

HILLSBORO INDEPENDENT.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1897.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Call on Humphreys for loans on good property, also farms to rent and to sell.

Money to loan in sums to suit. Rooms 1-2 Shute Bldg., Hillsboro Oregon.

For a good, clean shave go to E. R. Miller's tonsorial parlors on Second street.

Cabinets, a \$1.00 dozen, during the first three weeks of January at the Hillsboro gallery.

Ribbons' largest stock in the city at prices never before offered. Schulermerch & Lodge.

Montezuma Lodge and Hillsboro Rebekah Degree I. O. O. F. will jointly install officers tomorrow evening.

The short course in Horticulture and Dairying begins at Agricultural College next Monday January 11th Tuition free.

We keep a full line of stable goods, produce taken in exchange for goods at best market prices. Schulermerch & Lodge.

Piano for rent—A fine upright piano, new last July, at a low rate, for the right party. Piano is not for sale, and will not be rented for less than six months. Apply to W. H. Greene, Wednesdays and Saturdays, Tuslatin Hotel, Hillsboro.

The cheap rates of \$12 cabin and \$6 storage, including meals and berth, are still in effect on the O. R. & N. Co's steamers, from Portland to Astoria every five days. For further particulars see J. I. Knight, Hillsboro.

Why suffer with coughs, colds and grippe when the Laxative Bromo Quinine will cure you in one day. It not only produces the laxative in the head like sulphate of quinine. Put up in tablets convenient for taking. Guaranteed to cure or money refunded. Price 25 cts. For sale by the Delta.

The S. P. Company has not taken off the flying train between Portland and San Francisco, nor have the standard rates been established. Including berths, the tickets for Pullman standard sleepers are \$20 and for tourist sleepers \$12. A train starts every five days, leaving Portland at 10 p. m. The next trains leave Portland Tuesday, January 12.

Special Sale for renewing stock books—holidays—Till Nov. 28th I will offer a discount of 20 per cent on amounts of one dollar and upwards on clocks, watches, jewelry, music and opticle goods. Also I am prepared to make and fit all kinds of hinges and bolts to order. Work done promptly. Wood taken in trade. Yours truly, L. V. Berckmoes, jeweler, Hillsboro Oregon.

Commissioners Holbrook and—of Multnomah county met with our Commissioners County on Tuesday last when the cost bill in the case of the State v. X. N. Steves was audited. The bills were adjusted here but warrants to pay same will be drawn in Multnomah county, an order to that effect having been made by Judge McBride Attorney Bagley, Mr. Cleaton's deputy was present to protect the interests of Washington county while District Attorney Lord appeared for Multnomah county.

Mr. Wm. Welch, the complaining witness in the case of the State v. W. M. Hubbel is increased that the defendant told a story which was some distance from the truth. Mr. Welch says he never gambled with Hubbel or played at cards with him for any other purpose and further he does not believe that any of the neighbors won money from him for the simple reason that he might have had the company kept it his when a few weeks longer. The most profitable crop raised was 12000 pounds of red clover seed. He had more than 100 acres in clover this year. The first cutting yielded over two tons to the acre while the second came from the aftermath. An increased acreage will be planted to clover this year. Mr. McBrideowndy finds that clover grows quite as well on the South Yamhill as in Washington county.

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ROBERT IMBRIE, PIONEER.

After a brief acute illness, Robert Imbrie died last Tuesday at the residence of his son, J. A. Imbrie, at 3:45 o'clock p. m. The deceased has been in poor health since the death of his wife, which occurred about five years ago, but with the exception of a bad spell about a year ago, which confined him indoors, he was able to attend to his business till last Saturday. During the past five years his food was not properly assimilated and there was not blood enough to support his vigorous habits of life.

Robert Imbrie was born in Ohio, August 21, 1831, hence at the time of his death he was past 61 years of age. He went with his parents to Illinois at the age of 7 years, remaining there till after his marriage, with Miss Mary Anna Gees. Accompanied by his young wife, he in 1859, came to Oregon for a time living with his brother James near Columbia academy. Then he bought the Ed Lenox and the east half of the Zachary doffs, 6 miles easterly from Hillsboro where he resided up to the time of his death. Here he conducted farming interests on a large scale and had a model home. His patronage of the stock raising of the county and of the state was most efficient. No fair in this county was held that Robert Imbrie did not attend. For a long time he carried the financial management of the Washington County Agricultural Society on his own shoulders. His business and social life was always bold and successful. His charities, too, were on the same liberal scale and many a poor neighbor will miss him when an opportunity to work for good is needed. Three brothers, James, David and Robert settled in this county. All are now dead. David went first in 1881, James followed in 1887 and now Robert joins them. Robert was a member of Tuality lodge, No. 6, A. F. & M. He was one of the founders of the Wood Union Lodge, No. 111, A. F. & M. When the Grange surrendered its charter he affiliated with the Hillsboro Grange and was a leading spirit in the organization. But politics had no attraction for either of the boys. He never sought office, but was always actively interested for the preference of his friends provided they were on the republican ticket. He was a staunch supporter of the principles of the republican ticket.

The children of the deceased are J. A. Imbrie, now clerk of the circuit and county court of this county, T. R. Imbrie, Elizabeth Freeman, Ed. Williams, Frank Imbrie, Maud Maud Williams and R. Imbrie. All live in Washington county except Jane, who, with her husband, Mr. Benson, lives near Cottage Grove, Lane county. Three children died in infancy, and one—John, next younger than J. A., died at the age of 17 years. All the living children are now in the city of Hillsboro. The funeral, which occurs today at 11 o'clock at West Union.

A double sorrow is upon the home of Mr. J. A. Imbrie, for while his father is lying a corpse in his own house, his only son, Wm. Mauze, has gone to his long sleep in the old homestead near West Union, having died only 20 hours before Robert Imbrie, Mrs. J. A. Imbrie is all but prostrated by this great affliction, but her heroic self-control has not broken down. Her children who will for grandpa's loving caresses.

WILLIAM MAUZE.

As above hinted, William Mauze, another early pioneer, died at his homestead near West Union on the evening of the 4th inst. He was born in Kentucky March 10, 1819, whence it is seen that he is nearly 78 years old. He came to Oregon, a single man in 1843, and located on Tualatin Plains, where he settled the Mauze D. L. C. This tract has been his home and is left intact to his estate. In 1847 he wedded Miss Eleanor Evans and soon after the discovery of gold in California he went west to dig for gold, but taking his wife with him. While in California his oldest son, Thomas, was born. All the other of the five were born in Washington county. They are Lucinda Jane Ballard, of Seattle, Thos. A. Mauze, now of Astoria, Maria Beagle, Pendleton, Anna M. Imbrie, Hillsboro, and Mary L. Smith, of California. All attended the funeral yesterday, except Thomas, who could not be reached by telegraph. Wm. Mauze was a successful farmer and a conservative business man, and while he accumulated no hoards of gold, he was in easy circumstances, owing no man a cent and having a balance in the bank.

Wm. Mauze was farmer, skilled in his calling and interested in what was related to agriculture. He was a charter member of the West Union Grange P. of H. and his master for several years when finally his charter was surrendered by the others of the neighborhood joined the Hillsboro Grange. Like his neighbor Robert Imbrie he never sought political preferment but always conscientiously exercised the duties of a citizen by attending the primaries of his party and the polling place on election day.

His wife Eleanor died in 1870. In 1879 he wedded Miss Martha Jones of Kentucky who survives him. The funeral at West Union was largely attended yesterday by his old neighbors who will sadly miss their friend with whom many of them have grown old together.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

Hughes v Turner. Judgment for plaintiff.

First National Bank of Hillsboro v Amanda J Sherman et al. Answer of defendants filed.

Dundee Mtg & Trust Investment Co v R Williams. decree allowed.

Sherman v McLin. Decree for defendant.

Continental Bank of Boston v First National Bank of Hillsboro. Demurrer overruled and defendant allowed 30 days to answer.

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Wanted!

Your tea trade from now on.

Schilling's Best wants it — your money back if you don't like it.

A Scaffolding Company San Francisco

Maud M Darnell aged 20 years, Robert Stephens aged 20 years and Mollie Cummings aged 21 years and Buford G. Wells aged 42, and Kate Green aged 28 years.

FOREST GROVE.

The campus is being cleaned of leaves.

Forest Grove now has an international money order office.

Justice Dolstrom has moved his office to the Ingles & Porter block.

Public school opened Monday morning with an increased attendance.

Mrs. C. F. Clapp who has been reported ill for some time is reported as improving slowly.

Mrs. Chandler is visiting relatives at Whiteson. She will be gone for several days.

Some new faces are seen on our streets, the result of the closing of the holidays.

It is reported that fully one half of the potatoes still under were frozen by the November frost.

Mr. Reed who lives west of Dilly, died on Monday and was buried on Tuesday in the Naylor cemetery.

T. J. Cleaton, our district attorney was in town New Year's day looking after the business of the city.

G. W. Copple who is in New York City, is reported better and hopes are entertained of his recovery to health.

Mrs. Grant Hughes is lying dangerously ill at her home. Dr. S. Linklater, Tamsie and Cole are in attendance.

A dance was given in Vert's Hall New Year's evening by some of our popular students. All report a very enjoyable evening.

The young men's boarding club, which was so popular last term has increased its membership by about one half for the coming term.

Mr. John Ganit of Hillsboro, was in the city New Year's day helping the boys to batter Battery A. He made a valuable addition to the team.

City election which occurs next Monday promises to be one of the most hotly contested ever held in the city. Considerable dissatisfaction prevails in regard to the management of city affairs both in its business and social relations.

Mr. Darling Smith, of Patton Valley was injured by a falling barn at his residence on Saturday Dec. 26, which caused his death on Monday, Dec. 28. Mr. Smith was well known by a large circle of friends who will hear of his death with regret.

The post office now occupies the old building, having been moved last Saturday evening after having been fitted up neatly and when we get a little used to the change it will be found more convenient situated as it is nearer the business center of the town.

Delphos Lodge, K. of P. on last Saturday evening installed the following officers: C. C. J. D. H. Brown; V. C. C. Caples; P. J. W. Thomas; M. W. F. T. Kane; M. of A. C. LaChapelle; G. R. and S. Newell; J. M. of A. R. Ledford and M. of E. G.