

HILLSBORO INDEPENDENT.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22.

The band stand is building.

Hay making is a popular farm employment this week.

The grass in the courthouse square was mowed on Monday.

The type on which the Oregonian is now printed is set on a machine.

Persons wishing to borrow money will find it to their advantage to call on J. W. Morgan.

It is stated that the Southern Pacific Company will sell excursion rate tickets over its lines for Fourth of July.

Lost—A pair of gold-bowed spectacles. The finder can learn of the owner by calling at the INDEPENDENT office.

Services in the M. E. church next Sunday conducted by the pastor. Reception of members at close of the a. m. sermon. A welcome to all.

All members of Court Tualatin, No. 7974, A. O. F. of A. are hereby notified to attend a regular summer meeting at their usual place of meeting June 26, 1894.

A line of casimere remnants, white and cream, and a line of all wool serges, half prices. Come and see them at Laidlaw's store. These are less than the regular wholesale price.

Sheriff Ford got home from California on Tuesday evening. He brought his man, Myron Beard, who comes back to Oregon in a sour mood. His residence promises to be continuous for a few years.

Just as well let the bugs and worms have the apples as to use the sprays of the experts. London purple will kill the tent caterpillar and codlin moth as dead as a door nail, but it kills the trees and the worms and moths starve to death.

There will be a free entertainment given at the Congregational Church this evening, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. after which there will be served ice cream and strawberries. A good enjoyable time is guaranteed to all. Committee.

Bob Greer sold on Saturday and Monday last at retail a few pounds over a ton of strawberries. The price realized was \$1.05 to \$1.15 per crate of forty-two boxes. The berries this year are fine, but their glory will depart after this week.

That part of Main street between Judge Humphrey's office and the old Washington hotel, at one time temporarily plank, is now in a most wretched condition, being full of holes both in roadway and in planking. Ye powers that be—attend to your business. We expect better things of you!

Special gospel services will be held in Seagull valley this county, as follows: Rev. W. Beauchamp, June 24th, at 3 p. m.; Rev. W. Kirkhope, June 27th and 28th, at 7 p. m.; Rev. W. O. Forbes, June 29th, 7 p. m.; Rev. W. O. Forbes, July 1st, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. W. O. Forbes will conduct services in Patton Valley schoolhouse July 1st at 3 p. m.

Celebrations of Independence Day will be held at two points in this county—Mountaineer and Cornelius. At the latter place much preparation is making. They have one of the finest groves in the county, and accommodations for seating 2,000 people. A full program appears in the advertising columns.

The session of the Grand Lodge of A. O. U. W. is the largest that has assembled in this jurisdiction. The delegates feel the necessity of cutting down the representation which will probably be done. The officers will probably be elected by ballot. The work which that official has been doing will fall to the three chief officers of the Grand Lodge and their deputies.

William Bagley, traveling agent introducing a new floor dressing called drutiner, was in town over Sunday. His compound when applied to floors puts them in such condition that the accumulated dust does not lift itself in the air when being swept along, but rather in the contented way rolls over and altogether behaves in a respectable manner. Messrs. Schulmerich & Non have had it applied in their store. Much labor is saved.

The Rev. D. Chalmers, brother of the late Mr. William Chalmers, who has been a prominent missionary in China for forty years, and has been partly instrumental in the translation of the holy scriptures into that language, arrived here along with his wife one day last week. He is his wife one day visit to his relatives paying a short visit to his relatives as well as to Mrs. Ross, who is a sister of the reverend gentleman's wife. On Wednesday they invited friends and attended exercises at Forest Grove. The worthy couple have a married daughter in Canada whom they intend to visit on their way to Great Britain where the reverend gentleman intends to spend a year and a half revising the Chinese translation of the new testament and in visiting friends and advocating the cause of his life's work.

Eight Glencoe boys started out to Bethany last Sunday to play ball. At a blacksmith shop kept by a German out on the hill they acquired the way to the ball ground. In the formation was given and the boys struck out on the road designated, but after traveling two miles they found they were on the wrong path, and retraced their steps. When they came again to the blacksmith they came out with his shot-gun Yuleka came out with the gun and a dog named pay for the gun and boys had stolen. The chickens were raised in a threatening manner and at last one of the company dug up a half dollar and started to give it to the black man, but he would not have it, and directed the boys to leave it on the road. This was done and the disciples of the black man field quickly departed from that locality. It is now said that his gun was not loaded, though it was capped, and that he got pay for his chickens, which had really been stolen by a fox or some other crowd, though it is generally admitted that all the Glencoe boys had in the matter was paying for the fox, and the boys are out of humor over this owl play.

CREOSOTING TIMBER.

At the time of visiting the Southern Pacific Company's wood preserving works at Cornelius last week, the first charge had not been drawn, and the superintendent could not certainly tell how our timber would act. It might prove to be refractory and it might take the treatment readily. Now the works are in complete working order and our lumber is proving its excellence in another direction, that of being easy of manipulation. Ties show that all the natural toughness of the wood is retained after being injected with creosote, and that every wood cell is filled with the liquid.

It remains to talk of the process of creosoting timber used in water. But before that is done, a few words about creosote itself will help to a better understanding of the process. Bituminous creosote, as the house gives, is a substance—illuminating gas, ammonia liquor, coal tar and creosote, coal tar, distilled, gives three classes of substances—oil lighter than water from which amine dyes are made, oils heavier than water, properly treated, and creosote, the creosote used for wood preserving, and third, gas house pitch, used for many purposes in the arts. Creosote, or dead oil of coal tar, consists of four principal ingredients. First, phenols, or tar acids, consisting of cresol, pyrocatechol, and guaiacol; second, alkaloids, (acridine and pyridine), and fourth, heavy oils distilled at 600° F. and over. The functions of this last group may thus be stated. The phenols, or tar acids, are powerful coagulants of the albumen of animal skins, rendering them hard and insoluble in water, and also quick and active destroyers of germs, but they will volatilize in time. Wood sterilized must be kept so. For this purpose naphthalene, the second of the group, is needed. It is an active germicide, but is permanent, except under high temperatures. The third group, the alkaloids, are permanent under all conditions of temperature and fatal poisons to all kinds of boring and other destructive worms and insects. The fourth constituent, or heavy oil, is deposited on the outside of the timber by filtration, and is not only a mechanical resistant, but forms an insoluble coat which prevents the other protecting substances from being washed or washed out by water, but from the river or the sea.

Now then, a stick of timber being in the retort and having all the steps removed is ready for the creosote bath. The phenols at once coagulate the albumen in the wood and destroy all germs of putrefaction. The wood is sterilized. Naphthalene enters with the phenols and, while not quite so active, is permanent in its action. The alkaloids too go along to kill all worms and insect life, and carnish remains by the thick leathery worms do not penetrate it and if a spot should be abraded by drift or other rubbing, the worm or toredo beetle is the poisonous alkaloid that kills it. Mr. Isaacs related to me a shipment of checked lumber from San Francisco where some of this creosote leaked out and ran into the bay, following the supporting pile. The barnacles and other sea life was killed and the timbers were as free from those things as when first they were.

There are three essential conditions for correct treatment of timber. First, use creosote having the requisite ingredients in proper proportion. Second, the wood must be perfectly desiccated, or dried, and third, a sufficient quantity of creosote must be injected. The "Scientific American" of two weeks ago gives an account of creosoted piles that had been driven into some of the bays along the coast in Louisiana and Texas that had been attacked and destroyed by the teredo, and that the only way the railroad companies had been able to make the trestlework stand was to encase the piles in cement. The piles had probably not been thoroughly treated, or had been creosoted in retorts not supplied by the Curtis & Isaacs method of manipulation. Another instance is mentioned where piles had been examined and found sound to a depth of two inches while the center was gone. This showed that the preserving fluid had not reached further than the ring of wood found to be sound. An experiment conducted in San Francisco bay with treated piles from the Oakland plant and untreated sticks driven alternately and bound together at the top, showed that the treated piles, though slightly heavier, fell away of their own weight as soon as released at the top, while the untreated piles were perfect in every part and, when saved and split, no worm or other destructive thing could be found. To do this perfectly a good apparatus must be had, and practical chemists must superintend them. Wherever he goes Mr. Isaacs takes a simple laboratory with him. He can't guess at anything. He must know how pure his chemicals are, and even when he prescribes gauges and thermometers, and his tanks have measuring gauges. In no part of his apparatus is there any guess work. The plant at Cornelius is the last one built and the most perfect wood preserving station in that distinction till these same practical men shall build another, when they will incorporate some improvements which they have found out while building this one.

Last Friday night, say about 12 o'clock, some school prowlors in passing the Letsy school house broke six window glasses, which, of course, the district will have to replace. Suspicion rests on certain parties, and a strict surveillance is being exercised. The law is slight to the parties guilty of the vandalism, though they may not be brought before the court to answer.

Mr. S. D. Laughlin, who is residing with Mr. DeWaters, is patiently waiting for his sick wife whose end is very near, got word Tuesday last of the death of his eldest brother, Hon. Robert H. Laughlin, in North Yonkers. The deceased was well known as a pioneer of '47, and as a trusted representative, repeatedly sent to the legislature from Yamhill county.

Rolls of the Oregon election are turning out in the shape of populist money. THE INDEPENDENT received two bills a few days ago—one for \$2000 and one for \$1000. The bills are "Treasury" party will 319,375. The populist party will 319,375. This note party is in the lead for the payment of all its legal both public and private. Series of June 4, 1894. Nathan Poppy Pierce. The other one was issued by Penneyer.

FROM OREGON TO CALIFORNIA.

EDITOR INDEPENDENT.—According to your request I now proceed to give you, as per agreement, a short account of my recent visit to California.

Owing to the high water at Portland, we had to be transferred from the foot of Taylor street in a small steamer to the steamship Columbia, anchored in the river. It was dark when we left Portland, and about daylight when we reached Astoria on the morning of Sunday, June 3d. From the deck of the steamer one could view the enormous amount of driftwood of all shapes hurrying oceanward. About 6 a. m. we attempted to leave the wharf, but found the water so shallow that we were obliged to use large quantities of thick black muddy water. Even with the assistance of a tugboat it was impossible for us to move onward for the want of enough tide-water, though the Columbia itself was in a state of flood in this position. I managed to land a postcard to a man on the wharf, informing you of our predicament. It seemed indeed curious to me that we, so near to the mouth of the flooded Columbia, were unable to float for want of water.

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Nothing of note occurred on our voyage home. At Astoria I visited Kinney's salmon cannery where I saw salmon taken from the boats and put through all stages ready for the market in cases. In the Columbia coming up the river I saw many houses and barns submerged, and more than one topped over. On Saucies Island a church was seen nearly on "beam ends"—one man remarking that it was probably a Baptist church as it had a leaning tower. One would think that the position is a pleasing one. He may make his future home in Forest Grove upon the revival of business and retains his residence property here with that view.

James B. Nesmith, of Wickwau, visited friends here over Wednesday night.

Rev. D. A. Watter's boy went hunting south of town a few mornings since, taking his father's rubber coat along to protect him against rain. In a field down toward the Tualatin river the coat was somewhat heavy, so he laid it on a log to crawl forward for a shot at some pigeons. He proceeded some distance when he looked back and was surprised to see a man walking off with the coat. He yelled to the fellow to drop it, but the thief paid no attention except to increase his speed and get away from the boy, who is unable to identify the cheery rascal.

Captain Tyler, now of Portland, has been circulating among friends here with that view.

The commencement exercises passed off at Forest Grove with the usual ceremonies, though the managing hand of President McClelland was missed. He was absent at Chicago on a short business trip and was detained by winds on the Oregon Short Line. He got home on Wednesday evening in time for the concert of the choral union, the last exercise of commencement week. The great event, though, was the successful laying of the corner stone of Marsh memorial hall. The beginning was really made, that structure will be rushed to completion.

OBITUARY.

Loves, Died, at his residence, June 15, 1894, Mr. Ira Loves, aged 99 years.

Deceased was born in Erie county, Pennsylvania, December 28, 1824. He was a member of the Grand Old Law with his father, Branch county, Michigan, where he lived till after he was married to Miss Sarah Nicolson, who has preceded him to his eternal home some 5 years since.

He was the father of six children, of which four are left to mourn his loss—two sons and one daughter being present at the funeral—Dr. W. T. Walter B. and Mrs. Dora Marsh. The other daughter, Mrs. Harriet Madison's home being in Idaho, she was not here.

Clela Ira, who was familiarly called was an old pioneer of Oregon, having emigrated here with his family in '62. He first settled in Linn county, then moved to this county about 1874, leaving his wife to live on the place until his death on his return in '96 he moved on the home place, where he died. He was well known in this county as a good, honest, Christian man, being a member of the M. E. church in good standing for a period of 34 years. The last four years he had been seriously afflicted with paralysis and a complication of diseases and he has borne them all very patiently, but he often spoke about being like a shock of corn ripe, ready to be gathered, and he often said "best home." General services were conducted by Father Smith and the grave was beautifully covered with flowers, as many kind friends and neighbors were anxious to pay a last tribute to one who had been to them a good neighbor and a faithful friend. He came to this earth in the winter time, when snow covered both flower and vine. He passed away in the month of June.

When bill and date were full of bloom. The stores and shelves of his are o'er. He has gone to dwell on the other shore.

SONS.

GOTTLEB.—Born near Hillsboro, on the 21st inst., to the wife of Mr. Peter Gottlieb, a son.

MARRIED.

SHOENY—ROBINSON.—In the M. E. church, in Hillsboro, June 17, at the close of the morning services, by Rev. H. B. Ewerty, Mr. E. Robinson and Miss M. Robinson, all of Washington county.

HEAVEN—SHOENY.—In Hillsboro, at the residence of E. A. Whittier, June 16, by Rev. H. B. Ewerty, Mr. J. E. Reeves and Miss Lizzie Shoeny, all of Washington county.

Hear one side and you will be in the dark.—Hallibuton.

Fifty cents is a small doctor bill, but that is all it will cost you to cure any ordinary ailment if you use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Try it and you will be surprised at the prompt relief it affords. The first application will quiet the pain. 50 cent bottles for sale by Hillsboro Pharmacy.

Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of sale made by the County Court of Washington county, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of John Trumbo, deceased, the undersigned, administratrix of said estate, will sell at public auction, subject to confirmation by said court, the following described real property: The south-west quarter of the north-west quarter, and the north-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section 19, township 2 north, range 2 west, Willamette meridian, containing 32 acres more or less, and all situated in Washington county, state of Oregon. Said sale will be made on Saturday, the 21st day of July, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the courthouse door in Hillsboro, Washington county, Oregon. Terms of sale, one-third of the purchase price cash on day of sale, one-third in one year and the remaining one-third in two years from day of sale. Deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of one per cent per annum, and to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold. Conveyance at the expense of purchaser. RUTH TRUMBO, Administratrix of the estate of John Trumbo, deceased. Dated June 14, 1894.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of Washington county, Oregon, appointed administrator of the estate of William A. Freeman, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned at his office, in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. G. G. JONES, Administrator of the estate of William A. Freeman, deceased. Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this June 14, 1894.

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Dr. M. J. Davis, a prominent physician of Lewis, Cass county, Iowa, and has been actively engaged in the practice of medicine in that place for the last 25 years.

On the 26th of May, while in Des Moines, en route to Chicago, he was suddenly taken with an attack of diarrhoea. Having used Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy for the past 17 years, and knowing its reliability, he procured a 25 cent bottle, two doses of which completely cured him.

The excitement and change of water and diet incident to traveling often produce a diarrhoea. Every one should procure a bottle of this remedy before leaving home. For sale by Hillsboro Pharmacy.

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