

BUSINESS GOOD ALONG THE RIVER

UNITED STATES ENGINEERS SAY THAT LARGE NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS FOR FISH TRAPS, LOG BOOMS AND BRIDGE PERMITS INDICATE BUSINESS IS THRIVING.

United States engineers are receiving communications almost daily from various applicants in this district applying for permits to put in fish traps, log booms and erect bridges in various localities. The district includes the Columbia river, extending south to Yacoma and east as far as Celilo. These applications, the engineers declare, indicate that business in all lines is thriving in the territory named.

The fishing season will again soon open and just at present there are more applications than any other kind being made to the engineers for the purpose of putting in fish traps. It is estimated that there are already fully 500 traps in the district. When a permit is once issued it is good until revoked. Before permission is granted to install a trap the matter is thoroughly investigated. If it is found that its location will in no manner interfere with navigation the privilege asked for is readily granted. But to operate them in many localities selected would make them a source of continual annoyance to steamboat men, and the wished-for permits are denied. Application has recently been made to construct a bridge across Skamokawa creek, situated on the Washington side of the Columbia. Plans for it have been forwarded to the head of the department as well as other data concerning the navigability of the stream.

Engineers who have just returned from a tour of investigation report that the Northern Pacific Railroad company is operating a dredge on the Lewis river. Around the bridge which crosses that stream the water has become shoal, and the channel is being deepened to allow the steamboats to pass up and down the river without hindrance. The government dipper dredge is still working at Coon island removing the remnants of the old reclamation, and the W. S. Ladd is busily engaged at Pillar Rock, near the mouth of the Columbia.

WANT TO BE PART OF CITY OF PORTLAND

Montavilla and Mount Tabor wish to be annexed to Portland. A meeting of the citizens of Montavilla was held last evening at the Odd Fellows' home, and the hall was crowded with those who wished to hear the report of the committee which had been appointed by the city council for the annexation of Montavilla. A legal question would be involved. Three members of the committee talked with the Mount Tabor people and found that they wanted to become annexed to Portland, so it was agreed to join the Montavilla and Mount Tabor people in presenting a petition to the city council for the annexation of Montavilla. The committee is composed of H. B. Dickenson, C. H. Hyle, Henry Wigert, Captain Schneider and W. M. Deveny.

The committee will draw up the petition together with a committee from Mount Tabor, and will report at a meeting to be called before the next meeting of the city council. The committee reported last night that more than 75 per cent of the people of Montavilla are in favor of annexation.

DROVE STAGE IN THE EARLY DAYS

Eugene Shelby, agent Wells, Fargo & Co., is in receipt of information to the effect that H. C. Ward died in the Agnew Asylum, Cal., on March 4. Ward will be remembered by pioneers as one of the old-time stage drivers in Oregon and Washington. He assisted in stocking the road between Sacramento and Portland, when the California and Oregon Stage company was organized, and it is said he was driver of the first stage out of this city. Afterward, for some years, he drove on routes radiating from Walla Walla.

When the railroads succeeded the stage lines, Ward entered the service of Wells, Fargo & Co., as superintendent of stables, and his duties brought him to Portland frequently until 1894, when his health broke. Since then he has been living quietly in San Francisco up to a few days before his death, comfortably provided for by the express company, by whom he was highly esteemed. With Ward, another of the early history makers of Oregon passed away.

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FURTHER TIME IS ASKED FOR

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF FRATERNAL TEMPLE ASSOCIATION HAS NOT YET CONFERRED WITH ALL DELEGATES AND TIME FOR ACTIVE WORK HAS NOT ARRIVED.

Much remains yet to be done before the movement for the erection of a Temple of Fraternities at the Lewis and Clark fair can be properly launched. So far less than half of the orders that desire representation have presented credentials. Secretary J. W. Thompson, at a meeting held yesterday afternoon in the Selling-Hirsch building, advised that the meeting be postponed for another fortnight in order to give time to confer with all the delegates. Thirty-two lodges have now applied for membership in the association. The executive committee will be made up of one representative from each of these fraternities. A board of directors of seven will be chosen, five from this committee, and the president and secretary will serve. Then the work of raising funds will be begun in earnest.

The means of getting funds have not yet been definitely decided upon. Shares of stock will be sold at \$1 each. The secretary was yesterday instructed to notify the heads of all fraternal departments in the United States of the movement that is on foot, so that they may be prepared to contribute. The Knights and Ladies of Honor have contributed \$2,000, and the Order of Washington \$1,000.

The next meeting will be held in a week or so at the call of the president.

WOUNDED PATROLMAN AGAIN ON DUTY

After an absence of three weeks, Patrolman John A. Golts, who was shot in the left arm by Andrew Johnson, is again on duty at the police station, having decided this morning that the wound was progressing so well that a little active work would not hinder his recovery. Patrolman Golts was shot on the afternoon of February 16 by Johnson, a negro, at the latter's home, 23 North Seventh street, where the patrolman had gone to serve a warrant for the latter's arrest on the charge of assault and battery. Johnson, as soon as he had shot the patrolman, turned his weapon upon himself and blew out his brains.

PUT TO THE TEST

Portland People Appreciate a Good Thing.

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Avoid in the treatment of your trees and bushes the constant annoyance and failure that often make your efforts in this line, fruit raising, a failure.

There are many solutions found upon the market not only harmless so far as the codlin moth and locusts are concerned, but they are also absolutely harmless to the trees they are supposed to protect—closing the pores in the bark, checking growth and finally killing the trees and bushes.

Spraying Essential to Profit. This fact is now recognized by the leading horticulturists of the northwest; those whose success entitles them to speak. Formerly this section was singularly free from insectivorous pests. But the day of immunity is past. The destroyers have reached us. There is no use blinking the fact; instead, the orchardist should manfully tackle existing conditions for his neighbor's sake, as well as his own, and by steady effort subdue and hold the enemy in subjection. To market fruit successfully, to obtain the highest price and not to hunt the purchaser, but compel the purchaser to hunt him, a grower must produce healthy, attractive fruit.

Let the trail of the serpent appear in the shape of scale or worms and the producer is at the mercy of the middleman. He can no longer dictate prices, but must humbly accept any terms offered, thankful if, instead of reaping a profit, he escapes actual loss. The struggle for supremacy in fruit growing and resultant money making is rendered easy by the use of McBain's Carbolic Compound. Experience has proved this, and the sagacious orchard-

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BRINGS HER FIRST CARGO OF FREIGHT

After a good passage up the coast from San Francisco the steamer Aurelia reached Portland yesterday afternoon. She docked at the foot of Oak street, where a general cargo of 500 tons will be discharged. In order to provide a berth for the steamer it became necessary for the British ship Thistlebank to swing out into the stream.

The Aurelia was but recently put on the Portland-San Francisco run, and this is the first time that she has carried freight on the up trip. From now on it is the intention for her to carry cargo both ways. She will also carry passengers, having been fully equipped and securing a license for that purpose. The steamer is now operated by Russell & Rogers of San Francisco.

DRAMATIC SOPRANO OF NOTE COMING

Miss Emma Ramsey, a dramatic soprano of note, is to visit Portland this

week. Miss Ramsey has just returned from five years' study under the best teachers in Paris and Berlin. She studied two years in Paris under Archambaud, and two and one-half years in Berlin under Madame Blanche Correlli. In January of last year, previous to leaving Berlin for a London engagement, Miss Ramsey was the soprano in a grand concert in "der Philharmonie" in Berlin. The performance was under the direction of Richard Strauss, and the program was several of the foremost Wagnerian artists of Germany and soloists from the royal opera, notably Thilla Plachinger, Frau Goetze, the principal contralto in Royal Opera, and Frau Emilie Herzog, the principal lyric soprano. The musical people in Portland are planning to give Miss Ramsey a reception soon after her arrival, and the Portland musical public may have an opportunity to hear Miss Ramsey later. She is traveling on the coast with her brother, Frank Ramsey, and her friend, Miss Jennie Sands.

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SOZODONT, liquid or powder	14¢
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GLYCERINE, LAMBERT'S	60¢
JAV. POWDER, BOURJOIS'	24¢
HERPICIDE	63¢
TOILET PUMICE	5¢
LYON'S TOOTH POWDER	14¢
GLYCERINE AND ROSEWATER	7¢, 10¢, 16¢
PURE PETROLEUM	3¢, 10¢, 16¢
BENZINE, pints and quarts	5¢, 9¢
WOOD ALCOHOL, pints and quarts	15¢, 35¢
BAKING SODA, 1/2 and 1 lb.	3¢, 5¢
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