

SOUTHERN PACIFIC R. R.

TIME-TABLE.	
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8:44 a. m.	4:31 p. m.
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6:06 p. m.	7:14 a. m.

H. A. HINSHAW, Agent.

Subscribe for The Independent.

For school supplies, go to the Delta.

Have you tried the Delta Pink Pills? Good morning.

Born, near Laurel, on May 22, to the wife of Chas. Brown, a son.

Dr. and Mrs. Tamsie visited over Sunday with friends at Oswego.

Mrs. A. Siegler returned from her visit to Gray's River, last Friday.

Mrs. S. B. Huston and daughter Blanche spent Tuesday in Portland.

Mrs. Minnie Dowsen spent Friday and Saturday in Portland visiting friends.

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

Miss Bertha Spooner, of Portland, has been visiting this week with Miss Gertrude Kendall.

Rev. Ghormley and Mr. and Mrs. Webb are holding meetings in Forest Grove this week.

The Washington county exhibit for the Lewis and Clark fair was shipped to Portland Monday.

Miss Grace Robinson went to her home in Clackamas county Friday, returning Monday morning.

H. V. Lipe, of Oklahoma, representing the Morgan Mercantile agency, was canvassing the city this week.

Miss May Enoch came up from Reedville to take the Eighth grade examinations last Thursday and Friday.

A heavy frost is reported in the vicinity of Tigardville one morning last week. Considerable damage was done.

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

The Delta Drug Store.

Mrs. Comstock, of Portland, was visiting the Balleys this week and attended the birthday anniversary of "Grandma" Wood.

If you are going to get a sewing machine you should see that at Donelson's Furniture Store. The price is saved in 2.

All goods bought of any kind will be delivered promptly at any hour during the day. This includes meats as well as groceries.

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

The Delta Drug Store.

From present indications there is to be a general exodus of the people from this city next week to attend the opening of the Centennial fair June 1st.

"Hit the Trail."

Olympic Flour has been tested by lovers of good bread and has been found superior to all other brands. Try a sack at \$1.25 and you will use no other. At Cate's Meat Market and Grocery.

Dr. A. B. Bailey was called to Buxton on Tuesday to attend Miss Hiltz, a teacher in the Buxton school, as she was reported by phone to be seriously ill. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is much improved.

The reception given to the classes graduating from the eighth grade will be held Saturday evening, June 3, at Waldron's hall. Mr. and Mrs. Kendall and Mr. Barnes will chaperone the party and assist in serving refreshments.

There is, of course, collected something like \$1,000 personal property taxes and unless the delinquents put up within a short time Sheriff Connell proposes to make a levy and force settlement. A word to the wise ought to be sufficient.

L. M. Read, of Philadelphia, Pa., a brother of Mrs. E. W. Moore of this city, is here visiting his relatives. Mr. Read is first mate on an English vessel, running on the Atlantic, but if he can find a position to suit, he may make a change to the Pacific.

Some fears were expressed that the late rains of Monday and Tuesday of this week would cause tall grain and hay to lodge and thus be damaged, but so far practically no damage has been done, as the rains were not accompanied by any wind or consequence.

At Sumpter, Ore., two inches of snow fell last Saturday and the temperature went down to the freezing point. In this vicinity rain has been the order of almost every day for the past two weeks, until Mother Earth and all mankind cried enough! A change in the weather yesterday gives us all hopes of sunshine and warmth.

A special meeting of the Lewis and Clark club was held Monday afternoon, when committees were appointed to procure fruit and flowers for the fair. Flowers will be sent every Wednesday, and anyone in this city having roses to send are requested to take them to the depot next Wednesday and the committee will have them forwarded to the fair grounds. Also for Hillsboro Day, June 6.

On Saturday last Henry Huhman, of Blomington, met with a serious accident. He was fixing a hand-rail for a foot log over the creek near his place, and while he was working he fell from the log, striking on his back and neck. He was rendered unconscious by the fall. His son, who was working with him, assisted his father to the house and Dr. F. J. Bailey was summoned and attended the injured man.

Josef Rodelle, is the name given by a man, who claims his birth place as Austria, in Justice Bagley's court Tuesday on the charge of begging. He was minus one hand, but that did not seem to have any effect on his ability for making money, for on being searched at "scratcher's" headquarters, \$40 were found in his jeans and it was learned that he had just sent \$25 to "his poor old mother and seven starving children in the Fatherland." The kind hearted justice sympathized with the one-handed vag, but concluded it was beneath the dignity of the court to overlook the fact that he was weighted down with all that amount of the long-green and assessed him \$15 or ten days. Mr. Rodelle, kicked and pretty hard, but at last shelled out and lost no time in getting beyond the boundaries of this inhospitable city, and Marshal Atkinson waved him a tearful farewell as he struck the trail for Portland. He declared he was not a beggar and the court had no business to fine him over \$5, any way; that light was no robber, no thief nor murderer; that if a person gave him a little money "he took it, and if they didn't give him anything he didn't take it."

Hillsboro Day, June 6.

Feed, barley and bran for sale at Cate's market.

Quite a crowd from Hillsboro attended the ball game in Scholls last Sunday.

Geo. Sanders of Portland visited over Sunday with his brother, Robert Sanders, in this city.

Mrs. Geo. Jack and little son Russell, of Farmington, visited over Sunday with Miss Maud Brown.

Tom Wann visited friends in Hillsboro over Sunday, returning to Portland on the morning train.

Get your Furniture at Donelson's. He can fit you out with anything you may want. Prices right.

Mrs. K. C. Wadworth, of Portland visited Monday and Tuesday in this city, a guest of her father, J. E. Adkin.

Mrs. Julia Wilcox and daughter Minto, of Portland, visited her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Archibald from Friday to Monday.

W. O. Donelson has given his store front a nice coat of light paint, which improves the looks of that property very much.

Tom Elliot and wife of Portland attended the funeral of Michael Moore in this city last Sunday. Mrs. Elliott is a granddaughter of the deceased.

The Tualatin Hotel has been under the artistic care of Painter Ray the past week and a vast improvement in the looks of that hostelry is the result.

O. G. Wilkes has put up a new awning over the front of the Independent Telephone Co.'s office on Second street, which greatly improves the looks of the place.

Arthur Elliot was out from Portland visiting his father and brothers and returned Wednesday. He has taken a position as elevator boy in the Hotel Belvidere.

At Cate's you will find a splendid lot of groceries, fresh and clean; also all kinds of vegetables and garden truck including crisp lettuce and celery. All orders promptly delivered.

Landlord Waggoner has in his yard an almond tree, upon which is growing quite a number of almonds of good size, which goes to show that almonds can be grown in Oregon if given the proper care.

County Clerk Godman transacted business in Tigardville Saturday, returning Monday morning. On Sunday he attended the funeral of the late E. D. Godwin, which was the largest held in Tigardville for many years.

F. R. Bailey and W. J. Benson have laid down the street plank in front of their places of business on Main street, but the job is only temporary, as when the electric line is built that street will be built up the entire length.

James Smith has filed in the county clerk's office a suit for divorce against his wife, Jessie Smith. They are both of Portland, and he declares in his complaint that she has deserted him for the attractions of the "North End."

The fruit canning season is at hand. How is your supply of Economy and Everlasting Fruit Jars? We have a full supply of both kinds, all sizes. Try them; you are the best judges on the market today.

J. A. Messenger.

Last Friday night at 10:30 Carrie Rector visited the knot that will bind for better or worse Jesse Jesse and Carrie Narragout, both of Forest Grove. The ceremony was performed in the county clerk's office, and Deputy Smith stood by to see that the judge made no mistake.

Waldron's hall, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall and Mr. Barnes will chaperone the party and assist in serving refreshments.

The grand lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows met in Portland last night and adjourned to convene again at this city June 6, at Old Fellows' hall, Sixth and Alder streets. This was done to give the visiting delegates an opportunity to visit the fair and the grand lodge together. The total number of engagements in the state is 30; the new lodges have been organized in Oregon during the past year, and the income during that time was \$10,405; relief paid amounted to \$2,288 and total camp assets are \$34,129. The number of workmen in the lodge was 175, the membership of these January 1, was 11,269. The lodge income amounted to \$154,286; \$49,947 was paid for relief, and the assets of the lodges are \$988,898.

The case of the state of Oregon against E. A. Ives, of Glenwood, on the charge of unlawful cohabitation with Sarah E. Smith, was up before Justice Bagley on Tuesday and the defendant bound over to the next term of the circuit court. But two witnesses were examined. A grown son and a married daughter of Mrs. Smith and it seems that Mr. Smith, the husband, father, died some eight years ago, leaving considerable property to his widow on the condition that she should not marry, but in case she did then everything went to the children. According to the evidence, about seven years ago this man Ives dropped in and not only captured the widow's affections, but took the dead husband's place in the bed-chamber and everywhere else. The widow became so infatuated with Ives as to forget her duty to her dead husband and the living children, and in the face of the protests of them and the neighbors, she continued the unlawful relationship, furnished him with clothing and money and took him on a pleasure trip to the world's fair at Chicago. In return for these many favors Ives made himself very agreeable to the widow, but mightily obnoxious to the children, and as they grew older and more fully realized the disgraceful condition of affairs, they tried to shake him. But he wouldn't shake worth a cent, and in all their wanderings from Gaston to Dilley, from Dilley to Yamhill to California back to Forest Grove and then to Glenwood, Ives hung on like the proverbial puppy to a root. He had a soft thing and he knew it, and the widow was making no objection. But the son concluded that it was about to discontinue the support of Ives from property left by his deceased father, and though the disgrace would be unpleasant, it was the only course for an honorable man to pursue, and he had the man arrested on the charge named. At the preliminary hearing before Justice Bagley last week Ives was bound over until Tuesday in the sum of \$900, which he did not furnish, and went to jail. On Tuesday Mr. Bagley raised the bond to \$500, though the defendant's attorneys worked hard to get it reduced. District Attorney E. B. Tongue asked the court to make the bail bond high. He said that Ives' crime was of a very serious nature and intimated that a charge might be brought later on, which would land the defendant in the penitentiary. Not having secured the necessary bond Ives is still a guest of Sheriff Connell at the county jail.

Next Tuesday is Decoration Day.

Dr. Large was over from Forest Grove Tuesday.

Mr. Jack Tupper, of Portland, visited his mother here last Sunday.

J. Whitmore, of Laurel visited in the county seat on Tuesday this week.

J. C. Hartley, of Banks, was transacting business in Hillsboro yesterday.

Dan B. Emerick, of Scholls, was a county seat visitor the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Reasoner, of Hillsboro, visited friends in Middleton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonsignaut, of Patton Valley, were Hillsboro visitors the first of the week.

Next Thursday, June 1, is a legal holiday in Oregon. "Hit the Trail" for the Lewis and Clark fair.

Mrs. Roy Bills, of Portland is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon McLean, of this city.

Services at Reedville next Sabbath at 3:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. A. Robinson. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. A. M. Brown returned on Monday morning from a three week's visit in Portland, the guest of Mrs. C. P. Blanchard.

C. C. Bennett is back from a trip up in the Bend country where he took up a 320 acre claim. He is well pleased with that section and will return again in June.

Mrs. John Brown and little son, of Ottumwa, Ia., arrived in Hillsboro Monday, and are the guests of Mrs. A. M. Brown. It is the intention of the former to locate in this city.

R. H. Goodlin, county clerk for Washington from 1892 to 1896, is in the city making some improvements on property he owns here. Mr. Goodlin is bookkeeper at the state hospital for the insane at Salem.

C. T. Dodd, a native born Washington county boy, and who at one time conducted a barber shop in Hillsboro, has returned to Oregon after a residence of several years in Montana. He says "Old Western" is good enough for him.

Mrs. Emily Thomas died at her home in Forest Grove last Monday night, aged 80 years. She was born in Adams, N. Y., where she was married to Myron O. Thomas at the age of 19. She moved to Forest Grove in 1902.

Services at the Tualatin Presbyterian church every Sabbath morning by the pastor, Rev. A. Robinson. Subject for next Sabbath, "John Knox and the Gospel He Preached." The church extends a hearty welcome to strangers and visitors.

Mr. Thomas Robinson, who went to Princeton, N. J., to attend the Presbyterian theological seminary, has accepted the charge of a church at Blumark, N. D., during the summer vacation. Mr. Robinson is the eldest son of Rev. A. Robinson, pastor of Tualatin Plains Presbyterian church.

There will be English services next Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at the German Presbyterian church at LaBue, to be conducted by Rev. W. C. Laube. Mr. Laube preaches an able and interesting sermon, and he extends a cordial invitation to the public to come out and hear him preach in English next Sunday afternoon.

There is nothing official about the report, but it is probably true, that a change of time will go into effect on the Southern Pacific. It is said the evening train from Portland will reach the city an hour later than at present, and four trains will be run on Sunday, two east and two west. Conductors and others say this change will be made June 1.

The Memorial Day program is as follows: At 9:30 a procession will form on Main street, in front of Odd Fellows' hall, headed by the band, followed by the veterans, children in white and citizens in carriage and on foot. After reaching the cemetery the ritualistic ceremony of the graves will be performed and the soldiers passed strewn with flowers. The public is cordially invited to join in the exercises.

On Saturday last when "Grandma" Wood was celebrating her birthday, there was another celebration in town fully as interesting and important to two other aged people. This was the joint gathering at the Everett home of Mr. Morrill, aged 85, father of County Assessor Morrill, and Miss Mary Everett, aged 80, of East Hillsboro. The celebration was a very happy affair and none enjoyed it more than the parties most interested.

On June 1st, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the corner stone of the new Presbyterian church to be built at Bethany will be laid with imposing ceremonies, and the public is cordially invited to be present. The contract for building the edifice has been let to J. P. Goodlin, of this city, which is a sure guarantee that the work will be well done and when completed will cost in the neighborhood of \$4,000. Of course the people of Bethany who have worked so faithfully for the new church are very glad their efforts are soon to be crowned with success and it will be a glad day for them when they gather in their new house of worship.

Here is the latest in the way of electric street railway news: The work will begin June 2nd at the foot of Stark street in Portland. A steam dummy and train will be employed in the work of transporting material, and it is the intention to run the work to completion. The grade as surveyed will be along Balch's Gulch, and will reach Forest Grove and Hillsboro by a route which will open territory not now directly tributary to the Southern Pacific. The contract has been let to a San Francisco company, and a large supply of steel rails is already on hand. The road will be operated by means of electrical power, which at the outset will be supplied by the Portland General Electric Company, says the Portland Journal.

E. D. Godwin, a former resident of Tigardville, died about two weeks ago at White Rock, Utah, where he was holding a government position in the Indian school. He was about 37 or 28 years of age, and leaves a wife, who brought the remains from Utah, and had to travel 125 by wagon before reaching the railroad. Godwin was a soldier in the Philippines and served three years in Co. D, Fourteenth U. S. Infantry. After being honorably discharged, he came home to Oregon and married Miss Nellie Pollard, daughter of Mrs. Johanna Pollard, of Tigardville, and some time after accepted a government position and with his wife went to Utah. Some two years ago he caught a severe cold which developed in pneumonia and brought on complications which resulted in his death. The funeral was held at Tigardville on Sunday and the interment made in Crescent Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah Shannon went to McMinnville for a short visit with the family of Rev. Zimmerman.

The Rahburn Tent Show, on the lot just back of Harttramp's feed store is all right.

Hon. W. D. Hare and wife have been attending the state grange at Forest Grove as delegates. There was a very large and enthusiastic meeting, upward of 100 delegates being present.

Remember the Tent Show tonight on Third street. Admission 10 and 25c. The entertainment consists of singing, dancing, legerdemain, cake walks, etc. Don't miss seeing Herr Bahlhorn, the Fire King.

Misses Flossie and Eva Weathered attended the closing exercises of the Scholls school Monday evening. Both returned on Tuesday with their sister, Tennessee Weathered, who teaches in that school.

Notice that a change is made in the Southern Pacific time table. We will have commencing Sunday June 4, a Sunday train, both to and from Portland. This is just what the people have been crying for and is just what they are going to get. It is a long felt want filled at last.

The strike in Chicago is spreading and things are looking very serious. No peace terms can be reached between the employers and employees and it may be necessary to call out the troops to preserve order. The strike has completely shut down the lumber industry and may stop all building.

Mrs. Sarah S. Shannon was pleasantly surprised at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. Randall, Wednesday afternoon by the ladies of the M. E. Aid Society, who went to celebrate the 80th birthday of Mrs. Shannon. The afternoon was enjoyed by all as was also the supper which the ladies provided.

Mrs. Belle T. Hoge, president of the Washington County Lewis and Clark club has made formal application for use of the Oregon state building at the Lewis and Clark exposition June 6 for the purpose of a reception to be held by Washington county and the Lewis and Clark club.

"Happy Heinie," by Lampe, composer of "Creole Belle" and other popular selections, and "In Love's Garden" by Gustine, composer of "When Knighthood was in Flower" and "The new pieces called by E. L. McCormick this week. Call and hear them played.

Kafer and Bennett have dissolved partnership in the bicycle business, the former retiring from the firm. Mr. Bennett will continue the business at the old stand, opposite the Tualatin Hotel, and he hopes by close application to the wants of his patrons to merit their patronage.

Probably by today or tomorrow the motor car built at the Omaha shops of the Union Pacific for service between Portland and Hillsboro will be ready for trial. Manager Worthington says no schedule will be arranged until it is known how the car can climb the 4 per cent grade on Fourth street in Portland.

The jury trial in Justice Bagley's court Wednesday in the case of F. M. Heidel against L. T. St. Claire to recover \$100 commission in a real estate transaction, resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff. The jury was composed of Frank Doughty, J. Hoover, R. H. Greer, Peter Gottlieb, Wm. Nelson and J. Palmatier. After the case was disposed of Mr. Heidel stood half the costs, though he did not have to do so.

The Hamburg Novelty Co., whose tent is pitched on the lot between the M. E. church and Harttramp's feed store, is putting up a good vaudeville show and it's worth all it costs to see it. Mr. Rahburn, the proprietor of the show was here twenty years ago with a similar show, and is well acquainted with many of the older inhabitants. He is going to give a good entertainment tonight and would like to see everybody in town.

They are coming with a rush. A Kansas City, Mo., special of May 24, says: The sale of special rate tickets to Portland, Ore., opened so briskly as to astonish local railroad officials. From the number of tickets purchased, it is apparent that passenger traffic to the Pacific Coast will be heavier than was anticipated. One of the city ticket agents, in speaking of this today, said: It indicates that this part of the country is exceptionally prosperous. We had men come in here today from little towns out in Kansas who are going to Portland and will take their whole families with them. This early rush for tickets is not only a big advertisement for the Lewis and Clark exposition, but a big advertisement for Kansas. Farmers are prosperous and they know of no better way to spend their superfluous coin, apparently, than to visit Oregon."

After having John Siefert arrested for the theft of \$80, Ritchie and Wells, local grain dealers, of Forest Grove, found the money securely hidden among their grain sacks, where one of the members of the firm had placed for safekeeping. The money was missed from the till early Tuesday morning, and suspicion rested upon young Siefert, who was reported to have been seen around the store and whose reputation was not of the best. Siefert was arrested but was released when the proprietor found the money where he himself had put it. It is expected that Siefert will bring suit against the firm which caused his arrest. Ritchie & Wells are now hunting through their grain sacks for \$40, which was missed some time ago, and is believed to have disappeared in the same way.



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Complete in Every Detail.

Strawberries are now plentiful at 10 cents a box.

Mrs. G. B. Leedy, of Tigardville, visited Tuesday with Mrs. E. J. Godman.

Miss Anna Gaarde, of Tigardville, is visiting this week with Miss Effie Godman.

Miss Kate H. Embree, of Carlton, Or., is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Barber.

Tommy Marten, of Portland, visited over Sunday with the family of E. J. Godman.

Mrs. A. J. Chalmers and daughter, Miss Christine, were in from Centerville Wednesday.

Roy Kendall went to Portland Wednesday to enter the employ of the Holmes' Coal and Ice company.

Henry Westphal, of Fulton Park, Portland, was in the city Wednesday as a witness in the St. Clair commission suit.

Mrs. Anna Bainter, of Portland, deputy of the Royal Neighbors of Oregon, made Columbia Camp a fraternal visit Wednesday evening.

C. D. Kimberlin went to Portland last Saturday, called there by the accident to Peter Hagley, who was fatally injured in Portland last week.

F. M. Heidel on Wednesday sold to Henry Miller, the Reedville merchant, the N. P. Okerman farm. Mr. Okerman will move to Portland where his children reside.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, the well known author, woman suffrage and temperance worker, died at her home in Melrose, Mass., May 23. She was a noble woman and will be greatly missed.

Miss Ethel Norman, who has been engaged to teach in our city school next year, has lived in the family of County Clerk E. J. Godman for a number of years, and will make her home with them during the coming year.

A 2-year-old son of John Schneider of Phillips got a bean up his nose one day this week and the family made the matter worse by trying to remove it. He was brought to Dr. F. A. Bailey, who removed the bean with a pair of nasal forceps, and the little fellow is all right.

Yesterday morning while felling a tree on the Freeman farm, Wm. Fry was struck on the head by a large limb and his skull fractured. He was brought to the office of Dr. F. J. Bailey, who attended to the man's injuries, lifting the broken skull and making the patient as easy as possible. The injury is a serious one, but the doctor hopes to pull him through. He is at the Tualatin.

Mayor Williams, of Portland, who is up for re-election, in a speech recently delivered in that city, said:

"I have been persecuted and hounded ever since I have been mayor. A few Scotchmen who have come to the United States to tell Americans how to manage government affairs have been fighting me."

"The preachers have pursued me with their lies; they put out false and lying circulars before the primary election. The time has now come for me to speak, and I say they are a pack of liars and scoundrels."

"I am not mayor to take care of the city exclusively. I have to look after the material interests of the city. The preachers can take care of the morals, and I am perfectly willing they should."

The meeting of the school board Wednesday evening was held in S. B. Huston's office. There were present besides the board a number of gentlemen interested in school matters. Eight, Seventh and Eighth grades were not assigned to the meeting, as the directors wished to consult the teachers before assigning them to any department. Mr. Barnes was elected chairman for the coming year; Miss Anna Chalmers will probably take the Eighth grade, Miss Lucy Humphreys the Sixth, Miss Jennie Beamish the Fourth, Miss Rose Wilcox the Second, and Mrs. Mary Pittenger the First. Miss Grace Robinson, Miss Maude Wilson and Mr. Kendall did not apply for a reappointment. Miss Ethel Norman and Miss Nettie White have been engaged to fill the vacancies. The date for the annual school meeting comes on the 19th of June at which time it will be definitely decided what is to be done regarding the new addition to the school building; without a special meeting is called at an earlier date, in order to give more time for the building preparations.

Death of Peter Hagley.

The remains of Peter Hagley, who died in Portland at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. E. Hammerley, Wednesday arrived here this morning and the funeral services will be held at the grave. Mr. Hagley was a pioneer of Washington county where he lived for many years. He was the victim of an accident. A week ago last Tuesday, in that city, while on the street he was run down by an Auto-Diepatch vehicle and was unconscious most of the time up to his death. There were seven children who survive. Mrs. Hagley died a year ago last January and was buried in the cemetery here. Deceased was 76 years of age and was well known in this city, being a brother-in-law of C. D. Kimberlin. Mrs. T. E. Hammerley, of Portland, a daughter; Grover Hagley, of Sherwood; Chris Hagley and John Hagley, sons who reside in Portland are in attendance at the funeral. Three daughters living in Eastern Oregon will be unable to be present.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We have made arrangements this season for the exclusive sale in Hillsboro of

SWETLAND'S FAMOUS ICE CREAM

This famous delicacy has stood the test for seventeen years with a constantly increasing sale. Beyond all question it is the **BEST and PUREST** Ice Cream and has won a reputation as "The Ice Cream of Quality."

Served at our Fountain and in our Cozy Ice Cream Parlor. Special prices for Picnics and Socials.

FRED. S. OLSEN.

"The Iron Hand."

The four-act comedy-drama, "The Iron Hand," as played by the Hillsboro Dramatic Company last Wednesday evening, was a complete success in every particular, and netted the ladies of the Political Study Club \$—, which will be used by them toward the purchase of street signs for the city of Hillsboro.

H. T. Bagley and Miss Grace Robinson took the leading parts in the play and they certainly did good work and received many compliments from the audience. C. C. Cate, as Oliver Montford, the smooth villain, handled his lines in good shape, while W. F. Adkins, as "Old Ike," the Jew, was simply immense. C. H. Mitchell took the part of a happy, go-lucky, though wayward brother, and carried it off to perfection. Miss Myrtle Butler, as Mrs. Dibble, a "positively positive widow," kept the large audience in a roar, and Miss Letitia Imbrie, as "Lizzie," the spunky and up-to-date daughter of Mrs. Diddle, showed that she was a chip off the old block, and in some matters just a trifle ahead of the widow, who was far from being slow. Fred Sewell took the part of "Hawkins," a servant, and acted it well.

The specialties between acts were supplied by Mr. Adkins in dancing, and by Miss Jessie Donelson, who sang "Sing Me to Sleep," very nicely, which was followed by an encore.

The music furnished by the Aeolian Orchestra was certainly as fine as has been heard in the opera house for a long time. The company was organized only last winter, and the members have lost no time, and are now capable of holding their own among the best.

The ladies of the Political Study Club wish to thank the members of the Drama company for giving the drama without charge, the orchestra for the splendid music, and the public for its liberal patronage. Especial thanks are due Miss Butler, whose home is now at Forest Grove. She spent considerable time going to and from Hillsboro for rehearsals.

The Forest Grove Dramatic club attended the entertainment in a body, coming over by team. There were several others present from our neighboring city.

The Hillsboro Dramatic company will put "The Iron Hand" on at Forest Grove next Friday evening and we hope they will be given a crowded house. The play is good and a worthy member of the company first class, and ladies and gentlemen who are proud of it.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of returning our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and funeral of our husband and father.

Mrs. M. Moore and Family.

Hotel Tualatin Arrivals.

J. C. McGarr, Portland.
G. Hickethier, Portland.
R. P. Hickethier, Portland.
S. Vaughn, Portland.
Jack Brooks, Portland.
J. Jacobs, Portland.
M. W. Krebs, Salem.
C. R. Pfeifer, Salem.
E. Kahn, Denver, Col.
R. W. Graham, Portland.
A. Deinseler, Portland.
R. L. Cate, Portland.
E. E. Marshall