

THE INDEPENDENT, HILLSBORO.

By D. W. BATH.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC R. R.

Table with columns for SOUTH, NORTH, GOING SOUTH, and GOING NORTH, listing train numbers and times.

Table with columns for Lv. and No. 7 a.m., listing destinations like Forest Grove, Corvallis, Hillsboro, Reedsville, Beaverton, and Portland.

Table with columns for Lv. and No. 8 a.m., listing destinations like Portland, Beaverton, Reedsville, Hillsboro, Corvallis, and Forest Grove.

P. G. VICKERS, Agent.

Valentines at McCormick's. Boys' high top shoes at Baird's. Valentines from 1 cent to \$3.50 at McCormick's.

Ladies' Home Journal patterns at Mrs. I. Bath's. Call at McCormick's and look at his fine line of Valentines.

Webb & Hoover handles grain as well as all kinds of seeds. When in Hillsboro call and see them.

Sam. G. Ennis, a teacher in Portland, was in Hillsboro last Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. E. Ennis.

Our Sherwood correspondent has again been heard from after a long silence, better and newer than ever, and that's saying a good deal.

Don't forget the public ball at Hillsboro Hall, February 8. Good music and a good time. "Come and Waltz Me Around and Around, Willie."

John Nyberg, of Tualatin, and road supervisor of District No. 1, was a county seat visitor Wednesday, as were Herman Smith and Fred Colfelt, both of Sherwood.

St. Valentine's Day, February 14th, the time birds are supposed to mate. McCormick has the finest line of Valentines ever brought to this city.

Professor Kyle of McMinnville College has accepted a call to preach in the First Baptist church of Hillsboro. The church and town is fortunate in securing a man of Mr. Kyle's breadth of mind, knowledge and character.

Miss Rose Stucke, of Cedar Mills, celebrated her 18th birthday last Saturday at her home. A large number of friends and neighbors were present and a splendid time is reported.

Snow to the depth of a couple of inches fell last Sunday night and all day Monday everything and anything in the shape of a sleigh or sled was put to use. The boys and girls had great times snowballing but their pleasure was of short duration.

The B. Y. P. U. social meeting is due in the second week of each month. Watch for the time and place of meeting for we certainly had a very pleasant evening last month—and the pleasant times are to continue. Won't you come have a share? \*

Mrs. Imogene Bath has been at the Lowengart Wholesale Millinery House all the week and will probably remain there a week longer. She is selecting her spring stock of millinery goods and they will be the best she can procure.

The exploding of a can of gasoline in the Peaslee Brothers printing office on First street, Portland, last Monday morning, damaged the building and contents to the amount of \$35,000. The structure belonged to our former townsman, Hon. S. B. Huston, and the loss is placed at \$10,000, fully insured.

Handsomeness line of Valentine post cards at Mrs. Bath's.

Ladies' coats at Baird's are selling cheap. Go to Webb & Hoover's Feed Store for poultry and stock food, hay, flour and seeds.

Have you seen the latest and newest fancy and French gingham at Baird's.

John Tom McNamara, well known in this city, who has been making Salem his home for the past ten months, returned on Wednesday.

E. E. Bates, of Albany, was sent here to relieve J. A. Holland, who has been operator at the Southern Pacific depot for some time. Mr. Bates thoroughly understands his business and will be a valuable assistant to Station Agent Vickers.

Regular preaching services at the Christian church next Sunday, forenoon and evening. The subject for morning sermon will be, "Epistles of Christ;" in the evening, "A Halter." Bible school at 10 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend these services. Good music.

When in the city call at Palmtree's Confectionery, the most up-to-date place of its kind on the West Side. Always neat and clean, and the greatest care is taken to keep the stock neat and fresh. You will receive cordial treatment if you give us a call.

Services at the Baptist church every Sunday morning and evening. Morning service: Sunday school at 10, preaching service at 11; evening service: B. Y. P. U. at 6:30, preaching at 7:30. Professor Kyle of McMinnville college has been called as pastor and will preach each Sunday morning and evening.

Last Friday night was the coldest of the winter and exposed water pipes were frozen and some of them bursted. But while we were shivering at 30 degrees above, our Eastern friends were shoveling in \$12 coal with the thermometer 35 below. And still some people think we have had some "awful" cold weather.

"No Irish need apply" is a story often told by Bernard Daly, the clever singing star of "The Kerry Gow," which is announced to appear here at the Crescent on February 8, and of course this does not apply to his engagement here, as he insists on all the Irish and their friends being on hand to enjoy the greatest and best of all Irish comedies, Usual prices.

Misses Jessie Donelson, Bessie Schomberg and Effie Godman gave a leap year dancing party last Friday night at Hillsboro Hall, twenty-four couples being present. Walker's orchestra furnished the music, and a splendid time is reported. The ladies planned the entertainment, paid all expenses and the young men, twenty-four in all, were guests in every sense of the word, and say they never had a better time in their lives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Krueger of Hillsdale, leave about March 1st for a three months' visit with relatives and friends in Green Lake and Dodge counties, Wisconsin. They will visit at Green Lake, Fox Lake, Waupun, Beaver Dam, Trenton and other points. Mrs. Krueger, as Miss Warren, lived at Trenton before her marriage, and she and her husband will receive a right royal welcome by a host of friends in that vicinity. Take along a few Oregon roses, Mr. Krueger, and prove to them that this is the land of flowers and that they bloom in the open all the year 'round.

The play that made both fame and fortune for Joseph Murphy was the popular comedy "The Kerry Gow" and this season it is the medium used in bringing that clever young comedian Mr. Bernard Daly into the limelight of stardom. The supporting company is clever and well selected. Mr. Daly's splendid tenor voice is naturally adapted to the many Irish songs that are introduced during the action of the play. The engagement is a notable one among this season's bookings. Crescent theatre February 8. Usual prices.

Born.—On Tuesday last to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, of Scholls, a son.

This is something you have long been looking for, Korn Krisp, at the Den of Sweets.

Evening service in the Congregational church at 7:30 next Sunday. Morning service at 11:00, with a sermon on "The Highest Type of Christian."

Go to Webb & Hoover's for Utah land plaster, spray, spray pumps, lime, sulphur, cement, mixed paint, white lead, paint brushes, oil, poultry and stock food.

Last Wednesday morning about nine o'clock someone fired a 22 calibre bullet through the window of the home of James Imbrie, corner Eighth and Main streets. The ball whizzed by the head of one of Mr. Imbrie's daughters, who sat at a table writing. Mr. Imbrie believes it to have been the work of some boys who were out practicing with small rifles, but it was a pretty close call for the young lady, just the same, and ought to be a warning to boys who are permitted to handle firearms.

Charles Doughty, who induced Bruce Donelson to steal \$40 from the purse of a woman in this city, for which crime he was sent to the reform school, has been captured and is now in the county jail. He was caught in Portland on Wednesday by John Bailey, deputy sheriff, who was talking young Donelson to the reform school. After leaving the train at Portland, Bailey spied Doughty in the crowd and at once placed him under arrest. He handcuffed the boy to Doughty and returned to Hillsboro with the two.

The National Tribune of Washington, D. C., of January 30, 1908, says with reference to the Seattle Exposition: "It is really a wise expenditure of money, though not a single exposition has ever come out even, always in debt."

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Get a sample of Korn Krisp as made at the Den of Sweets and please your palate.

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Advices were received yesterday by a local dealer from a New York buyer to the effect that he had bought 100 bales of choice Oregon 1807s at 7 1/2-2c. This lot was sold by Allen & Co., a New York fruit and commission firm which early in the season solicited consignments in the Newberg and other sections. With the freight and all commissions deducted this will net the grower about 5c. At the time the hops were shipped from Oregon, the local market was around 8c. Trading has subsided materially in this state since last week and the dealers pronounce the tone of the market easier. Most of the buyers have withdrawn from the market temporarily at least. Purchases made by Hart & Hubbard this week aggregated 600 bales, secured principally in the Silverton, Pratum, Switzerland and Sherwood districts.

The Portland Weekly Oregonian and The Hillsboro Independent one year for \$2.25.

Korn Krisp this week, next week and every week at the Den of Sweets.

Candy Valentine boxes at the Den of Sweets, just the thing for Valentine remembrances.

C. Christensen, of Tigardville, was in town yesterday transacting business before the county court.

Miss Theodate Hobbs, who is attending the Portland High school, is spending a week's vacation with her parents in this city.

O. P. Cole has filed suit in the circuit court against Nellie Cole, on the grounds of desertion and a disregard of her marriage vow. The parties were married in October, 1905, at San Francisco, and the plaintiff is an actual resident of this county. H. T. Bagley is attorney for the plaintiff.

Albert Leunow, of Bethany, was arrested Wednesday at the depot for disorderly conduct. Recorder Schulmerich fined him \$25 or 121 days in the cooler. Mr. Leunow is at present writing assisting the marshal in a little wheelbarrow exercise on the public thoroughfare.

W. Bump, of Forest Grove, father of Attorney Mark Bump, of this city, has been a very sick man for the past ten days with inflammation of the stomach. For five days he was in a dangerous condition and needed the constant attention of watchers, but yesterday it was reported that he was resting easier and had a good chance for recovery. On account of his father's illness, Attorney Bump has been obliged to absent himself from his office here until yesterday.

The best way to find out how good or bad Korn Krisp is to get a sample of it at the Den of Sweets.

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RURAL CARRIERS REJOICING.

No More Picking Pennies Out of Mail Boxes.

The entire force of mail carriers of the United States are rejoicing over a circular just issued by the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General in regard to patrons placing coins in their mail boxes to pay the postage on their letters. This order is particularly acceptable to the carriers, coming as it does right in the winter time. Below is a copy of the item which the postmasters are supposed to give as much publicity to as possible:

The postmaster general desires to call attention to the practice of placing loose coins in their mail boxes each time they desire to dispatch letters instead of supplying themselves with postage in advance of their needs. This practice imposes undue hardship on rural carriers in removing loose coins from boxes and delays them on the service of their routes.

The postmaster general, therefore, urgently request that patrons provide themselves and keep on hand a supply of stamps consistent with and in demand of their needs. It is also very desirable that patrons place in their mail boxes small detachable cups of wood or tin in which to place coins, when necessary, in purchasing supplies of stamps.

The above was published in full in these columns last week, but is reprinted at the request of a Rural Mail Carrier.

We have the best goods and best place to show you the goods in Hillsboro. Come and see us. R. H. Greer.

From Tigardville.

Harry Heimback was a Tigardville visitor last Sunday. Don't forget the big masquerade at the Grange hall, February 15.

Mr. Longworth and family have settled down on the property recently purchased from A. Brandt on Bull Mountain.

Lumber for the livery stable and auto garage is already on the ground and the building will be begun as soon as the weather permits.

A. Weigel sold out his big farm of 110 acres to the Investment Co. for the neat little sum of \$11,000, which shows what land is worth over in Slattown.

B. W. B. Kisby, generally known as "Doc" Kisby, is now an actor with the Allen Stock company at the Lyric theatre, Portland. Those who have seen him say that he makes a good actor. He used to be a Tigardville sport, but it seems that things didn't hum to suit him, so he hiked off for the great metropolis, where he has since had a most brilliant career.

H. B. Tjgard had the misfortune to have his foot cut across the ankle last week while assisting N. Holm to take out a stump on the Bunnell farm. It seems that H. B. had taken hold of the stump and was pulling it over sideways so that Mr. Holm could cut the tap root and finding his position inconvenient, started to shift his foot to a more comfortable position, and got his foot in the way of a falling axe, which struck him across the front of his ankle and severed the cords, cutting a gash about an inch and a half deep and chipped out a piece of bone. It is said his foot is crippled for life, but we hope for the best.

Geo. Behnke and H. Schrit have thrown some property on the market down near the station, lots 40x100 feet being priced from \$250 down to \$25. George "allus was enterprisin'."

Al. Zwiener lost a fine Jersey heifer about 5 weeks ago and has searched the country for miles around without finding any trace of the bovine. Al. would be glad to hear from anyone knowing the whereabouts of the animal.

Just step in and see the beautiful line of name cards we have on display. We can furnish any name desired at short notice, gilded on any card you may select, from 5 cents to 25 cents. MRS. IMOGENE BATH, HILLSBORO.

Party that has lost a blue molly cow please write to Mrs. E. Totzauer, Oswego, Oregon, R. F. D. No. 1.

CRESCENT THEATRE

Saturday, February 8

U. D. Newell Presents

Erin's Sweetest Singer

Bernard Daly

The only successor to W. J. Scanlan

In a Mammoth Production of

Joseph Murphy's Famous Play

"Kerry Gow"

The Great Forge and Race Scenes, Most Realistic

Scenes Ever Produced on the Stage. Flock

of Wonderful Trained Carrier Pigeons

Hear Daly Sing His Popular Irish Ballads

USUAL PRICES

Probate Court.

Matter of the estate of C. K. Schmeltzer, deceased; second annual report filed herein; it is hereby ordered that the funds on hand be distributed among the heirs of said estate.

Guardianship of Rufus E. Norman, deceased; final account of guardian filed and approved; guardian will be discharged upon filing receipt for all property belonging to said guardian from the administrator.

Estate of Michael Boyd, deceased; inventory and appraisal filed and approved.

Guardianship of Marie O. Nordlund, minor; Olaf Nordlund appointed guardian of Marie Nordlund; guardian files bond in sum of \$1,000 and letters ordered issued to him.

Matter of last will and testament of Elias Olson, deceased; final account filed and Monday, March 2, 1908, at 10 o'clock, be set for time for hearing objections to said final account.

Estate of Andrew Fuhrer, deceased; ordered that Dora Fuhrer, administratrix, be authorized to pay to Dora Fuhrer, widow of deceased, the sum of \$1,300 out of the funds of this estate for the support of the widow and minor children for one year, and it is also ordered that the administratrix be relieved from the duties and responsibilities of the administration of the partnership estate until the interest of said decedent is turned over to her as administratrix.

Estate of Elizabeth Freeman, deceased; report of sale confirmed, and executor be authorized and directed to make deed conveying property to R. B. Magruder.

Estate of Michael Boyd, deceased; petition to sell personal property; and executors are authorized to sell all personal property belonging to said estate for so much as may be necessary to pay all claims against the estate.

Estate of James Thwaite, deceased; final account filed and approved, and the administrator discharged and bondsmen released.

Matter of the guardianship of Arline Hermin Aiemon, minor; ordered that J. J. Krobs be appointed guardian and that letters of guardianship be issued upon filing of a bond in the sum of \$2,000.

I have a few pieces of Chinaware that will be sold at a very low price to close out the line. They consist of cream pitchers, cups and saucers, bread and milk sets, small tea sets and china images. Mrs. I. Bath.

For Sale.

Five-room, modern cottage on Baseline and Fourth, new, for sale on very easy terms or monthly payments. Inquire of C. Rhoades, Hillsboro, Ninth and Baseline.

Eggs for Hatching.

S. C. Black Minoreas and S. C. Brown Leghorns, \$1.00 for setting of 13. At the Oregon Poultry Show my birds won four firsts out of a possible five in competition with the best breeders in the state.

R. H. GREER.

Take Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for the acts or conduct of Ermyl Buell, my son, or for any debts or bills made on account of him.

Hillsboro, January 23, 1908. LEWIS M. BUELL.

Is your boy or girl in need of a new cap? If so, I can supply your needs in that line, at greatly reduced prices. \$1.00 caps now 75c, 75c caps now 50c, etc. Mrs. I. Bath.

Valentine post cards at Mrs. I. Bath's.

Candidates' Announcements.

FOR COUNTY CLERK. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Clerk of Washington County, Oregon, on the republican ticket, subject to the endorsement of the republican primary election to be held in said county April 7, 1908, and if elected I will give my undivided attention to the office and conduct it to the best of my ability. W. D. SMITH.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County School Superintendent, pending that, if nominated and elected to serve a second term, I will give to all a square deal and faithful service. Very truly, M. C. CASE.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR. I hereby announce myself as a candidate before the Primaries for the office of County Assessor on the Republican Ticket, and if nominated and elected, it will be my effort to conduct the office as in the past, with absolute consistency and without fear or favor, and for the best interest of Washington County. GEO. H. WILCOX.

FOR COUNTY CLERK. I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of County Clerk of Washington County, Oregon, subject to the endorsement of the Republican Primary election to be held in said county, on April 7, 1908. If elected, I promise a careful, economical administration of the affairs of that office, efficient service and faithful performance of duty. E. J. GODMAN.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR. I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of County Assessor of Washington County, Oregon, subject to the endorsement of the Republican voters at the Primary election, to be held April 17th, 1908. If I am nominated and elected I promise to give the office the closest and careful attention it has received during my first term and to look to the welfare of the county at all times. C. E. DEICHMAN.

FOR COUNTY RECORDER. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination to the office of County Recorder of Washington County, subject to the endorsement of the republican voters at the Primary election, to be held April 17th. If I am nominated and elected I promise to give the office the closest and careful attention it has received during my first term and to look to the welfare of the county at all times. WILLIS IRELAND.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR. I am a candidate for the nomination of County Assessor on the Republican Ticket at the primary election to be held April 17, 1908. MAX CRANDALL.

Moved.

I have moved my shoe shop to my residence on Third street, known as the Wm. Finney place, where I am prepared to do all kinds of shoe repairing on short notice. Give me your work. Fred Landrock, Owner.

Grubbers Wanted. Eight or nine acres of light grubbing, two miles west of Hillsboro. Inquire for further particulars of J. T. Rice, on the place.



GO TO THE Home Style Restaurant FOR A GOOD MEAL AND A GOOD BED. Main St., between Third and Fourth HILLSBORO, ORE. MRS. I. M. HUMKE, Prop.