

HILLSBORO INDEPENDENT

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18.

H. B. Luce has out hay for sale at \$5 per ton in the field. Call soon.

Rev. H. B. Elworthy leaves next Tuesday morning for Albany, to attend the Oregon annual conference.

Parties going east will find it to their interest to call on J. I. Knight before buying tickets. Office in City Hall, Hillsboro, Oregon.

Wm. Bouscain has under course of construction a fine farm residence for Ulysses Jackson, on the farm adjoining Glencoe on the west. He has also completed a large barn on the same premises.

Elen Moore Flagg, United States consul at Asuncion, Paraguay, and one of the appointed lecturers at the World's Dental congress to be held in Chicago, is a brother of E. H. Flagg of this city, publisher of the Oregon Democrat.—Statesman.

Charles Cayser is building a hay shed at the station in Hillsboro 40x60 feet on the ground and twenty feet high. It will hold 400 tons of baled hay, which Mr. C. proposes to store this fall while the roads are good, and sell next winter when the price is good.

It is stated that one of the mills in the northwest portion of the county is selling lumber at \$3 per M. At that mill first-class rustic can be bought for \$10 per M. and second-grade at \$15. The reason of this bargain being offered, the proprietor says he has millions of lumber and wants a few hundred dollars.

Wednesday Mr. Hesse, of West Union, had quite an adventure with his horses and the harrow. The team becoming frightened attempted to run when Mr. Hesse in trying to jump off was somewhat bruised up but not seriously. The horses got pretty badly rattled and tangled up in the machinery but were unhurt.

Mrs. Wm. Chalmers has had the exterior walls of the old farm residence repainted, so that despite the forty years since the building was erected, it now presents as fine an appearance as the new houses of today. Our townsman, R. H. Mitchell, wielded the brush and performed the artistic part of the work.

Mr. Morris Northrup, of Glencoe, has been a sufferer for nearly two months from an injury to the knee joint. On Monday last Dr. Frank Bailey Jr., with antiseptic precautions, operated on the joint by aspirating or tapping, taking away about three ounces of blood serum, since which time the limb has been improving.

A subscription list is in circulation to raise money to purchase a fire bell for the city. Mr. G. T. Ledford is the chief mover in the matter and informs us that he is meeting with such success that he feels confident that money enough will be raised to buy a bell weighing 500 pounds. The intention is to hang the bell over the city hall.

It will be remembered that Mr. F. C. Paul, of Beaverton, some five or six weeks ago, was quite seriously injured by being run into by a fine car on Jefferson street in Portland. He has not yet recovered from his injuries but has managed to get on his feet and is now at home, and we hear that his intention is to commence an action against the company for damages.

Mr. G. C. Patterson, of Illinois, son of Mrs. Patterson and brother of L. Patterson, deceased, is visiting Hillsboro for a few weeks. He was here about nine years ago, and while he expected to see some improvements, he was totally unprepared for the strides that the village has taken. In the nine years the increase of population has been nearly or quite three hundred per cent.

A little girl 7 years of age of Mr. Henry Becker, living four miles south of Cornelius, met with quite a serious accident last Friday. The children were out at the barn playing when the left hand was caught in the cogs of the feed cutter crushing the bones of the fingers to such an extent as to require the amputation of the little finger. A local joint of the ring finger. A Hillsboro surgeon performed the operation.

Mr. John Harrison, who has a dairy farm at Mountaineer, but who for the sake of his wife's health is living at Forest Grove, has sold his herd of dairy stock consisting of cows, heifers and calves, numbering about 100 animals, to Joseph Gaston, of Gaston, for \$3500. With the live stock goes his machinery for cheese making. This herd is mostly of the Holstein breed, and some of the cows are those imported some years ago from New York, by Mr. D. C. Stewart, and sold to Mr. Harrison for \$125 each. They are famous for cheese making as much as nine pounds of cheese from one pound of milk. Mr. Gaston will start a large dairy on his Wapato farm about September 1st.

A lady of south Hillsboro, whose veracity we could not doubt, said that while paring spuds raised in shaded ground, she had found several Oregonians. One spud contained two large sized Oregonians. This is not of the genus newspaper—morning Oregonian, but of the genus linum, and of the order mollusca. As this slug has not been provided by a natural pest, instinct may have led it to burrow into the potato, and thus improve upon nature. Or a hungry slug may have thought to make a meal on spuds—having eaten his way into the spud may have gone to sleep and in the night the potato may have grown over him so as to prevent escape.

An annual eclipse of the sun will occur October 9, 1893. The path of the annuals being through Lima and Peru. It will appear as a partial eclipse to the western halves of North and South America. It will begin in Hillsboro at 10:14 a. m., and will continue until a quarter of one past meridian. To get a good view one should procure a clear piece of common glass and snipe it over a kerosene lamp, through which you may look at old brother sol as his face is being hidden by sister Luna. About four digits will be covered by the moon, or the third the entire surface of the sun will be hidden from view. This will furnish an excellent opportunity for calculating the aberration of light.

Bees may be changed, improved. It is done by destroying the old queen and supplying a new one. After that is done the new breed will appear in two or three weeks, the old colony by that time having died. The life of a bee in the working season is very short. The change of queens may be made at any time during the working season but easier performed late in the summer after swarming time. Then a few puffs of smoke from smouldering rags may be blown into the top of the hive which will drive all the bees out at the bottom, queen with the others. When she can be caught and killed. After an hour the new queen may be introduced at the top of the hive where she will be received by the little workers who by that time have discovered the absence of the ruler. In the first part of the season the change is made with more difficulty and all the queen cells destroyed or else the colony will kill the introduced queen and await the maturity of the embryo of the old stock. Queens are always fertilized before they are introduced into a strange hive. Queens are transported in cages made of wood by boring a shallow hole in a block with an inch and a half auger. Over this is tacked a bit of wire netting. With the queen bees is usually imprisoned five or six workers. Food is provided in the shape of glucose or sugar. Thus the little folk may be and are transported across the continent. At what cost? Breeders in the east sell them from \$2.50 to \$5 each. In Washington county there is one breeder, Mr. D. T. Phillips, of Cornelius, whose price is \$1. His stock is about if not quite as good as those from the east. Bees swarm from one to three times during a season, the swarming being claimed that by keeping an empty section in the hive swarming can be prevented. The first bees brought to Washington county by a man named Knowles, who from Buck's apary in California, brought thirty-five hives, and located them on a piece of land joining Mr. Jno. Milne's farm on the north plain. Then he moved a large field with buckwheat, thus providing abundant pasture. The weather was favorable and the bees did well. The swarms having more than one queen each, were divided. This procedure made the swarms weak, but they readily sold for \$125 each. By fall the entire crop had cleared \$100, when he cleared. By Christmas the weak colonies were dead, and the purchasers had nothing but the box to show for the liberal investment. There were very many in Washington county who used the "swindle" quite often, when talking of Knowles' season's work. The bees in most favor here are the Italians, for the reason they are great honey makers, not vindictive and able and willing to destroy the moths that invade bee hives. Another enemy of the bee is an ant, whose robbery can be prevented by placing the hive on such a support that he can't crawl in except by first going on the under side of it, and by moving the usual incline before the hive far enough so that he cannot cross the space. A space of a quarter inch is enough.

Some enquiry has recently been made touching the provisions of a law regulating the burning of slashings. Upon examination no such act has been found, but at the last legislative session there was a bill passed providing for severe penalties for the crime of malicious setting fire to the property of others. Also for carelessly lighting a fire, whether on one's own property or that of another, or on the public domain, that shall spread and cause damage. There was a case decided in the circuit court of this county last year that makes a rule for burning slashings quite as strong as an act of the legislature. In that case it was held that a man burning slashings, while not responsible for unavoidable accidents, must use all due diligence that the fire started on his own premises shall not cross the boundary and damage a neighbor. If he fail in judgment or diligence and damage result he is responsible. In the case before the court the defendant set a hot day for burning and did not provide suitable help so that the fire spread to a neighbor's field and burned his grain. The jury gave the plaintiff a verdict. Common law requires men to take care of their fires.

The Rock Creek Lumbering Company has sold its machinery and business to Messrs. Kyle Bros, who will continue to manufacture lumber at the same place. Messrs. Nelson Bros, have opened a temporary office at the Wilkins' place where they will proceed at once to make collections and close up the business of the old firm. September 1st is the date named in the advertisement for doing this.

Mrs. Judge Randall was taken suddenly ill last Friday and for a few hours her life was in danger, but by careful nursing and the use of remedies prescribed by skillful physicians she rallied and is now convalescent. Her illness has caused the Judge to postpone his departure East till he certainly knows that she has regained her usual health.

Hon. J. W. Merrill, of east St. Louis, Ill., is spending a few days in Hillsboro, enjoying our pleasant shaded grounds, and making very serious study of permanently locating in Oregon, that he may be rid of the exceedingly hot weather of his old home.

Several of the campers who went up to the headwaters of Gales creek have returned somewhat the worse for the trip. Some assert that the extra diet of canned goods damaged digestion.

The Oregon annual conference of the M. E. church convenes at Albany, August 23d—Bishop Goodsell presiding. The usual reduction in fares will be made on all the railroads.

Gus Byron, of the Nephalem Journal, looked in at the Independent office last Saturday. He is taking very serious study of that work will be started on the P. & A. railroad this fall.

Dr. Adkins and family, Mrs. R. B. Goodin and daughter, and Misses Elva Hughes and Genevieve Birdsell returned Tuesday from Newport, where they had been rusticiating for a couple of weeks.

The professional card of Dr. F. J. Bailey appears this week. The Dr. is fresh from the schools and is up in the latest methods employed for the treatment of the sick.

Wm. McQuillan wants to buy ten fresh cows or those to come in milk soon. Grade Jerseys preferred.

Among the farm improvements near town, is Mr. McGruder's new residence, that is just completing.

Rev. C. M. Hill, of Portland, will occupy the pulpit in Baptist church next Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. R. F. Rice, living near town, has completed a substantial barn, forty-four feet square, with a lean-to shed.

Strayed or stolen. Black and tan Gordon setter pup, 8 months old. Will give a reward of \$5 for return of same. E. C. HUGHES.

Mr. Geo. Schulerich, of the firm of Schulerich & Son, in taking his vacation, has gone to San Francisco. He started last Saturday and went by the way of Vaguna.

Mr. Charles Cawse took to his farm yesterday a new hay press, that has a capacity of twelve tons a day. The press is for the most part of iron and steel.

Mrs. Judge Grant, of Sacramento, Cal., daughter of Rev. Dillard Holman, well-known in this county, arrived yesterday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McNally.

Next Sunday the closing services of this conference year will be held in the M. E. church. The usual services will be held by the pastor, and reports for the year will be read.

Misses Eva and Jennie Archibald left Tuesday evening for Ridgefield, Washington, where they will be the guest of Miss Maud Cook, formerly of this place, for a couple of weeks.

Mr. John Milne on his farm north of Hillsboro has a field of 60 acres sowed to buckwheat. It is in full bloom and promising fairly well for an average yield. It is just now a famous pasture for bees.

The state organizer of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions, Mrs. Eli Fisher, of Dallas, will speak in the Christian church Monday evening, August 21st. All are cordially invited to come out and hear her.

The matter of granting the right of way to the Portland and Hillsboro motor line on the side of the county road from Cedar Mill to Hillsboro was continued by the county court till its September term.

A threshing outfit of today is a steam engine, a tender drawing a water tank and wood, a straw-stacker on a four wheeled truck also hitched to the engine, and a separator drawn by two horses. Threshing in this neighborhood is in full blast.

Esquire Wm. McQuillan has leased his farm on the Tualatin to Mr. B. M. Collins for a term of three years, with a privilege of extending it for a longer period. Mr. Collins will engage quite extensively in dairying, to which industry the farm is well adapted.

The Adventist church (1st day) will commence a series of meetings this evening, Friday, at Farmington to last over two Sundays or as long as an interest shall seem to warrant. Services will be held in the tent pitched just north of the store on the west side of the river.

Some person unknown to all save himself on Wednesday set fire to the woods pasture of Mr. Wm. Connel adjoining town on the north, that for a time was quite threatening. Mention of the law on the subject of setting fire is made elsewhere, and boys, who set tree tops to see a big flame, had better study it.

Col. T. R. Cornelius calls a meeting of the Indian war veterans of Washington county for Saturday, September 24 at 1 o'clock p. m., at the court house in Hillsboro. The business to come before the meeting is to hear reports, and complete the organization of the county society in accordance with the act of the legislature governing the matter. A full attendance is desired.

Mr. R. S. Perkins, the well-known horseman, and Mr. George Good, proprietor of the Perkins, were out to Watch Hazel stock farm Tuesday and came on to this city; where they spent several hours. Mr. Perkins was inspecting his horses which are now in training and making preparations for putting them on the track at the fall meeting of the Portland Speed and Driving Association. All his horses, he says, are in fine shape.

Jesus Christ Marie Antoinette Garcia is a name that appears occasionally as a signature in the acknowledgment of deeds on the Benton county records. Jesus is a county clerk out in Colorado, and if he isn't a great and good man, it is no fault of his parents. He brought his name over from Spain, and that he smuggled it into the country is certain, for to pay the duty on the whole thing would have bankrupted him and his government for all time. It is suggested that if this fellow could be secured as a security on which to base an issue of silver certificates the financial problem would be solved.—Corvallis Times.

The matter of organizing a county medical society for Washington county is being considered with an almost certainty that the organization will be perfected. There are now in the county about twenty practicing physicians, a body of men large enough and with enthusiasm sufficient to maintain a society that can accomplish much good. The grade of professional men is very high in the county and the work done by them will be valuable both to the profession and to the community. The plan now mapped out is to hold fortnightly meetings alternating between Hillsboro and Forest Grove with perhaps an occasional meeting elsewhere.

Gaston. Jos. Gaston was in town over Sunday. Rev. Beauchamp, of Hillsboro, was in town this week. Mr. Sharpe, of Portland, was in town visiting his son, surveyor Sharpe, Monday.

The Cove Orchard Baseball club came down Sunday to play "our boys," but owing to a mismanagement in regard to dates, our club failed to show up.

W. L. Hudson and family, Edin Best, H. S. Hudson and family and Miss Florence Griebner, returned from their camping out spree up Patton Valley Sunday. Plenty of fish were caught and special mention should be made of a very large

owned by John Harrison, of Mountaineer also his stock of 100 registered cows, engine, and everything that goes to make up a first-class dairy. Buildings will be erected at once, and the plant will be in operation within 30 days.

COURT HOUSE NEWS. COUNTY COURT. A Hinman v. J. F. Henderson et al., judgment by default for the plaintiff in the sum of \$103.10.

The E. F. Michaels Co. v. F. S. Rogers, judgment by default in the sum of \$65.

T. T. Weisenbach v. Alonzo Wilson, judgment for plaintiff for horses described in the complaint, and for \$50 damages and for costs.

Benj. Schollfeld v. J. F. Henderson, judgment for plaintiff in the sum of \$133.

PROBATE COURT. Estate of H. W. Gardiner deceased, bonds of P. A. Bailey, administrator, filed in the sum of \$1200. H. Wehrung, surety, filed, bond approved. Appraisers, P. Gottlieb, Peter Boscow and James Sewell.

Estate of Wm. Bell deceased, report of administrator filed, and receipts from sale of personal effects, \$186.30, paid \$112.50, claims and expenses still due \$296. Petition to sell real estate granted. Citation will issue by publication, returnable October 24, 1893.

Estate of Wm. Ward Neal deceased, final account considered and allowed. Ordered that the notes belonging to this estate, one for \$133.50, and one for \$208.50, be turned over to the clerk of this court, and that the administrator of this estate and his co-defendant be discharged from further liability herein, and this estate is closed for record.

Estate of James D. Loftis deceased. On petition of John Loftis, son of deceased, he is hereby appointed administrator, and bonds filed at \$200. Bonds filed with B. P. Cornelius, N. A. Barrett and A. C. Archibald, sureties, approved. Appraisers appointed, John Davis, I. H. Williams and Enos Davis.

Estate of Esther Gardiner deceased. On petition of Wm. Finch Woodward, a creditor of the estate of Esther Gardiner, deceased, W. D. Wood is appointed administrator of said estate. Bonds filed at \$200, upon filing of which letters of administration will issue.

Guardianship of Thos. R. Mann, minor. Upon petition of Joseph Mann, father of said minor, he is hereby appointed guardian of the estate of Thos. R. Mann, and his bonds filed at \$2400. Bonds filed with Geo. W. Patterson and C. E. Deichman, sureties. On proof letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of H. W. Gardiner, deceased. Inventory and report of appraisers filed, showing personal property of the value of \$1152.50. Report approved.

Guardianship of Elsie and Bella McClaran, minors. On petition of James McClaran, father of said minors, he is hereby appointed guardian of the estate and persons of said minors, with bonds fixed at \$200, upon filing of which letters will issue.

Estate of Stephen Cummins deceased. Citation will issue upon petition of Alice Cummins, wife of deceased, requiring J. R. C. Thompson, administrator of said estate, to appear on Monday, October 24, at 10 a. m., and show cause why he should not be removed from the administration of said estate.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Marriage license was issued on August 5 to Harry T. Bagley age 19, and Lizzie Miller aged 19. On August 12 to Laurel M. Hoyt aged 21, and Emma Faber aged 20.

CROP REPORT. The following crop report and weather bulletin has been received from the U. S. Weather Bureau, dated Portland, August 15th.

WEATHER.—The temperature during the past week has been cooler by four degrees than it was the preceding week. The sunshine was about normal. On the 12th the sky became cloudy and the temperature began to fall. Sunday, the 13th, was cloudy, except a shower in the morning with rain along the northwest coast, and along the Columbia river to Hood river. A light sprinkle of rain, not sufficient to lay the dust, fell in the Willamette valley, southward to Linn county, principally during the night. Since then forest fires is appearing in the atmosphere, being more dense in the southern counties.

CROPS.—A good soaking rain would be of great benefit to the hops, corn, late grain and fruit, gardens and pastures. The winds are dry, making the soil very dry and hard. Hops have good growth, and are very clean, there being but few lice, but the burr is small, produced by lack of rain, an improvement in the size is anticipated. Peach plums, bushy plums and apples are ripening quite rapidly; usually they are ripe by July 10. The codlin moth is developing rapidly, and damage will be done by them to the apple and pear crop. Green corn and tomatoes are in the market. The potatoes are in good condition, though it would yet be improved by rain. Harvesting of fall wheat and oats continues and threshing will begin this week. The correspondents all agree that the grain is turning out much better than was expected. Some little threshing has been done, which yielded from 25 to 42 bushels per acre. Spring sown grain does not show much improvement. It will not be harvested for ten days or more. It indicates a yield below the average, not more than 12 to 16 bushels of wheat and 30 bushels of oats to the acre are expected.

WEATHER.—The fore part of the week was warm, but the latter part was decidedly cool, with light frosts on the higher elevations; an occasional sprinkle of rain fell, though practically there was no rainfall. The mean temperature varied from 62 to 71 degrees, as against 68 to 72 degrees the preceding week.

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President THOS. McCLELLAND,

Forest Grove, Oregon.

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sucker hooked and safely landed by H. S. Hudson.

The creamery, which failed to materialize last spring, is now a "sure thing." Mr. Gaston has purchased the cheese and dairy plant and the milk cows.

The alfalfa crops are good and the reports indicate a plentiful hay crop for next winter. The fruit is ripening nicely and will be free from usual from insects.

The compiler of these bulletins, B. S. Pague, leaves on the 16th for Chicago to attend the annual meeting of the American Association of State Weather Services, of which he is the first Vice President, and also to attend the international meeting of the Meteorologists. He will be absent about three weeks and during his absence the usual work of the office will be continued by Mr. S. M. Blandford, chief clerk.

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Send to the Secretary at Portland for a Premium List.

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Assignee's Notice.

In the matter of the assignment of M. E. Everett, an insolvent debtor, notice is hereby given, that I, the undersigned, assignee of the estate of M. E. Everett, an insolvent debtor, have filed my final account as such assignee, in the Circuit Court of the County of Oregon for Washington county, and that said account will be heard and passed upon at the term of said court, beginning at Hillsboro, Oregon, the fourth Monday of November, 1893.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 27th day of July, 1893.

N. A. BARRETT, Assignee.

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