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GENERAL NEWS.

Heat caused six deaths at Chicago, Tuesday with the thermometer at 92. About 16,000 rural mail carriers have just received an advance of \$100 a year in their salaries.

The Cuban government has a contract to float the bulk of the battleship Maine, in Havana harbor.

Refugees from Teheran, Persia, say the cholera is raging there, the mortality reaching as high as 900 a day.

The murderer of the Russian vice-governor of Elizabethopol, fired six shots into the back of his victim and escaped in a crowd.

President Roosevelt received a delegation of Colorado miners at Oyster Bay Tuesday, in a discussion of the Colorado labor situation.

General Davis, of the Panama canal zone has ordered 100,000 yards of wire gauze to prevent an invasion of mosquitoes into the zone.

The baggage rooms of all the New York roads are filled to overflowing with trunks and bundles because of the strike of the baggagemen.

Nathan Shad and Blaine Greenway, two Topeka negroes, are under arrest for attempting to rob and kill a white boy. A lynching is threatened.

Germany has declared that Russia must return the mail confiscated by the Russian cruiser and disavow the act or trouble will begin at once.

Mrs. Lipschitz, a Poland woman, committed suicide by leaping into the sea from the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, the vessel from which Loomis disappeared on its last outward trip to Europe.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Haliburton county has organized a water users' association.

Henry S. Croker, of San Francisco, a millionaire stationer, died Tuesday.

The Mazama Club, of Portland, will spend their summer outing this year on Mount Shasta.

The grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. of the United States, met in Portland Tuesday in 35th annual session.

William Jack, a well known Montana pioneer, died at Grangeville, Idaho, Tuesday, where he was visiting.

The number of prisoners in the Oregon penitentiary has increased from 314 to 334 in the last three months.

Oysters planted last year at South Bay, near Hoquiam, have become shabby and strong and promise to develop to a profitable bed.

A. B. Wollaber, formerly a local observer of the weather bureau at Portland, has been promoted to the position of local forecaster for the district.

The number of teachers employed in Baker county dropped from 149 in 1902, to 134 in 1904, and the number of scholars in the county increased 200 in the same period.

Cecil Lewis, of Astoria, fought a hand to hand fight with a monster black bear at his logging camp, Tuesday. His life was saved by the arrival of friends who killed the beast with an axe.

The Oregon Equal Suffrage Association has just elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Honorary president, Abigail Scott Duniway; president, Mrs. Henry Waldo Coe; vice-president, Mrs. Jeffry-Myers; secretary, Mrs. Nellie E. Lambson; treasurer, Mrs. Abbie French.

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O. R. & N. MEN LOSE SITUATIONS

DISCHARGED FOR CARRYING "BOX CAR" PASSENGERS.

Annual House-Cleaning in the Train Department Now in Progress at La Grande—Brakemen Accept Money From Tramps and Laborers and Thus Reduce Legitimate Passenger Business of the Company—"Fares" Often Amount to More Than Salary.

House-cleaning in the train department of the O. R. & N. at La Grande is now in progress.

About once a year, a searching investigation of the train department is made by the officials, to ascertain if brakemen are carrying hoboes in box cars, and every man under suspicion is discharged. Within the past week several brakemen so suspected have been discharged and others expect to go soon.

The box-car passenger business is one of the bad habits of railroad freight brakemen, all roads being bothered with the practice more or less.

About half of the laborers that travel from place to place over the country, travel in box cars, paying the brakeman, if they are willing to accept it, about half fare, or whatever price can be agreed upon. The practice encourages laborers to travel this way, to avoid paying full fare, and thus reduces the legitimate passenger business of the company to a large extent.

It also yields a handsome income to the brakeman, as often the fares thus collected amount to double the wages they receive, although brakemen receive in wages on the mountain division about \$3.25 per 100 miles, making \$3.75 for the trip from La Grande to Umatilla, a distance of 118 miles, or \$7.46 for the round trip.

Not many of the O. R. & N. brakemen follow the practice, as they are men of families, located in their own homes in La Grande, and respect the rules of the road, as they expect to remain permanently in the employ of the company.

The box-car passenger business is principally confined to "boomer," or transient brakemen, who work only a short time in a place and make the best of the job while working. This class is kept on the move by the different companies, who discharge them on learning their practices.

"They are detected by means of "spotters," who go over the road in the guise of tramps and laborers, and pay the brakeman for their ride. Every brakeman who is unfortunate enough to take money from a "spotter" is reported at the end of the trip and discharged.

The spotters are changed from place to place over the different systems, so their identity will not interfere with their work. The brakemen never know when to look for a "spotter."

FLOTO SHOW IS GOOD.

Baker City People Well Pleased With Circus Which Comes Here Tomorrow.

The Cal-eye-o-pay, which is not a wild and bloodthirsty beast at all, but an inoffensive, although somewhat unmusical musical instrument, called out all the people in Baker City today to behold the parade of Floto's circus, says the Baker City Herald.

The parade was not as large as Barnum's, but it was good, and the performance was in the same class. The tents of the show were pitched at the old baseball grounds on Valley avenue, East Side, and the streams of people trooped in that direction all day to see the elephant feed, and to also witness the afternoon performance.

Those who saw the show said they were going again this evening. Which means that the circus, while not large, is good, as aforesaid.

He is Now a Strictly Sober Man.

Portland, Ore., April 26, 1904. Our druggist here asked me to write you about "TRIB." My son took "TRIB" about 15 months ago and has been a sober and industrious man since. He has taken the cure, but commenced drinking again soon after. It cost his \$160 to take the cure and \$12.50 to take "TRIB." He says "TRIB" is by far the best cure of the two. He has sold many treatments for the druggists since he took "TRIB." Wishing you success, I am your friend, J. L. STONE. For sale by Tallman & Co.

W. O. W. Building.

The W. W. Society of Creswell, which has recently been incorporated by the Woodmen of the World and Women of Woodcraft of that place, says the Eugene Guard, intends to erect a two-story lodge building at Creswell this fall at a cost of about \$1500. The building will be devoted entirely to meeting purposes—a hall upstairs and one downstairs, one of them to be used for a lodge room and the other for entertainments, etc.

Notice to Water Consumers.

All persons having water meters on their premises are hereby notified to put them in immediate repair if they are not now, and to also clean out the meter boxes wherever they are dirty and fouled, so the meter can be read. If the owners or lessees do not have this done, the water superintendent will take steps to have it done. J. T. BROWN, Water Superintendent.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The Pendleton. Charles R. Leasher, Huntington. A. Bernard, Kansas City. J. A. Blue, Harrisburg. J. J. Kelly, Bozeman. Mrs. Kelly, Bozeman. Billas Kelly, Bozeman. F. N. Kelly, Bozeman. F. Wiedin, Portland. J. B. Wade, Portland. B. Westcoat, Portland. J. A. Borie, Salt Lake. C. J. Freese, Spokane. W. T. Hilsop and wife, Spokane. John Andrews, Portland. W. Crippen and wife, Spokane. Charles S. McMichael, Spokane. Ed Golden, Portland. H. C. Cambilis, Portland. C. E. Nelson, Athena. W. R. McRoberts, Spokane. Frank J. Parker, Walla Walla. R. W. Priest, Walla Walla. R. N. Stanfield, Echo. C. W. Porter, Meacham. R. C. Mays, Lostine. C. R. Williams, St. Paul. S. J. Hays, Spokane. J. J. Kaufman, Walla Walla.

The St. George.

D. P. Newman, Hilgard. J. H. Richards, New York. H. B. Smith, Spokane. M. C. Bennett, Chicago. C. A. Whitmore, Portland. Albert Scott, Elgin. R. Alexander, Minneapolis. C. A. Wagner, Elgin. T. J. Esmond, Salt Lake. William Dunn, Portland. W. B. Boltin, St. Joe. Dr. J. B. Burns, Payette. L. T. Patch, Payette. J. A. Allison, Portland. C. L. Downer, Spokane. G. F. Stowell, Chicago. W. J. McClelland, Nampa. J. R. Keefer, Nampa. F. J. Gardner and son, Portland.

The Hotel Bickers.

A. Catlin, Catlin. C. Foskett, Portland. Henry Oliver, Norton. Mrs. H. Oliver, Norton. C. F. Bussier, Portland. E. Campbell, Portland. Roy L. Ovilla, San Francisco. J. M. Van Horn, McKay. L. E. Hukill, Starbuck. W. A. Fellow, North Yakima. Mrs. J. P. Austin, San Francisco. Mrs. J. B. Allen, St. Louis. Joe Staks, Chicago. R. Y. Cusin, Hoppner. Sam Pamborn, Athena. C. H. Allen, Adams. Mrs. F. Lambourn, Ontario. Bess Craig, Pendleton. A. Banister, Dayton. L. L. Hiller, Kansas City. Mrs. L. L. Hiller, Kansas City. W. R. Kelton, Kansas City.

World's Fair Rates.

The O. R. & N. Company announces the following low rates: From Pendleton to St. Louis and return, \$60.00. From Pendleton to Chicago and return, \$65.00.

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Excursion Rates to Portland August 1st, 1904.—Oregon Development Association Meeting.

Portland, Ore., August 2d and 3d '04. For the above occasion the O. R. & N. makes a special rate of \$6.85 for the round trip. Tickets on sale August 1st for trains Nos. 1 and 5 only. Continuous passage both directions. Final limit August 4, 1904. For particulars call on or address E. C. Smith, Agent O. R. & N.

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S. C. Bittner is having the old barn belonging to the Alta hotel property torn away and will replace it with an entirely new structure. This is the first of quite extensive improvements Mr. Bittner will make on this property.

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BRIGGSON ITEMS

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE TO FRUIT AND GARDENS.

Two Young Children Lost for Half a Day—Judd Mitchell Opens the Threshing Season—Marriage of Popular Young Folks—Visitor From Illinois—Another Month of School in District 95.

Briggson, July 18.—Quite a severe rain and hailstorm visited this section last week. Considerable damage to apples and garden truck is reported.

Last Saturday a couple of Mrs. Swan Peterson's children, aged 11 and 5, went to play in the woods near the house, but from some cause lost their way and failed to return at the appointed time. The matter was soon reported to neighbors, who immediately joined in the search. After scouring the woods for nearly half a day they were found finally, about two miles from home.

Judd Mitchell took his threshing outfit to the valley Thursday, where he will begin the season's run by threshing C. H. Wood's 500 acres of wheat today.

Mrs. Sam Booher of Athena, and niece, Miss Fern McFarland of Knoxville, Ill., are visiting with Mrs. Alf Booher of this place.

The directors of District No. 95 have decided to have another month of school, which will run the term into August.

Campbell-Mitchell.

Ed Mitchell and Miss Belte Campbell were married last Friday at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Bennett. The contracting parties are both highly respected young people of this vicinity, and will make their home here.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Gobilock of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Tallman & Co., druggist.

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COMING EVENTS.

Organization Oregon Development League—Portland, August 2 and 3.

August 22-27—American Mining Congress, Portland.

Inland Empire Teachers' Association—Pendleton, October 19, 20 and 21.

National Irrigation Association, El Paso, Texas, November 15-18.

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