

SOUTHERN PACIFIC R. R.

TIME-TABLE.	
SOUTH.	NORTH.
No. 2.	No. 1.
8:44 a. m.	4:31 p. m.
No. 4.	No. 3.
6:06 p. m.	7:14 a. m.

H. A. HINSHAW, Agent.

Subscribe for The Independent.

For school supplies, go to the Delta. For Hub Axle Grease see City Harness Shop.

Attorney Benton Bowman was in Portland Monday on legal business.

Preston Oil Liniment at the Delta Drug Store, for man or beast. Try a bottle.

Window and door frames made to order. Wheeler Mfg Co. Phone Main 15, P. S.

Shingles, sash, door brackets, etc., furnished by the Wheeler Mfg Co. Both 'phones.

Hon. S. B. Huston went to Portland Tuesday morning to resume his duties as attorney in the land fraud cases.

White Plymouth Rock eggs for sale, 50 cents for setting of fifteen.

Mrs. L. W. House.

A new free delivery route was established at Beaverton on the 15th. This makes three routes for that enterprising town.

It will pay you to get our prices on harness before buying elsewhere. City Harness Shop, corner Main and Third street.

How about the Fourth of July? Is everybody going to take in the Cornelian celebration, or meet each other on "The Trail"?

J. H. Smith, of Portland, was transacting business at the court house in this city Monday and Tuesday and gave this office a pleasant call.

A beautiful stock of stationery for the ladies just received at the Delta. Something new and nice. Prices are one of the prettiest features, too.

Corvallis will have a circus early in May and it is said the "two-tenter" is headed this way. It is, without doubt, "the greatest show on earth."

Allen Wilson, who has been attending school in this city for the past year, went to Portland Monday to take a clerkship in a clothing house.

When you are in need of cut flowers, call up Morton's greenhouse at Beaverton. You can get all the beautiful kinds grown at less than Portland prices.

The mercury climbed up to the 80° mark Tuesday afternoon, but took a sudden drop along about 4 o'clock, making a fire and warm wraps comfortable.

"Ever Ready" Safety razors, and 24 blades, in a neat case, for \$5.00. This outfit guaranteed to shave 240 times.

At E. L. McCormick's.

A picket fence has been built around the Tongue property, corner Second and Washington streets, just opposite The Independent office. The house will be repaired and other improvements made.

J. C. Greer on Friday last week purchased of Mrs. Tucker of Portland, a lot adjoining his recent purchase on Oak street and Baseline. This gives him a lot 188x130, and will make one of the prettiest places in town.

Last summer the good housewife mourned because she had no ice, the butter melted and the milk soured. No need of any sorrows of this kind during the coming season, for Wilkes & Olsen will deliver ice to any part of the city at one cent a pound. Keep cool!

Tailman & Zumwalt are now ready to saw your wood in any lengths and at fair prices. They have an up-to-date machine and not only solicit your patronage but guarantee all their work, and do it promptly. Hard wood, 60 cents a cord; soft wood, 50 cents, a cord. Call up either 'phone; Independent Lane, 262; Pacific States, 277.

A carload of Eastern oysters have just been received at Newport and they will be planted in the Yaquina Bay oyster beds. There are in the shipment 170 barrels of the bivalves, each barrel containing between 10,000 to 15,000 oysters. This will be good news to a large number of oyster-loving Hillsboro people who spend part of every summer at Yaquina.

It now looks as if the dog-eaters from the Philippines will not come to the Lewis and Clark exposition. We must admit it would do no harm to entertain a few hundred hungry dog exterminators for several months, as it would undoubtedly reduce the number of worthless curs now running at large, but if there is an exhibit the fair people can and ought to get along without, it is that race of uncivilized, nude and filthy canine-estera.

Two crates of Oregon strawberries, the first of the season, were received in Portland Tuesday from Myrtle Creek, Douglas county. They found a ready sale at \$6 a crate of twenty-four boxes. The fruit was said to be of fair quality, good color, and had the flavor peculiar to Oregon fruit. The berries are fully three weeks ahead of the usual time for Oregon berries to ripen.

There are only thirty saloons located near the fair grounds of the Lewis and Clark exposition, and a mighty howl is going up for permission to run in a dozen or two more. There will be exhibits besides those on the grounds and not on the bills. But "what are you going to do about it?" Portland is bound to make the show a success, financially, and those in power are none too particular as to where the filthy lucre comes from, and some of it is sure to come from a very filthy source.

For all kinds of repairing, go to the City Harness Shop.

Circuit court did not convene last Saturday as announced.

W. O. Donelson made a business trip to Portland yesterday.

Attorney Bump transacted business in Gales Creek Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Barrett were Portland visitors Wednesday.

About all our citizens are enjoying vegetables from their own gardens.

June 12th will be "Traveling Men's Day at the Lewis and Clark exposition.

Fine line of summer lap robes at City Harness Shop.

All bachelors in Wisconsin are taxed \$10 a year and they are getting off cheap.

Miss Myrtle Butler came over from Forest Grove and spent Sunday with friends.

Wild strawberries are ripening and the children report that they find many of them.

Miss Minnie Heide, student at Pacific University, spent Sunday with her parents in this city.

Fifty prominent Californians will visit Portland June 10th for the purpose of viewing the exposition.

Photographer Pope is making repairs at his home which includes a new porch on the front of his house.

Alderman W. D. Smith returned Wednesday from a couple of days' visit with relatives in Portland.

Have you a Morse Electric Belt? We can fit you and guarantee a cure.

The Missionary society of the Congregational church will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. W. O. Donelson.

June 1 will be a legal holiday in Oregon and probably in Washington, Montana, Idaho and Wyoming, in honor of the Lewis and Clark exposition.

For Neuralgia, rheumatism, sprains, cuts, swollen joints, etc., use Preston Oil Liniment.

The Delta Drug Store.

Saturday evening the ladies' band played several selections in the band stand on court house square, and also at the opening of the new confectionery of Wilkes & Olsen.

John Bago, road supervisor of District No. 25, handed in his resignation April 20th and Judge Root at once appointed Mr. Kelley to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

Many varieties of roses have bursted into bloom this week, the "Beauty of Glazenwood" being the most profuse. The east side of Hotel Tualatin is a perfect border of this beautiful golden-hued blossom.

Miss Rose Wilcox is making a notice able improvement in the appearance of her property, corner Washington and Fourth streets. The south part of the house has been raised, a new roof has been put on and the exterior will be painted.

The Washington County Women's Lewis and Clark club will hold a session today. There will be a business meeting both in the forenoon and afternoon in Wehrung's hall, where lunch will be served at noon. It is expected there will be a large attendance of members from the newly organized clubs about the county, as well as from the Forest Grove branch.

Good progress is reported in the effort to raise by subscription \$25,000 to be devoted to the entertainment of a party of 1000 members of the American Medical Association and their friends, who are expected in Portland at the convention of the association, July 11-14. The proposed convention is leading to extensive advertising of the exposition, and of the state in that influential profession. Special arrangements for entertainment of the guests are being made.

We are under obligations to Hon. W. K. Newell for a copy of the Eighth Biennial Report to the Twenty-third Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon of the Board of Horticulture, embracing the years 1903 and 1904. It contains 305 pages, has numerous fine illustrations, and is a valuable publication to persons interested in horticulture.

A cigarette law, which will do much to put a stop to the manufacture and sale of the little coffin nails—if enforced—goes into effect in Wisconsin July 1. It absolutely forbids the manufacture or sale of cigarettes, or cigarette paper in Wisconsin, and goes even further and says they must not be owned or kept in the state, so that if a man even smokes one of the things or has them on hand he is violating the law. It is very likely the law will never be enforced, as it is without doubt unconstitutional, but it stacks up nicely with a whole lot of fool laws, passed at every session and by every state.

A Forest Grove special of Tuesday says: "Pacific University's victorious debating trio, which won from University of Washington in the first of a series of three annual debates, has returned from Seattle and received a rousing reception at the hands of the student body. Stanley Griffiths presented the best argument for the Washington Institution, and was well supported by Miss Hayes and J. W. Campbell. W. B. Rasmussen, leader of Pacific, however, pointed out a glaring inconsistency in the argument, a weakness which lost Seattle the debate. Mr. Rasmussen's colleagues, H. E. Thomas and R. F. Peters, were especially strong in rebuttal. The announcement was made after the debate that hereafter all Washington debaters successful in debates against the University of Oregon will receive a prize. The question was: 'Resolved, That the United States should not retain permanent possession of the Philippines, unless they should ultimately enjoy statehood.'"

Read Hedge's half-page ad. in The Independent this week. He is a representative business man of Beaverton—talks business, does business, and quotes prices.

Although a permanent injunction prevented the issuing of saloon licenses in Forest Grove, it did not make Forest Grove a dry town. The building which was to have been occupied by a saloon, is now used for the operation of a "commercial club," such as the one which evaded the prohibitory ordinance last year. The club has a good-sized membership list and will make a hard fight if any attempt is made to suppress it. It is understood that the temperance people are planning to attack the club in the courts, but just what their case will be is not known.

Early risers Wednesday morning found everything out of doors covered with a thick coat of frost, and it was feared for a time that considerable damage had been done to gardens and fruit trees. Strawberries, beans and tomato plants were nipped, but beyond this, little damage is reported in the city. It was a pretty close call, however, and we hope for the benefit of the thousands of Eastern people who are coming to Oregon this year to see and taste of the fruit the state is so noted for, that Jack Frost will pass by on the other side—for this year at least.

Most men when they wish to stop a paper, go to the office of publication, pay what they owe, have their name taken from the list and there are no ill feelings on either side. But the newspaper man runs across a hog once in a while and here's one who has taken the paper for a long time without ever paying a cent. As he has sold out he doesn't need it any longer, and this is the pleasant way he takes to notify us of the fact:

April 26-05
Gentle men sire stop Your Paper I sold out cant bother with it I never sined for it
C. v. Thomas
Sherwood Ore
R F D 4
Sorry we can't stop the paper to accommodate him. We expect to be able to survive and thank him kindly for the "Bother" he has taken in reading it.

Here we are again! The Oregonian of Wednesday morning says "the new motor car will be in Portland in a little more than a week and will be at once put to work on the West side run between Portland and Hillsboro. The car has now been sent from Omaha, where it was built, and is on the road west, being put to all of the most severe tests as it covers the journey. Before leaving the shops at Omaha it was run out over some of the heaviest grades, and otherwise tested as to its ability to maintain speed and power under trying conditions. Under all situations the new invention demonstrated itself to be a success and there is no doubt that it will prove itself worthy of the trial from the time it is put in commission in the Wilamette valley. General Manager B. A. Worthington yesterday received notice of the progress of the car in a message sent by A. L. Mohler, vice-president and general manager of the Union Pacific. Mr. Mohler said: "We ran the motor car from North Platt to Denver yesterday, actual running time, 1:40; additional time, 1:30, at Julesburg. Average rate, 23 miles, including meeting and passing trains. The car works splendidly and will make another trip from Denver to Greeley tomorrow. The day after we shall go to Cheyenne and west, if Mr. Kruttschnitt approves." It is, therefore, practically certain that the people of Portland will be able to see the first motor car to be built in the United States operated in the valley within the next two weeks."

Poor D. J. Porter has at last run up against another batch of trouble, and of a far warmer kind than any of his other assortment, though they have all been of a sultry nature and have kept Dave in a sweat most of the time. Porter's appetite for whisky has at last landed him in the poor house, a prediction The Independent made some months ago, and in a short time he may be taken to the potter's field unless his once rugged constitution comes to his relief, or some by-gone friend gives him a Christian burial outside the poor house grounds. Some time ago Porter was in this city working out a drunk fine on the street, and after his four days were up and the wrath of the judge had been appeased, he told us "in strict confidence" that he was going to his little blacksmith shop in Gaston, take off his coat, go to work and be a man. He was going to "cut out" tangle foot, save his money, and in a few years make a few people whose only comfort on earth was to persecute him, look like thirty cents. Alas for human weakness. Last Monday night, we are told, Dave and a few boon companions of a convivial turn of mind were in the Gaston saloon drinking. Porter filled his tank up to the last gauge mark along about midnight, or shortly after, and leaving the saloon, meandered his way to the little shack he called home, leaving his companions to finish up without him. About 2 o'clock the others started for home, and when passing Porter's "home" they noticed a light and smoke issuing from the shanty. On going inside they found the unfortunate man lying down and his clothing on fire. He was pulled from the bed, the flames extinguished, and noticing that Porter seemed to be in considerable pain, one of the men went for a doctor. Upon his arrival he found Porter in a serious condition and badly burned about the stomach and hips. All possible was done for his comfort, and when the morning train came along he was put on a cot and brought to this city and by carriage taken to the poor farm, where he will remain under the doctor's care for some time. Though badly burned, Porter will probably recover and take his "last drink" some other time.

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Hillsboro to Have Street Signs.

Streets signs in any city is a convenience, not only to the residents but to strangers who come within its limits. Nine out of every ten persons in Hillsboro are aware of the fact that they live here, but they couldn't for their life name and locate half a dozen streets in town, while some of them do not know the name of the thoroughfare they are living on. It is proposed to do away with this and make the names of the streets all over the city familiar to every man, woman and child who is able to read. The Political Study and Civic Improvement club, recently organized, has taken the matter in hand and will see that signs are put up on the corners of fifty blocks within the city limits. Plans are now under way to raise the money necessary to meet the expense. A committee of the club ladies visited the city council last week Thursday evening, and the president explained the object of their visit, and asked if the ladies would be permitted to use the electric light poles to fasten the street signs to. The council favored the plan and admitted that it was an improvement greatly needed. On motion the matter was referred to the street committee, with instructions to meet with the women at the council room this evening to decide on the number of signs needed and the quality and price of the same. W. D. Smith, F. C. Ballard and H. D. Smetzer are the members of the street committee.

Gone to Her Rest.

On Monday afternoon occurred the death of Mrs. Susana Linder, aged 75 years. Mrs. Linder was one of the oldest residents of this county, having lived at Bethany for more than forty years. Her husband, Christian Linder, who died about two and a half years ago, was at one time thought to be a wealthy man, but it was found after his death that his earthly possessions had dwindled down to a few hundred dollars. The widow had relative well fixed financially, but rather than be a burden to them, or under obligations to them in any way, she made application to the county commissioners about two years ago and was admitted to the poor farm, where she died. She was not a county charge, but paid her way, and when she died she had enough money left to pay the funeral expenses, and also left a few dollars to the Bethany German Presbyterian church. It was little to be sure, but it was given with a glad hand, for the pastor and members of that church had been kind to her and endeavored to make the last years of her life as pleasant as possible.

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By Tallman & Zumwalt. They are in the field to suit their patrons and do the work well, at fair prices. Fur wood, 50 cents per cord; hard wood, 60 cents per cord. Call up either 'phone; Independent, 262. Pacific States, 277.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received at the County Court rooms in Hillsboro, Oregon, on Thursday, May 4, for the construction of a bridge on County Road No. 360, about one and one-half miles east of Forest Grove. The county will furnish all material.

Also a fill on the Forest Grove and LaFayette road near the residence of J. W. Hughes.

Sealed bids will also be received for crushing 1,700 cubic yards of rock at the quarry, on the Springhill farm, the county to furnish the crusher and necessary repairs. The contractor will be required to put the crusher in proper condition for work. Should the contractor desire to use the large crusher he will be required to move it at his own expense. Bonds for the faithful performance of the contractor, in each of the above contracts will be required.

The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

L. A. ROOD, County Judge.
By order Commissioner's Court.
Dated at Hillsboro, this 19th day of April, 1905.

Sherwood

Regular Cor respondent.

Sherwood has decided by the niggardly inducement offered a newspaper man that no paper is wanted here, and furthermore probably nothing progressive in any line. Moskabeism is a distinctive characteristic finely cultivated in this latitude.

Martin Gardner, Ed A. Saylor