

SCHEDULES OF TIME

Table with columns for O. C. T. CO.'S STEAMER, Steamers RAMONA, LEAVES OREGON CITY, and LEAVES PORTLAND.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Table with columns for NORTH BOUND, SOUTH BOUND, and The Fast.

PASSANGER STEAMER, ALTONA. BETWEEN PORTLAND, SALEM AND INDEPENDENCE. Leave Portland Taylor street dock at 6:50 A. M.

WILLAMETTE FALLS ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Table with columns for Leave Oregon City, Leave Willamette Falls, and SUNDAY TIME.

THE MAILS.

Mails close going North, 12 m., 3 p. m., 8 p. m. Mails close going South, 9 a. m., 6:45 p. m.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1894.

CONGREGATIONAL SEMI-CENTENNIAL.

The fiftieth anniversary of the First Congregational church of this city, which is also the fiftieth anniversary of the denomination in the state, will be observed next Sunday and Monday, November 25th and 26th.

THE COUNTY EXPERTS WORK.

J. U. Campbell, who was appointed by the grand jury to expert the records of the officers of Clackamas county so far as they relate to the handling of county funds, reported that he had examined the books of the sheriff, clerk, recorder, assessor and treasurer, and found the same to be correctly kept.

TEACHER'S EXAMINATION.

The regular quarterly examination for teacher's certificates commenced Wednesday and closed Friday of last week with fifteen applications for county certificates, one for state certificate and two for state diplomas.

ADJUDGED INSANE.

Mrs. Emma Rowland was brought to this city from Canby Monday and was adjudged insane by Judge Hayes and Dr. Paine, the examining physician.

SUICIDE OF MRS. FULLAM.

Word was brought to this city Friday that Mrs. Eliza Fullam had committed suicide by cutting her throat with a razor. She lived at Viola, about 12 miles east of this city.

BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZED.

Nearly all the merchants of Oregon City have joined a business men's association with headquarters in Portland.

EASTERN OYSTERS FOR THIS COAST.

The department of agriculture has undertaken to improve the oysters of this coast by transplanting the best eastern oysters.

A GERMAN CLASS.

Prof. C. Hertting, Ph. D., has opened a school for the study of the German language and literature in Shively's block.

A MIRACULOUS ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Last Thursday afternoon as Edward Beach was blasting stumps on his place above Willamette Falls he put a heavy charge of giant powder under a large stump.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh.

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Among the "Jiners."

A special meeting of Multnomah lodge No. 1, A. F. and A. M. will be held Saturday evening for work in the M. M. degree.

The semi-annual election of officers of Willamette Falls camp No. 148, Woodmen of World will take place next Tuesday. Installation on the second Tuesday in January.

The Degree of Honor, Myrtle lodge No. 24, is making preparations for a grand masquerade which will be followed by a banquet at the A. O. U. W. hall, Thanksgiving eve.

The Oregon Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F. held their regular meeting last Tuesday evening and nominated officers for the ensuing year.

The members of the Willamette Rebekah lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F. will appear in their new robes at the next regular meeting, which will be held next Friday evening.

Achilles lodge No. 38, K. of P. has changed its time of meeting from Friday to Monday evening of each week.

Meade Post No. 2, G. A. R., has changed the time of meeting from the first Monday to the first Thursday in each month.

A chapter of the Eastern Star, A. F. and A. M. will shortly be organized in Hillsboro.

The committee on entertainment of the Eastern Star Chapter met Wednesday afternoon at the office of Thos. F. Ryan and made arrangements for an entertainment and banquet to be given on the evening of installation of officers, which is to be held at Masonic hall, on December 11.

An important decision has just been rendered in the circuit court of Rock Island, Ill., growing out of a case that will interest all fraternal insurance orders and their members.

Albinus Brasher, of Milan, Ill., became a member and obtained a certificate of insurance for \$2000 in the Home Forum Benefit Order, being a member of the local forum at Milan.

It appears that Mr. Brasher, who had been a member more than a year, had failed to pay three assessments which were levied between the months of August and December, 1893.

He fell sick on the 30th of November, 1893, and while in bed and his life despaired, his friends went to the local treasurer at Milan and tendered the three assessments which were past due.

On the 6th of December his friends paid these assessments and the treasurer gave a receipt therefor, not knowing that Mr. Brasher was ill and his life despaired of at the time.

Mr. Brasher died on the 12th of December, 1893, six days after the payment. The local treasurer returned the money and took up the receipts, as he had accepted the money in ignorance of the illness of Mr. Brasher.

The case was hotly contested by the attorney for the plaintiffs. The certificate of membership and proof of death was submitted. Judge Glenn instructed the jury to find for the defense.

He held that the certificate of membership proved on its face that it was issued on the general condition that the member should comply with the by-laws of the order; that the benefit assessment should be paid within 30 days from date of notice, and if not so paid the certificate would be null and void.

The judge held that this constituted a continuing liability and not a specific contract, except as the continuing liabilities were discharged at the time provided for in the conditions of the certificate and the by-laws; and that a failure to pay and thereby discharge the continuing liabilities, as required by the laws of the order, forfeited all rights under such membership.

He instructed the jury to find for the order and the verdict was so returned.

Cheerful Winter Evenings.

Nothing brings so much joy and comfort to the fireside as a genial visitor—one that entertains and instructs every member of the family.

Special Notice.

A special offer will be made the ladies of Oregon City and vicinity by the La Mode Millinery Parlors' 228 First street, Portland. New store and stylish goods.

Hard Times Prices.

S. F. Scripture has reduced the price of horse shoeing to \$1.50 per horse until further notice. All work at bottom prices. Many years experience insures first-class work.

Persons who lead a life of exposure are subject to rheumatism, neuralgia and lumbago and will find a valuable remedy in Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment; it will banish pain and subdue inflammation.

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When you find the prices on all articles are reasonable—none too low for the quality, and none too high, to make it up-confidence begins.

Our dealings with you being open and "in the light", there are no "special" discounts or allowances. You feel that you were treated as well as other customers and all are as well treated as you.

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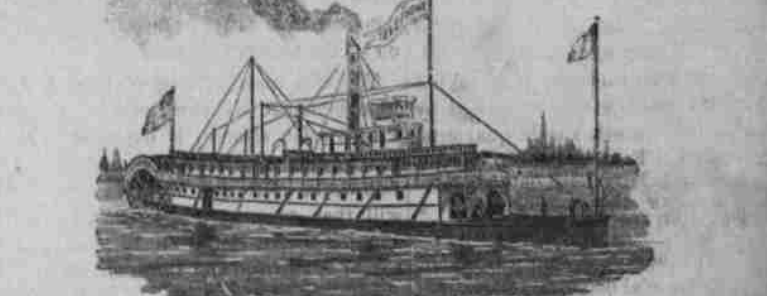
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