Fresh Portland bread at Gates'.

Bread delivery twice a day by Gates'—10:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Mounts for stump pictures at the INDEPENDENT office, 1 doz and a half for 5 cts.

G. G. Chapin, U. S. tea inspector of Tacoma and Portland, visited his old tea friend Geo. H. Carlton Sunday last.

Bicycle repairing, brazing, turning vulcanizing and sundries at O. G. Wilkes, Second street, next door to Hillsboro Hotel.

Mrs. Mumford, of Palouse, Washington, who has been visiting for the past month with her sister, Mrs. Oberg, started yesterday for home.

The young people of the Methodist church on Wednesday evening built a bon fire on Davis hill, west of town, and in the light thereof ate lunch. It was a merry place for about fifty of them.

The June Quarterly of the Oregon Historical Society has been received. It is a valuable number, containing articles from the pens of H. W. Scott, Frances F. Victor and H. S. Lyman with original records.

Rumors of the building of a railroad into the Nehalem country are echoing among the hills, but as yet nothing is seen to justify the noise, and the end will probably be the same as former reports, just wind.

Wm Mohr makes boots at his shop on Second street, Hillsboro, for $5.50 per pair, sewed shoes for $5 and gives special attention to repairing. He uses only first-grade stock which enables him to guarantee his work.

A. W. Saxton, whose farm is just beyond the railroad bridge spanning Rock creek, raises better peaches than anyone in this neighborhood. He showed samples of early Crawfords' in town yesterday that are better than anything produced at Ashland or Hood river.

W. T. Blake, now of Wardner, Idaho, but formerly of this county, is visiting Hillsboro this week. He has some very fine ores which he is showing to his friends, though his entire interests are not in mines, since he owns several pieces of agricultural lands in this county.

Mr. John Thornburgh, who was not seasoned to work in the haymow, joined a hay-baling crew last week. He worked at his old-time pace and is sick as the result. He thinks his illness is the result of something else, but his friends say that it is heat prostration. He is now convalescent.

Hop picking is near at hand, and the several growers are on the lookout for pickers. The association price for picking is 75 cents, though one Yamhill man, not in the association, is offering 80 cents with free transportation of people and camping outfit by team from Hillsboro to the yard and return.

On Monday a fire was discovered in the vacant building on Third street near Main, formerly occupied by W. A. Finney for a blacksmith shop. The origin of the blaze is not known, but it was getting to be lively when discovered. A few buckets of water applied by Messrs. Deichman, Burst and Lamkin controled the fire.

The usual services will be held in the several churches next Sunday morning, but in the evening the congregations of the Evangelical, Methodist and Congregational churches will meet in the Evangelical auditory for a union service, Rev. Moody being in the pulpit. These Sunday evening services will be maintained into September. August 26, Rev. Hartman will be at the Methodist church, and September 2, Rev. Oberg will be in the Congregational church.

Supt. Ball appoints Monday, Aug. 27, as the time for holding the annual teachers' institute for Washington county. The public school building will be used that week. Prof. Grout, of Portland, and Prof. Durette, of Mount Tabor, will be the regular instructors. In addition to these, Prof. A. B. Coffey, of the University of Washington, will deliver five lectures on educational subjects. State Supt. Ackerman will be present one day. The hotels in Hillsboro have agreed to grant the following special rates to teachers attending the institute: From Monday noon to Friday noon inclusive, table board $2.50, board and lodging $3.00. In order to secure the above rates, it may be necessary for two to occupy the same room. Many of the private homes will be opened that week to guests.

Of the 25 applicants for teachers certificates at the examination last week, 22 passed successful examinations. Certificates were granted as follows: First grade—Amy Wells, Hillsboro; Orell M. Beal and Mary Clark, Forest Grove; Drusilla True and Louise Mooberry, Cornelius; Elly M. Barnes, Beaverton. Second grade—Helen B. Johnson, Reedville; Lulu Owens and Maud Owens, Cedar Mill, Florence Wilson, Phillips; Edna Jensen, Gaston; S. Lawren e, Gaston, and Lorena Gleason, Forest Grove. Third grade—Tennessee Weatherred, Hillsboro; Grace Morgan, Forest Grove; Venus Coburn, Glencoe; Blanche Cahow, Farmington; E. E. Fisher, Beaverton; Annie Pollard, Tigardville; Alice Fay, Sylvan. Maude Tidcombe, Lillian Briggs, of Cornelius, were granted a life primary certificate, the first ever granted in the county.

Robert Marsh, the head of the Marsh Printing Company, Portland, was run down and killed last Monday evening by a motor car. Marsh, at about 6:30 p. m., was on the Grand Avenue, between East Alder and East Washington, going north on his bicycle. He was deaf and, of course, did not hear the approach of the car. The grade along that part of the way is nearly level, though it may ascend a few degrees. The motor man rang his bell, and stopped his car when it was on the man. The verdict of the jury was accidental. The car people testified that they were making only the usual speed, but that the car being heavily loaded, could not be controled as quickly as usual, and progressed fifty feet before the reverse set current and the brakes could bring it to a full halt, yet on ordinary occasions, when a 5 cent fare is in sight, the car is stopped in ten feet. The INDEPENDENT believes that the car-driver might have stopped his car and saved to the community a very useful life. The driver had eyes to see yet he perceived not.

A visitor this week asked: "Did you read the school statistics reported in the Oregonian of Sunday? There are 1472 persons of school age in Washington county who attended no school last year." Well that is a good many children, but not quite so deplorable as the condition in some other counties. We have an enumeration of 5,636 persons of school age. Of those, 1472 or 24 per cent did not attend school. Wallowa county has an enumeration of 2149, and 616 out of school, 30 per cent. Lane county counts 7382, but keeps 1704 at home, 23 per cent nearly. Marion reports 9775, but let 2235 or 22 per cent roam the streets and lanes. But it is Multnomah boasting of her superb school machinery and her 24,887 school children that contributes 9698 or 39 per cent nearly, to the class that did not see the inside of a school house last year. Yamhill is better, since her children, save 14 per cent, were kept in school. It is Benton, though, that shows best, with her 9 per cent hunting squirrels instead of construing verbs. Of course, Washington county does not make the best showing, but hers is not the worst.

Mrs. George Ledford returned this week from a very sad visit. The first of last week she was called to her brother's home, Henry McLeod, at Centralia. Henry, who was employed in Gouger's saw mill there, was on the 4th instant caught by a log which was being placed on the saw carriage, and badly crushed. The log passed over his body. He lingered a few days till August 13, in excruciating pain when he died. He was buried by the Odd Fellows in Kalama cemetery. Henry McLeod was born August 24, 1848, thus making him at the time of death nearly 52 years of age. He wedded Miss Laura Johnson, September 26, 1875, who with three children survive him, Mrs. Myrtle Chapman, who lives at Kalama, Olive, aged 18, and Lester, aged 10. He also left two brothers and two sisters, one of whom, Mrs. Mary Ledford, lives in Hillsboro.

At a board meeting held in Portland last week, the resignation of Dr. McClelland, of Tualatin Academy and Pacific University was accepted His successor was not selected, but Prof. Ferrin was made dean of the faculty and as such will perform the duties of president till that position is filled. Miss Evans' resignation was accepted, and a new man from Oberlin, was chosen for the place. He, in addition to the Oberlin course, has taken post graduate work at Harvard. Prof. Atwell is replaced by Wm. Fletcher, a graduate of the school, Mr. Fletcher will have Latin, and is said to be well prepared for the work before him.

Mr. Heidel, committeeman for preparing the county exhibit at the State Fair, has associated with him, Mr. Jackson, who lives on the road connecting Forest Grove and Centerville. Mr. Jackson is a skillful decorator with horticultural material. Washington county won the first prize last year, and it is the intention of Messrs. Heidel and Jackson to win it again this year, though they must have the assistance of farmers and fruit-growers, who alone can furnish material. Mr. Jackson will go to Salem tomorrow to see the space that will be allotted to this county, after which he will make the exhibit to fit it.

Miles Everitt, pharmacist at the Delta, had a hot experience last Monday. The small stock of phosphorous was kept in a tin can immersed in water. From time to time this is examined to see that the water has not evaporated. At the Monday's examination it was found that the water was gone. In handling the phosphorous was set on fire. It sputtered and scales from the sticks struck Mr. Everitt's hand, where it burned till all was consumed. Unlike sulphur, phosphorous makes a hot fire, so the burns are deep as well as painful.

There is nothing cheap or small about Portland. A few days ago the city council met in special session and raised the circus license up to $12,000. The purpose was to keep the circus out of town during the continuance of the street fair, but Ringling will be there just the same.

Mr. Kerr, who bought the cider factory built by Koster, has discarded the primitive horse-power formerly used for grinding apples, and substituted a new 6-horse-power engine. Mr. Kerr will be making cider as soon as apples are fit to use.

The harvest is well along in this county, there having been no rain thus far to interfere. Everything about the farm is in good shape except the yield of grain, which will not average 10 bushels to the acre.

Rev. H. Oberg will preach in the Methodist church at the usual hour next Sunday morning. In the evening this church joins with the other churches in a union meeting at the Evangelical church.

Senator Billy Mason, of Illinois, spent yesterday in Portland. He has been on a trip to Alaska, but is now hastening home that he may engage in active campaign work for McKinley.

The public school will open on the third Monday in September, that being the 17th. Prof. Barnes, principal, has not got here yet, though he is expected and may come any day.

Mr. Joseph Downs is engaged with extensive repairs to his residence on Third street. His home will be improved by the changes he contemplates.

Attorney H. T. Bagley has attached furniture belonging to E. P. Caldwell, at Forest Grove, to secure the payment of $42 attorney fee.

J. C. Lamkin is rushed these days on iron pipe for hop houses. Already he has made several hundred feet and the end is not yet.

Mr. C. E. Deichman is building an addition to his residence. It will give him both additional room and conveniences.

R. H. Grest and family go to Seaside for a few days. They start this afternoon and go down the Columbia on a boat.

Miss Emily Esner, of the telephone office, is enjoying a vacation at her home near Mountaindale.

Rev. Moody will occupy the pulpit in the Congregational church next Sunday morning.

Miss Anna Hall, of Bridal Vail, is visiting friends in town this week.

Cream, twist, plain and graham bread at Gates'.

Born, August 10, near Centerville, to John Marsh, Jr., and wife, a son.

Wm. Wall and family and O. G. Wilkes and family started last Sunday for their summer outing at Tillamook.

Philip Streib, of Cedar Mills, will sell at public auction at his farm, Thursday, August 30th, a lot of stock, farm implements and household goods.

Albert Christianson, with Helen and Christine Christianson, who have been visiting at Farmington, bought tickets over the Southern Pacific for Ute, Iowa.

Geo. Seelye, who on Monday last helped bale hay at Mr. David Corwin's place, was prostrated by a sudden attack of thermal fever. He was unconscious for nearly an hour. His physician, Dr. Bailey, had fears that he could not be revived, but by persistent work he rallied, and there is now reasonable hope that he will recover.

Brice Wilson has a contract to manufacture 500 dozen decoy ducks. These go to California. He has an additional order from a Portland firm for 50 dozen. The decoys are made from cedar timber and consume between 40 and 50 cords. He has four men helping him, besides several pieces of machinery which is put in motion by a fine water power. The factory is on the Nehalem and his shipping station is Forest Grove.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

WHEREAS, it has seemed wise to our all-loving Heavenly Father to remove from earth our brother and fellow Christian Endeavorer, John M. Gates, who departed this life July 19, 1900, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that we, the members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church, Hillsboro, hereby express our feeling of loss in the departure of a brother who was loyal to the high ideals, consistent with his profession of the high principles, and manly and straight-forward in his defense of the truth as revealed to him by our Master, Christ Jesus; and be it

RESOLVED, that we tender to his bereaved relatives our sympathy and commend them to the strengthening and up-holding care and love of Him of whom it is written: "He giveth His beloved sleep;" and be it

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the society, and one published in our local papers.

Committee of C. E.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Delta Drug Store. Every bottle guaranteed.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Delta Drug Store.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also old, running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns warts, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains. Best pile cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Only 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Delta Drug Store.

A Powder Mill Explosion

Removes everything in sight; so do drastic mineral pills, but both are mighty dangerous. Don't dynamite the delicate machinery of your body with calomel, citron oil or aloes pills, when Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are gentle as a summer breeze, do the work perfectly. Cures headache, constipation. Only 25c at the Delta Drug Store.

Dead Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Hillsboro, Aug. 11, 1900:

J. P. Maynard.

All letters not called for by Aug. 25, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office. One cent will be charged for each letter called for.

H. SCHULMERICH, P. M.

COURT HOUSE.

PROBATE.

Estate Louis F. Nierman, dec'd. Bond filed and approved.

Guardianship Mercy L. and Sophia J. Nierman, minors. Katie Nierman appointed guardian.

Estate S. A. Klink, dec'd. Final account filed and September 17 set for examination.

Estate H. L. Hendricks, dec'd. Final account allowed and the estate closed of record.

Estate John Summer, insane, Inventory filed. Total valuation $3463.25 Inventory approved.

Elks' Carnival.

Account Grand Carnival of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, to be held at Portland, September 4th to 15th inclusive, tickets will be sold at reduced rates from all stations on Oregon lines to Portland and return. These tickets will be on sale September 3d, 4th, 6th, 10th and 13th, and limited to three days after date of sale.

For further particulars, call on or address Southern Pacific agent at Hillsboro. 11-14

MOUNTAIN HOME ITEMS.

The ladies of Mountain Home presented Mrs. Reetz with a quilt of a queer pattern, the name of which is the Road to Middleton. The quilting was a pleasant affair.

John McCulley is baching, as his mother and her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Tarant, have gone to the coast.

Mira Rogers, of Amity, has been visiting with Mrs. Graves the last week.

Mr. Reetz, who has been threshing in the neighborhood of Amity, has pulled his machine in a shed. He says there is nothing in threshing this year as crops are very poor.

Mr. H. Schnider was up visiting friends at Mountain Home last Sunday. He had the misfortune to have one of his fingers sawed off in the Newberg sawmill.

Mrs. Courtney and Mr. Heaton have been on the sick list the past week.

REAL ESTATE.

John McEachen to Mary T DuCett, n ½ of s e ¼ and s ½ of n e ¼ sec 17 t 2 n r 4 w.... $ 1

R M Dooley, trustee to Carrie F Harrison, d l e of Horace Parsons and wf, t l s r 4 w.. 90

M E Dilley and wf to T A Knighton 13 a adjoining the Henry Burton d l e..... 137

O & C R R Co to Ludwig Hotz s ½ of n e ¼ sec 29 t l s r 3 w 550

Jennie Armstrong to Henry Nauffts a tract in the Elkanah Walker d l c 1½ acres..... 475

E Garrett and wf to Abner Harriman s e ¼ of n e ¼ sec 4 t 3 n r 3 w..... 400

Wm B Lonsignont and wf to R D Montague e ½ of s e ¼ s e ¼ of n e ¼ sec 10 t 2 n r 5 w and other lands..... 1

Adam E Klink and wf to H A Jasper lot 58 Steel's add to Beaverton..... 1720

Abner Harriman to Ellen L Jackson s e ¼ of n e ¼ sec 34 t 3 n r 3 w..... 400

Ida V Jackson et al to Drucilla A Jones 105 a sec 1 t 1 n r 3 w..... 2500

Portland Bread.

At Gates' Ice Cream Parlors.

Plain bread 3 loaves for a dime, cream and french twist 5 cts a loaf, pullman 10 cts a loaf.

Two deliveries per day, 10:30 a. m and 4:30 p. m., send in your order. Tickets 3 for a dime, 8 for a quarter, 32 for $1.00.

The evening papers of yesterday state that the foreign ministers at Pekin may be allied armies outside the gates. If this is done the ministers will have to march 300 yards through the streets of Pekin to reach the gate, being guarded by Chinese troops alone. The ministers themselves will decide this point. Japan proposes an armistice between China and the powers, but the powers refer the matter to their ministers and consuls.

Call at the INDEPENDENT office and examine the famous Melton board for mounting kodak prints. Latest thing out. Any size.

Connell Bros. big steam thresher went to the Bailey farm near the fair grounds where it will be shelling out grain today.

Hon. H. V. Gates returned the first of the week from San Francisco.

E. B. Tongue started Wednesday for a month's vacation at the coast.

William Imbrie of North Yakima is in the city visiting relatives.

R. B. Goodin, of Salem, is in town on business.

Administratrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, have been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Simon H. Humphreys, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Washington county, and have duly qualified as such administratrix.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me with the proper vouchers, at the law office of W. N. Barrett, in Hillsboro, Oregon within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Hillsboro, Ore., this 26th day of July, 1900.

MARY HUMPHREYS,
Administratrix of the estate of Simon H. Humphreys, deceased. 10-14

Administratrix Notice. (Partnership Estate.)

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, have duly qualified in the county court of the state of Oregon for Washington county, as administratrix of the Partnership estate of Simon H. Humphreys and Araminta E. Humphreys, partners as Humphreys & Co., said Simon H. Humphreys being now deceased.

All persons having claims against said partnership are hereby notified to present the same to me at the law office of W. N. Barrett in Hillsboro, Ore., with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Hillsboro Ore., this 26th day of July, 1900.

MARY HUMPHREYS,
Administratrix of the Partnership estate of Humphreys & Co. 10-14

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Oregon, July 11, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Frederick M. Heidel, of Hillsboro County of Washington, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5247, for the purchase of the S ½ N E ¼ and S ½ N W ¼ of Section No. 23 in Township No. 3 N, Range No. 6 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Friday, the 28th day of September, 1900.

He names as witnesses: John D. Merryman, Georg H. Merryman, C. A. Cavell, Martha I. Heidel, all of Hillsboro Washington county, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 28th day of September, 1900. 8-17

CHAS. B. MOORES,
Register.

CASH for acceptable ideas. Sate if patented. THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md. Subscription price of the PATENT RECORD $1.50 per annum. Samples free.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, ORE.
July 21, 1900.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Ore., on Sept. 3, 1900, viz:

JACOB T. COX,

H. E. No. 10309, for the S ½ of S E ¼ Sec 34 T 3 N R 5 W and lot 2 Sec 3 T 2 N R 5 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Swan Nelson, of Glenwood Ore
Peter A. Peterson, of " "
Peter E. Wagner, of " "
C. A. Wedberg, of " "

CHAS. B MOORES,
10-15 Register.

Call on F. J. Barber, Second street if you want a first-class shave or haircut. Try his baths, either hot or cold.

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PETER E. WAGNER,

H. E. No. 11353, for the N ½ of N E ¼ and N ½ of N W ¼ Sec 21 T 3 N R 6 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Swan Nelson, of Glenwood Ore.
Peter A. Peterson, of " "
Jacob T. Cox, of " "
C. A. Wedberg, of " "

CHAS. B. MOORES,
10-15 Register.

CASTORIA.
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE State of Oregon, for Washington County.

Ruth Scott, H. W. Scott and Margaret Scott, his wife, A. S. Dunlway, M. F. Cooke, C. A. Coburn, S. M. Kelty and J. M. Kelty her husband Ida M. Scott, Anna Eastham and her husband A. B. Eastham, Ellen S. Latourette, and D. C. Latourette, her husband, Harriett L. Palmer, and Isaac Palmer, her husband, Plaintiffs,

v.

Helen Smith and Chas. H. Smith, her husband, Margaret Philebaum and Augustus Philebaum, her husband, Sylvester Ackley, Roy Ackley, Leonart Ackley, ——— Ackley, his wife Harvey Ackley, Guy Ackley and Leslie Ackley, Defendants.

To Helen Smith and Chas H. Smith, her husband, Sylvester Ackley, Roy Ackley Leonard Ackley, ——— Ackley, his wife, Harvey Ackley, Guy Ackley and Leslie Ackley, and each of you defendants.

In the name of the State of Oregon:

You are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court, on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this Summons which is six weeks from the date of the first publication hereof, which first publication is made July 27, 1900. And you will take notice that if you fail so to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before said last day of the time prescribed in said order, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint in this suit which is for the partition and sale of the following described property, to-wit:

Lots one and four of block four of Forest Grove, also commencing at a point 110 feet South of the Northeast corner of lot two of said block four and running thence South to South line of said lot two; thence West on said South line to Southwest corner of East ½ of said lot two; thence North on West line of East ½ of said lot two to a post 110 feet South of North line of said lot two; thence East to place of beginning, all in Washington County, State of Oregon.

And plaintiff will apply for such other and further relief as is just in the premises.

This Summons is published by order of T. A. McBride, Judge of the above entitled Court duly made and entered of record, July 18, 1900.

C. D. & D. C. LATOURETTE,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs. 9-16

Sale of Personal Property.

I will in persuance of an order of the county court made and entered proceed to sell at private sale for the best interests of the estate the following described personal property belonging to the estate of S. H. Humphreys deceased, to-wit:

2 cows,
1 wagon,
1 plow,
1 parlor organ,
6 office chairs,
1 spray pump.

MARY HUMPHREYS,
Administratrix.
Hillsboro, Aug. 2, 1900.

Administratrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of J. D. Hite, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Washington county and has duly qualified and entered upon the discharge of her duties as such administratrix.

All persons therefore having claims against said estate are requested and required to present them with the proper vouchers, to me, within six months from the date hereof, at the law office of Thos. H. & E. B. Tongue, in Hillsboro, Washington county, Oregon.

Dated at Hillsboro, Washington county Oregon, this 26th day of July 1900.

EMMA P. HITE,
10-14 Administratrix.

Pain Conquered; Health Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 26,851]

"I feel it my duty to write and thank you for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. It is the only medicine I have found that has done me any good. Before taking your medicine, I was all run down, tired all the time, no appetite, pains in my back and bearing down pains and a great sufferer during menstruation. After taking two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt like a new woman. I am now on my fourth bottle and all my pains have left me. I feel better than I have felt for three years and would recommend your Compound to every suffering woman. I hope this letter will help sisters to find a cure for their troubles." — MRS. DELLA REMICKER, RENSSELAER, IND.

The serious ills of women develop from neglect of early symptoms. Every pain and ache has a cause, and the warning they give should not be disregarded.

Mrs. Pinkham understands these troubles better than any local physician and will give every woman free advice who is puzzled about her health. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass. Don't put off writing until health is completely broken down. Write at the first indication of trouble.

KIDNEY TEA.

Oregon Kidney Tea cures backache, kidney and bladder trouble For sale at the Delta.

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SWAN NELSON,

H. E. No 11470, for the E ½ of E ½ Sec 24 T 3 N R 6 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Peter A. Peterson, of Glenwood Ore.
Jacob T. Cox, of " "
Peter E. Wagner, of " "
C. A. Wedberg, of " "

CHAS. B. MOORES,
10-15 Register.

NELSON & REED.
MANUFACTURERS OF
Rough and Dressed
LUMBER

We will have our sawmill ready to saw lumber on or about June 8th. The body of timber tributary is the best in the state and hence with our superior machinery and mechanical skill our product will be axual to that found in any market and superior to most. We invite orders. 1tf

DON'T BE DUPED

There have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." They are being offered under various names at a low price

By

dry goods dealers, grocers, agents, etc., and in a few instances as a premium for subscriptions to papers.

Announcements of these comparatively

Worthless

reprints are very misleading; for instance, they are advertised to be the substantial equivalent of a higher-priced book, when in reality, so far as we know and believe, they are all, from A to Z.

Reprint Dictionaries,

phototype copies of a book of over fifty years ago, which in its day was sold for about $5.00, and which was much superior in paper, print, and binding to these imitations, being then a work of some merit instead of one

Long Since Obsolete.

The supplement of 10,000 so-called "new words," which some of these books are advertised to contain, was compiled by a gentleman who died over forty years ago, and was published before his death. Other minor additions are probably of more or less value.

The Webster's Unabridged Dictionary published by our house is the only meritorious one of that name familiar to this generation. It contains over 300 pages, with illustrations on nearly every page, and bears our imprint on the title page. It is protected by copyright from cheap imitation.

Valuable as this work is, we have at vast expense published a thoroughly revised successor, known throughout the world as Webster's International Dictionary.

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NICHOLAS UNTERWURZACHER,

H. E. No. 10488, for the N W ¼ of S W ¼ Sec 3, N E ¼ of S E ¼ and S ½ of N E ¼ Sec 4 T 2 N R 5 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Thomas B. Smith, of Glenwood Ore.
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Dated this 23rd day of July, 1900.

JOSEPH LAUS,
Administrator of the estate of John Laus, deceased. 10-14

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PETER A. PETERSON,

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