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Calendar for August 1908 showing days of the week and dates.

DANGER FROM WITHIN.

United States Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota, in an address before the convention of the Luther League of America in Chicago, said: "Severed by two vast oceans from the other great powers of the world,"

IRA D. SANKEY.

Ira D. Sankey, the world-wide known singing evangelist, passed away this week at his home in New York, at the age of 68.

THE COLONIST RATE.

The colonist rate from the east to all points in this state becomes effective on the first of the next month and will continue until December.

H. C. BENNETT.

H. C. Bennett, of Irrigon, presumably a namesake of Editor Bennett, of the Rabbitville Optimist, was elected president of the fourth-class postmasters' association at Portland.

No. 7. This ought to tickle the old man.—Hood River News-Letter.

Cook county is advertising for day laborers at wages from \$2 to \$3 per day, in many cases with board.

Bryan is now a member of the Typographical union, and Taft is a member of the Shoelers' union.

MET MR. BRUIN.

Charles Merchison and "Richard" Bay "Scared Siff" Recently.

Society and hunting circles at Kamela are alive with the latest bit of gossip from the woods. Charles Merchison, who was seriously injured some time ago, and is yet forced to walk with crutches, and "Richard," the Bay family's pet canine, were picking huckleberries last Friday and had reached a desolate spot in the dense woods surrounding the summit.

FEW HUCKLEBERRIES.

Indiana Find Ready Sale of Fruit on the Hill at \$1 Per Gallon.

The huckleberry crop on the summit of the Blue mountains is limited this year, and even what did ripen are now well picked.

PURCHASE NEW SIGN.

Up-to-Date Business Getter to Grace Front of Pastime Theater.

The management of the Pastime theater has ordered a fine new electric sign which will be swung over the entrance door.

HALIFAX CELEBRATES.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 17.—In connection with the annual meeting of the Maritime Board of Trade, a celebration of the 150th anniversary of the establishment of responsible government in Nova Scotia was commenced here today.

CATCH BLACK HAND LEADER.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Vincent Craps, a Sicilian, alleged to be the leader of the Mafia, was arrested today in the act of getting a box supposed to contain \$1000 from under the sidewalk where it was placed by Benedetto Caro, a wealthy Italian grocer.

ROAD OF MANY BRIDGES.

New Road to Average More Than a Bridge to the Mile.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Through service will be inaugurated on the St. Paul road's Pacific coast extension late next year, according to a statement made by a high official today.

REPRESENTATIVES TO COMPETITION.

Berlin, Aug. 17.—It was announced today that Lieutenant Frank P. Lahm and Charles Chandler, of the army signal corps, and Major Henry Hersey of the United States weather bureau, will be the official representatives of the United States in the great international balloon competition to be held in Berlin October 19 and 21.

SOFT DRINK WAS COSTLY

One of the most disappointed individuals in the city today is James H. Wood, of Enterprise, who came here Saturday night to buy some land in an isolated tract that was sold at public auction this morning.

There were several local buyers of isolated tracts today. William B. Grandy of this city, and Hon. A. E. Nelson of Union, being among the successful bidders.

OTHER LAND OFFICE AFFAIRS.

Among the business transactions today was the application of B. T. May of this city, who wants a homestead. William A. Bohart of this city, made proof on a timber and stone claim.

BOYS ROB AND KILL.

More Boys Assault Pedestrian Intent Upon Robbery and Then Kill.

San Francisco, Aug. 17.—Two 19-year-old highwaymen held up William Lee early today and when he failed to obey orders, beat him to death. Lee was going home. He thought the robbers were drunk and walked on.

JAPANESE POACHERS CAUGHT.

Seattle, Aug. 17.—Cable advices from Valdez today state that 75 alleged Japanese seal poachers were captured from the Kinsler Maru and Aski Maru off St. Paul Island July 22, and taken to Ungaco by the revenue cutter Beards.

SOCIETY WEDDING POSTPONED.

Pittsburg, Aug. 17.—Pittsburg society is agog over the news that the wedding of Miss Violet Brocklebank, an English aristocrat, to George Westinghouse, Jr., is indefinitely postponed.

FIND DROWNED BODY.

Palmer, Mass., Aug. 17.—With a man's footprints as the only clue, detectives are trying to solve the mystery of the murder of Faith Davis, aged 15, whose body was found in the mill pond here yesterday.

PASSENGER STEAMER BURNS.

Seattle, Aug. 17.—The passenger steamer Acme was destroyed by fire and sunk a mile from Leach park lake, Washington, yesterday.

PROSECUTE BANK OFFICIALS.

San Francisco, Aug. 17.—District Attorney Langdon was today presented with a copy of a resolution adopted by the depositors of the Market Street bank, requesting him to begin immediately, the prosecution of the officials and directors.

PROHIBITION NOTIFICATION.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Chicago is being invaded today by a prohibition host, which is to witness the ceremony of the notification of Eugene Chafin, the prohibition presidential nominee of the "dry" party, which will take place tomorrow.

SISTER DEAD.

Mrs. L. Faus received information this afternoon that her sister, Mrs. Masterson of Malheur county, died this morning. Mrs. Faus will not be able to attend the funeral. Deceased was 34 years of age.

WHAT IS MORE BEAUTIFUL THAN MOTHER LOVE?

A mother's worries are many. She sometimes forgets her own bodily discomforts because of her overpowering love for the child. She becomes broken down, sleepless, nervous, irritable and feels tired from morning until night.

In favor of Dr. Pierce's medicines is the frank, confiding, open, honest statement of their full composition, giving every ingredient in plain English, without fear of successful criticism and with confidence that the good sense of the afflicted will lead them to appreciate this honorable manner of confiding to them what they are taking into their stomachs when making use of these medicines.

ALCOHOLIC TONICS.

A great many women feeling the need of a tonic take a cocktail, whisky, or what is just as bad, some widely advertised compound, containing a large percentage of alcohol.

OPEN AS THE DAY.

What Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is made of. Its ingredients are: Golden Seal root, Lady's Slipper root, Black Cohosh root, Unicorn root, Blue Cohosh root, Chemically Pure Glycerine.

A PARTICULAR PHASE.

removed by it is the irritability and despondency that often attends these troubles. In these cases in which there is pelvic fullness, the aching, bearing-down organs feel as if they would fall out of the body.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, costiveness, or constipation of the bowels, loss of appetite, coated tongue, sour stomach, windy belchings, "heartburn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels.

Persons subjected to any of these troubles should never be without a vial of the "Pleasant Pellets" at hand. In proof of their superior excellence it can truthfully be said that they are always adopted as a household remedy after the first trial.

One little "Pellet" is a laxative, two are cathartic. They regulate, invigorate and cleanse the liver, stomach and bowels. As a "dinner pill," to promote digestion, take one each day.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser will be sent free, paper bound, for 21 one-cent stamps, or cloth-bound for 31 stamps. Over 100 pages and illustrated. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Ore., August 10, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that DAVID W. HUG, of Elgin, Union county, Ore., who, on August 10, 1908, made timber land application No. 0859, for S 1/4 SW 1/4, section 5, N 1/4 NW 1/4, section 8, township 2 south, range 35, E. W. M., has filed notice of intention to make final timber proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver of the U. S. land office, at La Grande, Oregon, on the 25th day of October, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Samuel Parker, of Elgin, Ore.; W. H. Gibson, of La Grande, Ore.; H. J. Hug, of Elgin, Ore.; Henry Hug, of Elgin, Ore.

F. C. BRAMWELL, Register. wAug14Oct23

She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Charles E. Smith of West Franklin, Mo., says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it."

Drowned in Slough.

Bellingham, Aug. 17.—E. G. Clement, age 23, son of a wealthy English family in Berks, was drowned in a slough at Marietta while bathing yesterday.

The full dinner pail gag is soon to be foisted upon an enduring public.

Fruit Season is Now On Phone Us Your Orders for ECONOMY JARS

- Pints . . . . . \$1.10 dozen Quarts . . . . . \$1.35 dozen Half gallons . . . . . \$1.75 dozen Extra clamps . . . . . 10c dozen Extra caps . . . . . 20c dozen

EXTRAS FOR EASY VACUUM JARS

- Caps . . . . . 18c dozen Rubber rings . . . . . 20c dozen Clamps . . . . . 10c dozen Extra large Jelly Glasses . . . . . 45c dozen

These are an attractive size and shape, and are easily worth 60 cents per dozen

F. D. HAISTEN 1411-1415 Adams Ave. Phone Red 1161

Ferguson's THE BOOK STORE

Open For Business in the New Location

118 Adams Ave. Phone Black 391

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Ore., August 13, 1908.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Benjamin Bowman, contestant, against H. E. No. 11061, Serial No. 037, made February 3, 1902, for N 1/2 SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, section 4, township 4 south, range 35 E., W. Meridian, by George E. Price, contestee, in which it is alleged that said George E. Price has wholly abandoned the above described land for more than six months last past, and further that he has not resided upon, improved or cultivated said land or resided upon said land as required by the homestead laws at any time, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m., on September 22, 1908, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in La Grande, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 13, 1908, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register. J. T. WILLIAMSON, Attorney for Contestant. WA21Sept18

Insure Your Stock.

The National Live Stock Insurance association will insure your stock against death from all causes at a rate you can afford to pay. For particulars inquire of agent. A. SANDERCOCK, La Grande, Ore. D.&F. 70A721P

California Town Burns.

Tehama, Cal., Aug. 17.—This town is without a business center as a result of a fire which last night destroyed the entire business section, causing a loss of \$100,000.

A Jersey bull has been added to the dormitory herd of cows, says the Eugene Guard. Lucky brutes, to have a dormitory to live in.

POLK'S GAZETTEER A Business Directory of each City, Town and Village in Oregon and Washington, giving a Descriptive Sketch of each place. Location, Shipping Facilities and a Classified Directory of each Business and Profession. R. L. POLK & CO., Inc. SEATTLE, WASH.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH Dr. King's New Discovery FOR COUGHS, COLDS, AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED. NEWLIN DRUG COMPANY.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. (Isolated Tract.) PUBLIC LAND SALE. La Grande, Oregon, Land Office, August 17, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the commissioner of the general land office, under provisions of act of congress approved January 27, 1906, Public—No. 303, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 30th day of September, next, at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit: NW 1/4 SW 1/4, section 17, township 4 south, range 35 E. W. M. Serial No. 01910.

Any person claiming any realty the above-described lands are advised to file their claims or objections, on or before the day above designated for sale. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register. A. A. ROBERTS, Receiver. WAUG21Sept25