

POPULAR NORTH BEACH.

Roseburg People Will Find This an Ideal Recreation Resort.

Many Roseburg people have decided to spend their vacation at Popular North Beach, at the mouth of the Columbia. Leaving Portland (daily except Sunday and Monday) on the O. R. & N. Co.'s palatial Steamer T. J. Potter—queen of river boats—five hours are consumed in making the trip to Astoria, the scenery including all that is beautiful, and through the great salmon fishing waters of the Lower Columbia. After a short stop at Astoria, the steamer is off for Ilwaco, on Baker's Bay, where the passengers board the train waiting and are soon off for North Beach, the popular summer resort of the North Pacific coast. During the trip from Ilwaco the first good view of the Pacific is secured, the train running along the ridge of the beach within two hundred yards of the breakers. The beach is twenty-seven miles long, two hundred yards wide at low tide, and so hard that carriage wheels scarcely leave a mark. It is an ideal place for driving, riding, wheeling, or walking, and the surf bathing is unsurpassed. The excellent hotels and boarding places provide good accommodations at prices ranging from one dollar to three dollars per day.

The round trip rate from Portland to Astoria is \$2.50; to Ocean Beach points \$4.00, good until October 15th. On Saturdays, during July and August, round trip tickets are sold to beach points at \$2.50, good for return leaving the beach the following Sunday evening.

Teachers Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Douglas county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at the Court House in Roseburg, as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, August 12, at nine o'clock A. M., and continuing until Saturday, August 15, at four o'clock Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical, geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, August 12, at nine o'clock A. M., and continuing until Friday August 14, at four o'clock P. M.

1st 2nd and 3rd Grade Certificates. Wednesday—Penmanship, history orthography, reading.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.

PRIMARY CERTIFICATES.

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading, arithmetic.

Thursday—Art of questioning (theory of teaching, methods,) physiology. F. B. HAMILIN, Co. Supt.

Unfurnished rooms to rent. Enquire at the old Abrahams house, foot of Washington street. tf

It is pleasure for me to consult with you about a new but a true science. Dr. H. L. Studley at the Taylor Wilson Block.

Great Men and Great Pianos.

President Roosevelt has just bought a fine Knabe piano, and the late vice-president Hobart has at his residence a fine NEEDHAM, such as we are selling every day, right here at Roseburg, and since the good judgement of Roosevelt we have secured the agency for the Knabe and the J. & C. Fischer. These are all world-renowned pianos, of the highest standard. We have also in transit a lot of those medium pianos for which the people are paying all the way from \$275.00 to \$300.00 and even more. We are going to offer the same grade for \$150.00, \$175.00 and \$200.00. These figures will surprise those who have been buying those so-called high-grade pianos. Besides this lot we will have the genuine CABLE piano and not the Herbert M. Cable. It will pay you to see this line before buying a piano.

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Men wanted to cut 300 tier of wood inquire of Henry Conn. Roseburg Oregon.

Cattle for Sale.

Seven good cows and seven calves, inquire at this office.

A Record-Breaking Wheat Crop.

Kansas has just finished harvesting the greatest wheat crop ever raised by any state. Its own record of 1901 was considered phenomenal, but that has been surpassed this year by at least 10,000,000 bushels. This means that the yield is in excess of 100,000,000 bushels. The State's winter wheat acreage was 5,709,485 acres, and the general average condition on the eve of harvest was 89 per cent. The nearest approach to this year's Kansas record was Minnesota's 80,102,627 bushels, raised in 1901. The Kansas crop this year is of a firmer quality than has been produced in that state for many years. The heavy rains were the agency to eradicate for this season the dreaded Hessian fly. The grain was hardened into as perfect wheat as it is possible to secure.

A good day's work for a binder is twelve acres. The crew of this machine consists of a man to drive and two to gather the sheaves and put them in shocks. Figuring on this basis, it required 45,000 men to harvest the Kansas wheat crop in ten days. But they were short of hands, and the women had to help; it was also found necessary to work at night by moonlight. What a sight that was to see; thousands of men and women working at night to the noisy music of the self-binders under the light of the broad harvest moon. It was a spectacle worth going miles to see, and such as only this great country of ours can produce. Only the mighty Republic can raise such a wheat crop and furnish the men and women and machinery to cut it so expeditiously.

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Commencing with Monday, January 20, '02, we will charge \$7.50 for the fare from Drain to Coos Bay. Baggage allowance with each full fare 50 pounds. Travelling men are allowed 75 pounds baggage when they have 300 pounds or more. All excess baggage, 3 cts. per pound, and no allowance will be made for round trip. DAILY STAGE.

For further information address

J. R. Sawyers, Proprietor, Drain, Oregon