

Commissioners' Court. Following are some of the bills which were allowed by the board of county commissioners on Wednesday, and the remainder of the proceedings will appear in our next issue.

M. Level 2 50, Frank Bester 1 85, Henry Kunze 14 35, Charles Kunze 2 50, N. Babi 8 75, ROAD DISTRICT No. 8, Gustave Kunze 12 50, Vincenz Jacob 20 00, H. E. Weston 5 00, Edward Weston 2 50, H. F. Hill 5 00, H. J. Franklin 3 75, F. M. Wilson 12 80, Ed. Evans 2 50, George Williams 7 50, Wm. Williams 1 85, H. F. Holden 2 50, Arthur Holden 1 85, Frank Herrington 1 85, Morris Mills 5 00, George Himes 4 35, John Neiger 8 75, Albert Olds 24 75.

NEHALEM. Steamer Harrison came in on Monday. She brought some supplies for our merchants, material for the sawmill, and is now loading shooks at Krebs' mill for Umpqua.

NETARTS. Chas. Hunter, of Tillamook, is stopping a few days with Geo. W. Phelps, on the beach. D. J. Phelps, brother of Geo. W. Phelps, who has been visiting at Netarts for the past two weeks, left for his home at Milton, Or., last Thursday.

SOUTH PRAIRIE. Telephone completed to Charley Wells'. Our school closes this week. The short term taught by Miss Maud Belshe has been a successful one.

BOULDER CREEK. C. Mills, of Beaver, passed our burg, one day last week. W. D. Gladwill made a trip down the Nestucca, Wednesday. H. Booth, of Woods, transacted business in this locality Thursday.

NEKOWIN. The Anita arrived in the Nestucca Bay on Sunday. Mr. McKenna, of Heppner, bought several head of cattle in this vicinity.

HEBO. H. C. Sanders informs us that he will start for California in a short time. Two men are boarding at J. M. Edwards' and slaying for N. P. Hansen on his Three River place.

To Form Salmon Combine. VANCOUVER, B.C., Nov. 3.—A salmon canners' association, to control the salmon output of the Pacific Coast, has been discussed at a series of conferences in this city this week among representatives from canneries on Puget Sound and this country.

The best Hallowe'en joke of this year was played on Frank Welch, of the Daily Statesman force—by himself at Salem. He determined to forestall the prankish boys, so, during the afternoon which he thought might end in troublesome visitations, he removed the gates around the premises to safe hiding places, returning them to their accustomed position next morning, and going to his business with a self-satisfied feeling on account of his shrewdness.

The report of Auditor of the Postoffice Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, shows that the total revenues for the department for that period were \$102,354,579, and the expenditures, \$107,249,298, leaving a deficit of \$4,894,718.



POOR BILLY BRYAN. Knocked into Political Insignificance by Billy McKinley. Tillamook County Two to One for McKinley, who has about 292 Electoral Votes.

Table showing electoral votes for McKinley and Bryan in Tillamook County. McKinley: 292, Bryan: 618.

Table showing electoral votes for McKinley and Bryan by precinct in Tillamook County. Precinct: McKinley, Bryan. Totals: McKinley 292, Bryan 618.

Table showing electoral votes for McKinley and Bryan by state. States: McKinley, Bryan. Total: McKinley 292, Bryan 155.

Changes Plan of Campaign. NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Secretary Root found it necessary some days ago to issue special instructions to Major-General MacArthur, Governor-General of the Philippines, regarding the conduct of the campaign in Luzon, says a Washington dispatch to the Herald.

Our Clubbing Rates. Headlight and the Oregonian \$2.25, Headlight and the Examiner 2.35, Headlight & Thrice-a-Week World 2.00.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS. —Harry—"You say Maude sings like an angel. Why, I never heard her sing at all!" Penelope—"True; but did you ever hear an angel sing?"—Harlem Life.

—Mrs. Dahlgren—"Ah, Mr. Phipps, I saw you in church last Sunday." Mr. Phipps—"Yes, it rained, you know. Was that the reason you were there, too?"—Cleveland Leader.

—In a Glasgow car was an aged Irishman, who held a pipe in his mouth. The conductor told him he could not smoke but he paid no heed. Presently the guard came into the car and said, with a show of irritation: "Didn't I tell you you couldn't smoke in this car?"

—"I think," said the man who had bought a season ticket to the opera, whispering to his neighbor, "that I'll try to have my seat changed. Every night that girl sits in front of me with that same huge hat on and—"

HINTS IN MEDICINE. Words of Advice for the Careful Housewife.

Physicians constantly see patients who would be horror-stricken at the idea of being devoted to the whisky or brandy bottle, but who seem to think that there is no possible harm in resorting to wines of cocoa or kola with or without other ingredients. In many instances these wines contain such a large quantity of alcohol that in addition to the stimulating effect of their medicinal ingredients they produce an effect equivalent to that induced by a drink of whisky.

SUBDUED THE HORSE. Gen. Grant as a Cadet Displayed Qualities Conspicuous in Later Days.

"One day when the members of Grant's class were called out for drill on horseback there were not horses enough by one to go round. Grant was one of the shortest men in his class, consequently was on the extreme left of the company, and he was the one for whom there was no horse.