

Bicycle Riders.

The ordinance regulating riding bicycles is effective May 1st instead of April. All riders will please note this fact and govern their acts accordingly.

JOHN WALDEN, Chief of Police.

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LIFE'S WORK INTERESTING.

Judge Ben Lindsey Had Career Outlined in Peculiar Way.

Judge Ben B. Lindsey of the Denver juvenile court, who will lecture in this city April 4th on "The Misfortunes of Mickey," had the problem of children brought home to him in a strange way.

Some street gamins were brought to his court charged with robbing a pigeon roost. As he talked with the trembling youngsters his memory jumped back 15 years to a time when another party of boys had planned to rob that same cote, and in the attempt some had been caught and some had escaped.

And while he was still seeking light young girls were brought to him charged with frequenting wine rooms. "Why don't you arrest the dive keepers?" he asked of the officers, and began at once a crusade against the evil. But the fire and police board had reasons of its own for not wanting to close the wine rooms.

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You can PREPAY Fares The Colonists fare are westbound only, but if you have relatives or friends or employees in the east whom you desire to bring to this state you can deposit the value of the fare with your local railroad agent, and an order for a ticket will be telegraphed to any address desired.

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MAMMOTH POWER PLANT.

Pacific Coast to Have Biggest Power Plant at Portland.

Portland, March 30.—(Special)—It is promised by the Portland Railway, Light and Power company, that by the year 1914 it will be generating more electric power than any other similar concern on the Pacific coast. This prediction is based upon the big expenditures now being made for the mammoth water power plants near Portland.

On its generating plants and the construction of high tension transmission lines, the company will have expended \$7,000,000 by 1914, construction already completed representing an investment of \$3,000,000. By January, 1914, the company will be generating 105,000 horse power at its various plants.

This amount includes the \$15,000 horse power plant at Oregon City; the 25,000 horse power plant at Casadero; 25,000 horse power at Estacada, which will be completed in September of this year, and 40,000 additional horse power on the upper Clackamas. With the completion of this development work the company will use the same water three times at different plants on the river.

The company proposed to supply electrical energy throughout a large district in Oregon and Washington. Heretofore it has not been selling power on a very extensive scale, needing almost all of the energy generated at its various plants for its own projects. In future, it will have an enormous voltage to dispose of and it is President Josselyn's idea that it will become cheaper to the consumer as the volume of the business increases.

"I expect to see the day," said he "when electrical power will be furnished in Portland more cheaply than any place in the world. According to my theory, it is going to be lower and lower. We expect to make electrical energy so cheap that factories now using steam power, generated by refuse material, could not possibly compete with the price we will be able to make."

Meets at Spartanburg. Spartanburg, S. C., March 30.—The 34th annual convention of the South Carolina Sunday School association, which met here today for a three days' session, is one of the largest gatherings ever held under the auspices of the association. Delegates from every part of the state are in attendance.

The Lion of St. Mark. The symbol of the Venetian republic—the famous lion of St. Mark—is made of bronze. There is a tradition among the Venetian people that its eyes are diamonds. They are really white, agates, faceted. Its mane is most elaborately wrought, and its retracted, gaping mouth and its fierce mustaches give it an oriental aspect. The creature as it now stands belongs to many different epochs, varying from some date previous to our era down to this century. It is conjectured that it may have originally formed a part of the decoration of some Assyrian palace. St. Mark's lion it certainly was not originally, for it was made to stand level upon the ground and had to be raised up in front to allow the evangelist to be slipped under its fore paws.

The Very Oldest Inn. Which is the oldest inn in England? The title deeds of the Saracen's Head at Newark date back to 1341, and local antiquaries cite documentary evidence to prove that the Seven Stars at Manchester existed before the year 1356. There is even a legend that the wife of Earl Godwin stayed at the Fountain at Canterbury in 1029. "But what are all these compared with the Fighting Cock at St. Albans, mentioned in 'Old Country Inns,' and said to be the oldest inhabited house in England? A few years ago its signboard modestly chronicled the fact that it had been 'rebuilt after the Good.'"

COWED THE THIEVES.

Odd but Effective Way of Attaching a Man's Property.

Attaching a man's property for debt is supposed to be a legal process, but an incident which occurred years ago in the city of Natchez, as related by Davy Crockett in his "Life and Adventures," shows that there are other "attachments" which sometimes accomplish a beneficial purpose.

An odd affair occurred when I was last at Natchez, declared Mr. Crockett. A steamboat stopped at the landing, and one of the crew went ashore to purchase provisions. He went into a saloon on the way, and the adroit inmates contrived to rob him of all his money. The captain of the boat, a determined fellow, went ashore in the hope of persuading them to refund, but they declined.

Without further ceremony the captain, assisted by his crew and passengers, some 300 or 400 in number, made fast an immense cable to the frame building where the theft had been committed. Then he allowed fifteen minutes for the money to be forthcoming, vowing that if it were not produced within that time he would put steam to his boat and drag the house into the river.

The thieves knew that he would keep his word, and the money was promptly produced.

PRESENCE OF MIND.

The Earl Kept His Head, and the Highwayman Lost His.

In "Sporting Days and Sporting Ways" Ralph Nevill relates two incidents of the early nineteenth century in which English highwaymen figure: "In August, 1819, Lady Stanley, traveling from York accompanied by her servant, was stopped by a highwayman, when the maid in her alarm took up a bottle of ginger beer, and the cork flying out made such a report that the highwayman instantly galloped off in great alarm."

Lord Berkeley's encounter with one of the famous "gentlemen of the road" had more serious consequences:

"Being driven over Hounslow Heath he was awakened from sleep by his coach being brought to a standstill and a threatening face looking in at the window."

"I have you at last, my lord," said a gruff voice, "though you said you would never yield to a robber. Deliver!"

"Certainly," was the earl's reply, "but tell me first who is that looking over your shoulder?"

"The highwayman turned his head to look and at the same moment Lord Berkeley shot him through the head dead."

Winning a Fur Coat. The artist Hans Canon once painted a Russian prince in a magnificent fur mantle which took his fancy so greatly that he endeavored to hit on a plan by which he might retain possession of it. On sending home the portrait he omitted to return the garment, and to the letter requesting him to do so he made no reply. One day when looking out of a window he saw the prince coming toward his house. Hastily slipping into the garb, Canon sat down in an armchair near the fire. The prince, who had come for his coat, started on seeing Canon groaning and trembling at the fireside. "What is the matter with you?" he asked. "Oh, groaned Canon, "I don't know what it is, but I feel so weak and wretched, and I cannot get warm. Two days ago my brother died of smallpox, and I am a bit nervous about myself." The artist kept the coat.

Diedrich Knickerbocker. It may be that a Dutchman named Knickerbocker did live in the early history of New York, but if he did there are no records extant to prove it. The truth is, the name was created by Washington Irving, who applied it to all residents of New York in his time who happened to be descended from the early Dutch settlers. Irving used this quaint Dutch character in his "Knickerbocker History of New York" to burlesque the early days of the city. The volume purported to have been the work of Diedrich Knickerbocker and gave an amusing and satirical account of the early Dutch settlers. Records of the period tell us that the book bitterly offended their descendants, who never forgave Irving for his fling at them.—New York Times.

Boiled Oysters. In "Social Life in the Reign of Queen Anne" Swift writes to Stella, "Lord Masham made me go home with him to eat boiled oysters," and then he obligingly adds the recipe: "Take oysters, wash them clean—that is, wash their shells clean; then put your oysters in an earthen pot with their hollow side down; then put this pot, covered, into a great kettle of water and let it boil. Your oysters are then boiled in their own liquor and do not mix with water."

A Leading Question. "Mr. Wombat?" "What is it, Tommy?" "When you were a little boy and fellows called on your sister, did they ever give you a nickel to go out and play?" —Kansas City Journal.

for the work to lay bitulithic pavement in accordance with its patents and the terms of said agreement. La Grande, Oregon, March 18th, 1911. C. M. HUMPHREYS, Recorder. Mch 18-29th.

Notice to I. C. S. Students. All I. C. S. students, old and new, are cordially invited to a smoker to be held on Saturday, April 1st, at 8 p. m. in I. O. O. F. banquet hall. E. H. LEWIS, Special Representative. 3-28-30

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS. N. MOLITOR, M. D.—Physician and Surgeon. Corner Adams Ave. and Depot street. Office, Main 58; Residence, 69. A. L. RICHARDSON, M. D. J. W. LOUGHLIN, M. D. Drs. Richardson & Loughlin, Physicians and Surgeons. Phones—Office Black 1362; Ind. 353. Office Hours—9 to 11; 2 to 5; 7 to 8. Dr. Richardson's Res.—Main 55; Ind. 312. Dr. Loughlin's res.—Main 57; Ind. 1207. C. H. UPTON, Ph. G. M. D.—Physician and surgeon. Special attention to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Office in La Grande National Bank Building. Phones: Office Main 2, Residence Main 32.

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T. H. CRAWFORD—Attorney at Law. Practices in all the courts of the State and United States. Office in La Grande National Bank Bldg., La Grande, Oregon.

D. W. C. NELSON—Mining Engineer. Baker City, Oregon.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of 10,670 square yards of bitulithic pavement on Sixth street, between Washington avenue and K avenue, together with excavation, curbing and drainage, the same to be constructed according to the plans, specifications and estimates on file in this office. All bids to be by 8 o'clock p. m. April 5th, 1911, and each bid to be accompanied by a certified check of 5 per cent of the amount of the bid. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Attention of all contractors is called to the agreement of Warren Brothers' company, filed with this city, in accordance with which agreement Warren Brothers' company agrees to license all contractors desiring to bid IMBLER ORCHARD TRACTS ON INSTALLMENT PAYMENTS. Farm lands in all parts of the valley. Residences and vacant lots in all parts of the city.

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