

Fresh oysters at H. A. Palmer's.

Public dance at Hillsboro Opera House Saturday evening Nov. 14th.

For Sale: A graded Jersey cow, fresh, splendid milk. Apply to Evan P. Hughes, city.

The test assortment of fine knives and razors in town are at McCosmick's—fully warranted.

Arrangements are being made for a grand ball at Hillsboro Opera House Thanksgiving eve Nov. 27th.

Artistic hair cutting and shaving at the Second street barber shop.

Barber & Goodenough, props.

What strikes immigrants and visitors from the east as forcibly as any thing is to find tender roses in full bloom in the open air.

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

For sprains, swellings and lameness there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Try it. For sale by the Delta drug store.

The first general frost of the season was on the boards last Saturday morning Nov. 9th. It was not severe enough however to kill potato tops.

Gov. Geor issued his proclamation on the 10th, designating Thursday, November 23 as Thanksgiving day. This follows the President's proclamation.

Married, at the home of the brides parents near Hillsboro, Nov. 10 at 11 a. m., Miss Lucy I. Bradley to John F. Brown. Rev. Walter Reynolds officiating.

Call at the Pioneer harness shop and inspect the fine line of winter lap robes before buying elsewhere, at prices ranging from \$1.50 to \$5.00 according to quality.

Next week from Monday to Wednesday night, three days, Nov. 18, 19 and 20 Dr. Lowe the optician will be in Hillsboro again at the Tualatin Hotel. If you need glasses don't fail to have him test your eyes.

A never failing cure for cuts, burns, scalds, ulcers wounds and sores is De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. A most soothing and healing remedy for all skin affections. Accept only the genuine. Delta Drug Store.

Rev. A. B. Sulder, who has for some time been engaged in the Home Missionary work in Alaska, will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church of Hillsboro next Sabbath morning and evening.

Wm Mohr makes boots at his shop on Second street, Hillsboro, for \$5.00 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.

Those wishing to purchase improved farms, large or small, city lots or city residences, in Hillsboro or in Forest Grove, will find it worth while to see J. W. Shute at the bank, Hillsboro or Benj. Scholfield at Forest Grove.

The foot-ball game between Hillsboro and Cornelius was won by the latter, not by Cornelius' good playing but by one member of the Hillsboro's team wretched fumbling of the ball. When the Hillsboro backs got hold of the ball they made good gains.

Norris Silver, North Stratford, N. H.: "I purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure when suffering with a cough doctors told me was incurable. One bottle relieved me, the second and third almost cured. Today I am a well man." Delta Drug Store.

Many physicians are now prescribing Kodol Dyspepsia Cure regularly having found that it is the best prescription they can write because it is the one preparation which contains the elements necessary to digest not only some kinds of food but all kind and it therefore cures indigestion and dyspepsia no matter what its cause. Delta Drug Store.

Geo. W. Lane, Pawama, Mich., writes: "Your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the best remedy for indigestion and stomach trouble that I ever used. For years I suffered from dyspepsia, at times compelling me to stay in bed and causing me untold agony I am completely cured by Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. In recommending it to friends who suffer from indigestion, I always offer to pay for it if it fails. Thus far I have never paid." Delta Drug Store.

A camp of gypsies have fixed their winter camp in the South-east part of town. Notwithstanding the tribe are rovers they appreciate schools for several of the children have entered the public school. They are truthful too for one little girl stated that she had attended the public school in Eugene "most of the year." A boy has been in a San Francisco school a part of two years. Our merchants report that the head of the family has been a liberal buyer of winter supplies, taking the best quality of which he is a good judge.

Every lover of good wholesome amusement ought to know that "Maloney's Wedding" will be at the Opera House, Nov. 18th. This is pronounced the brightest of the comedy successes of this season, and fulfills with it a veritable epidemic of comedy, rous, song and surprises. It is every where a welcomed visitor, and is said to contain more dramatic good things than anything ever attempted to this line of play writing.

The cast has the merit of capability and includes such clever people as James L. McCabe, who assumes the part of funny Dan Maloney, the victim of many humorous matrimonial complications, and Rose Bradbury, who plays the part of the captivating widow Clancy. The plot and story is intensely entertaining, the situations and climaxes uproariously amusing. This will be the first and last presentation of this matchless production here this season. Seats on sale now. General admission 35 cents. First 4 row seats \$75. Balance reserved seats \$50.

The project of building a telephone line from Hillsboro to Scholls going by way of Laurel and Farmington has not been abandoned, but is in better shape than it was a few weeks ago. The company, it is understood, is willing to string wire between the stations, if it can be assured that there will be business to justify the installation. It is now referred to the people. If they can see their way clear to give a two year contract to maintain instruments the company will build. The company will issue coupons to be redeemed by telephone tolls at any time during the two years. It amounts to paying for service in advance and the people in truth are out nothing.

The central telephone station in Hillsboro has a new switch board constructed on the most modern lines. The new board is large enough to accommodate 400 phones. Heretofore the boards put up in the Hillsboro office have been second hand affairs but this time a new board is brought. The company is otherwise improving the line here. New and longer poles will be set. Four of these are 45 feet long and the others are forty. The old poles are about 20 feet. Some of these short sticks may for the present be kept through the back streets, but ultimately they will be replaced by the long ones.

Mrs. Zerilda Tozier, of Portland, announces the marriage of her daughter Nellie Victor to Edward E. Cox of Indiana, Nov. 18, 1901, at Portland. Miss Nellie was born in Hillsboro about 22 years ago and is a sister of Mr. Albert Tozier, President of the National Editorial Association and of Mrs. Edith Tozier-Weathered one of the Oregon commissioners at the Buffalo Pan-American Fair. The bride and groom will be at home at Hartford City, Indiana after Dec. 15.

Dr. Linklater was called to visit Roy Latham at Perrydale, Polk Co., last Saturday evening. He found the patient in a most critical condition, typhoid fever being the ailment. Advice from the local physician on Wednesday last stated that he appeared to be a little better. Guy his brother is also down with the same disease though not so bad. Later advice state Roy is not expected to live.

R. H. Greer was stricken last Saturday morning with erysipelas of the face, but fortunately Dr. Tamsieide was able to get it under control so that his patient is now a convalescent. Mrs. Greer was not at home but getting the news of her husband's illness Sunday afternoon she started home by the first train thereafter and got here Tuesday morning.

Mr. Henry Gete and wife were guests over Sunday with Messrs. Specht & Mostert. Mr. Gete is an architect by profession and while he cannot see work here to keep him employed, yet he is very favorably impressed with Hillsboro as a place of residence.

A telephone line is building between Hillsboro and Bethany. The people have agreed to deliver poles along the line after which the company will set them and string wires.

D. B. Reasoner of Gales Creek, was in town yesterday with an installment of his household goods. He is to occupy R. B. Goodin's house cor. Baseline and First Streets.

Miss Emma Gordon living near Forest Grove, but well known in Hillsboro was thrown from a buggy last Monday and hurt by having her left elbow joint dislocated.

Mrs. Sam Galbreath, of Tualatin, and Miss Bertha Deitz, of Sherwood, drove up to Hillsboro on matters of business in which they are interested.

Mrs. George Wilcox who some weeks ago went east to visit relatives returned last Sunday morning.

S. S. Jefferies and wife of Astoria, are visiting this week with Mrs. Lane. Mrs. Jefferies mother.

CASITORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware of cheap imitations.
Signature: *Chas. H. Fletcher*

MORMON CONFERENCE.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.
November 10, 1901.

Editor INDEPENDENT.—In the Mormon tabernacle today "The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints" was re-organized, and as I changed to be present I thought perhaps an account of what took place might prove of interest to Oregonians.

Their church organization is the same as that which existed in the primitive church.

But a few weeks ago, as you know, President Snow, the head of the church, died and his two counselors returning to the "quorum of the twelve" left the church without a "First Presidency," but being so perfectly regulated this affects the church at large but little, for the "quorum of the twelve" act as the head.

Joseph T. Smith being chosen by the "quorum of the twelve" he being president of that body, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Lorenzo Snow, left another vacancy in the ranks of the apostles, which the new president's son was called to fill.

The meeting held in the tabernacle today, was for the purpose of sustaining not only the new president and his two counselors besides the new apostle, but also all the higher church officials in their respective positions.

Nearly all have seen pictures of the Mormon Tabernacle so it is needless to describe it, other than to say it has a seating capacity for twelve thousand people.

In the auditory was seated the priesthood in regular order, many of them delegates from the different "Stakes of Zion." The members of the church and visitors were in the gallery. Back of the speaker's stand is the wonderful pipe organ; on either side and in front of it sat the tabernacle choir five hundred in number. Near the console of the organ, in an easy chair sat Father Smith the patriarch of the church. In a seat beside him sat the First Presidency, Joseph F. Smith and John Winder and Anton Lund. In another seat a few steps below them were the twelve apostles, with Brigham Young Jr., who is now President of the Twelve, in their midst; below the twelve sat other men who rank high in the church, among whom I noticed B. H. Roberts, the man we heard so much about a few months ago. To the right of the seats were those higher officials sat, were the presidents of the stakes and their counselors. To the left were the patriarchs and back of them the bishops with their counselors.

The church historian also sat on the rostrum, below the rostrum and facing the First Presidency were, on the right, the high priests, on the left, the seventies. Back of both sat the elders, and back of them the lesser priesthood. In all there must have been eight thousand, many members of the different priesthoods being in the choir.

Pres. Smith put each question to be voted on before the house. They voted by rising to their feet and raising the right hand. First, the First Presidency rising and voting, even on his own name, next the apostles, then patriarchs, the presidents of the Stakes and high counselors and then the high priests. After them came the seventies. As they were by far the most numerous it was very impressive to see them vote, score upon score simultaneously and lifted the right hand. After the seventies came the elders, then the lesser priesthood, and last of all, the church members including the whole priesthood. There were, perhaps, twenty outsiders in all that vast assemblage.

With the exception of a short stirring address by the Pres, and a few remarks by the youngest of the apostles, his son, there was no speech making. The music by the famous choir accompanied by the grand organ was something long to be remembered. One piece they sang was "The Spirit of God like a fire is burning."

The closing song was: "We Thank Thee Oh God for a Prophet," sung both by the choir and the congregation.

MAUD BAGGARTLEY.

COURT HOUSE.

COUNTY COURT—LAW.

Mrs. Mary Jane Robinson living near Farmington was adjudged to be of unsound mind and dangerous to be at large. She was sent to the asylum at Salem. She was a patient at the same hospital about thirteen years ago.

PROBATE.

Est H C Raymond, decd; sale of real estate confirmed.

Est minor Heirs Chas Neep, decd; guardian's sale of real estate confirmed.

Est Robert Pollock, decd; his will proven in open court and the estate admitted to probate. The executrix is Sarah J Pollock to serve without bonds.

Est Minerva Newton, decd; final account allowed and the estate closed of record. The realty is turned over

COLLEGE HAZING.

Guardian Mary J Robinson, decd; citation will be served on Ella Miller, Mary Jane Robinson and Supt. Insane asylum Salem requiring them to show cause if any they have why Geo S Robinson shall not be appointed guardian of the person and estate of said Mary Jane Robinson. Geo S Robinson is appointed temporary guardian to care for property till a permanent guardian can be appointed.

Guardian August Schamberg, insane; citation will issue requiring H Ober guardian to appear Dec 9 and show cause why he shall not be removed. Gottfried Schamberg asks to be released from Ober's bond.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

License to wed were issued Nov 6 to John North and Miss L Taylor 40. Nov 8 to John F Brown 23 and Lucy I Bradley 18.

BLDS FAREWELL.

Last Sunday at a meeting of the Congregational church the resignation of Pastor Hughes tendered some weeks ago was taken up and accepted.

In connection with this action the following resolution was unanimously adopted. The mover of the resolution said: "I have a sentiment to move which if it meets the approbation of the church and congregation, I ask to have adopted, but before submitting it seems proper to recall a few facts familiar though to all of us."

"Ten years ago the Hillsboro church was considered a successful society, and it was, when compared with contemporaries. There was a goodly number of members, a well attended Sunday school and our house of worship was respectable—as good as any in the town. There was no church debt, though we were willing to receive in the sum of \$400 per year from the Home Missionary Society.

"That was about the condition of affairs when Pastor Evan P. Hughes was called six years ago. He came, a modest man. If he had formulated plans he made no mention of that fact. Hard work, conscientious performance of duty, and a dignified independence is all that we his congregation saw. The services of the church began to be better attended. Respect for the church among outsiders was increased. A manly self reliance was engendered so that we were ashamed to longer ask for assistance from the Missionary Society. We determined to become self supporting. Mr. Hughes did not ask us in words to do that, but we knew that he would not oppose the move. We raised all our money for pastor's salary easier than before we had raised a part. We have done more, we have spent liberal sums for church repairs. For this we feel better. We stand more nearly erect, our self respect has a broader foundation. The sermons have been thought to be better. The work was quickened. At every communion service there have been accessions to the church. We feel ourselves equal to our neighbors. We could invite our friends from abroad to visit us and go to church with us. We were willing that our pastor exchange pulpits for a day for we knew our neighbors were getting as good as they sent if not a little better. The associations had no terrors for us for our pastor could hold his own with any there. We and our church were honored in our pastor."

"But a remembrance of these things fosters pride and vanity and our pastor's face is against these passions. He conjures us to lead clean pure lives, to worship God, follow Christ and love our neighbors. By precept and example he seeks us to live spiritual lives. How can we give up our pastor? Can we bring ourselves to accept another in his place? Only on the condition which neither we nor he can control.

"There comes a crisis in Pastor Hughes' temporal affairs when he must be free to go at a day's notice to his boyhood's home, hence the imperative necessity of severing the relation of pastor and church wherefore "RESOLVED, that it is with the very greatest regret that we part with Pastor Hughes, and we pray God that affairs may be so ordered that he shall speedily be returned to be pastor of some church that shall faithfully second him in all his plans for advancing the cause of Christ. And our good wishes and prayers go with him and his amiable wife wherever their paths may lead them up and down this earth."

A Twilight Call.

Is the name selected by Hattie Nevada for a new song written in her usual catchy air. The words and air are easy to remember and are of that style which has become so popular to the musical artists. Copy will be mailed to any of the readers of this paper by the publishers on receipt of 25 cents. Address, The Kansas City Talking Machine Co., Kansas City Mo. They also have just issued a new Phonograph and Graphophone record catalogue, which will be sent on request.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by Delta Drug Store.

COLLEGE HAZING.

A crisis in school discipline is on at Tualatin Academy and Pacific University at Forest Grove, and in the present stage of the turmoil it is a little difficult to get at the facts. There are complications. First there seems to have been class rivalries from the first of the year, but what class is most to blame has not certainly been fixed. But it appears that the class of 1906 thought to gain precedence by painting the roof of the grandstand at the athletic grounds red, the emblem being '06 which has been abbreviated to "Naughty six." "Naughty seven" a younger set evened up by stealing a class banner. These are the same people or people of the same spirit that so early precipitated a riot here the day Bryan spoke in 1900. Thus progressed the rivalry. On Friday night one class thought to serenade the girls domiciled at Herrick Hall a proceeding proper enough but for the jealousy of the others and what followed.

Growing out of the serenade one Warner organized a party that took Patton of the other class and bucked and gagged him taking him to a cold piazza where he was left to shiver in the sharp frost of that evening. Patton could attract no help from passers but did manage to roll about the floor till he got to a square cornered post. Pulling the rope that bound his hands against the post and being able to move a little, he after a time saved the cord in two. With free hands he soon removed the gag when he did not do a thing but hunt up his class and tell what had happened. Retaliation was planned. Some of the others were caught, stripped and held under a pump spray. Young Day and Dyea among the second attacking party. Day is captain of the college foot ball team. When the boys seemed to be sufficiently cooled they were liberated and allowed to go and get warm. They did more they got hot. All this is rank hazing that last year was so unpopular. But about this time the college faculty came in. On Monday there was some kind of an investigation but while the boys talked freely among themselves the faculty had trouble to get a connected story. Indeed it is doubtful if the details have been told to the college authorities. However in the light of the testimony submitted Day and Dyea were suspended for a time named and Warner indefinitely.

All the pent up rage that had been stored was now turned on the faculty. The immediate reinstatement of the suspended boys was demanded. The result was that Day, because of football affiliations or some other reason, was taken back. The other two were left out. On Tuesday night the student body was called together at Vets Hall which had been hired for the purpose. It was a genuine indignation meeting. Oratory was cheap and flowed like water from the Tualatin after a two days rain in December. Finally the resolution was adopted by a vote of 81 to 4. The four are one boy and three girls. The resolution demands that the suspended students be reinstated at once and that the faculty explain why the three were selected for discipline while there were others quite as guilty. This was in the nature of an ultimatum which if not complied with would be immediately followed by the desertion of that 81 students. What will be done has not yet developed. But if the faculty consults the best interests of the college those 81 will be allowed to depart. It will be the best advertisement the school ever had. Let parents and guardians understand that hazing will not be tolerated at Forest Grove and they will not hesitate about sending sons and daughters there, but on the other hand let it go out that a student mob rules, the result will be quite different. Mothers will hesitate some time before they send daughters to such a place.

A later report recites that on Wednesday morning Dean Ferrin reinstated those suspended when the incident was supposed to be closed. But the faculty had another arrow in its quiver. Wednesday afternoon a paper or pledge was prepared and presented for signature by which the student signers agree not to destroy property or engage in unseemly scourgings in the nature of hazing, though the term "hazing" is not used in the instrument. Some of the boys refused to sign. They can agree to the property clause but the other is too indefinite, any little wrestling might be warped to come under the rule. Because they would not sign, two were suspended yesterday afternoon, and the row is on again.

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Estrayed from John Cornelius' farm, two sows, marked, crop off left ear and a slit. Any one giving information of their whereabouts to C. H. Blanchard, care Sam Danbar, on his farm will earn a reward.

Astonishing Discovery.

From Coopersville, Mich., comes word of a wonderful discovery of a pleasant tasting liquid that when used before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always ensures a good night's rest. "It will soon cure the cough too," writes Mrs. S. Himelburger, "for three generations of our family have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and never found its equal for Coughs and Colds." It's an unrivaled life-saver when used for desperate lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00 at Delta Drug Store.

The United States Government Report shows ROYAL Baking Powder to be stronger, purer and better than any other.

Attorney W. N. Barrett was in an uncommon good humor last Tuesday morning when he read a paragraph in the paper stating that the Supreme Court the day before had affirmed the decision of Judge McBride's Court in the action for money of Mary Maggie Halter Brock v John G. Weiss. The action was on a note given by Weiss to Brock and by him assigned to his wife Mary Maggie for the support of their child then unborn. John Brock then left his wife. At the trial the defendant Weiss set up want of consideration and that the note was given before Weiss went to Europe and was to be delivered to Brock only in case he, Weiss did not return, but died. The note was said to have been put by the defendant in a trunk who said "If I die there is something in the trunk for you." It was attempted to be proven that Mary Maggie stole the note out of the trunk but she pointed to the endorsement of John Brock to prove that she legitimately came into possession of the paper. Brock did not go on the witness stand so his version of the matter was not before the court. It is surmised that he dare not come back, that he has a wife some where else which is known to Weiss who would criminally prosecute him for bigamy. This is said to be the reason for abandoning Mary Maggie. The case has been followed with much interest especially as the note is all the property Mrs. Brock has. Without it, \$300 and interest, she is as poor as poverty.

James McGruder of the Delta has strung wires between the drug store and his residence and attached telephones of his own construction. His transmitters and receivers work well and testify to the ingenuity of the druggist. Jim is inclined to be sleepy of mornings so he attached electric alarm conductors to the clock and his door bell in the kitchen. He sets his alarm at any hour. When the bell is set going by the contract of the conductors it rings for an hour unless the aroused sleeper goes to the kitchen and turns a switch. By that time it is supposed that the sleepy one is so wide awake that he will not return to bed, but will busy himself at lighting a fire.

C. Blazer returned Friday morning last bringing about 30 wild geese, taken in a half day's shooting in Sherman County. Messrs. Geo. Schulmerich and Zina Wood proposing to do as well or better have gone to the same plains. The distance to go hunting is considerable under ordinary circumstances, but in this instance it is annihilated by the O. R. & N. Co.

Rev. S. H. Greenlee, of Zellenople, Penn., the new pastor of the Hillsboro M. E. church, came on the train of Wednesday morning last. He is accompanied by his wife and child and will make Oregon his home for a time at least. He will be in his pulpit next Sunday morning and evening.

Died in Portland at the age of 18 years 9 months and 23 days, Mrs. Ella L. Merwin, eldest daughter of Jacob Gibson. The deceased was born in Hillsboro and her remains were brought here on Wednesday for burial. She leaves a husband to mourn her.

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Something Has Happened

Nothing Terrible However!

But we have just put in stock a new lot of Fahys Gold Filled Watch Cases, and of Brooklyn Solid Gold Cases and we want you to know it, for we are now ready to show you an assortment of the finest goods in town. If you want a watch let us sell you one of our high grade movements, that will please you by keeping perfect time, and let us put the movement in one of these beautiful new cases—which will delight you every time you look at your watch.

HOYT,
The Jeweler,
Hillsboro, Oregon.

For sale—1 new Buford plow; been used one day. J. B. Hanley, Hillsboro.

Drayage—I am prepared to do all kinds of team work at reasonable prices. H. L. Stephens, Hillsboro. 2 t

Schulmerich Bros. have a few ladies capes and cloaks left which will be closed out at cost, also some men's overcoats and mackintoshes.

Reliable and Gentle.
"A pill's a pill," says the saw. But there are pills and pills. You want a pill which is certain, thorough and gentle. Mustn't gripe. DeWitt's Little Early Bitters fill the bill. Purely vegetable. Do not force but assist the bowels to act. Strengthen and invigorate. Small and easy to take. Delta Drug store.

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R D Walker et ux to J H Hoffman 1 ac John Walker d c 7
U G Gardner et ux to San Landuec blk 5 Pleasant Home add Beaverfoot 75
John Kirtz et ux to E Kirtz 40 ac sec 2 t 1 n r 4 w 1
E A Eddy et ux to J Nyberg 8 ac sec 24 1100
Edwin Casper et ux to J L Washburn n e 1/4 sec 30 t 2 n r 5 w 1000
R W Hicks to G F Nuff lots 3 and 4 sec 1 of s e 1 sec 31 t 1 n r 4 w 10
M L Francisco to J L Washburn n e 1/4 sec 17 t 2 n r 5 w 500
Nellie Vanderzanden et al J Verboort 20 ac Michel Wren d c 400
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When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years." You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by Delta Drug Store.

Great Luck of an Editor.

"For two years all efforts to cure Eczema in the palms of my hands failed," writes Editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., "then I was wholly cured by Backlen's Arnica Salve." It's the world's best for Eruptions, Sores and all skin diseases. Only 25c at Delta Drug Store.