

By D. W. BATH.

EIGHT PAGES.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC R. R.

TIME-TABLE.

FROM HILLSBORO.

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This train will run daily except Sunday, and service will be maintained as long as the business will justify. This will be a local passenger train of suburban nature and will not carry a baggage car.

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The county commissioners meet next Wednesday.

New 1907 bicycles in at Sears' Bicycle Shop. Main St.

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Hon. W. H. Wehrung has been confined to his home this week, suffering with an abscess.

Harry George, a grandson of Mrs. Craig of Forest Grove, was drowned at Astoria last Saturday.

See Dr. Eaton about your eyes and headach. At Tualatin Hotel on Monday, June 3. One day only.

Attorney Benton Bowman and wife went to Corvallis Decoration day to attend the exercises given at the college. They will return this evening.

On account of Memorial Day, The Independent goes to press a few hours later this week than usual. Friday is our regular publication day, so we are still on time.

Rev. Thos. Robinson, son of Rev. A. Robinson of this city, who has been assistant at the First Congregational church at Watertown, N. Y., arrived home Monday for his vacation.

Reports from the hospital indicate that Band Leader Powell is getting along as well as can be expected, and it is hoped he will be able to return to his home here some time next week.

A Colorado Springs dispatch of yesterday says that the most unseasonable weather on record prevails in Central Colorado. The mountains Wednesday morning were white with snow which fell during the night.

Last week at the K. of P. Grand Lodge meeting, Laurel M. Hoyt, of this city, was elected Brigadier-General of the Uniform Rank, the highest honor in the military rank of the order. It is a splendid appointment and one Mr. Hoyt is perfectly able to occupy.

Miss Manche Langley and Miss McCoskey of McMinnville gained quite a distinction for themselves in Wyoming when they broke the world's record for climbing Castle Rock Mountain, Green River, Wyoming in 33 minutes, the old time being 36.—Forest Grove News.

The annual convention of the Washington County Sunday School Association will be held in this city Thursday, June 6, in the Congregational church at 10 a. m. A fine program will be rendered consisting of papers on the different phases of Sunday school work, interspersed with songs, music and recitations. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

J. G. Pellette, aged 45 years, died of paralysis at his home five miles northeast of Hillsboro yesterday about 1 o'clock. He had lived in this section for many years and was widely known. He leaves a wife but no other relatives in this section. The funeral arrangements have not been completed, and it is desired to postpone interment until friends in Wisconsin can arrive.

Mrs. J. W. Sewell received a telegram yesterday morning announcing the death of C. C. Frazier in Arizona and that the remains would be shipped to Oregon for burial. Mr. Frazier's wife died only a few weeks ago. Both were afflicted with consumption and they were traveling in hopes of regaining their health. The interment will be made at La Grande, beside the remains of Mrs. Frazier.

The Washington County Mail Carriers Association met at the court house yesterday forenoon, the attendance being somewhat smaller than usual. Judge Goodin talked to the carriers on the subject of good roads and Postmaster Cornelius spoke on the relations of the carriers to the postmaster. The election of officers resulted as follows: O. L. Curtis, Forest Grove, president; E. B. Poole, Hillsboro, vice-president; W. H. Boyd, Beaverton, secretary and treasurer.

Flour has gone up 25 cents. God help the rich; the poor can starve.

The Hillsboro band played for the school picnic at Beaverton last Friday.

Splendid new line of post cards just received at Mrs. Bath's, one door east of Tualatin Hotel.

We are serving Bonboniere ice cream in Sodas and Sundaes.

Den of Sweets.

The Ladies' Coffee Club will meet the second Saturday in June, at 2 o'clock p. m., with Mrs. Susie Morgan.

Dr. Eaton, the eye specialist, will be in Hillsboro on Monday, June 3rd, one day only, at the Tualatin Hotel.

A lot of bunch grass horses will be auctioned off at Forest Grove on June 4th. Don't miss it. McGreer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith arrived home last Saturday evening from a six weeks' visit with relatives in California.

Teams owned by P. R. & N. Ry grade near Buxton. Wages: Slop teams, \$4.50; wheelers teams, \$5.00 per day.

The Hillsboro base ball nine went to Beaverton last Sunday and gave the boys of that place a lesson in the way that great national game should be played. Score 12 to 4 in Hillsboro's favor.

Thermometers about town registered 90° degrees in the shade at 3:30 yesterday, which is certainly going some for Oregon. But the ocean breeze, coming up shortly after 5 o'clock, put us all in good humor again.

Paste this in your hat: Trains leave this city for Portland as follows: 6:56 a. m., 9:03 a. m., 1:42 p. m., 4:31 p. m. from Portland for Corvallis, 8:42 a. m.; for Sheridan, 5:26 p. m.; for Forest Grove, 12:07 p. m., 6:26 p. m.

The funeral of Randall Dunsmoor, who died at Hillsboro last week, was held at that place on Saturday. The deceased was 79 years old, was born at Temple, Mo., and came to this county eighteen years ago. He is survived by his wife and several sons and daughter.

Will Marsh, son of Wallace Marsh, of Centerville, is reported ill with spinal meningitis. This is the first and only case of that disease reported in the county. Word received from the sick room yesterday says that the patient is holding his own, but is still a very sick man and in a very dangerous condition.

Miss Mindella Fredenthal, with the Lowengart Wholesale Millinery House of Portland, is out this week trimming for Mrs. Bath. Miss Fredenthal has the reputation of being one of the best designers and trimmers on the coast and if the ladies of this section cannot now find just what they want in stylish, up-to-date hats, then they are certainly hard to please.

DON'T mix up the 1907 celebration at Hillsboro with any previous effort, for it is bound to be the biggest and best ever pulled off in Washington county. The committee in charge of the amusements program for this Fourth of July celebration is determined to get the best to be had, and will not advertise an attraction they cannot produce. Big bills and programs will be printed soon.

The Bates' party of thirteen young Oregon women, chaperoned by Mrs. C. M. Redfield of Heppner, have reached Washington, D. C., and are having a glorious time. They have been shown all the sights of interest in and about the Capitol city, and President Roosevelt gave them a reception in the famous Blue Room. From Washington the party goes to New York City and then to the Jamestown exposition. Miss Manche Langley of Forest Grove, is one of the Bates' party.

The following marriage licenses were issued since our last issue: May 23, to W. O. Galaway and Dede Friday; 25th, Earl I. Hollenbeck and Sadie Keen, both of Mountaineer; 25th, Edgar A. Robinson and Grace H. Gore, of Tualatin; 25th, Frank H. Miller and Freda M. Davis, both of Cornelius. Mr. Galaway and Miss Friday were married by Rev. L. F. Belknap early Sunday morning and they took the early train for Portland, leaving there the same day for Newport, where they will spend their honeymoon, when they will return to their home in Banks.

As was mentioned last week Assistant District Attorney John M. Wall, of this city, was elected grand chancellor at the Grand Lodge meeting Knights of Pythias held in Portland last week. At the close of a regular meeting of Phoenicia Temple Monday evening, a reception in honor of the event was given Mr. Wall, which was largely attended. A splendid repast was served and a genuine good time is reported. Mr. Wall is well qualified to perform the responsible duties of the highest position in the gift of the Pythian brotherhood, and his selection is a matter of much satisfaction among his friends here.

The Telegram of Wednesday evening says that L. Y. Keady, by a decision rendered by Circuit Judge Frazier wins his suit against the United Railways. The decision carries with it a judgment in favor of Keady for \$3,952 and \$5,255, which, through him will be distributed to the stockholders of the defunct Oregon Traction Company. The decision was rendered by Judge Frazier after a two-days' hearing. Keady asserted the United Railways purchased franchises, stock and property of the Oregon Traction Company at public auction, but did not remunerate the stockholders of the Traction Company, as alleged by Keady, it had agreed. The amounts for which judgment had been given represent stock held by Keady and others. The decision allows Keady \$4 a share for 888 shares of stock, and \$5,255 to be distributed among stockholders who conjointly had paid that amount into the Oregon Traction Company.

Mrs. C. A. Peterson and son of Cedar Mills, were county seat visitors Tuesday.

C. P. Hall and wife, of Portland, pioneers of Reedville and well known here, were county seat visitors Monday.

Miss Goodin, daughter of R. B. Goodin, ex county clerk of Washington county, now of Salem, has just graduated as a trained nurse from St. Vincent's hospital, Portland.

A. M. Kennedy, mailcarrier for Route 1, Beaverton, accompanied by his wife was in Hillsboro yesterday attending the Washington County Mailcarriers' convention which met in the court house in the forenoon. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy made this office a pleasant call.

Mrs. Burris, a widow, 74 years of age, who has been living with her son near Banks for the past four or five years, died last Saturday. The funeral was held on Monday in the Banks school house, Rev. L. F. Belknap conducting the services. Her husband died in the civil war.

J. C. Greer has moved his stock of men's and boys' shoes, rubbers, leggings, etc., from the Sears' bicycle shop to his brother, R. H. Greer's grocery store, across the street. The closing out sale is still going on and will continue until everything is sold out. Don't forget Mr. Greer when you want a pair of shoes for yourself or boy.

A Farmers' Institute will be held at Sherwood June 4, Laurel June 5, Forest Grove June 6, Banks June 7 and Hillsboro June 8. These institutes are to be three-session institutes beginning at 10 a. m. and subjects pertaining to horticulture, dairying, general agriculture, the home and traveling libraries. Remember the dates and try to attend one or all of the meetings.

S. S. Barnes has moved his real estate office into the east half of Sears' bicycle shop, until recently occupied by J. C. Greer as a shoe shop. This gives Mr. Barnes a nice office and gets the real estate dealers all in a bunch, which, by the way, may not be so nice, but we shall hope for the best.

Kuralt Bros. last week sold to G. W. Barnes the F. W. Schmitt property, consisting of a 6-room house and an acre and one quarter of land on Seventh and Railroad streets, the consideration being \$875. They also sold the Fred Adams house and lot on First street to "Capt." Guilles for \$1,200, and a lot on Grand avenue, Portland, to a party from Idaho, for \$1,250.

Never since the opening of the Crescent Theatre has a larger crowd gathered within its walls than last Sunday, the occasion being Memorial Day exercises. The large stage was decorated with flags, the house darkened and the electric lights turned on. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Austin, a student of McMinnville college who is supplying the pulpit in the Baptist church of this city. Revs. S. J. Lindsey, of the Evangelical church, Howard Gilpatrick, of the Congregational church, and L. F. Belknap, of the Methodist church, assisted in the exercises. The singing was by the Congregational church choir which rendered several patriotic hymns, and were joined in by the large audience. The veterans and the ladies of the W. R. C. occupied seats of honor near the front of the stage, and though there were a few "vacant chairs," the number present was nearly as large as last year, and close attention was given to the speaker, whose sermon was well received by all present.

Murderer Landed.

The Oregonian of this morning says: H. Collins, suspected of being the murderer of Conductor C. L. Nevius and who wounded Motorman Hull, of the Rose City Park carline last Monday night, was arrested in the Barr Hotel last night by Patrol Driver Graves. The man answers the description given by Motorman Hull. He has a welt on the side of his head, where Hull says he hit the robber with a rock. Collins had in his possession a 38-caliber Colt's revolver, the same kind of a gun that was used in the murder.

The man was taken in custody at 11:45 p. m. and taken to the police station. He was questioned, but refused to talk and was locked up on a vagrancy charge. His room was searched, but nothing was found that would associate the man with the crime.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned wish to extend their sincere thanks to their many friends for their acts of kindness and sympathy shown during our late bereavement, the death of our dear little son, Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCormick.

PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the estate of G. H. Barber, deceased; semi-annual report filed and approved.

Estate of John Sommers, deceased; G. B. Bagley appointed guardian ad litem of Mary Siegenthaler, a minor.

Estate of George W. Ebbert, deceased; final account filed, and Monday, July 1, at 10 o'clock a. m. named as the day for hearing objections to final settlement.

Estate of Gaudenz Lucius Luetscher, deceased; bond filed and approved; letters of administration issued to Anna Elizabeth Luetscher.

Matter of the guardianship of John Sommers, insane; ordered that Wednesday, May 29, at 10 o'clock a. m. is set for hearing objections to the sale of real property.

Guardianship of Albert Schaefer, minor, report of sale filed herein and action continued for fifteen days.

Guardianship of Earl L. Smith, et al, minors; G. W. Smith appointed guardian and bond fixed at \$3,000.

Guardianship of Mary E. and Theodore J. King, minors; Mary L. King appointed guardian with bond fixed at \$500.

Estate of Thos. J. King, deceased; Chas. W. King appointed administrator with bond fixed at \$4,000.

To the Ladies.

My Mid-Summer Millinery will be ready for inspection TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 4. I have a beautiful line of entirely new hats, many of which are copies of the advanced summer patterns. This lot includes all styles and colors; prices from \$1 to \$6. These goods are up-to-date, and have been trimmed in my own work room by one of the best trimmers from the largest and best wholesale millinery house on the coast. There will be no old stock offered at this sale, and I am confident that any one familiar with the latest ideas in millinery will fully appreciate the art shown in these creations, which are the best that has been displayed for the price this season.

MRS. IMOGENE BATH.

One Door East of Tualatin Hotel.

Remember, the Date, Tuesday, June 4.

Had the weather been made to order for the Memorial exercises yesterday, it could not have been improved on, unless we could have had the temperature dropped some 15 or 20 degrees. At about 10 o'clock the procession formed on Main street and headed by the Hillsboro band, followed by sixty-seven little girls and boys, the old soldiers, the ladies of the Relief Corps, and carriages and citizens on foot, marched down Second street and out to the cemetery, where the graves of the departed heroes were banked with roses and other beautiful flowers now growing so abundantly in Oregon. Once more the funeral march has been played, the words of gratitude and prayer uttered, tears shed and flowers strewn over the resting place of the boys in blue who gave up their lives for this great nation might live, and in the many years that have passed since the din of battle and awful carnage, their memory is still fresh in the hearts of a grateful people and will remain so until the end of time. The exercises at the court house in the afternoon were appropriate and interesting and was participated in by a large number. The address, delivered by Attorney W. G. Hare, was well received.

"Swatzenjammer," the burly negro with 17 to 29 initials before his unpronounceable name, who claims to be a lecturer of great and glorious fame, but who in fact has about a million broken slats in his tottering belfry, was a very brief caller at this office Monday morning. His appearance was worse than when he visited this city several months ago, for the clothing he wore was more dilapidated and ragged than then. If he owned a shirt it must have been hanging on the brush on the bank of some river that is compelled to suffer with only a murmur against the awful outrage perpetrated in its waters, for there was none in sight; his shoes were the same, only a greater portion of them had passed out of his possession along the highways and byways over which his feet have been traveling. He called to say that "he had been 'rocked' again by a lot of ungodly people who were on the toboggan slide to hell." He said he had asked Assistant District Attorney Wall to issue a warrant for their arrest, but that gentleman had given him the marble heart and advised him to go home. Forgetting the shirt difficulty, we asked him why he didn't take off his coat and go to work; that judging from what his hearers have said and the reports in the Oregonian and other newspapers, that his lectures were too deep for the people of this section and their gray matter had not developed sufficiently to understand what he was driving at. The look he shot at us when we suggested the idea of going to work left us in an almost paralyzed condition, and he muttered as he passed out into the cold, cold world "that both papers of this yer town is nothin' but a bunch of hot air." This is only another incident in the hard lot of a newspaper man. If "W X Y Z W T Swatzenjammer," or whatever his name might be, should call on you in the capacity of a great colored lecturer, he would not be out of place to help him into the next county, using a little compressed leather to help him along.

The meeting called for last Friday evening in city hall to discuss ways and means to secure the right-of-way from Beaverton to Hillsboro, brought out a fair-sized crowd, but any large amount of enthusiasm was lacking. Dr. J. P. Tamiesle, president of the Board of Trade, called the meeting to order and C. E. Deichman was elected secretary. It was stated that the Oregon Traction Company was ready to push their line into Hillsboro, provided the right-of-way is given them. The matter was discussed by representatives of the company and a number of citizens, after which T. J. Jenkins, of the Oregon Nursery Company, and Mr. Brogren signed up a contract giving the Electric Company a free right-of-way through their property. President Tamiesle then appointed the following committee to call on all persons whose lands would be affected by the new line, the committee to report Wednesday evening at an adjourned meeting: J. W. Shute, James H. Sewell, D. Rehitto, M. McDonald, J. C. Kuralt, A. T. Heidel, J. A. Imbrie, R. H. Walker, John Vandewal, J. W. Sewell. On Wednesday evening the committee reported that it had secured contracts with John Welch, R. H. Walker, J. G. Smith, W. C. Kulich, O. E. Shepherd, N. G. Wingron, Emil Hemel, Lydia Gardner, W. P. Gardner, W. Winter, J. Foot, W. H. Wheatley, J. Losh and the Hawthorne estate. The other property owners along the proposed line are holding back and are asking good round prices for their land. Still it is hoped others will see the benefit this electric line will be to them and the value it will add to their property,

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Regular services at the Congregational church next Sunday as usual. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Morning sermon, "A Matter Purely Personal." Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:30. There will be no evening service.

Howard Gilpatrick, Pastor.

Preaching service at Witch Hazel at 3 p. m.

Preaching at the Christian church next Sunday at usual hours. Subject for morning discourse, "Preparation." Bible study Friday evening.

There will be no preaching service at the Tualatin Plains Presbyterian church next Sunday owing to the dedication of the Reedville church.

The dedication of the Reedville church will be held next Sunday morning, June 2nd at 10:30 o'clock. The Rev. W. S. Holt D. D., syndical missionary for the state of Oregon, will deliver the sermon. A most cordial invitation is extended to everyone by the Reedville community. The ladies will provide lunch for those who come from a distance.

The Annual Convention of the Washington County Sunday School Association will be held next Thursday morning, June 6th, at 10 o'clock.

Next Sunday evening the sermon to the graduating class will be delivered at the M. E. church, Rev. L. F. Belknap preaching the sermon. "The What and Why of Education" is the theme selected.

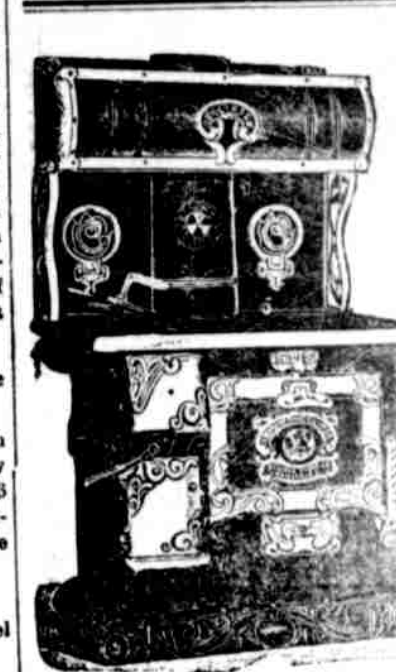
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