

A new roof has been put on the Pelton property on Washington street.

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

The fruit evaporator plant is enclosed and the floor laid and the masons are at work on the furnace.

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

Mrs. Sylvan Powell Tucker is visiting with her parents this week. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Powell.

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

Mechanics have put new timbers under the floors of the brick building occupied by R. H. Green, groceries, and W. D. Hare, stores, hardware and groceries. Judging from the pile of rotten wood removed it is a surprise that the floor held up at all.

The sending of a Washington county exhibit to the Topeka, Kansas, state fair, has been abandoned. It was prepared, but there is no money for freight and the railroads would not carry it without remuneration. The fair opens next Tuesday.

Dr. A. B. Bailey will be ready to receive patients next Monday in his dental parlors in the Bailey-Morgan block, corner Second and Main streets, rooms 10 and 11 up stairs. The doctor is well known and needs no other announcement than that he is here.

Hon. S. B. Huston and family have returned from the coast. The boys say that it is true that they went two days ahead of Mr. and Mrs. Huston and opened the house, but that it was their sister, Miss Blanch who put the rooms in order for the summer residence.

It is reported that in some neighborhoods the farmers are strawing the public highway with the very best results. The straw loosely spread on the roads prevents the deep dust from raising, and makes the way much smoother. With straw on the road, it does not wear into ruts as it does when not so protected. How the winter rains will effect the track is yet to be tried.

Those who have occasion to drive into the country declare that never before has the dust been so deep or so ready to float in the air. This perhaps is due to the increased travel which comes with the denser population and the length of time since a rain. The last rain of any amount fell July 2, more than two months ago. Some places near by have had a little rain, but Hillsboro can claim the distinction of having none, only a few clouds.

Right of way agents are along the line of the electric railway taking contracts for right of way. We of Washington county seem to be the laggards. This is due to the difficulty in getting men who have time for the work. Records had to be searched, descriptions written and owners interviewed. The number of men in town familiar with the work are few and the Board of Trade has to wait its turn. Graders will be moving dirt however, within the next six weeks.

County Commissioner Ward brought from his farm yesterday a fine sample of wheat, another of oats and a third of timothy. These will go with the county exhibit to the state fair. Mr. Ward estimates that the wheat is equal to 40 bushels per acre and the oats 60, though it is possible that a lower yield will be realized because of the dry, hot summer. Mr. Ward holds two medals for best display of grain. One was conferred by the Buffalo Pan-American Exposition and the other by the Charleston, S. C., Exposition.

This is a dangerous time to burn a slashing of small brush yet there are several in the county to fire. A gentleman who has had much experience with forest fires, this week remarked in a company that was exchanging views, that a slashing ought to be fired when there is a wind, because then it can be guessed which way the fire will go and its destructive tendency can be guarded against. A fire set on a calm day will create local currents and no one can know where they will carry fire brands. Most of such fires are attended with whirlwinds that will carry lighted torches to unlooked for places. Burn when there is a steady breeze to carry fire where it can be controlled.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, in a circular bearing date of August 23, calls attention to the game laws enacted to protect game in the several states and how easy it is for persons to ignorantly violate the provisions of the statutes. When shipments of game are made from one state to another the rules of interstate commerce regulate and the shipper and consignee are liable to have the officers of Uncle Sam making enquiries. The circular mentions one class of birds that generally receive especial attention. The paragraph reads: "Robins, swallows, cedar birds, meadowlarks, flickers, night hawks or bull bats, and a few other insectivorous species, as well as such birds as longspurs, snow buntings and shore larks, which are useful in destroying seeds of weeds, are occasionally killed as game. They are, however, generally protected, and under no circumstances should they be sent to market or shipped out of the state."

Mr. E. B. Tongue started to Everett, Washington, on Tuesday evening last, where he will meet his coils that are to be speeded on the Everett track. Mr. Tongue is quite well pleased with the showing his horses made at Seattle. He entered in six events and got money each time though he won no first places. The horses at Seattle were the best that ever come together in the Northwest, indeed one filly has no superior in the United States or at least a superior has not been shown. These animals came from all parts of the country. Even Canada had a representative. Tongue saved his animals for the Salem speed trials where he expects to show something nice.

Mike Sussbauer who lives a mile or more north of Cornelius burned a plat of slating on Tuesday last. He guarded the fire well at the edges but looking across a field a half mile away he saw two grain stacks adrift near George Sussbauer's barn. The men started for the new point of danger. In passing the hop house they saw fire creeping to it. This they extinguished and continued the run to the grain stacks. By this time all the grain was burning and the fence that joined up to the barn less than 20 yards away. More help arrived and the fence was torn away so that the building was saved. Loss of grain 600 or 700 bushels, wheat and oats. The whole year's crop destroyed. No insurance.

About four o'clock Tuesday morning the building in Greenville occupied by Peter Vandenberg for a saloon was fired and with its contents burned. An employee who slept on the premises states that the fire originated on the outside, from which circumstance it is thought that it was of incendiary origin. Vandenberg commenced business about a month ago. The loss on building and stock will foot up \$400 to \$600. The amount of insurance if any is not stated.

County Commissioner Ward of Gaston lost a six-year-old work horse last Monday valued at \$150. The animal was hitted in his usual place on the self-blinder Monday morning and worked as usual for an hour when in turning it was seen that one of his hind legs showed weakness. The horse was taken from the harness and headed for the barn but he never got there though he did not die for several hours. It is thought that the ailment was in the kidneys, but the usual remedies failed.

Mrs. Allison who has been a semi-invalid for many years, is rather in worse condition this week than usual. Her family is much concerned as to the favorable turn of the present attack. There seems to be a complete failure of the digestive organs and unless relief comes soon there is not much hope of recovery.

There are a good many strangers coming into the county this summer and fall, and about all the snap bargains in farms are gone, but there are some exceptions. S. S. Barnes has a few fine bargains in farms and some city property. Talk them over with him at his office on Second street, Hillsboro.

It is true that Wm. Bagley has bought the Phelps property on Second street but it is Geo. B. Bagley who is to occupy the residence. Wm. Bagley cannot leave his farm nor does he desire to do so.

Dean W. N. Ferrin of Pacific University will occupy the pulpit in the Congregational church, Hillsboro, next Sunday, Sept. 7, at 11 o'clock a. m.

L. W. House has put a new shingle roof on his lumber shed.

The prolonged dry weather is hard on corn. Remove them with the Delta Corn Cure.

Lost—Time, patience and money by using an inferior article. Get a pair of Clans Shears at The Delta and be happy.

Mr. H. L. Boardman, president of McMinnville College, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday at 11 a. m. He will also preach at the Methodist church at 8 p. m.

Mr. Crocker who did some excavating and filling on a wagon road near Greenville a fortnight ago, got a good dose of intermittent fever, and is now daily shaking with an ague chill and then burning a few hours with the fever. Of course the disease is not very dangerous, but it makes a man feel bad.

Mrs. Buckner of West York, Ill., visited with Mr. Benton Bowman and family this week. Mrs. Buckner has been visiting her son in Portland for several weeks. She started for her Eastern home on Tuesday morning last. Her daughter came with her, but the young woman elects to stay and work in the public schools of the state.

A gentleman who frequently passes between Hillsboro and Forest Grove and sometimes at night suggests that lanterns should be placed at two or three narrow places through the Dairy creek bottom till the long bridge is again open to travel. He finds that the narrow opening through the brush going to the lowlands is as dark as a pocket, and really a dangerous place in the night for a stranger.

The first full cargo of barley to be shipped from Portland and Oregon cleared last week for South Africa where it will be used to feed the mules we sent there last year. The mules were then used in transporting war materials, but it is devoutly to be hoped that now the war is over, they will be turned to civil traffic, and that there will be a market opened for our grain that will not depend upon war.

There is some complaint of short crops of wheat, but on the other hand there are instances where there is satisfaction. Mr. Thos. H. Tongue has just threshed the wheat from two fields that together contain 75 acres. The yield is 1650 bushels or 22 to the acre. The crop is the third consecutive sowing to wheat. The fields at different times have been in clover but it was more than three years ago. Sheep pastured in the fields last winter and no doubt kept the Hessian fly in check.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture is alert in introducing new plants into this country that are recommended by our consuls abroad to be desirable. Sometimes the introduction is a success and sometimes not, either because our climate is against the experiment or because the bush in its native soil, apparently desirable when compared with ours, is really inferior. An experiment in mind is a new hop vine that the Department, at Congressman Tongue's instance, has sent to this country. Messrs. Imbrie, Jas. H. Sewell and William Bagley received plants. In one instance they did not grow, but in the other yards they lived and grew luxuriantly, but they bear no hops, at least not prolific, like the English Cluster which is the variety usually cultivated. The foreign vines have been out two years. They are pronounced a failure at least for this climate and in comparison with the variety already here. The immigrants do not send out arms on which the hop cones can grow.

In the cable press reports which reached American readers after the destruction of St. Pierre, it will be remembered that considerable emphasis was placed on the fears entertained in Martinique of the well known author and magazine writer, Mr. George Kennan, had perished in an attempt to scale Mont Pelee. Happily, the rumors proved groundless, although if the ascent by Mr. Kennan in company with Professor Holprin had been delayed one day, they would undoubtedly have been destroyed by the greatest volcanic eruption of those which followed the fatality of May 8. Mr. Kennan's story of his experiences and of his observations made in a thorough exploration of the devastated region, form a thrilling story, and will make for the general reader the best obtainable history of what happened in Martinique and of the scientific causes. Mr. Kennan's account has been running in serial form in The Outlook, and will be published in book form under the title "The Tragedy of Pelee" by the Outlook Company. The book will be fully illustrated with photographs taken by Mr. Kennan and others.

A FAST GAME.

In one of the snappiest games ever played in Washington county the Waverley's were defeated on the Park grounds last Sunday by the Diamond Ws in a 10-inning game by a score of 6 to 5. There were several knockers on the ground who said the home team would get best, as Sappington was in the box, but they went away with a decidedly different opinion. Sap, pitched fine ball, not losing a free pass and the four hits of his delivery were through as many innings, and when a bit meant runs he made them maul the air. Gammon, the one-armed pitcher for the visitors also pitched good ball but seemed unable to scatter the hits. The home team presented a new lineup, Barrett being behind the bat, Vanderzander on first, Hatch on second and Allison in the field. As usual Mills was the stir fielder of the day, having scooped in five flies. He also got a 3-base hit in the first inning, after Hatch singled, scoring Hatch for an earned run. Several errors were made on both sides which were costly. The home boys had the game well in hand until the seventh when the visitors made two runs, and in the ninth they made another, tying the score, and another inning was necessary. In the tenth the Waverleys were shut out, and when the home boys came to the bat Barrett flew out to the third baseman and Allison who had previously been hitting air surprised himself and knocked a clean 2-bagger. Next up was Wann, who sent a hot one through the second baseman's territory, wearing Allison and winning the game.

A. C. Shute umpired the game and was acknowledged by all to be the best on the grounds this season. One Portland player said he had a voice like a fog-horn, but that is what the people want, an umpire who will let them know what is going on in the game, and not have to guess at a decision. Both teams put up good ball and it was one of the most interesting games played this year.

If a Man Lie to You
And say some other salve, ointment, lotion, oil or alleged healer is as good as Bucklin's Arnica Salve, tell him thirty years of marvelous cures of piles, burns, boils, corns, fells, ulcers, cuts, scalds, bruises and skin eruptions prove it's the best and cheapest. 25c at Bailey's Pharmacy.

DEATH'S LERKING.

In a trolley car accident that was one of the events last Wednesday, near Pittsfield, Mass., President Roosevelt narrowly escaped death. The President, with the governor of the state, the President's private secretary and a special guard was in a landau drawn by four horses, sight seeing through the country. The coachman was driving over the railroad on a crossing when a trolley car carrying at a speed of 30 miles struck the coach and threw the occupants to the ground. Craig, the guard was instantly killed. The coachman was hurt so that he died. The President received a considerable scalp wound but is not seriously injured. The trolley driver and the conductor have been arrested, probably on a charge of maintaining too great a speed at road crossings. There was carelessness somewhere. The coachman, if in fault, has received his punishment. If the others violated a regulation their's will follow.

Neglect Means Danger.
Don't neglect biliousness and constipation. Your health will suffer permanently if you do. De Witt's Little Early Risers cure such cases. M. B. Smith, Bottler, Mich., says "De Witt's Little Early Risers are the most satisfactory pills I ever took. Never gripe or cause nausea." Delta drug store.

ELKS' CARNIVAL AT PORTLAND.

For the Elks' Carnival the Southern Pacific Co. will sell tickets from all stations in Oregon to Portland and return on August 31, September 1st and 5th to 11th inclusive, at greatly reduced rates. Account "Elks' Day" tickets will be sold on Sept. 3rd and 4th at one fare for the round trip, with a maximum of \$9. Special attractions have been provided, which will make this carnival the finest ever held on the Coast. Grand parades every day in which the beautiful Queen of the Carnival will appear before her admiring subjects.

Don't fail to visit the Midway Plaisance, German Village and Jacob's Oriental Extravaganza. If you stay at home you will spend the rest of your life regretting it.

E. W. Brown
This signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

The Diamond Ws will meet the Sunnyside Woodmen team Sunday at Recreation Park.

The town marshal has impounded a brown horse about 3 years old. If the owner does not appear and recover said animal on or before Sept. 11, 1902, it will be sold.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church has purchased a new Etey organ for the auditory of the church. It has been installed and will be used for the first time next Sunday morning. The instrument is a good one and is said to have the best combination of stops used in any instrument of its class.

COURT HOUSE.

COUNTY COURT—LAW.
Albert Dixon was before the court on a charge of insanity. Witnesses examined as to past actions and medically examined by J. P. Tameis M. D. From the testimony the court finds that the patient is of sound mind wherefore the accused was discharged.

PROBATE.

Est Thos Britcher decd. The required receipts having been filed and estate closed of record.

Est Jno W Lemmon, feeble mind, appraisers Larkin Reynolds, Jacob Wismer and J J Kurath.

Est John Hanley decd. Final account allowed. The real estate is turned over to the custody of legatees and money distributed as per report and estate closed of record.

Est Wm G Irvine decd. Ordered that Benton Bowman be appointed guardian ad-litem of minors, ordered further that the real estate be sold at private sale after Oct 4 for cash in hand.

Est Geo Alexander decd. Administrator's sale of real estate confirmed.

Marriage License.
License to wed was issued August 2, to Robert L Wymore 22 and Bessie M Shaver 19.

EXPOUNDS MONROE DOCTRINE.

Roosevelt Says it Does Not Mean Aggressiveness.
Rutland, Vt., Sept. 2.—President Roosevelt, after a stay of thirty-six hours on the shores of Lake Champlain as the guest of Secretary L. M. Shaw and of Dr. W. Seward Webb, resumed his tour of New England yesterday. He reached Burlington from Shelburne Farms, Dr. Webb's home, during the forenoon and was given an hour's drive through the city. The drive extended to Green Mount cemetery, where the President viewed the grave of Ethan Allen, and to Battery park. Crowds cheered the President wherever he went and at the station there was a large gathering to witness his departure. Secretary of the Treasury Shaw joined the President at the station. Several stops not scheduled were made. Stops were made at Middlebury, Brandon and Vergennes, at each of which places the President spoke briefly.

A half hour's stop was made at Proctor, the home of Senator Proctor. The President delivered an address from the steps of the Senator's residence, and in the discourse of it made some significant remarks with regard to the Monroe doctrine. Senator Proctor introduced the President. After thanking the people for their greeting, the President said: "We believe in the Monroe doctrine, not as a means of aggression at all, it does not mean that we are aggressive toward any power. It means merely that as the biggest power on this continent we remain steadfastly true to the principle first formulated under the Presidency of Monroe, through John Quincy Adams—the principle that this continent must not be treated as a subject for political colonization by any European power. As I say, that is not an aggressive doctrine. It is a doctrine of peace to secure the chance on this continent for the United States here to develop peacefully along their own lines. Now we have formulated that doctrine. If our formulation consists simply of statements on the stump or on paper, they are not worth the breath that utters them, or the paper on which they are written. Remember that the Monroe doctrine will be respected as long as we have a first-class, efficient navy and not very much longer. In private life he who asserts something and says what he is going to do and does not back it up is always a contemptible creature, and as a nation the last thing we can afford to do is to take a position which we do not intend to try to make good. Braggings and boasting in private life are almost always the signs of a weak man, and a weak man, and a nation that is strong does not need to have its public men boast or brag on its account. Least of all does a self-respecting nation wish its public representatives to threaten or menace or insult another power. Our attitude toward all powers must be one of such dignified courtesy and respect as we intend that they shall show us in return. We must be willing to give the friendly regard that we expect from them. We must not more wrong them than we must submit to wronging by them, but when we take a position let us remember that our holding it depends upon ourselves, depends upon our showing that we have the ability to hold it."

WANTED
Fresh Eggs & Poultry
We Pay
Highest Cash Price.
Mrs. Beckwith & Mrs. Fuller
Cor. Oak and Second Sts. Hillsboro, Ore.

GET A BEAUTIFUL DOLL FREE
With every cash purchase to the amount of \$5 on Shoes, Hosiery, Rubber Goods and Gloves, I will give away a beautiful doll.
These dolls are not of the flimsy, worthless kind but are strong and well made, suitable for a gift to some pretty little girl who will appreciate it and one she will not be ashamed to show.
Come early and get one as they are limited and as soon as present stock is exhausted this offer will be withdrawn.
JOHN DENNIS.

REAL ESTATE.		Treasurer's Notice.	
A B Nerrway to Jold M Cress 160 a sec 18 t 3 n r 5 w.....		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.	
G W Beall and w to John M Beall 178 b 2 town of Gaston.....		Wm Jackson, County Treasurer.	
A Baldwin and w to Mary Wheeler e 1/3 Walker add Forest Grove.....		Dated August 7, 1902.	
E H Jeter et al to W A Spence 16 b 2 town of Gaston.....		Notice of Responsibility.	
Geo Creder and w to E E Watts parts sec 21 25 t 1 s r 3 w.....		August 28, 1902.	
A S Shaw to Danl Fabey 50 a sec 13 t 1 s r 2 w.....		The undersigned will not be responsible for any debts public or private contracted by Miss Ada Thompson of Forest Grove, Oregon, Washington county from this date.	
Arthur Williams to John Schroeder Lumber Co 160 a sec 10 t 1 s r 6 w.....		Mr. & Mrs. N. J. Goodwin.	
John M Wall to A B Bailey 1 b 2 Thorns add to Hillsboro.....			
Zeno B Druan to Jno Schroeder Lumber Co 161 a sec 6 t 1 s r 5 w.....		NOT A RELIEF BUT A CURE	
John M Wall to Benton Bowman 13 b 5 Simmons add to Hillsboro.....		OLENTMENTS	
Ed W Murphy to John Schroeder Lumber Co 160 a sec 12 t 1 s r 6 w.....		and suppositories will not positively cannot, do more than relieve you.	
Wm C Poff to John Schroeder Lumber Co 160 a sec 31 t 1 s r 5 w.....		It requires an internal remedy to remove the cause and effect a permanent cure.	
Laurel M Irwin to John Schroeder Lumber Co ne 1/3 sec 22 t 1 n r 5 w.....		Ask your druggist for Dr. Perrin's booklet on the subject.	
Sam L Beary to Jno Schroeder Lumber Co 160 a sec 10 t 1 s r 6 w.....		PERRIN'S PILE SPECIFIC	
W W Trudall to W W Beardsley 50 a sec 35 t 1 s r 2 w.....		BEST FOR THE BOWELS	
Nancy J Banks to J J Hatfield 125 a sec 31 t 2 n r 3 w.....		If you have a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you are well. If not, you are not well. Buy a box of Dr. Perrin's Candy Cathartic, and you will be well. It is the best of all purgatives. It is the only one that does not hurt. It is the only one that does not create a habit. It is the only one that does not cost a fortune. It is the only one that is worth the money. It is the only one that is worth the trouble. It is the only one that is worth the time. It is the only one that is worth the effort. It is the only one that is worth the pain. It is the only one that is worth the sweat. It is the only one that is worth the tears. It is the only one that is worth the blood. It is the only one that is worth the life. It is the only one that is worth the soul. It is the only one that is worth the spirit. It is the only one that is worth the mind. It is the only one that is worth the heart. It is the only one that is worth the lungs. It is the only one that is worth the liver. It is the only one that is worth the stomach. It is the only one that is worth the intestines. It is the only one that is worth the bladder. It is the only one that is worth the kidneys. It is the only one that is worth the spleen. It is the only one that is worth the pancreas. It is the only one that is worth the gallbladder. It is the only one that is worth the biliary system. It is the only one that is worth the circulatory system. It is the only one that is worth the respiratory system. It is the only one that is worth the digestive system. It is the only one that is worth the excretory system. It is the only one that is worth the reproductive system. It is the only one that is worth the nervous system. It is the only one that is worth the muscular system. It is the only one that is worth the skeletal system. It is the only one that is worth the integumentary system. It is the only one that is worth the endocrine system. It is the only one that is worth the immune system. It is the only one that is worth the lymphatic system. It is the only one that is worth the circulatory system. It is the only one that is worth the respiratory system. It is the only one that is worth the digestive system. It is the only one that is worth the excretory system. It is the only one that is worth the reproductive system. It is the only one that is worth the nervous system. It is the only one that is worth the muscular system. It is the only one that is worth the skeletal system. It is the only one that is worth the integumentary system. It is the only one that is worth the endocrine system. It is the only one that is worth the immune system. It is the only one that is worth the lymphatic system.	
B F Parly to Fred Rounds 5a Harper decd.....			
First Nat Bank Hillsboro to Wm Bagley 19 10 b 6 Th, m add to Hillsboro.....		KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN	
TO THE PUBLIC.		Heidel & Wall.	

This being the last issue of this paper before we will ship our exhibit to the state fair, we will make a final call for good specimens which any one may have; we urgently request you to send in what you have at once as it is too late for us to call for same. We must ship by the 11th of this month. We are short on vegetables of all kinds and we sincerely hope that those having good vegetables of any kind will bring them in; not later than the 10. Also, any of good fruit as well as good plump threshed grain. This can be returned if desired after the fair.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Purely
Dr. J. C. Williams