Smoke the Square Deal 5c cigar.

W. J. Benson will run a woodsaw in Hillsboro this fall. He is now ready to book orders.

A new and attractive line of gents' belts, driving and work gloves just arrived at the Hillsboro Harness Shop.

Messrs. Reed & Nelson are operating their sawmill plant night and day. This is necessary to fill a San Francisco order.

Mr. Richard Beamish's team of Clyde draft horses stampeded with the empty hay wagon again on Monday last. No damage was done this time.

Yamhill county has raised $1000 to be used in compiling and publishing advertising literature. Washington county has not done as well.

What is the use of "chewing the rag" over a matter that has been settled long ago? Everybody knows that the "Aquitas" is the only clear Havana cigar; so do not be without them. At E. L. McCormick's.

Seventy-five tons of hay belonging to Jim and Frank Miller, was burned on the Almoran Hill d l e across the lake from Gaston, last Sunday. A stubble fire followed, and for a time an ugly conflagaration seemed imminent. Loss $500, no insurance.

Dr. Bowser suggests that to remove danger of fire that the weeds and grass on the campus of the public school block be burned. The job can be safely done by eight or ten men with a strip of burlap cloth as large as a wheat sack wet and used to control the burning rubbish. Director Greer thinks that a flock of sheep would be a safer agent for clearing up the yard, and that plan may be adopted.

Conductor Cline of the Portland-Sheridan express, says that there are two horses in Hillsboro that Ringling Bros. should buy for tight rope walking. Last Friday afternoon these animals appeared ahead of his train as it approached Rock Creek bridge. Rather than get off the track they crossed the bridge ahead of his train. The bridge is between two and three hundred feet long, without footplank or other covering except the steel rails.

Mr. P. P. Reed of Reed & Nelson's sawmill north of Glenco, lost three fingers of his right hand on Monday morning. Sawyer Adams who had just taken the saw for the day shift, had started the machine and run about eight minutes when a chip dropped so as to be in the path of the saw. He called to Mr. Reed who was below to remove the obstruction. He took hold of the wood just as the saw struck it. His hand was jerked against the saw and the laceration was quickly done. One finger dropped off there and the other two hung by small bits of skin so that Dr. Tameisie clipped them off in dressing the wound. The doctor thinks the index finger can be saved.

W. W. Williams will not store onions this year or hereafter in his Hillsboro warehouse. He has removed the bins from the west end and will use the space for housing hay. The east end will be leased to the growers for onions. Mr. Williams will store his crop in a new house that he is building on his Mountaindale farm. He will thus be able to house his onions in better condition than when brought to Hillsboro and the loss when shipping time comes will be less, besides he will not be at the expense of hauling culls to the railroads, and they will be on the farm for a fertilizer. Mr. Williams will be able to load a car in a day from Mountaindale which was all he could do at Hillsboro. Cornelius is his station.

The Benton County Citizen's League, organized over a year ago, has done much for the good of this county and Corvallis, and is preparing to do more. Rooms have been secured upstairs in the First National Bank building. One of these rooms will contain a fine display of Benton county products, as well as advertising matter and other literature. The other room will be fitted up as a meeting room for the League which will meet on the first Monday of each month, hereafter. A meeting of the League was held Saturday night, at which time a resolution was passed ask ng the county to appropriate $100 to be applied on the cost of the 50,000 pamplets which it is proposed to have printed and sent to the Hargiman advertising bureau at Chicago. The above from the Corvallis Gazette gives information of of what is doing in our neighboring county. The Independent wishes it could report progress in this, Washington county.

Prin. B. W. Barnes returned from his visit to San Francisco on Saturday morning. His experience while away was every way satisfactory except perhaps he would like to have had more time for sight seeing. He found California a fine state in every way except for a man who had toured through Oregon. The summer school at Berkley was good. The lecturers were the best men in America. Yale and Harvard sent their best specialists. There were 800 students in attendance, gathered from almost every state in the union, and from Europe and Asia. The tuition for the full course of lectures was $10. In addition to the oral instruction the library was opened to the attendents. The chemistry course, however, involved expense for chemicals and glassware.

Commencing with Tuesday of last week, August 5, we had our period of hot weather. Wednesday the 6th was a scorcher, to be followed by days almost as warm till Sunday the 10th when the highest limit was reached, 97 deg. at the weather station in Portland. Here our unofficial thermometers registered higher. The break came on Tuesday of this week when a coat in early morning was comfortable.

The Upchurch and Diamond W base ball teams will lineup next Sunday at Recreation Park at 2:00 p. m. and a warm game is assured. They defeated the locals three times this year. The W's want revenge and as they have a strong lineup Mr. Feeney will probably go home with a defeat. This game promises to be more largely attended than any played this season.

The long bridge between Hillsboro and Cornelius has not yet been closed and will not be till near the 1st of September, and even then the court hopes to get the consent of the land owners for a passage way through the bottom. If it becomes necessary to stop travel on that road official notice of the fact will be published.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church entertained husbands, sons and brothers with a few invited guests at dinner served on the lawn of Capt. R. Crandall's residence last Wednesday. This society is the oldest in town having been organized about 30 years ago.

John Sparks of Reno, Nev., will not show at the California state fair this year, preferring to show at the Oregon state fair instead. He has one of the finest herds of Hereford cattle in the United States and will exhibit 20 head at the fair this fall.

The Foresters at Verboort are building a meeting hall and have it now enclosed. It is 30 by 60 feet in size and two stories high. The second story will be the meeting place for the lodge while the ground floor will be for social events.

John L. Reiling, formerly of Verboort this county, died in St. Vincent Hospital, Portland, last Saturday July 9, of gangrenous blood-poison after amputation of his leg above the knee, as mentioned last week.

Dr. A. B. Bailey has sold his Spokane, Wash., dental parlors and will come to Hillsboro. His office will be in the Morgan block, corner Main and Second streets. The change occurs about September 1st.

Dr. W. D. Wood and George H. Carleton went on Tuesday evening into the hills between the Columbia river and Tualatin Plains. They expect to stalk deer and even enjoy roast venison.

The hot weather of last week was disasterous to hop lice, being about as fatal as quassia chips and whale oil soap, but while it killed the insects it cut short the yield of hops.

Thos. H. Tongue Jr., arrived home last Wednesday evening from Washington, D. C. Tom is looking well thaugh a little thin in flesh.

S. S. Barnes will occupy the room on Second street next to Jo Downs' blacksmith shop where he will conduct his real estate agency.

Go to McCormick's for your necessaries; he has most everything, from a sewing machine needle to a bedroom suite.

Mr. E. B. Tongue is at Seattle this week to see his colts exercised on the driving park.

Buy your cigars at McCormick's; he has a good stock of 5 and 10 cent grades.

Born, in Hillsboro August 13, to James McGruder and wife, a daughter.

Born, in Hillsboro August 8, to H. A. Ball and wife, a daughter.

Mrs. Chas McKinney and daughter Clare, left for Newport yesterday.

Mrs. S. W. Dodd, of Salem, is a guest this week at Capt. J. D. Merryman's.

S. C. Shirril will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Text in II Kings, 5-10. Theme, Obedience.

Sheriff Sewell has appointed Max Crandall to be his deputy. The appointment is a good one, and will be generally approved.

Mr. G. N. Hale has gone camping at Yaquina Bay, to be away a month unless he has an attack of nostalgia in which event he may return sooner.

The union church services will be held in the congregational church next Sunday evening. Rev. Phelps of the Evangelical church will preach the discourse.

Hon. W. D. Hare has the very welcome advices that his mother, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. Gilman, at Astoria, is much improved in health. Mrs. Hare has reached the advanced age of 93 years.

The County Board of Examination was met on Wednesday morning by a class of 34 applicants for certificates. Six of these are men. There are three applicants for state papers and thirty-one for county certificates.

The engineers are at work with estimates for grading the road bed of the Portland-Hillsboro electric motor line. Profiles, cross sections and estimates for the line from Portland to the summit has been nearly finished. There is where the heavy work will be. For the way on this side of the hill, more rapid progress will be made.

Dr. Tameisie has commenced assembling his machinery for his condensed milk plant which is to be installed on his farm near Glenco. He bought a 50-horse power boiler from Wm. Benson that has been tested to 150 pounds cold water pressure. Mr. Benson is building at his foundry and machine shop, the sterilizer from specifications from the Michigan factory. Doing this here saves freight across the continent besides keeping the money at home. Several hundred dollars will be disbursed here by this arrangement.

Wm McQuillan has sold his farm of 115 acres, the Tilden Beuchamp homestead, to Gust Larsen who comes from a place on the Columbia river. All the stock goes with the place except the horses. Of course Mr. McQuillan keeps his household effects. He expects to remain about Hillsboro for the next two months but at the end of that time he will go on a visit to his former home in California. The time before he goes will be given to attending auctions as the crier. Headquarters will be at Thos. H. and E. B. Tongues' law office.

Mr. J. N. Hinshaw is building a fruit drier on second street by the railroad tracks. The building will be 30x60 feet in size one story high. The plant will be one that has been successfully used at other places and under the experienced supervision of Mr. Hinshaw will succeed here. The capacity will be three tons of desiccated apples per day. To make this product will necessitate handling from 15 to 18 tons of green fruit. Teamsters commenced delivering lumber for the building on Wednesday last. Mr. Hinshaw is now making his fruit trays at House's wagon shop. Farmers and orchardists will find a ready market for fruit at this evaporator. The employees will number about 20 people.

I. A. Macrum who has been a resident of this county at Forest Grove for ten or a dozen years, died at his home on Wednesday last August 13, of diabetes, aged 60 years. The funeral will be from the late residence of the deceased at 10 o'clock this morning, Aug. 15. Macrum came to Oregon thirty-two years ago, settling first at Oregon City. He then practiced law in Portland till the Willamette Savings bank was opened when he went there as cashier. When the Merchants National bank was opened he took the same station in it. Later he was railroad commissioner. Up to within six months he had been in the employ of the government as a forest inspector. A widow and six children survive.

Practically Starving.

"After using a few bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure my wife received perfect and permanent relief from a severe and chronic case of stomach trouble," says J. R. Holly, real estate insurance and loan agent, of Macomb, Ill. "Before using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she could not eat an ordinary meal without intense suffering.

ADVERTISE THE COUNTY.

At a meeting of the citizens of Washington county, held at Hillsboro July 25, 1902, for the purpose of meeting with the advertising agents of the Harriman rail road lines, we pledged to furnish 100,000 copies of a suitable pamplet descriptive of Washington county and its resources which the same railroad has agreed to distribute for us in the East in a systematic and thorough manner, free of charge to us, from which our county would derive its proportionate share of the large immigration from the East, which the reduction of passenger fare for the months of September and October of present year are sure to bring to the coast. Hence it now becomes the duty of every citizen of this county to put his "shoulder to the wheel" and assist in bringing this undertaking to a successful issue. To do this, it will be necessary to raise funds for printing literature. The question naturally arises, which is the best method, by circulating a petition or an appropriation by the county court? The latter seems to be the most equitable. This brings a proposition in which every part of the county is equally interested. The benefits derived would effect all portions of the county alike, hence an appropriation by the county court of the public funds would be born by all in the right proportion, while on the subscription plan a few willing givers would have to contribute the money, while the unwilling would, by hanging back, receive the same benefits—get off free. Other counties have pledged literature and have appropriated funds and will get their literature in the hands of the homeseeker at once, and realizing immediate results through September and October. Will we, the taxpayers of Washington county do likewise? Or will we allow this grand opportunity to go by to other more enterprising counties?

In case our county court should not see its way clear to make an appropriation for this purpose without getting the sentiments of the taxpayers first, would it not be well for the taxpayers to express their wishes in regard to this matter by addressing the court by letter or otherwise. This is not a request for a donation but strictly a business proposition—an investment—a proposition which will add to our population, thereby adding to our ability to pay taxes. If our taxes seem high to us now then let us grasp this opportunity to increase our taxable property by inviting men with capital to settle in our county.

We will now leave this matter in the hands of the taxpayers of Washington county. A few men may start an enterprise like this but it requires the united efforts of all to carry it through. If you will act upon the suggestions set forth in the circular which appears in this issue, sign it and mail, thereby authorizing our county court to help this matter along and thus stand where we belong in the front ranks, among the best counties in our grand state. And if you decide not to comply with the above suggestion, we will then have to be content to remain in the old rut, while other counties will receive that which we might have had. And in regard to the county exhibit at the state fair, it is equally important to show to the visiting public the products of our soil, for if we fail to advertise and fail to show what we produce then we will certainly be in a sad plight.

Hillsboro Board of Trade.
F. M. Heidel, Sec.

CUT THIS OUT.

Sign, and mail to Secretary Hillsboro Board of Trade, Hillsboro, Or.

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I the undersigned do most respectfully petition the Washington county court to make an appropriation of $100 for a Weshington county exhibit at the state fair and $500 for the purpose of printing 100,000 copies of a pamplet, setting forth the resources of Washington county for the Harriman railroad lines to distribute in the East.

Signed.....

Taxpayer.

Shot In His Leg.

For all kinds of sores, burns, bruises or other wounds, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a sure cure. Skin diseases yield to it at once. Never fails in cases of piles. Cooling and healing. None genuine but De Witt's. Beware of counterfeits. "I suffered for many years from a sore caused by a gun shot wound in my left leg," says A. S. Fuller, English, Ind. "It would not heal and gave me much trouble. I used all kinds of remedies to no purpose until I tried De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me." Delta drug store.

Seal of Minnesota cigars at McCormick's.

A SLUGGING MATCH

The game of base ball between the Diamond Ws and the Waverleys was a slugging match in which the home team came out on top, and won the game by a score of 13 to 5. Except for an unfortunate play by Cook who made a sensational stop of a hot grounder in which he could not recover himself, threw wild to Suess, the visitors might have been presented with a shutout. The fireworks started in the first inning when Suess the first man up drew a 2-bagger but was thrown out as Hatch went to first. The next man up was Mills, who made a hit and Hatch went to third. Mills started to walk to second and in the mixup Hatch scored, amid the applause of the crowd. It was the first time on the home field a play of the kind has been made. Nothing was doing until the fourth inning when the Waverleys made 4 runs, and when the locals came to the bat in that inning the first two flew out and then the heavy batting of the game was done. When the third out was made nine of the locals had crossed the plate.

A sensational play was made by Hatch who threw out a man at home by a long throw from center field. Leavit gave his only free pass to the first man up, and he in turn wanted to try Suess' arm, and he soon found out, as he was caught at second with 20 feet to spare. Cook put up a fine game, being credited with 7 putouts and 4 assists. The ball fans were happy when they saw Suess don his mask and go behind the bat and he did not disappoint them in the least. All the home boys played winning ball. For the visitors Emerich at short and Muley at third put up the best ball.

The lineup:—

Diamond W	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Suess c	5	2	3	5	2	0
Hatch c f	5	2	2	0	1	0
Mills 1 f	5	1	3	2	0	1
Cook 2 b	5	1	2	7	4	1
Leavitt p	5	2	3	2	2	0
Wann r f	5	1	1	1	0	1
Croisant 3 b	5	1	3	4	0	0
Mueller 1 b	5	1	2	5	1	3
Hare s s	5	2	2	1	4	2
Total	45	13	21	27	14	8

Waverley	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Emrich s s	5	0	1	2	3	1
Anderson c f	5	0	0	1	0	1
Heitman c	5	1	2	6	0	0
Austin 1 b	5	1	2	10	0	1
Frey l f	5	1	1	1	0	1
Foley 2 c	4	1	1	2	1	2
Letto p	4	1	1	0	0	0
Muley 3 b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Arthur r f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Total	42	5	9	24	6	6

Score by innings:—

Diamond W 1 0 0 9 0 0 2 1 *—13
Waverley 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 1— 5

Earned runs, Diamond Ws 7.
Two-base hits, Suess 2, Croisant 2, Mills, Muley.
Three-base hits, Hatch, Leavitt.
Bases on balls, Leavitt 1.
Struck out by Leavitt 4, Letto 5.
Double play, Leavitt to Mueller.
Stolen bases, Hatch, Mills, Leavitt 2, Hare, Austin.
Time of game 1:30.
Umpire, Ora Cook.

COURT HOUSE.

PROBATE

Est H O Christenson deed. Final account filed and Sept 8 set for examination.

Est E F Sutherland deed. Legal service not having been made, ordered that personal service be again made on heirs and persons interested requiring them to appear Aug 18 and answer the petition asking for authority to sell land. Wm Fletcher appointed guardian ad litum of minors.

Est Wm G Irvine ded. Ordered that citation be served on heirs and parties interested to appear Sept 8 and answer petition asking for power to sell land.

Est Wm Anna Baker deed. Final account filed and Sept 8 set for examination.

Est H B Baker deed. Final account filed and Sept 8 set for examination.

Est Geo G Alexander deed. Administrators sale of realty confirmed.

Est H L Smock deed. Inventory filed. It carries property valued at $1327.45.

Est Abner M Vaughn deed. Will admitted to probate, Chas D Vaughn appointed executor to serve without bonds, appraisers Phillip French, Wilson Bump and Wm Davis. A petition to set asfde the will was filed Aug 12 and citation issued requiring the executor to appear Sept 1 to answer.

Est Thos Stewart deed, final account approved and the estate will be closed of record when the administrator-with-the-will-annexed shall file the receipts of the advisees under the will for their distributive shares.

Est Eva and Hattie C Norman minors, annual report of guardian filed and approved. Receipts $1 37.80; disbursements $126.16.

Est Ben E Jones deed, ordered that citiation be served on Evan Jones by publication.

Est John Sommers insane, report of receipts $5047.80, disbursements $1510.04, balance on hand $3537.26.

COMMISSIONERS COURT

The bids for building the Alex Chalmers bridge were opened. They were:

D B Reasoner	$290
J W Vendervelden	275
M S Dailey	186

The contract was awarded to M S Dailey for $186.

The bids for building the Beilingher bridge were:

M S Dailey	$170
J W Vandervelden	190
Wm Nelson	235

M S Dailey gets the contract.

Marriage License

License to wed was issued Aug 7, to Lewis Foerster 34 and Melaine Stein 22.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, ORE., AUG. 8, 1902.

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, Ernest Lorenz of Hayward County of Washington State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5750, for the purchase of s½ of the N E ¼, S E ¼ of N W ¼ Sec 8 in T 2 North Range Number 4 W, 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 County Clerk of Washington county at Hillsboro, Oregon, on Monday, the 20th day of October, 1902.

He names as witnesses:

S. Paisly of Hayward, Oregon
Hermann Hunger " " "
Nick Bothman " " "
John Boos " " "

Any and all persons claiming adversly the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of October, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES,
Register.

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Treasurer's Notice.

All county warrants of Washington county endorsed or not endorsed will be due and payable on and after August 11, 1902, and interest will cease at that date.

Wm Jackson,
County Treasurer.

Dated August 7, 1902. 12

We do not claim to have a large stock. Our stock is small.
But what goods we have are the very best money can buy.
We sell everything at a reasonable price and have a lot of special goods at genuine snaps.
We want to give satisfaction.
We want you to be pleased.
You will be.
While our stock is small, yet it is all new, up-to-date and well selected.
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