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Twenty prisoners from the state prison were set to work on the fair grounds at Salem Monday morning. The men will be closely guarded by two deputies detailed for the purpose. It is proposed to tear down all the old and worthless buildings on the fair grounds and replace them with modern structures. It is the purpose of the board to put the buildings and grounds in the best condition possible.

The judges for the live stock and county exhibits at the Oregon state fair, to be held at Salem commencing September 16, have been named by the board as follows: President, N. A. Givin, of the Oregon Goat Association of Lawrence, Kansas; Prof. W. A. Carlyle, of the government horse breeding station, of Fort Collins, Colo., the only institution of its kind in the country; W. H. Dodson, of Marion, Ia., who had charge of the horse section of the live stock exhibit of the Lewis and Clark fair, and El Carlisle, of Portland, the well-known authority on poultry.

The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business March 30, just passed, the total debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$309,106,566, which was a decrease as compared with March 1 of \$11,538,288. The cash in the treasury is given as follows: Gold reserve, \$150,000,000; trust fund, \$1,130,146,809; general fund, \$199,529,548; in national bank depositories, \$165,235,679; in treasury of Philippines, \$3,887,731; total, \$1,648,799,810, against which there are demand liabilities outstanding amounting to \$1,245,922,807, which leaves a cash balance on hand of \$402,808,002.

Timothy Brownhill, of the Beaver State Herald, visited Hillsboro a few hours recently, and we found the following in his paper last week: "The writer visited the editors of the St. Johns Review, Hillsboro Independent and the Newberg Graphic during the past few weeks for the sole purpose of talking shop. Each of these men is publishing a splendid paper, has a large circulation in his territory, and better still, is making a grand success financially of the publishing business. We acknowledge with many thanks—every courtesy at their hands, and confess to have brought home many new, and practical ideas, all of which we hope to profit by."

The death of H. W. Goode is a great loss to the city of Portland, for he has always taken an active part in every movement which would tend to benefit the city or bring it to public notice, and his work has been of the kind that resulted in much good, not only to Portland but the whole state as well. He died at Atlantic City, N. J., last Sunday, after a brief illness of pneumonia, superinduced by Bright's disease, where he went only two weeks before his death on business. Mr. Goode was born in Indianapolis, Ind., September 26, 1862; was married to Edith B. Fairclough, of Chicago, in 1889; came to Oregon the same year, and became manager of the Portland General Electric Co. in 1892, and in 1902 he was made president of the same corporation. He was director-general of the Lewis and Clark fair in 1903, and in 1904 was made its president. At the time of his death he was president of the Portland Railway, Light and Water Co., to which he was elected in 1906.

It's a cold day indeed when no one is shot, held-up or slugged in Portland. Suicides are frequent and of late midnight robbers and thugs have been turning their attention to unprotected women and beating the life out of them with a crack on the head with the butt end of a revolver when the women have unfortunately interfered with the pleasure of the cut-throats. Last Sunday night a young man named Roscoe H. James, son of C. E. James, superintendent of the Oregon penitentiary, shot and instantly killed Grace N. Disney, because she preferred the company of any other young man rather than that of the cowardly cur that killed her. There is one redeeming feature about the tragedy, however, as young James turned the pistol on himself and sent a bullet into the box nature had intended for brains, and he sank to the pavement dead. Crime is getting altogether too prevalent in the Rose City, and it is pretty near time for the police to make a catch. Another raid on a Chinese lantern game or a nickle-in-the-slot machine would be better than nothing.

The Independent is under obligations to the Oregon Agricultural College for a copy of a little volume entitled "A Vacation on the Mediterranean," and contains a few descriptive letters written by the author after his return from a summer's vacation amid the historic scenes that rim the Mediterranean. Prof. J. B. Horner, Registrar of the Oregon Agricultural College, is the author of this interesting and instructive volume, and he certainly gives a delightful account of his summer outing, which he and his wife took last year. Many beautiful illustrations are given, taken from photographs taken by Mr. and Mrs. Horner. The book contains six chapters and are copies of lectures which he gave before

the Agricultural College history classes during the past winter. Each lecture was illustrated with stereopticon views, and though scarcely announced, the college chapel was taxed to its utmost capacity, and the interest was so general that the students ordered the six lectures printed at their expense. The first lecture in "A Day in Rome," and is followed by "Along the Apennine Way," "Pompeii," "Athens," "Egypt," "Jerusalem," and Mr. Horner has made each subject one of deep interest. In the belief that these lectures may be of interest to reading clubs, teachers' institutes and to teachers and readers of history, a limited number of copies have been placed on the market and a copy can be had by sending 25 cents to the author or Allen & Woodward, Corvallis, Ore. The Portland Journal says of the author: "Mr. Horner has the observer's eye, the philosopher's vision and the story teller's pen."

Elmore Sheppard, a 17 year old negro weighing 640 pounds, died at Appleton, Wis., last week. He was the fattest man in the United States.

A man got wrathful the other day at the telephone service, and went up into the office to abuse somebody. He got into the operating room. He saw the strenuous evolutions the operators were going through. They didn't have time to take a breath. All over the board, there were calls for them and they didn't have time to look up. The wrathful one gazed for a minute in wonderment. It was a sight of strenuous activity such as he had never expected to see. His anger softened into a smile and he left the place determined never more to abuse a telephone girl that didn't abuse him.—Corvallis Gazette.

Americans who visit Belgium with observant eyes, and note the rows of fruit trees bordering the public roads, come away impressed with a sense of wasted opportunity in their own country. Just think what an abundance there would now be of fruit of all kinds, as well as of umbrageous beauty everywhere, if the miles and miles of dull, shadeless American roads had been planted with hardy apple, cherry, plum and pear trees! The cost would have been slight, the amount of care required small, the returns, how large! In the neighborhood of towns and cities, also, the abundance of roadside fruit which the boys might be permitted, under slight restrictions, to pick up and eat at will, would have been a protection to private trees, which few persons now attempt to grow on account of the general apprehension that the boys, not the cultivator, would get the fruit.

The Designer for May.
So many people have come to regard The Designer as the most reliable authority in matters of dress that it is with added interest we note the coming of the May number. That the cover design is by the famous French artist, M. Mucha, lends a particular value to the Standard Fashion costume in which he has the graceful figure clad.

Mary Killyth has for the time left the realm of interiors in the home decoration and taken up the subject "Attractive Gateways." She says: "If the real importance of the entranceway to a home were appreciated there would be more attention paid to investing it with some attractive quality."

Women who are casting about for a way to make their own living—women who have no business training—had better read about "The Mail Order Business" in the "Interest of Bread Winning" series for May. This same series has started a number of women we actually know of on their way to independence.

Grace Aline Kuther tells you how to make for yourself "A Short Lace Coat of Fancy Braid." You may not be a lace maker, but you can become one, professional or amateur, by reading these articles of instruction in detail.

The fiction and general articles in the May number are above par for entertainment and usefulness.

As Usual.
He and she in a twenty-horse motor car.
Once started a country trip;
She was a girl with a sweet kiss curl,
So he tooted a glad "Pip! pip! pip!"
His hand was glued to the steering gear
As he smiled at the pretty miss,
While without a jar he kept the car
In
a
dead
straight
line
like
this.
But she smiled back at the driver bold
When the streets were left behind;
Then his arm he placed round her slim trim waist.
But the lady didn't mind,
And he slowed the car to a ten-mile speed.
Quoth he: "Ah, this is bliss!"
As the motor ran as a motor car,
In
a
wobbly
course
like
this.
What care he whether the road was clear,
With a waist like hers to squeeze?
With eyes so blue, which said, "Oh, do—"
And harder—if you please!"
So he bent his head to the girl's sweet face,
And he snatched a honeyed kiss;
Then a Brewer's drag got in the way,
A
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n
this.
Parties having timber lands for sale will find it to their interest to address F. M. Heidel, Hillsboro, Oregon.

County Correspondence

We want a reporter in every town.

Tigardville.

Regular Correspondent.

Real estate boomers are still pretty thick around Tigardville. They are buying out farther and farther from Tigardville right along; buying up large farms and cutting them up into tracts and selling them again. At a large profit of course.

Clem Olmsted was seen on the streets of Tigardville last Sunday.

Frank Schuler visited with the Schuler folks of South Bend last Sunday.

Frank Fischer spent Easter with his parents of South Bend.

Art Miltenberger and his best girl visited with Mr. and Mrs. Miltenberger last Sunday.

Somebody that likes chickens helped themselves to about thirty belonging to Mr. Leedy. Some one also tried to get into Ferd Steinhoff's chicken coop a few nights ago, but they made so much noise that Ferd came running out with a shot gun and put the thieves to a hasty flight in the direction of the river.

Beaverton.

Regular Correspondent.

Aug. Rossi has purchased the park where the celebration was held last fourth of July and intends to maintain the park for such occasions in the future.

W. O. Hocken has had the south field of his farm surveyed and divided into small tracts and it will not be long before the south part of town will witness building operations.

The Local Teachers Institute held in the school house last Saturday was well attended and was quite interesting. L. R. Traver was one of the principal instructors. Mr. Traver was at one time a teacher in the school here and a great many renewed their acquaintance with him during his short stay here Saturday.

The Livermore Mill Co. unloaded a donkey engine last Friday which they expect to log with. After mounting it securely on runners they started to move it to the woods with its own power. The first move it made it jumped into a pile of slab wood at the flour mill. From there it refused to move for about 24 hours and it was promptly named "Maud" by the men. However the remainder of the trip was made without trouble and by Monday night "Maud" was safely landed at the sawmill. Clark Rolfe got his thumb mixed up with the cable and as a result one thumb will be somewhat shorter than the other.

The M. E. church and the Congregational church held joint Easter services in the Congregational church last Sunday. Rev. Barber preached in the morning and Rev. Hamlin in the evening.

W. H. Cady, of Aberdeen, Wash., was here last Monday attending the funeral of his grandfather, A. B. Cady.

Aunt Sally.

Sherwood.

Regular Correspondent.

Rochell, the saddler, has it appears, contracted the "department store" fever and in consequence is erecting a new building along side his harness shop preparatory to installing a full line of hardware and farming machinery. He will represent the Milwaukee Machinery Company, of Wisconsin.

A. L. Harrington and family have been visiting the Harrington family of Middleton, the aged father residing with the latter has been considered in a dangerous condition for several days, hence his sons and their families are present. The old gentleman is very feeble and his death at any time would not be unexpected by them.

A. F. McDaniels of Middleton while sharpening hop poles with an ax on the Olds farm Saturday succeeded in gashing his foot badly and was compelled to quit the job and come to town in quest of a surgeon. He is doomed for a good long rest before resuming the work.

Another farmer's telephone line is in course of construction in the Middleton district which will be connected up with the switch board of the town system. Any further additions after this line is connected will require a new switch board, the latter filling it entirely.

A petition is in circulation which will solicit the county court to grant a new road beginning at Limberg's place, on the Portland road which will enter town near the school building, this being a more direct route between this place and Middleton.

John Huffman, erstwhile a prominent hop raiser in this vicinity came out from the city on Sunday visiting his old home on Parrot Mountain. Business engagements precludes his visitations here very often, yet like a great majority of others, "there is no place like home" especially after a long absence.

Otto Brunke, grandson of Mrs. Bealand, of Middleton, accompanied by his wife came out from Portland Saturday evening on account of the illness of the grandmother who has been confined to her bed for several days with a severe attack of pneumonia. Her condition is critical owing to advanced age, upwards of 80 years.

The county road to the south of town leading to Middleton from this place will be straightened out, graded and otherwise improved during the coming summer, so it is reported. There will be no

objections on the part of the public that have occasion to use the thoroughfare.

A report is going the rounds in the country that a "shooting scrape" occurred here a few evenings ago, the falsity of which is apparent on obtaining the truth from interested parties. An itinerant Jew of the second-hand order was the victim of a job perpetrated by the boys about town. While shots were fired apparently in the direction of one of them, followed by running and shouting the "bog" man is responsible for the story, probably of attempted murder.

Scholls and Mountain Side.

Regular Correspondent.

The Easter exercise at the Scholls church was quite a success. The children all responded as their names were called except some little tots whose hearts failed them at the last moment.

A family by the name of Davis moved on top of the Mountain this spring or winter. It appears that they had too many chickens for sale for people that did not keep many chickens, and people around began to miss their chickens until finally people mistrusted them. The outcome was they were complained of, and the sheriff came out and took the woman, but the man could not be found. Two other men were captured too who were suspected of being a party to chicken stealing. It is too bad to have white people take up a calling that has always been supposed to belong exclusively to the colored race.

Mrs. Winstrum will take the cake in this neighborhood for raising chickens. We understand she has one hundred up to this writing and more in the near future.

Mrs. Coe, a daughter of Mr. Heaton, died at Rainier Monday morning. We have not heard the particulars yet so cannot say whether she will be buried there or brought here.

Rollie Brooks has his old orchard grubbed. He wonders what he is going to do with all those trees lying about.

Miss Jessie Madison commenced work for Mrs. E. Brooks Monday. She expects to stay all summer.

Mrs. Clara Knapp has gone to Fibha, Wash., to see her daughter, Mrs. Hathaway.

There was a basket social last Friday night at Mountain View school house. It being the last day of school, there was school exercises connected with it. A number from Mountain Side were there. They report a fine time.

Hettie.

"An American Citizen."
The McMinnville Telephone-Register says of Nat Goodwin's comedy which appears at the Crescent April 15th:

The reputation of Nat Goodwin's popular comedy "An American Citizen" was certainly well protected last Friday and Saturday nights when a company of our home talent, under the leadership of D. A. Doty, presented it to the people of McMinnville and vicinity at the Imperial Theatre.

Miss Marie Irvine, is leading lady, in the role of Beatrice Crew, certainly deserves much credit for the way she acted her part. Beresford Gruger, represented by D. A. Doty, as leading man, need not be ashamed of his representative, as Mr. Doty is perfectly at home behind the foot lights, and never appeared to better advantage than on this occasion. John Evenden, as St. Humphrey Bunn, and Miss Fannie Newell, as Lady Bunn, contributed much to the success of the performance. It is needless to say that Chas. Galloway covered himself with glory, while playing the part of Peter Barbury, the attorney. Gilbert Tiltber demonstrated to the audience that he would make an exceptionally good reporter or solicitor, while impersonating Otto Strobble. Audin Arthur was at home in the role of Willie Brown. Gordon Baker, as Egerton Brown, the defaulter, made a hit with the whole house. Miss Cleve Peery, as Carola Chapin, and Mrs. H. Mahoney, as Georgie Chapin, certainly had the parts best suited to them. Miss Muriel Grissen, as Annette, Frank Wortman, as Simms and John Malony, as Lucas, were all stars and brought the house down more than once. Master Walter Doty deserves special mention as "Mercury."

Altogether it was the best entertainment given at the opera house for several months. D. A. Doty, who had charge of the troupe is to be congratulated on the complete success of his efforts.

Card of Thanks.

To all of those, who by their kind acts and words of sympathy, helped to lighten our burden of sorrow during the illness and death of the late A. B. Cady, we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks.

THE FAMILY.

The Weekly Oregonian and The Hillsboro Independent, both one year for \$2.

Hillsboro Street Scenes post cards at Mrs. Bath's millinery store. New and pretty. Just the thing to send to your friends in the East.

WANTED—This county is being organized by a force of private detectives affiliated with the oldest, strongest and best detective organization in the world. One good man is wanted in each town, city and school district. Experience not needed, but must give references. Full time not required. Opportunity to make good money to right parties. Address by letter only. Superintendent Frank McCord, 210 Columbia Street, Portland, Ore.

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Willis Ireland et al to S H Bullock 60 acres in sec 3 t 2 n 4 w	650 00
L Benedel and wife to J W T Shute 1/2 of ne 1/4 sec 11, & 1/2 of ne 1/4 sec 12 t 2 n 4 w	1 00
Fiora Harthorn to H W Scott 1/2 sec 23, 1 n 5 w	1100 00
A H Rudy to S H Graham lot 26, 27, 38, 39 & 40 North Tigardville Add.	1000 00
James T Buxton to H W Scott tract adjoining block 42 F G	1 00
Mary A Engelbrecht to Base Line Lumber Co n 1/2 of sw 1/4 sec 1 of sw 1/4 sec 18 t 1 n 5 w	1500 00
Mary H Anderson to W E Pegg tract in Purdy Add to Hilley	1750 00
Frank R Brown to F L Brown part of sec 36 t 1 s 3 w and other land	50 00
J H Hoffman and wife to R W Airey 1/4 of an acre sec 5 t 2 s 3 w	25 00
J W Forna and wife to Geo G Patterson part of blk 6 F G	1500 00
D Christian et al to Sam L Carlyle lots 4 & 5 & 6 blk 2 S Park Add F G	900 00
D A Hayes and wife to Minnie Rosecrans tract in E Walker D L C	2500 00
F J Bailey and wife to E W Elrod 100 acres in S Shattuck D L C	10 00
Alice N Sorber and wife to John R Joseph 20 acres in sec 13 t 1 n 2 w	2000 00
F T Miller to Geo N Chapman and wife 30 20-33 acres in sec 32 t 2 n 4 w	1500 00
Rock Hull and wife to Wm Schindler 30 acres in sec 15, t 1 s 3 w	1200 00
J N Hoffman and wife to Aug Lovegren 100 acres sec 14, t 1 n 5 w	100 00
A E Brunner et al to H W Scott tract in Harvey Scott D L C	100 00
Wm Reilt and wife to J F Symple lots 16 17 18 blk 31 W Portland Heights	35 00
James T Buxton to H W Scott part of blk 42 F G	300 00
Olaf Aschm and wife to Geo F Harries 1/2 of sec 1 sec 6, 1 s 4 w	900 00
John Tilberg to E W Anderson 10 in sec 28 t 2 n 2 w	300 00
A A Mead to Maggie O'Donnell part of sec 4 t 2 n 4 w	25 00
Louis Klink to Catherine Klink n 1/4 of nw 1/4 sec 5 t 2 n 4 w	80 00
John Norrell to J J Conaway part of sec 23 t 1 s 1 w	2500 00
Harold Halvorsen and wife to Frank C Orth 76 81-100 sec 19 t 1 s 1 w	2200 00
J P Young and wife to James Brown part of sec 7 t 1 s 2 w	1300 00
J R Powell and wife to J Wilkes lot 9 blk 3 Thorne's Add Hillsboro	300 00
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S J Woodman to O M Hofstaetter lots 3 & 4 blk 2 & 10 11 & 12 blk 9 W Portland Heights	25 00
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Charles Hiatt and wife to D B Remoser 1/2 of ne 1/4 sec 12 t 1 n 5 w	1 00

The Price of Health.

"The price of health in a malarious district is just 25 cents; the cost of a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Ella Slayton, of No. land, Ark. New Life Pills cleanse gently and impart new life and vigor to the system. 25c. Satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.



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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

Chester Charles Curry, Plaintiff, vs. Emma Curry, Defendant.

In the Name of the State of Oregon—You are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and suit on or before May 20, 1907, said date being after the expiration of six weeks from the first publication of the summons, and if you fail to so answer, for the want thereof, Plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint filed herewith, to-wit:

For a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between you and Plaintiff, on the grounds of willful desertion of him by you for more than one year prior to the date of filing this suit, to-wit: Since the 21st day of January, 1902, and for such other and further relief as in equity shall seem meet.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Washington, dated the 20th day of March, 1907, and which order directs that the summons in this suit should be served upon you by publication once a week for six successive weeks in The Hillsboro Independent, the first publication being on April 16th, 1907, and the last publication thereof being on May 17th, 1907.

BRUCE C. CURRY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Executrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 30th day of March, 1907, by the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, duly confirmed as executrix of the last will and testament of Chris Peters, deceased. Now therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same with proper vouchers at the law office of John M. Wall at Hillsboro, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date hereof.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon this 4th day of April, 1907.

CHRISTINA PETERS, Executrix of last will and testament of Chris Peters, deceased.

John M. Wall, Attorney for estate.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph T. Ross, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the above named court and cause, his final account as administrator of the estate of Joseph T. Ross, deceased, and that the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, has set the 6th day of May, 1907, as the time for hearing said Final Account and all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to file their objections to said account, if any there be, on or before the 6th day of May, 1907.

JOHN VANZANTE, Administrator of the estate of Joseph T. Ross, deceased.

Johnson & Van Zante, Attorneys.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator has filed in the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, his final account, as such administrator, and said Court has set Monday, May 6, 1907, as the time, and the Court House at Hillsboro, Oregon, as the place, for hearing objections to said final account, and for the settlement of said estate.

W. N. BARRETT, Administrator of the estate of John Paul Hiltbrunn, deceased, with the Will of said deceased annexed.

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