

THE INDEPENDENT, HILLSBORO.

By D. W. BATH.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC R. R.

TIME-TABLE		FROM HILLSBORO.	
SOUTH.		NORTH.	
No. 2	No. 1	No. 3	No. 4
8:16 a. m.	9:08 p. m.	9:03 a. m.	7:55 a. m.
No. 4	No. 3	No. 2	No. 1
5:26 p. m.	9:03 a. m.	8:16 a. m.	9:08 p. m.
GOING NORTH.			
Forest Grove	6:45	1:30	
Cornelius	6:39	1:34	
Hillsboro	6:51	1:42	
Reedville	7:00	1:55	
Beaverton	7:10	2:05	
Ar.	7:55	2:50	
GOING SOUTH.			
Lv.	No. 8 a. m.	No. 10 p. m.	
Portland	7:00	6:40	
Beaverton	11:44	7:04	
Reedville	11:55	7:15	
Hillsboro	12:07	6:40	
Cornelius	12:15	7:30	
Ar.	12:20	6:26	
Forest Grove	12:30	6:26	

P. G. VICKERS, Agent.

Shoes for everybody at Baird's. Utah Land Plaster at 65 cents per sack, at C. E. Hedge's, Beaverton.

Preaching service at Witch Hazel school house Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bilyeu were out from Portland Sunday visiting relatives.

Attorney E. B. Tongue returned from his trip to California Wednesday morning.

When in town call at Palmateer's Confectionery and try the famous Hires' Root Beer. Always cool.

Procure your field and garden seeds and onion sets from R. H. Greer for spring planting. Reliable brands.

At the election in Tillamook Cake received 307 votes, Fulton, 327; Barrett, 223; Hammerly, 244; and Nolan, 135.

Persons wishing cards with the new spit ordinance printed on them, can get the same at this office at 5c each.

The Latest.—Men's wide string bows, in nobby patterns. Baird. Headquarters for Gent's up-to-date Furnishings.

For up-to-date millinery and ladies' furnishing goods, go to Mrs. Bath's, Linklater building, east of the court house.

Hazelwood Ice Cream, Fresh Oysters, Confections, Fruits, Nuts, Cigars, Tobaccos and Pipes at Palmateer's Confectionery.

The distribution of the United States 5 per cent land sales fund has been determined. Washington county is named in the list at \$543.16.

Dr. F. J. Bailey and wife were out from Portland Tuesday. The doctor is now in the clothing business on Washington street, Portland.

Last week S. S. Barnes sold the W. E. Thorne 56-acre farm, located south of the depot to D. P. Corrieri, the consideration being \$7,000.

Congressman W. C. Hawley announces that an increase of pension of \$12 per month has been granted to William G. Hager of Hillsboro.

Mrs. T. H. Tongue, Sr., and daughter Bertha, who have been spending the winter in Portland, returned to their home in this city Tuesday.

Miss Fannie Hemstock of McMinnville, and her sister, Miss Berenice, of Portland, are visiting this week with Mrs. Joseph Wolfersperger.

There will be an address of special interest at the United Evangelical church Sunday morning by the pastor. The evening service will be at 8.

Judge Crandall went to Portland Tuesday to have his eyes treated. He has been having some trouble with them and concluded to consult the specialist.

F. R. Dailey is now prepared to do all kinds of bicycle repairing, in his new building opposite the court house. New 1908 bicycles for sale. Next door to Crescent Theatre.

Be careful to examine all bank notes passing through your hands and do not accept any on the Merchants & Planters Bank of Georgia. They are no good, and the bank is defunct.

Andrew Jack has moved from Farmington to Hillsboro and will make this city his future home. He is moving his family and household effects in the George Morgan residence on Second street.

"What Christ's Teaching Has Done for the Business Man" will be the morning topic in the Congregational church next Sunday. Men are especially invited to attend. "Looking Through an Open Door" will be the evening topic.

It is said that a deputy sheriff was sent out Tuesday to the mountain home of a Mr. Campbell, to levy on some goods allowed Mrs. Campbell by the court when granted a divorce some time ago, but the deputy returned empty handed. Campbell met the deputy with an ugly looking gun and he decided that there was nothing there he wanted.

Get the price of choice cedar shingles from C. E. Hedge, Beaverton.

Irving Bath came up from Two Rivers, Wash., last Friday to vote and spent Sunday with his parents.

Mesdames George Frazier and Barlow, of Portland, were called to Hillsboro this week by the serious illness of their son, Mr. J. Palmateer.

Wanted—A boy between 14 and 16 years of age to learn the printer's trade. A bright, intelligent boy will be given a good chance to learn the business in this office.

Earl E. Fisher will enter the Sixth grade of the city schools next Monday, taking the place of Mrs. H. Hughes, who has been teaching there for some time. The room has been without a teacher since Monday.

Geo. Bunting, 16 years old, whose home is in Tigardville, was found by the police roaming about the streets of Portland at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, and was given a place to sleep at the station. He says he came to the city to see the sights.

Webb & Hoover have in stock the "Gilsomite Rubber Paint" for roofs of all kinds—iron, tin, felt, paper or wood. Also the Oregon Wood Distilling Co.'s shingle stain oil. Lined oil, raw and boiled, and castor machine oil.

Mrs. L. J. Palmateer has been very ill this week with pneumonia, and for a day or two her life was despaired of, but at this writing she is reported considerably better. Mrs. Palmateer was recovering from the measles when she caught a severe cold, which as is usual in those cases, went to the lungs.

Mrs. I. D. Burtis, of New York City, who has been visiting her father, S. A. Bowers, and sister, Mrs. Belle Haines, of this city for the past two months, went to Seaside and Astoria. On Saturday she leaves for her home in New York, but so well pleased is she with Oregon that she intends to return again to make her home.

"If the Commercial clubs and other booster organizations of the state would spend say \$3,000 a year in one-year subscriptions to their county papers, and send these papers to eastern home-seekers, free of charge, for the period of 12 months, the results in immigration would eclipse any effort ever put forth in an advertising campaign in Oregon," was the emphatic declaration of a traveling man in Corvallis a few days ago.—Corvallis Gazette.

G. B. Whitney, the Forest Grove dentist who has been held at the county jail in Portland on a charge of manslaughter, growing out of the death of his fiancée, Miss Mabel Wirtz, was released Wednesday morning on \$1000 bail. A bond of \$1000 to guarantee Whitney's appearance at the trial was signed before Justice of the Peace Reid by August Eschle, who has a saloon at 234 Yamhill street, and William Kavanaugh, a dentist of Portland.

Mrs. H. Rhea, of Culbertson, Mont., mother of Mrs. H. T. Bagley, arrived in Hillsboro Wednesday and will make this city her future home. On account of a wreck on the Great Northern railway in the Rocky mountains, in which several coaches were burned and a number of passengers injured, Mrs. Rhea was delayed a day in reaching here. She says that when she left Montana the earth was still in its winter garb, and the change to blossoming trees and grass a foot high is pleasing to her eyes.

At about 8 o'clock last Saturday night a man, so full of bug-juice that he did not know his own name, much less where he was going, ran across one of Hillsboro's clergymen and begged him to take him home. After arriving there the man's wife went through his pockets and found about \$1.50, all that was left of a month's wages which he drew that day—and three bottles of whiskey. When it is considered that this man's wife and family need every cent of his earnings, it can readily be seen that the loss of a whole month's wages took sorrow into that home. It is just such instances as this that is setting serious men to thinking and bodes ill to the liquor traffic all over the country.

The printing of the name on the label pasted on each of those three whiskey bottles would cause as much surprise to some of our citizens as did the election returns to a few of the candidates after the returns came in last Friday night.

Sent to the Asylum.

An Oregon City dispatch of April 22nd says that "Mrs. Grace Robinson Chapman, of Clackamas Station, was Tuesday committed to the insane asylum. She has been in an unsound condition for several months and last February brought suit for a divorce alleging cruel and inhuman treatment." Miss Robinson was formerly a teacher in the Hillsboro school, and the news of her sad condition will be received here with regret.

They Are At It.

The Oregon Electric Railway Company began work on the new line yesterday morning at Garden Home and will push the work to Hillsboro at once. The Oregonian says:

To gridiron the Willamette valley with electric lines is the avowed purpose of the Oregon Electric Railway Company. The original capitalization of \$2,500,000 was increased Wednesday to \$10,000,000. Extensions to the system were authorized aggregating 301 miles. Work commenced on the first of these lines yesterday morning.

Stockholders and directors of the company met in the headquarters in the Corbett building Wednesday morning and authorized the filing of new articles of incorporation, providing for the increase in the capital stock and the construction of new main lines throughout the Willamette valley, as well as feeders running into the country on both the east and west side of the Willamette river. It is estimated that the additional capitalization will provide for the new lines planned. If insufficient, however, the company is prepared to secure whatever amount is needed for the work.

The plans of the Oregon Electric to develop this state with trolley lines is the most important railroad announcement Portland has had since the North Bank road was projected from Pasco, Wash., to that city. It means the development of the Willamette valley to a remarkable degree for the system of roads mapped out will serve the territory to be entered in the most satisfactory way.

The following new lines were authorized by the directors of the company at Wednesday's meeting: Salem to Albany, 18 miles; Garden Home to Hillsboro, 12 miles; Hillsboro to Tillamook, 57 miles; Tigardville to Eugene, 125 miles; Salem to Mill City, 54 miles, and Albany to Cascade, 35 miles. Total mileage, 301. With the 50 miles already constructed by the company between Portland and Salem, the construction of the new lines just authorized will give the Oregon Electric 351 miles of standard gauge railroad in the state.

The capitalization of the company will be equally divided between common and preferred stock, of which 50,000 each will be issued, of the par value of \$100. The revised articles of incorporation were sent to Salem by special messenger yesterday for filing with the secretary of state and they were also placed on record at the court house here.

He Has Made Good.

The following concerning a former Hillsboro boy is taken from the Los Angeles Times of April 14:

"United States Dist. Atty. Oscar Lawler yesterday announced the appointment of Frank Stewart as his second assistant, to take special charge of postal cases. He was admitted to the Federal court on motion, and will take up his new duties next Monday."

Stewart has been in the postal service eight years, and as an inspector for this district, he has earned an enviable reputation for keen, faithful work. Since his appointment in 1904, he has handled some of the biggest criminal cases that have come under the supervision of the federal officials and his careful preparation of evidence has almost invariably led to indictments by the federal grand jury.

In ferreting out the Ollie J. Watkins swindle, he won the approbation of the entire department, and his persistent and relentless pursuit of the wily swindlers is mainly responsible for the indictment of all the associates of the late general manager of the California Fruit Growers' Association.

In other matters, not as spectacular, Stewart has "made good," and he is considered one of the best posted inspectors employed in the west. His knowledge of law aided him materially in his work. He was admitted to practice in Oregon, after a course of legal training in law offices and the law department of the University of Oregon.

He accepted the position in the United States District Attorney's office to enter a broader field of practice than that afforded by the postal service.

Owing to the rapidly increasing amount of postoffice business that has required federal prosecution during the past year, Lawler considered it necessary to secure the appointment of a man familiar with that branch of criminal practice, and Attorney General Bonaparte authorized the increase in the office force.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to notify those owing for service of the stallion Duke, then in charge of J. G. Haynes, on the Alrich Farm, to make payment therefor only to the undersigned or to M. E. Blanton, foreman on the farm. All other amounts due to the farm should likewise be paid, and to no other. THE SHAW-PEAR COMPANY, Portland, Ore.

Statement No. 1 Mass Meeting.

An invitation is extended to the voters of this county, regardless of political affiliation, to attend a mass meeting at the court house at Hillsboro, Oregon, on Friday, April 24, 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating a legislative ticket for Washington county that will support the primary law and Statement No. 1. This invitation is made by and on behalf of advocates of Statement No. 1.

The Big Horse Show.

It is estimated that 4,000 people were in Hillsboro last Saturday to witness the big horse show and street parade. The weather for two or three days previous to the event had been rainy, cold and unpleasant, but during the parade it was all that could be desired, and Messrs. Cave and Moon, secretary and president of the Washington County Horse Association, are very much pleased with the result, though many of the best horses remained away because of the threatening rain. Gov. Chamberlain delivered the address of the day and appropriate remarks were made by Mayor Dennis, L. A. Long and others.

The following persons and companies had horses entered: A. W. Mills, H. S. Harvey, Wal. Marsh, Scholls Percheron Horse Co., L. E. Bradford, of Salem; Jasper Reeves, J. S. Wright, Hillsboro Horse Co., C. Shane, J. Schulmerich, Johnson & Baxter, C. Peck, Roy Hollenbeck, G. W. McGraw, Mr. Womer, John Marsh, Walling Evers, and others.

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