

Subscribe for the INDEPENDENT.

Chase & Sanborn coffee at John Dennis.

Ladies shoes to please anybody at John Dennis.

Mrs. J. Smith of this city, has moved her home to Eugene.

Try our pickled pigs feet. Messenger Trading Company.

A concert will be given in the court yard next Saturday by the band.

C. E. Deichman, and wife of Beaverton visited Hillsboro friends yesterday.

Have you tried those large Olives just received by Messenger Trading Company.

Go to John Dennis when in need of groceries. His stock is full and complete.

Mrs. Sarah J. Waters, of Forest Grove, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Wilkes.

For sale, A registered Jersey Cow, color light, a bargain, A. Weinert, Tigardville, Oregon.

S. T. Moffit, of Newberg, was in Hillsboro yesterday doing business at the court house.

Mr. Fred Vrooman left Wednesday morning for Newport for a month on the beach.

When you want a good shoe, where do you go? All people who have tried Dennis are still patronizing him.

Mrs. Geo. Grayson son Carl and John Loomis, of Tillamook City are visiting this week at the home of T. S. Weathered.

Mr. and Mrs. R. U. McNutt, of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris of St. Helens, visited Sunday with R. B. Imbrie.

Wm. Siegrist, of Chehalis, Washington, who is in the jewelry business at that place is visiting with his mother this week.

New gun! E. L. McCormick has received his new shot gun. Call in and pick out your gun before the game law opens.

Jabez Wilkes and his daughter, Mrs. Elsie Schulerich, left Wednesday morning for Newport, where they will recreate for a few weeks.

Miss Carrie Haley, of Independence, who taught school last year has moved with her parents to Forest Grove. Miss Haley will teach in the Grove school the coming winter.

Rev. Edward Curran, of Forest Grove, who is to take the pastorate of the Congregational Church of this city on September 1st, visited Hillsboro Wednesday.

Thomas Davis, who owns a farm just north of town, is filling his ware house with hay this week. He has nearly 500 tons of as fine hay as ever was put on the market.

Deputy sheriff Max Crandall has a leave of absence for one month. He goes to Baker City where he will help Clark and Buchanan expert the books of the county officials.

The importers of Chase & Sanborn coffee do not ship any until it has reached the right age to be good. Age is what makes coffee. John Dennis carries this celebrated brand of coffee.

Two Salvation Army workers from Oregon City spent yesterday in our city. They held a meeting at the Methodist church in the evening and a large crowd listened to instruction argument and sweet songs.

The Messenger Trading Company have made arrangements with Eli Heinicke to have home creamery. This butter is as good as any creamery butter and people who use it will have no other. Butter is scarce and this company are making special efforts to please their trade.

O. H. Loomis met with a painful accident last Monday while at work loading piling near the S. P. depot. In some manner he was caught by a binding chain, severely spraining his ankle. Dr. F. J. Bailey has him under his care and hopes in a few days to have him straightened out.

Most ladies are as fastidious of the corsets they wear as they are of a shoe or a hat. And as a hint to the well dressed lady I would say "buy the R & G" at Hoyt's Dry Goods Store. Hoyt also has corset covers, vests, hose and all kinds of ladies' wear. Its really surprising to one who has not noticed, what a varied and neat up-to-date stock of such wear he has.

Hoyt does not carry a line of coats, ready made "hand-me-downs." That class of goods is all right, but most men would rather have a tailor made suit which fits each curve of the body and gives a fellow a natty, well dressed appearance, than buy a "hand-me-down" when he can get a tailor suit of as good, if not a little better stuff for the same money. Hoyt is agent for the largest and best tailors in the United States and he will guarantee an absolute fit. 1000 samples to select from. Call and see latest fall samples at Hoyt's Dry Goods Store.

Mr. Geo. Gammie, Manager of the Oak Hill Stock Farm at North Yamhill, was in Hillsboro Tuesday. He says he will have a finer show herd of short horns at the state fair this fall than ever before. Last year this noted farm won the majority of prizes and as Oscar Minor has been sent buying to improve his herd, we can expect to see some of the finest stock at the fair that ever assembled on the Pacific coast.

A party of United Artisans went to North Yamhill last evening to assist Mrs. Jennie McE Galbreath in organizing an assembly at that city. Those who went were; J. B. Wilkes, John H. Gault, Carl Moe, Fred Heidel, Lloyd Tupper, Wm. Adams, Mrs. Mary Humphreys, Miss Beulah Blood, Miss Elith Moe, Miss Minnie Heidel, Miss Lala Baragrover, Miss Estella Tibbury, Lloyd Tibbury and Gilbert Tibbury.

How many people have been fooled by the cry "wool! wool!" when no wool was near. That is the way with many who offer bargains in the newspapers of the land. But there is one concern we are glad to say that you may depend upon when they say. When a "bargain" is offered it is a real bargain and a big value for the money. When Hoyt advertises read what he says and you can bank on its truth.

A special train passed through Hillsboro Monday evening carrying Dr. McKenzie, of Portland, enroute to Corvallis. The Doctor was called to operate on Mrs. George Ainsley for appendicitis. She never fully recovered from the operation and died at two o'clock the next morning. Mrs. Ainsley was married only three months ago and had just returned from a trip through Europe.

The evangelists Prof. and Mrs. F. W. Lough will hold services at the Methodist Church Monday evening August 24th. These noted people are from Indiana and are making a circuit of the Pacific coast. Prof. Lough is a fine singer and fluent speaker. No admission fee at the door and all should take this opportunity of an evenings entertainment.

W. H. Latourette, field secretary for McMinnville college was in this city Tuesday of this week in the interests of the college. Mr. Latourette says the college has nearly doubled in attendance in the past two years and expects no less than 200 students this year. Mr. Latourette is a graduate of Pacific University and well acquainted with several of our pioneers.

The railroad surveyors on the Oswego-Tualatin branch of the Southern Pacific expect to be on the West Side of the river in ten days. Because of the small tracts on land between Milwaukie and Oregon City, Engineer McCloud has found the location of the branch on the East Side very tedious, and more time was required than was at first anticipated.

The laborers cutting loose the drift on the west fork of Dairy Creek will have everything loose by tomorrow, Saturday night ready to be floated out at the first flood of the stream this fall. A mill is to be located at the Bellingier bridge, to which point the Creek will be cleaned of floating logs.

Hoyt has a "bargain" this month. It is a special in gents' underwear. A regular 45c to 50c garment, and as he got it way down by buying a lot, he can sell cheap and offers it to you for 25c per garment. A bargain and you will say so when you get it.

Mr. Fred L. Everson left Tuesday for Stanford, where he will take a course in Social Science and Economics preparatory to law. Mr. Everson was a sophomore at Pacific University but he enters the freshmen class at Stanford.

Buxton and surrounding neighborhood are without a blacksmith and a wheelwright. The village is a good location for a skilled mechanic, and especially if he works in both metal and wood, could do well there.

W. H. Gault and family passing through Hillsboro on Monday evening's train enroute to Wilson river. Elmer Pointer and wife, of Forest Grove, accompany them. They expect to fish for three weeks.

Miss Stella Goodin who has visited relatives in this county for the past two months went to Portland Sunday evening for a few weeks visit before returning to her school work at Grants Pass.

J. B. Wilkes is building an addition to his house this week. He could not hire carpenters as there were none idle, so he is doing the work himself.

A good pair of sucking colts to sell or will trade same for young cattle. Call on F. M. Heidel Hillsboro Ore.

Pres. W. N. Ferris, of Pacific University, passed through this city on the evening train from Portland.

Mrs. Emma Gardner, who lives in the east end of town will build a neat cottage in September.

Mr. J. H. Gay, moved his family to Portland this week.

C. A. Hoyt has gone to Albany to be absent about six weeks.

Miss Lucy Humphreys, is visiting at North Yamhill this week.

Mrs. W. D. Haro went to Astoria Tuesday to enjoy a few days of salt air.

Hon. W. H. Wehrung is in Southern Oregon this week in the interests of the state fair.

Mrs. Susan Marshall, of Los Angeles California is visiting with her niece Mrs. H. A. Ball.

Closely fitting suits of tar and feathers are being worn in Hillsboro—Oregonian.

Pearl Campbell has returned from Collins Hot Springs, Washington where he has been for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Gardner left Thursday morning for Newport where they will rest in salt air for a few days.

Mrs. George Leeb, of Lewiston, Idaho, is visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Archbold, of this city.

B. P. Cornelius has bought the Jim Campbell property corner 4th and Baseline streets, and is moving his family into the new home.

A. M. Carille and family, who have been at Seaside taking their summer outing returned last Tuesday evening as brown as coppers.

Miss Ruby Long, of Donsville, Wisconsin, visited with her brother L. A. Long this week. This is the first time they have met for eighteen years.

Montezuma Lodge No. 50 I. O. O. F. gave a picnic in Hale's grove last Wednesday. A large number of Odd Fellows and their wives were present to enjoy the occasion.

Mr. James H. Sewell states that while his hop crop is not quite up to what it was last year yet it will be much better than he had expected. He is at present repairing his dry house.

C. W. Ballens, traveling salesman for Bogher Force and Goodbar Hat Company, has purchased the Dennis property corner 5th and Washington streets and will move his family from Portland about September 1st.

J. A. Imbrie has purchased the lumber shed at the S. P. depot, belonging to Carstens Bros., and remodeled it for a hay ware house. He expects to place 200 tons there and sell it when the price suits him.

Sheriff Sewell, Al Taylor, O. G. Barlow, and El Wann last Monday struck to the mountains near Vernonia. The guns and ammunition they took with them would indicate that they expected to bring back a bear or two.

The residence of Sherman Bacon, near Beona was totally destroyed by fire last week. The fire occurred in the middle of the day and was caused by a defective flue. Mr. Bacon states that a twenty and several silver dollars were melted.

Diphtheric croup is in the family of Frank Owens, who lives at Cedar Mills. His little girls were visiting in Portland where they were exposed. One took the disease and died last Monday. The other two are now sick, but at this writing are doing nicely.

George Moreland, who went to Portland several weeks ago to clerk in a grocery store has returned home. He says that business is dull because so many people are at the coast that somebody had to lay off and as he was the last man on the force he was compelled to retire until business picked up again.

The Hillsboro—Farmington base ball game last Sunday was exciting and the official score was 10 to 11 in the latter's favor, but the scorer was a little off for the game was really a tie. Next Sunday the same nines will play at Recreation Park. Bring your ladies and have a time.

Mrs. T. C. Arns, of Phillips, died at Newport last Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Arns were at Newport for their health. Mrs. Arns went in bathing and the cold water was too much for her delicate condition. She was a school teacher of this county. Her body was taken east to her former home for burial.

It would seem that it would be only a matter of prudence for the drivers of traction engines to refrain from blowing steam whistles while passing through town. On Wednesday last the whistle of an engine standing in main street was blown without reason so far as the public could determine. The result was a team hitched to a back was stamped and the vehicle much broken up.

Mr. Frank Kelsey brought to the INDEPENDENT office this week bits of wood taken from a well now digging on his farm at a depth of 15 feet from the surface. How did the wood get there? Mr. Kelsey thinks very likely the Tualatin at some time flowed by that bank and that a drift dammed the stream when a new channel was made after which the old one was filled during the ages by washings from the hill.

Mr. L. E. Wilkes was surprised this week by receiving the U. S. Civil Service appointment of "Examiner of Surveys." While that is the title of his office in truth he is to be a special agent of the General Land Office. In times past it has been the practice when three squatters sent in an application for the survey upon which the applicants have settled, the department would advertise for bids and award the contract for the survey of the land in question. Now, however, the department will send a special agent on the land who will report whether or not the proposed settlement is in good faith or only a fake. Mr. Wilkes will have this inspection duty to perform. He is ordered first to Montana and will start the first of the week. He is subject to the orders of the Department and does not know where next he will be sent. His family remains here, of course.

The post office at Kinton has been discontinued to take effect after August 31. Patrons will be supplied from Sherwood. The reason for discontinuance is the establishment of a rural free delivery route. This information is from the department through Hon. Binger Herman, but the letter did not state the route of the Free Delivery or the central office though that is probably Sherwood.

The Hillsboro hotel is holding up its standard that landlord Jeremiah started several months ago when he took charge. His Sunday dinners are fine and always the best will be found on his tables.

A gathering of Hillsboro young people had a spread in Warren's grove last Saturday. About 90 were present and enjoyed a splendid supper served by the ladies.

Oils and paints are cheaper than ever before. Why not improve your home. Nelson Hardware Co. is competing with Portland prices.

Misses Mary and Susan and Master Leoland Steiner, of Fossil, Wheeler county, Oregon, are visiting at Dr. F. A. Bailey's this week.

A party of United Artisans enjoyed an evening dinner last Friday at Davis Hill. A happy crowd it was that celebrated the occasion.

Do your painting while oil is cheap. Buy of Nelson Hardware Co. and you get Portland prices.

COURT HOUSE.

PROBATE.

Est Mary Luck, deed, final account filed and approved. Real estate turned over to heir and bondsmen discharged.

Est Elmer W. Nelson, deed, last will and testament filed admitted to probate. As witnesses reside in Nebraska it was ordered that the county clerk of Johnson County Nebraska take testimony of the witnesses.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Marriage license were issued on Aug. 13 to Hiram W. Smith, 30, Miss Minnie Turney, 25; Aug. 15 to C. Harris, 23, Dessie Miller, 19; Aug. 17 to John B. Beck, 25, Jennie H. Hiddink, 23; Aug. 17 to John W. Ross, 27, Bertha May Whitaker, 21.

Hillsboro Preparatory School.

Rooms have been engaged over the Delta Drug Store for the private school to be opened September 21st by Mrs. R. H. Kennedy. Pupils will be fitted for any college, or will find a finishing course equivalent to a first class high school, Tuition, \$30 per term; two terms during the year. Special rates will be given those who desire only one or two studies. Desk room will be arranged for all who make engagements before September 1st. In order that such arrangements may be made and courses planned, students who intend to enter the school are requested to make application as soon as possible.

WHAT SOMETIMES HAPPENS.

The citizens of Hillsboro became angered at one D. J. Tromley, who alleges that he is a private detective from the east and this is a little history of him. He had made himself very obnoxious and frequently has threatened the life of different parties here. And when he began to cursing ladies and scaring them out of their wits a crowd organized to rid the town of such a scoundrel. He has been arrested several times and locked up in jail but this did not improve his conduct. Monday night he was lodged in the city jail for disorderly conduct. About 10.30 p. m. a crowd went to the jail broke the lock, and took Tromley out placed a rope about his neck and started for the old brick yard east of town. At first he took it as a joke but before he was half way there his tune changed and he commenced to argue his innocence and when he got there he begged for his life, yes when tar was mentioned he prayed for it.

There were probably 40 present and it is learned from good authority that they made life miserable for him. Some wanted to shoot, others wanted to hang, a few would whip and burn at the stake, but when he begged so

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and said he was not ready to die it was decided to apply a coat of tar and feathers. This was done and from what was learned from Chas. Steward where he stopped to clean up it would seem that the job was well done.

After a partial clean up he came back to town and every body turned out to finish him Tuesday night but he had left for the woods and there stayed until the next day when he went to Portland. He appeared yesterday in the Oregonian with threats but if he ever comes to Hillsboro he will certainly meet with harsh treatment.

GALES CREEK ITEMS.

On Tuesday of this week the little son and daughter of J. L. Loveing while at play at the foot of the hill near Mr. Culvers place saw a bear two cubs the little ones hurried home and reported but by the time Mr. Loveing got there some dogs had driven the bear away.

Miss Hossie Haden visited Forest Grove on Wednesday of this week.

On Saturday of last week the riding club passed through Gales Creek on its way through to Tillamook and on to Astoria.

Miss Jessie Dixon of Willamits is visiting her sister Mrs. Port Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Emerick of Lewis river are the guest of Mrs. Frank Bernard.

NEW STORE.

One Peer West of the Bank—Nice fresh Goods and Right Prices.

Next Saturday, August 22nd, I will open up a nice new stock of confectionery, including home made French candy and taffy, fruits, nuts, canned goods, lunch goods, soft drinks and all goods generally carried in an up-to-date business of this kind. Will also serve lunch, hot coffee, etc.

Soliciting a liberal share of your patronage, I am Very truly yours, L. P. HEIDEL.

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES.

The Washington County Examining Board, consisting of Superintendent Ball, Joseph W. Marsh, of Pacific University, and Professor M. C. Case, has granted the following teachers' certificates:

First grade—Tennessee Weathered and Marie Hockstetter, Hillsboro; James H. Jack and Caille L. Koeber, Scholls; Earl Fisher, Beaverton.

Second grade—Will H. Hockstetter, Adalaine Rice, Eva M. Catyhing, Hillsboro; Ivy Peterson, Theresa Heuberger, Beaverton; Eva Lund, Cornelius; Eva J. Duley, Tualatin; Cora Johnson, Raleigh, and Maggie M. Robertson, Portland.

Third grade—Clara Lilly, Gales Creek; Lizzie Swanson, Lottie Thomas, Clara Loynes and Grova'ine Baldwin, Forest Grove; Mary Hills, Greenville; Louise McGillivray, Portland.

Primary—Elizab Mooberry, Gaston.

REDUCED EXCURSION RATES To the Seaside and Mountain Resorts For the Summer.

The Southern Pacific Company, has placed on sale at very low rates round trip tickets to the various resort along its lines, and also, in connection round trip rates are also made between Portland and some points on the Southern Pacific, good going Saturdays, returning Sunday or Monday, allowing Portland people to spend Sunday in the country and the out of town people to spend the day in Portland.

Tickets from Portland to Yaquina Bay good for return via Albany and East Side, or Corvallis and West Side, at option of passenger. Baggage checked through to Newport. A new feature at Newport this year will be an up-to-date kindergarten in charge of an experienced Chicago teacher.

A beautifully illustrated booklet describing the seaside resorts on Yaquina Bay has been published by the Southern Pacific and Corvallis & Eastern Railroads, and can be secured from any of their Agents, or by addressing W. E. Coman, G. P. A., S. P. Co., Portland, or Edwin Stone, Manager C & E R. L., Albany, Oregon.

Yours truly, W. E. COMAN, Gen Pass Agent.

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Administrators Notice. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the county court for Washington County, Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of his wife, Ellen Smith, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to him at his office in said county with proper vouchers within six months from this date.

SUMMONS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, for Washington County.

Ita Hayman, Defendant. To Ita Hayman, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and set out on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons, to wit: on or before the expiration of six weeks next, from and after the date of first publication of this summons: the first publication thereof being on August 7, 1903, and if you fail to appear and answer, for what thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her complaint, to-wit: that the marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved, that plaintiff may resume her former name (Illa Rachel Cornelius), and for such other and further relief as to the Court may appear equitable.

This summons is served upon you by publication by order of Hon. L. A. Road, County Judge of Washington County, Oregon, which order was made at Hillsboro, Oregon, August 4th, 1903.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eating, any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cents and 50 cents. The Delta Drug Store.

Greear's Commission Store. I have opened a Commission Store on Second Street between Main and Washington, where I will do a general Commission Business. I pay the highest cash price for eggs and poultry. I also carry a full stock of FLOUR, SHORTS, BRAN, WHEAT, OATS, CHOP, and CHICKEN FEED. Claude Greear, Proprietor