

FRUITS ARE SOAKED

Cool Weather Has Greatly Benefited the Wheat.

PRIME CROP OF BARLEY

Small Fruit Yield Will Be Smaller in Wasco, but the Quality Will Be Far Above the Average.

THE DALLES, Or., June 6.—(Special).—The cool weather of the past week, together with the continued rain, have made a great change in the hopes and fears of the wheat farmers in this section.

GRAIN PROMISES HEAVY YIELD. SALEM, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Grain on the hill lands of Marion and Polk Counties has the best standing in many years.

RAIN SOAKS INTO GROUND. SPOKANE, Wash., June 6.—(Special).—From all sections of the country come optimistic reports of the condition of cereal crops.

STORM BENEFITED THE CROPS. PENDLETON, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Umatilla County crops have profited by the recent storm.

WHEAT BEING SOAKED. ALBANY, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Crops in Leon are generally in good condition, but the need is now for rain.

IN THE ADVENTISTS' CAMP. WOODBURN, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Through rain and sunshine the meetings continue with unabated interest.

VARIOUS PHASES OF THE WORK DISCUSSED BY THE LEADERS. WOODBURN, Or., June 6.—(Special).—The principal speakers so far have been George A. Irwin, of Washington, D. C.

LUMBER WHOLESALERS' CLUB Formed at Seattle for Social and Trade Purposes. OLYMPIA, Wash., June 6.—(Special).—Articles of incorporation were filed today of the Pacific Lumber Wholesalers' Club.

COMMENCEMENT AT DRAIN

Fifteen Graduate From the State Normal School.

DRAIN, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Commencement exercises of the Central Oregon State Normal School will begin Sunday, June 10.

DEAF AND BLIND PUPILS LEAVE BUILDING IN FIRE-ALARM TEST. OLYMPIA, Wash., June 6.—(Special).—Superintendent T. P. Clark, of the state school for the deaf and blind, reports that the 120 children attending the institution at Vancouver are now at home.

QUICK RESPONSE TO SIGNAL. SALEM, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Governor Chamberlain today sent the following letter to Senator Gearin at Washington.

MASQUERADED AS PILOT

SEATTLE SHIP CHANDLER RUNNER DECEIVES MASTER. Nearly Runs Norwegian Steamship Hercules Ashore, Before Detection Is Discovered.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 6.—(Special).—Representing himself to be a Puget Sound pilot, but in reality knowing no more about the management of a big steamship than the most seafish landlubber.

INCREASE AT WESTERN ASYLUM. OLYMPIA, Wash., June 6.—(Special).—Superintendent E. Van Zant, of the Western State Hospital for the insane, reports that additional patients, six of them women, were admitted in May.

DEAD OF THE NORTHWEST. Mrs. H. W. Steel. THE DALLES, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Mrs. H. W. Steel, a resident of The Dalles since 1871, died at her home here Sunday after a short illness of rheumatism of the heart.

Mrs. Lucy A. Leighton. CENTRALIA, Wash., June 6.—(Special).—Mrs. Lucy A. Leighton, wife of W. H. Leighton, of Centralia, died at her home west of Centralia Wednesday.

Mrs. Flora E. Smith. OREGON CITY, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Mrs. Flora E. Smith, aged 31 years, died last night at her home at Clatskanie.

S. D. Barstow. ALAMEDA, Cal., June 6.—S. D. Barstow, superintendent of the western division of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s business, died today.

CONGRESS THREATENS TO CUT HYDROGRAPHIC APPROPRIATION.

Governor Chamberlain to Cut Hydrographic Appropriation.

GOVERNOR WIRES GEARIN Urged to Present State's Claims, as Oregon Legislative Fund Will Then Not Be Available for the Work.

SALEM, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Governor Chamberlain today sent the following letter to Senator Gearin at Washington.

RAILROAD TO COOS BAY ALL PRELIMINARY WORK FINISHED BY SURVEYORS. Right of Way Cleared From Drain to Scottsburg, Thirty-Six Miles Toward Coast.

DRAIN, Or., June 6.—(Special).—It is now an assured fact that active construction work on the Oregon Western, the proposed branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad, to connect this point with Marshfield, on Coos Bay, will begin within the next two or three weeks.

EVIDENCE AT COLFAX HEARING. Seattle and Tacoma Grain Shippers Confer With Commission.

SENATORS ASKED TO ACT. PENDLETON, Or., June 6.—(Special).—At the regular monthly meeting of the Commercial Association held tonight, it was decided to wire the two Oregon senators, asking them to request the legislature to prevent the reduction in the appropriation for stream-gauging.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE STUDENTS ON THEIR ANNUAL TRIP. CORVALLIS, Or., June 6.—(Special).—A class of 40 students in annual husbandry, accompanied by Dr. Withycombe, left this morning for the annual visit to the notable livestock farms of the valley for object-lesson in raising livestock.

BLOODSHED IN PILLOW FIGHT. Oregon University Student Jams Elbow Through Window Pane. UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 6.—(Special).—At a late hour last night the students on the third floor of the dormitory raised the second floor with pillows.

WOODBURN SCHOOLTEACHERS ELECTED. WOODBURN, Or., June 6.—(Special).—The Woodburn School Board has selected the following teachers for the ensuing term of nine months.

129th ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF THE AMERICAN FLAG.

Commander Hills advises the posts that Governor Chamberlain will issue a proclamation designating next Thursday as "Flag day" in this state.

SPECKART HEARING IS POSTPONED. OLYMPIA, Wash., June 6.—(Special).—Hearing of the application for the appointment of Leopold Hughes as administrator of the estate of Adolph Speckart, set for 10 o'clock today, was postponed to the same hour next Monday.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULTING DAUGHTER. OREGON CITY, Or., June 6.—(Special).—Circuit Judge McBride today convened the June term of the Circuit Court. There is a light criminal docket, but there are many suits to be disposed of.

GOODING REAPPOINTS BELLS. BOISE, Idaho, June 6.—(Special).—Governor Gooding has reappointed Captain J. K. Bell a member of the board of the North Idaho Insane Asylum.

DEATH FROM LAND HURLS LIGHTED VESSEL. Clothing of Both Was Set Aflame With the Burning Oil, and the Aggressor's Hurts End Her Life.

AT THE HOTELS. The Portland—Mr. and Mrs. O. McNamara, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. McNamara, St. Paul; J. R. Levi, Chicago.

ACTRESS WOULD END LIFE. Because Her Father Desires Her to Leave the Stage. SAN JOSE, Cal., June 6.—Worried because her father did not wish her to remain on the stage, Miss Edna McClure, a beautiful actress, today attempted to end her life with laudanum.

BISCUIT FACTORY TO BE REBUILT. SAN FRANCISCO, June 6.—The American Biscuit Company, owned by the Pacific Coast Biscuit Company, with headquarters in Portland, Or., and whose place of business was at Battery street and Broadway, is to have a new plant in San Francisco.

WOODBURN SCHOOLTEACHERS ELECTED. WOODBURN, Or., June 6.—(Special).—The Woodburn School Board has selected the following teachers for the ensuing term of nine months.

HABITUAL CONSTIPATION CURED. Habitual constipation cured and the bowels strengthened by the regular use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in small doses. Don't forget this.



WILL OPEN ON SATURDAY, JUNE 9

California; W. L. Mast, Myrtle Point; Edw. Campbell, San Jose; N. W. Bethel, Tacoma; James Smith, The Dalles; T. Moffett and wife, Moffett Springs; Mrs. M. S. Hagaman, Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. W. Lord, The Dalles; C. C. McCord, Pendleton; R. W. Cooke, The Dalles; A. H. Kuhn, Hogue; W. Bradley, Eugene; J. P. Stratton, Mt. Hood; Egan P. Hughes, Grant's Pass; J. V. Pipe, Albany; C. D. Spellman, Mt. Hood; J. W. Bauman, St. Paul; E. B. Madison, city; Nellie Marrow, Woodburn; C. R. Hays, St. Paul; E. E. Ellsworth, Carlton; Morton, Captain Lanley, Astoria; E. J. Beck, Lexington; H. A. Caulfield, Seattle; Gus Kossoff, city.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. San Francisco Office, 2321 BUCHANAN STREET. PROOFS OF LOSS, time for filing extended until the 15th of August, 1906.

LOSSES PAID IN CASH WITHOUT DISCOUNT. W. M. J. LANDERS, Manager. P. S. MALCOLM & Co., Agents, 214 Folling Bldg., Portland, Or.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO BUY THE BEST WHEAT, BEET AND FRUIT LANDS. We will sell at public auction 1324 acres of the best land in the Palouse country on June 15th, 1906.

D. F. ANDERSON & SONS, Auctioneers ROSALIA, WASHINGTON. HOTEL PERKINS. Fifth and Washington Streets PORTLAND, OREGON. EUROPEAN PLAN. Rooms, \$1.00 to \$3.00 Per Day According to Location. First-Class Check Restaurant Connected With Hotel.

St. Charles Hotel CO. (INCORPORATED) FRONT AND MORRISON STS., PORTLAND, OR. European Plan Rooms 50c to \$1.50 First-Class Restaurant in Connection HOTEL OREGON CORNER SEVENTH AND STARK STS. Portland's New and Modern Hotel. Rates \$1 per Day and Up. European Plan—Free Bus. WRIGHT-DICKINSON HOTEL CO., Props.