

THE INDEPENDENT, HILLSBORO.

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This paper is not forced upon anyone. It is not our practice to stop papers until ordered to do so. Anyone not wishing the paper must notify the publisher or they will be held liable for the subscription price.

During a recent speech before the central merchants of Missouri, at their annual convention, Governor Folk said in regard to the mail order citizen: "I do not believe in the mail order citizen. If a place is good enough for a man to live in and make his money in it is good enough for him to spend his money in. No merchant can succeed without advertising in one way or another. Patronize your town papers, build them up, and they will build the town up, and build you up increased trade and greater opportunities."

The laying of the rails for the new railroad being built from Hillsboro to Buxton, a distance of twenty miles, was finished last Saturday, and to celebrate the event President Lytle invited all who had contributed toward securing the right-of-way to a moonlight ride on flat cars last evening to Buxton and return. As we go to press before the departure of the train, we shall have to defer until next week a report of what was done and the number in attendance. It is safe to say that the crowd will be a jolly one and that the people of Buxton will use their visitors royally. A large force of men is grading beyond Buxton and will continue work on the road as long as the weather will permit.

P. V. DeGraw, fourth assistant postmaster general has sent out the following notice to all postmasters in the United States: "Complaint is made to the department that rural carriers, at the request of patrons of their routes, call at express offices for packages of mailable matter and deliver same outside of the mails to the patrons and receive small fees for the service. Postmasters at rural delivery offices are directed to inform rural carriers that they must not carry, as express matter, for hire or as a favor, any article or package weighing four pounds or under, which is mailable, and carriers will inform their patrons that such packages can only be delivered by them after the required postage shall have been affixed to such packages."

S. B. Huston, late candidate for the nomination of congressman, is taking it to heart because some newspapers said that he never went to church and used it for campaign argument. This was certainly wrong for them to do so, but then again, what is the use of a lawyer going to church, anyway.—North Yamhill Record.

We beg to differ with the Record. It is a good thing for attorneys to go to church, for they, like the editor, are none too good and need a little talking to where they can't talk back.—Tillamook Headlight.

At this writing Mr. Huston has no time to feel sore at what the newspapers said of him during the campaign. When not pounding Blackstone in the United States court at Portland he is kicking up his heels in the surf at Newport, digging oysters at early dawn, or enjoying life with his family in their delightful summer cottage at Nye Creek. Who could harbor ill feelings amid such glorious surroundings?

For those who find pastime in studying political mix-ups, says the West Side Enterprise, the following alignment of county officers in the state is of passing notice: There are 18 republican and 15 democratic judges; 25 republican and 7 democratic clerks; 25 republican and 7 democratic school superintendents, and one woman superintendent who is supposed not to have any politics; 22 republican and 17 democratic county assessors; 25 republican and 6 democratic sheriffs, and 2 who do not know "where they are at." The county commissioners who were elected two years ago are composed of 24 republicans and 9 democrats, and the new bunch has 20 republicans and 3 democrats. There are 27 republican coroners, 4 democrats and one prohibitionist. The governor is a democrat.

The county court of Columbia county has decided to appropriate \$200 for the purpose of getting up an exhibit at the state fair, to be held at Salem September 10th to 15th inclusive. With but \$500 expense Columbia county carried off second prize at the Lewis and Clark fair, and its people are going in again to win. What is Washington county going to do? It is not only one of the best, but the very best county in the state and could put up an exhibit second to none. Going to sleep will not bring people or business to this section, and taking in consideration the fact that every other county in the state is bending every energy and spending money to induce people to locate, it stands Washington county in hand to wake up and do something.

County Fruit Inspector Harris was in town Tuesday looking over the fruit offered for sale by our local dealers. In a few stores he found apples badly speckled with the scale, and he notified the merchants not to purchase or offer for sale any kind of fruit affected with San Jose scale. This trip of the inspector is only a "gentle reminder" to dealers, but if he finds diseased fruit on the market when he makes his next rounds, something is liable to drop. At a recent meeting of county fruit inspectors of the state held at Salem to consider the duties of inspectors in regard to a uniform enforcement of the law throughout the state, it was decided that no wormy fruit should be allowed on the market in the future. Dealers or persons who

handle fruit will be held responsible for the condition of the fruit found in their possession, and peddlers will not be allowed to sell diseased or infected fruit, and they will be held strictly accountable for the kind of fruit that is found in their possession and offered for sale. The law provides severe penalties for its violations and whenever it is found necessary will be enforced. Mr. Harris showed us a half dozen apples completely covered with scale and utterly unfit to eat. If fruit growers will observe the law and lend their aid to the inspector in his good work, in a few years Oregon will have regained its reputation of growing the best fruit in the world.

Commissioners' Court.
The county court met in regular monthly session on Wednesday, with J. W. Goodin and commissioners C. B. Buchanan and W. J. Butner present. Up to the time of going to press the following business was transacted. The concluding actions of the board will be published next week.

The application of W. S. Barger for a license to sell intoxicating liquors in Gaston precinct was presented and considered. Upon filing the necessary bond a license will be granted the applicant. Ordered that the sums \$15.85 and \$11.88 be refunded to the Eastern Investment Company, the same being the amounts erroneously assessed to James Barnes and D. S. Galloway.

Ordered that the taxes to the amount of \$5.80 for the year 1905 be refunded to Arthur D. Hill on account of over assessment.

Ordered that upon the payment of \$1629 a quit claim deed be issued to W. F. Wiley to all the right, title and interest of Washington county in and to all of block 1, Hockin's addition to the town of Beaverton.

It is ordered that the poll tax of \$1.00 assessed against Peter Gibson, tax of 1888, be cancelled.

Ordered that a quit claim deed be issued to Louis Hohenleutner on payment of delinquent tax and costs, \$15.85 on certain lands.

The following bills were audited and allowed:

Bealls & Co., ranch	14 50
Simon Nelson, road work	11 00
Irwin Holston & Co., supplies	8 10
Sarah J. Oake, election	2 00
J. C. Miller, election	2 50
S. L. Hollenbeck, election	2 00
E. Fonda, relief	2 00
C. S. Tigard, insane	3 00
S. T. Schickler, insane	5 00
E. P. Cornelius, bailiff	18 00
Charles S. Dodd, witness	5 20
Frank Hoffstatter, wit.	4 00
Frank Kendall, wit.	4 00
Clyde Lincoln, bridge	5 20
Wilson Bradley, witness	330 00
D. S. Galloway, witness	4 00
Glass & Prudhomme, c.	145 00
Robertson & Hootenberry	8 97
E. L. Collins, sup. sal.	28 00
G. W. Hines, sup. sal.	17 50
Hugh Rogers, witness	6 00
E. J. Godman, sal, etc.	227 00
William Jackson, sal.	50 00
Frank Nachaur, relief	87 05
M. C. Case, sal and postage	59 09
Reimond & Connell, r. and h.	2 50
A. O. Morrill, r. and h.	28 95
John Borwick, sup. sal.	25 00
G. W. Hines, sup. sal.	8 75
Cozelmans Bros., bridges	10 90
Willis Ireland, sal and postage	78 50
Willis Ireland, for deputy	6 00
Geo. H. Wilcox, salary	100 00
E. L. Perkins, exp. recorder	30 05
Glass & Prudhomme, supplies	4 17
D. W. Bath, printing	72 55
Johnson Bros., lumber	11 25

PROBATE COURT.
Last will and testament of Nancy Williams; deceased; final account filed; ordered that said final account be set for hearing and settlement before this court on Monday, September 10, at 10 o'clock a. m.; the asset amounting to less than \$500, it is further ordered that executor give notice of hearing by posting notices.

Estate of Christian Burgdorfer, deceased; Fred Burgdorfer files bond; approved and letters of administrator issued to him as such administrator. Chas. A. Miller, John Loftis and O. Wescott appointed appraisers.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.
No preaching services in the Congregational church next Sunday. Sabbath school and Christian Endeavor meeting as usual.

Services at the M. E. church as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching by Presiding Elder W. B. Hollingshead at 11 a. m. Epworth league at 7 p. m. Union service at 8.

Preaching service next Sunday at West Union church at 3:30 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Tualatin Plains Presbyterian church on next Sabbath evening at 7:45 will hold a popular meeting in the interests of "The Christian Sabbath." An interesting programme has been prepared for the occasion. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Notice of Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ellen Sampson, deceased, has on this day filed her final account as such administrator in said estate, and said court on this day has made an order appointing the 3rd day of September, 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of said day as the time, and the Court House in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, as the place for hearing objection to said final account and to the final settlement of said estate.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1906.
EUNICE P. BALLOU,
Administrator of the estate of Ellen Sampson, deceased.

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County Correspondence

We want a reporter in every town.

Beaverton

Regular Correspondent.
The Livemore sawmill has just completed sawing a number of bridge timbers for the railroad company.

Ernest Tefft spent Tuesday at this place. He has been laid up in St. Vincent's hospital in Portland, with inflammatory rheumatism for about a week and he says that it seems good to get both legs on the ground again.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Voorhees, of Portland visited with Miss Lois Vincent last Friday.

Miss Anna Caldwell, whose serious illness was chronicled in these notes last week, died at the family home early last Saturday morning. The funeral was held at the Ames Chapel last Sunday and the interment was at Crescent cemetery. A large concourse of people attended the services.

H. A. Davies, of Davies Bros.' sawmill at Banks, visited with his sister, Mrs. Robt Hocken last Sunday.

Rev. F. S. Clemo passed through Beaverton last Tuesday. Rev. Clemo was pastor of the M. E. church at this place a few years ago and is now stationed at Canby, Oregon.

Mrs. Geo. Tefft was called to Kelso, Wash., last Saturday by the illness of her husband who has been employed in a sawmill near that place.

F. W. Cady and family visited with relatives in Portland last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell visited with the Churches' last Sunday.

Rev. J. W. Exon is spending a few weeks on his homestead in Clackamas county. Rev. Gillman is supplying his preaching appointments during his absence.

Aunt Sally.

Scholls and Mountain Side.

Regular Correspondent.
Wheat harvest is about over in these parts.

A professor from Newberg college preached in the Scholls' church Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Skeels went over to Sherwood last Sunday after her cousin who is going to stay with her a few weeks.

Mrs. Wonderli and Mrs. Vincent visited Mrs. E. E. Brooks Thursday.

The good people of Scholls are going down the Tualatin on Sundays for picnics so we understand. This warm weather we have been having, makes us wish we could camp out for a while.

Miss Hurd, a daughter of Mr. Hurd, the carpenter died Monday morning. Mr. Hurd lives just over the mountain toward Newberg.

There was an agent for fruit trees in the neighborhood this past week, quite a number purchased them. Mr. Winstun is going to set out three acres of new orchard.

This place had everything pertaining to a thunder shower but the rain, last week, but the clouds went around and we got only a sprinkle.

Hettie.

Jack Town.

Regular Correspondent.
Mr. Geo. Jack and family visited relatives in Hillsboro, Sunday.

Fred Brown, who had been ill for some time, died Monday, July 23 and was buried in the Farmington cemetery Tuesday, 25th.

A sister of Mrs. Sol Jack who has been visiting them the past week returned to her mother's at Scholls.

Rev. Noggle preached at the M. E. church both morning and afternoon, Sunday last. It is seldom we hear as good a speaker as Mr. Noggle.

Mr. Doll, of Portland visited at Joe Jack's the first of the week.

Tigardville played Farmington in a ball game which resulted in a score 17 to 11 in favor of Farmington. Hillsboro and Farmington play next Sunday.

There has been a great deal of sickness in the neighborhood the past week. May Hepler who visited in Portland last week has returned.

Jacktownite.

Sherwood.

Regular Correspondent.
Miss Nina Miller, of Centralia, Wash., is visiting at Dr. Saylor's. She was formerly a resident of Oswego.

Miss Dora Smock returned home from the city on Saturday and was greatly improved in health during her absence.

"Aunt Sally" announces that she has taken her pen in hand over in Beaverton and will hereafter proclaim the happenings of her burg to the best of her ability. Good, give us the goods "all wool and a yard wide."

"Canada" thistles the bane of creation has a mortgage on Sherwood and from all appearances a foreclosure will occur soon unless a little effort on the part of property owners is manifested soon to prevent it.

"Fid Bailey" while mellow with bug juice the other night says he was "rolled" and \$7.50 abstracted from his trousers' pocket while he dreamed. Whether the alleged simoleans ever found lodgment therein, or a pipe dream disturbed his nerves, deponent saith not.

Mrs. Day, Jr., daughter-in-law of Mr. Day, the local proprietor, arrived here Saturday from Montana, and is on her way to California. Her husband, an electric lineman, was electrocuted accidentally about six months ago while at work, leaving her a widow with an infant child.

Lester (Jack) Ashpole will return to San Francisco to work again during the week. He has been at Middleton some time visiting his folks and has been away from the city since the earthquake and fire.

A resurvey of a portion of the Smock estate donated a portion of it gratis to other parties. Seemingly a mistake has crept in somewhere that needs rectification badly in order to harmonize matters.

A party of Portland citizens came out Sunday and spent the day crawling in the placid waters of Cedar Creek on the outskirts of town.

Work has begun on the new three-story building on "Rustle" street, Patterson & D. builders. It is expected to be ready for occupancy by the middle of August.

Herman Papp, Simon Weckert and their families departed for Ocean Park, Neustaca, during the week for a two week's outing down the sounding sea.

A standpipe of water main was opened a few days ago and found to be partially filled with mud. Had a hose been attached the water turned on during a fire—it is quite probable that the fire would have burned rather than have been out by a contraption of that kind.

Weather Report.

The week wadry except Saturday, when clouds fed and in a number of places thunderstorms occurred, with very light rain. In the coast counties the nights and mornings were generally cloudy or fogged the afternoons clear. East of the Cascade Mountains and in southern Oregon the sunshine was excessive.

The temperatures averaged above normal, with the coolest weather during the closing days of the week. In the Willamette valley the warmest day was Friday, when the maximum temperature was about 90°.

In southern Oregon, Tuesday and Friday were both hot days, with maximum temperature above 90°, but the remaining days were only moderately warm. East of the Cascade Mountains temperatures of 90° or more were common during the first five days after, which low temperature prevailed.

The winds were generally light and their prevailing direction was northwesterly.

The fierce forest fires in the Cascade mountains, along the waters of the Santiam river, in Marion and Linn counties, have been subdued. There seems to be no longer any danger of the flames extending into new and unburnt timber.

Professor James R. Robertson, who has been a teacher of history and economics in the Pacific University for the past 13 years, will not return to teach, as he has accepted a chair in the Berkeley University for the coming year.

Circuit Court Judge T. A. McBride will hold court in Oregon City August 29 for the purpose of hearing arguments on a motion for a new trial for Abram Hembree, the Tillamook county man charged with double murder. Should this motion be denied, Judge McBride will go to Tillamook and pass sentence on Hembree. He conducted the recent trial for Judge William Galloway.

Professor G. E. Coghill, who has been professor of biology for the past four years in Pacific University, left Wednesday for Salem, where he has accepted the chair of biology in the Willamette University. Professor Coghill came from Brown University, where he received the degree of Ph. D. in 1902. During the summer following he traveled in Europe, where he studied under the leading biologists.

In San Francisco large sums of money are being distributed this week by the sound insurance companies, which have now settled practically all of their individual losses and are now rapidly adjusting the policies assigned to committees. While there is no way in which to ascertain the exact amounts being paid, it is certain that more rapid progress is being made in settlements these days than at any time since the fire. The number of claims paid daily is as great as ever, while the amounts run into four, five and six figures.

A Washington, D. C., special August 1st says: For the first time since the service was established the rural free delivery carriers are to have a vacation this year. This is in accordance with a bill passed by the last session of congress, provided that the vacations shall begin August 1 and that they shall apply to all carriers who have been in the service for 12 months or longer. There is a small army of them and while they are away in the mountains or at the seashore their substitutes will be paid at the rate of \$500 per annum. This means that it will cost the government approximately \$800,000 to give each of the carriers a 15 day vacation.

Conrad Krebs, of Salem, takes exception to the statement that the market is being boosted merely so holders can unload their cheap contracts if crop news should eventually prove favorable. "There is a great deal of talk," he said, "of a bull movement by dealers who have made contracts, many of them at 10 and 11 cents. This is not the case, because no dealers would buy 1500 bales at 15 cents, as we did, or 2000 bales, as Lachmund & Co. have done for the sole purpose of boosting the market to unload. The boosting process is usually carried on by buying small crops in each district at considerable higher prices, for the purpose of exciting growers and inducing them to hold while dealers unload on brewers."

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Season tickets will be good for return from all points until October 10. Three-day tickets will be good going Saturday and returning Mondays only. Tickets from Portland and vicinity will be good for return via the East or West side at option of passenger. Tickets from Eugene and vicinity will be good going via the Lebanon-Springfield branch if desired. Baggage on Newport tickets checked through to Newport, on Yaquina tickets to Yaquina only. Sunday excursions to Newport on the C. & E. will begin June 10th and 17th and run every Sunday thereafter, leaving Albany at 7:20 a. m.; leave Corvallis 8 a. m.; S. P. train connect with the C. & E. at Albany and Corvallis for Yaquina and Newport. Trains on the C. & E. for Detroit will leave Albany at 7:30 a. m., enabling tourists to the Hot Springs to reach there the same day. Trains from and to Corvallis connect with all East Side trains on the S. P.

Full information as to rates, time tables, etc., can be obtained on application to J. C. Mayo, Gen. Pass. Agt., C. & E. R. R. Albany; A. L. Craig, G. P. A., S. P. Co., Portland, or to any S. P. or C. & E. agent.

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