

Oregon City Enterprise.

SCHEDULES OF TIME

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

NORTH BOUND. California Express (through) 8:30 a. m. Roseburg Local (way stations) 8:30 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND. Roseburg Local (way stations) 9:27 a. m. California Express (through) 6:19 p. m.

POSTAL SCHEDULE.

BY SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD. Mail closes going North, 8:00 p. m. Mail closes going South, 9:00 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

BY EAST SIDE ELECTRIC LINE. Mail closes for Portland and distributing points, 17:00, and 4:45 p. m. Mail closes for Milwaukee only, 8:45 a. m. 4:45 p. m.

SIDE ROUTES. Oregon City to Ely, Currie, Mulline, Liberal and Molalla leaves at 12 m. and arrives at 12 m. daily.

Oregon City to Beaver Creek, Mink, Clark, Meadow Brook, Union Mills, and Cotton, leaves at 8 a. m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and returns on following days at 4:35 p. m.

Oregon City to Viola, Logan and Redland leaves Oregon City Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1:00 p. m., leaving Viola same days at 7:00 a. m.

Oregon City to Willamette, Astoria and Wilsonville, arrives at 10:30 a. m. and leaves at 11:30 a. m. 9:45 p. m.

6-foot delivery window is open on Sunday from 10 to 11 a. m. All letters stop at the box as the door is promptly set off Sunday, as on other days.

All Eastern mail that is delayed on route to arrive on 9:30 a. m. train will come on 12 o'clock or 4:15 electric car.

WILLAMETTE FALLS R.V. CARDS LEAVE

Table with columns for Suspension Bridge and Willamette Falls, listing departure times from 6:50 a. m. to 9:10 p. m.

Sunday cars leave every hour until 9 o'clock p. m. In effect on and after Nov. 26, 1897. C. A. MILLER, MGR.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1897.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.—Next Sunday morning Rev. A. J. Montgomery, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will preach a memorial sermon in honor of Dr. Marcus and Mrs. Narcissa Whitman, who with twelve others were massacred at Waiilatpu, Washington, four miles south of the present city of Waiilatpu, November 29, 1847, just a half century ago this month. It was through the efforts of Dr. Whitman, who made the perilous ride on horseback from his home in Waiilatpu to Washington, D. C., in 1842, making the journey of four thousand miles in four months through trackless forests, fording mountain torrents, plunging through snow drifts and facing blinding storms, where a less heroic and determined spirit would have found in the snow a winding sheet and the moaning winds a dirge, that Oregon was saved to the United States and three stars added to old glory. The Oregon of 1842 included the Washington, Oregon and Idaho of today, a territory of two hundred and seventy-one thousand square miles. Dr. Whitman was a medical missionary, sent out by the Presbyterian missionary society and next Sunday morning appropriate memorial services will be held in every Presbyterian church throughout the Northwest. Daniel Webster, who referred to Oregon before Dr. Whitman's memorable ride as the "worthless area, a region of savages and wild beasts, of shifting sands, and whirlwinds of dust, of cactus and prairie dogs," said long afterwards that "it is safe to assert that our country owes it to Dr. Whitman and his associate missionaries that all the territory west of the Rocky mountains and south as far as the Columbia river is not now owned by England and by the Hudson Bay Company." Recalling Webster's words concerning Boston and Oregon we are reminded of Bunker Hill monument on the Atlantic coast and Whitman college on the Pacific, suggestive of patriotism equally pure and blood equally precious, and we can almost hear the invocation of the statesman and orator, "Long may the first beams of the morning gild the one, and the last rays of the evening linger and play upon the other."

STERILIZERS FOR THE SCHOOLS.—Dr. W. E. Carril, of the board of school directors, deserves the hearty commendation and thanks of the people of Oregon City for his efforts in the interest of health and cleanliness. Wherever the schools are graded the districts furnish slate and lead pencils, pens and holders and the pupils take them from a common box that is passed around at the beginning of each exercise requiring the use of such articles. The children handle these articles freely, often putting them in their mouths and hair, and it is believed they are active agents in communicating contagious diseases. In seeking to remedy this evil Dr. Carril learned that the state of Indiana has just what is needed. It supplies the schools with sterilizing ovens which heat the pencils and penholders to a temperature of 275 degrees Fahrenheit, entirely destroying all germ life. Accordingly the Doctor had two Russia-iron sterilizing ovens made, at his own expense, one for each building. Each oven is to be heated by a common coal-oil heating lamp, which, at ordinary blaze, will heat the oven to a temperature of 280 deg. in three minutes. Within the oven is a tray of perforated, corrugated iron upon which the pencils and penholders to be

disinfected will be placed, thus providing for a circulation of air within the chamber. The oven is of oval shape, with flat bottom and top, it is practically airtight. The cost of each outfit, the oven made to order and the lamp purchased at a store, is \$6; the cost of operating is estimated to be 3 cents per day. Tests made prove that the heat does not injure the pencils or penholders in any way, not even changing their appearance.

WAITING, ONLY WAITING.—Recently a very smooth, well dressed young gentleman of affable manners, called on the ladies throughout the entire residence portion of the city, peddling what he called the "Electric Inhaler," which was guaranteed to cure all kinds of nasal and throat trouble, for which he charged the moderate price of \$1.00 per bottle. As a further inducement to the ladies to buy his cure-all, he offered a premium of a dress pattern to each and every purchaser, the patterns to be delivered the following week, when, he announced, a new shipment of the very latest up-to-date dress goods would arrive from Paris. Nothing like these goods could be obtained from our local dealers or in Portland and many were the purchasers found for his nostrum. Four weeks, with weary, patient, expectant waiting, have come and gone, the "hope deferred" that maketh the heart sick, without a sign of those Parisian dress patterns. Every twang of the door bell caused a thrill of hope to the expectant hearts, leaving them all the more desolate and sad when the hope was not realized. The inhaler proved to be Willamette water with nature's own coloring, to which its vendor had added a little smell from some apothecary's shop. The next patent nostrum man will be accorded a warm reception.

ELEGANT BUTCHER'S BLOCKS.—Charles Albright, the progressive and popular butcher, is having some elegant butcher's blocks manufactured by G. H. Bestow & Co. The blocks, which are five feet in diameter, are made up of pieces of Oregon maple, sawed into strips two inches thick, from eight to ten inches in width and eighteen in length. These pieces are glued and nailed together and afterwards fastened with rods, making them stronger and more durable than the solid block of either oak or fir, which are usually used for such purposes. The blocks are mounted on carved legs, eighteen inches in height. The blocks are then polished and varnished, making a really handsome piece of furniture. Only a few of the butchers of Portland have these blocks, which they imported from the East at considerable expense. An idea of the size of these blocks can be learned from the fact that they weigh about 800 pounds, when one end becomes worn they are turned over, after which they can be dressed up and made as good as new.

A HOME INDUSTRY.—C. Henry Foxe and Fred D. Fleming have established a manufactory on Fly creek, a small stream that empties into the Willamette river about a mile below New Era. A large and commodious building has been erected where the Oregon City and New Era road crosses the stream and they are supplied with machinery for manufacturing all kinds of wagon materials, ax handles, etc., and are prepared to sharpen tools, gum saws, or do any work in that line on short notice. They have a large body of oak ash and maple timber on the hills near by and hope to build up a prosperous trade by fair dealing good workmanship and kind, courteous treatment. Their power is derived temporarily from an overshot wheel, but next spring they expect to put in a new wheel of late design. They have a 100 foot fall that will give them 60 horse power, amply sufficient for all their needs.

CITY ELECTION.—The city election to take place early next month is causing considerable stir among local politicians, interest generally centering on the mayoralty. So far as THE ENTERPRISE is concerned it makes little difference who is elected so long as good men are selected for the various duties to be performed in the administration of city government. To this end all good citizens should be interested and govern themselves accordingly. Clean municipal government is essential to the progress and prosperity of any city. There are, we believe, any number of men within the corporate limits of Oregon City competent to fill with credit to themselves and to the city any office for which persons will be chosen at the next election, and we have no doubt that wise judgment will be exercised in the premises by the voters when the time comes.

THE RED MEN.—The noble Red Men of the city are making extensive preparations to give on Christmas night the grandest mask ball yet attempted by them. The parade will be more gorgeous and elaborate than ever before and will be preceded by a fine brass band. Preceding the grand march of the mask ball they will initiate a pale face into Wachenotribe with all the pomp and splendor known to the dusky sons of the forest, who are even now grooming their goat so as to have him in the pink of perfection for the reception of the pale face.

A COSMOPOLITAN TOWN.—Oregon City is a cosmopolitan town in all that the name implies. We have our Shakespearean circles, Chautauqua circles, dra-

matic clubs, Philomathean societies, choruses, glee clubs, dancing schools, elocutionary clubs, etc., including representative of all the secret and fraternal societies extant. The latest addition to our cosmopolitan life is a kiln for firing china ware. In this as in many other things the ladies took the initiative. Oregon City has a number of ladies who paint on china, but it has always been necessary to send to Portland or elsewhere to have it burned. Recently Mrs. T. A. Pope, in order to remedy this condition of affairs, had a kiln built and has already burned several lots of china that are pronounced by experts to be the equal of anything of the kind done on the coast and will prove a great convenience to the lady artists of the community.

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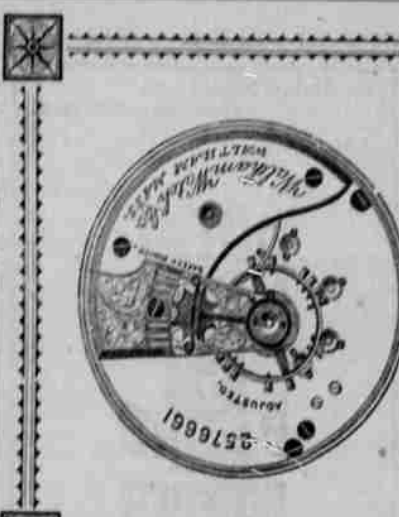
HOME PATRONAGE PREFERRED.—Objection is raised because THE ENTERPRISE prints advertisements from Portland firms. In this connection it must be remembered that the principal revenue of a newspaper is derived from its advertising columns, which are for sale to any legitimate business for a legitimate price, the paper reserving the right to decline objectionable matter. THE ENTERPRISE would much prefer to confine its advertisements to Oregon City exclusively and will gladly go so at any time when the patronage of this city is sufficient to maintain the paper. At the present time, however the home patronage does not meet the expenditure necessary in issuing the paper. While THE ENTERPRISE reserves the right to accept any advertisement offered at its regular rates, it will in future, as we believe it has in the past, strive to encourage its readers to patronize Oregon City business establishments in preference to those abroad, but in doing so it expects that reciprocity to which it is entitled.

THE OVERLAP.—It is estimated that the land embraced in what is known as the "overlap" in Oregon will aggregate about 200,000 acres. A great deal of this land lies within the boundaries of Clackamas county, and has been lying in a dormant state for about 20 years, during all of which time thousands of people have been waiting in yearly expectation that something might be done whereby settlement could be made on the same. It is probable that something may be done in regard to the matter in the near future so that it may become of service to the people and to the state.

NO SUGAR IN THEIRS.—W. B. Partlow, who has established a reputation for making the best cider in the country, took a barrel of his finest make up to the circuit court room Saturday afternoon expecting to allow his old-time friend Judge McBride to sample it, but by the time the attorneys and bailiffs had finished testing the merits of the juice a vacuum was all that remained in the barrel. The Portland attorneys voted Judge McBride's court the best one in the state to practice before, and Mr. Partlow's cider "just the quill" without the addition of even a particle of sugar.

REGGED WITH WORK.—The Oregon City woolen mills now employ over 350 hands. There are 285 on the day shift and about 100 on the night force and the company is adding more hands to the night run as fast as they can be secured. Just now they are manufacturing cloth for Klondike dress suits. The material is all wool and only about a half inch thick. They are also making blankets for the same trade that weigh 18 pounds a pair.

CAMP FIRE LIGHTED.—Meade Post, No. 2, G. A. R., will light a camp fire at Willamette hall next Tuesday evening,



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Stray Horse. Strayed from Willamette Falls about August 1st, a gray mare, six years old, weight 1300 pounds height 16 1/2 hands, collar mark on back of neck, one hip slightly lower than the other, a little stiff in the shoulders. A liberal reward for information leading to the recovery of the animal. J. A. MORINKE Beaver Creek, Or.

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