Marion county's well known citizens, Thomas H. Hubbard from Brights' disease, aged 52 years, 3 months and 17 days. He came to Oregon in 1856, and resided near Silverton until 1864. About that time he engaged in mining in Idaho. He afterward returned to Marion county where he engaged in farming. From 1890 to 1892 he was manager of the Russell hardware firm in Portland. He left a widow and three children.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

City council convened in regular session, Tuesday, October 1, 1895. Councilman G. G. Strong was elected president pro tem.

Members present: Clodfelter, Finch, Percival, Strong and Walker. Minutes of two previous meetings read and approved.

Report of financial committee submitted to council and adopted.

"An ordinance to amend Section 2 of ordinance No. 4" passed first, second and third reading and lost.

Owens & Gaither, I. L. Smith and J. R. Cooper's saloon bonds approved and recorder instructed to issue license thereon.

Moved and seconded that the council proceed to elect a mayor to fill vacancy. W. L. Wilkins and W. P. Connaway placed in nomination. After casting three ballots there being no election, it was moved and seconded that the election of mayor be postponed until next regular meeting of the city council. Carried.

The following bills against the town were allowed:

West Side Pub. Co.	\$ 1.90
Brown & Bailey	3.50
J. W. Richardson, Jr.	3.80
Little Palace Hotel	10.95
J. W. Fetzer	37.50
A. J. Tupper	50.50
J. T. Ford	24.10
Prescott & Veness	51.96
L. C. Gilmore	50.00
Ind. Electric Light Co.	81.50
Total	\$315.81

On motion council adjourned.

A Timely Reminder.

Each season forces upon our consideration its own peculiar perils to health. The advent of fall finds many reduced in strength and vigor, poorly prepared to continue the business of life. The stomach and bowels, the great highway of animal economy, is especially liable to disorder in the fall. The nervous system has also suffered in the struggle. Typhoid fever and malaria in particular find in the fall that combination of earth, air and water that mark this season as especially dangerous. The falling leaves, the decaying vegetables contribute their share of contamination. Hood's Sarsaparilla furnishes a most valuable safeguard at these important points, and should be used in the fall before serious sickness has laid you low.

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