

Morning Daily Herald

O. & C. N. R. TIME TABLE. NORTH BOUND. SOUTH BOUND. OREGON PACIFIC TIME TABLE.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Pop corn at Kenton's. Christmas goods at French's. Burkhardt & Royce, job printers. Business continues lively in this city.

A fine line of solid gold watches at Will & Stark's. Riley Kirk of Brownsville was in the city yesterday. The best quality of raisins for sale at F. L. Kenton's.

Elegant furniture for the holidays at Fortmiller & Irving's. Useful and durable Christmas presents at F. M. French's. Do not miss the trained animal show Saturday evening.

E. L. Power is spending a few days with relatives at Shedd. Silverware, both solid and plated, very cheap, at French's. Don't miss the auction at M. J. Monteith's at Young's old stand.

Kiln dried flooring can be had at the Springfield lumber yard in this city. A fine stock of artists' materials and fine art studies at Guss & Son's.

Bargains in gold watches and jewelry, for the holidays, at Will & Stark's. Do not miss the great sale of goods at cost at Monteith & Schenbach's.

HIGH PRICED BIRDS.

Mongolian Pheasants, Which Are Claimed to Be a Pest, Valued at \$20 Per Pair. Some time since a gentleman in Arizona wrote to The Oregonian asking for information in regard to the chances for securing here a number of Mongolian pheasants, which the Rod and Gun Club of Arizona desire to procure for the purpose of stocking that territory.

One person who has raised three pairs, writes that they can be had for \$20 per pair. This seems rather a steep price for these birds. The Rod and Gun Club would probably pay \$20 for the three pairs, which is much more than they are worth for any purpose.

Some wide-awake farmer's boy ought to be able to trap a dozen or two of these birds for the Arizona Rod and Gun Club, who will doubtless pay well for them, but are not likely to pay \$20 a pair—Oregonian.

THE COLLEGE CONVENTION.

Moody Will Address a Hundred or More Students in This City on Jan. 24. It is definitely announced by the noted evangelist, Dwight L. Moody, himself that he will address the students of the state convention of the college branch of the Y. M. C. A. which will assemble in this city on Jan. 24.

LEBANON NEWS.

Newspapers and magazines received by F. L. Kenton. A nice line of jewelry and silver ware, suitable for Christmas presents, at Will & Stark's.

The decorating committee of the Congregational Sunday school will meet at the church this evening. A howling necessity—One of those fine hanging lamps for your parlor. Very cheap at Conn Bros.

A Portland grand jury has indicted Thos. H. Hicks and M. M. Barnett, of the Sitings, for libel. Ex-Judge Whitney has gone to San Jose, Cal., to spend the winter. He thinks of locating there.

CLOSE OF THE SEASON.

The Work on the Improvement of the Willamette Closed. The Oregonian says: Major Jones returned from Texas Rapids yesterday and went on through to Corvallis to settle with the contractor of the reventment work at that place and close up the season's work.

The snag-boat Willamette will go up to Oregon City this morning, where she will be joined by Major Jones, who will proceed to examine the Clackamas rapids with a view to expanding next season some of the present appropriations in improving navigation. The great obstruction at this point consists in the old wing-dam, which has been opened in one place to allow passage through it, and by the current's setting in to the opposite or eastern side, has become quite dangerous, two serious and several minor accidents having resulted from it.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

The following resolutions of condolence were passed by McPherson Post, No. 5, G. A. R., on the 20th inst. WHEREAS, The Supreme Commander of the Grand Army above has, by a general order, under date of December 7, 1888, called our esteemed comrade, I. M. Adair, to the Grand Army above to serve until the last trump shall summon all the comrades to join our deceased comrade there. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Comrade Adair our post has sustained an irreparable loss, and that his sorrowing wife and daughter claim our heartfelt sympathies, and to them we extend the condolence of this post. Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this post, and that a copy thereof, under the seal of the post, be furnished to the family of the deceased comrade, and to each of the city papers for publication.

Real Estate Sales.

Curran & Monteith effected the following mentioned sales during the past few days: To Trvon Bros, the farm owned by Dr. Amos 3 1/2 miles northeast of Albany, containing 125 acres; consideration, \$1700. To Isom & Lanning, the farm owned by Jacob Smith, containing 44 acres, 2 1/2 miles east of Albany; consideration, \$1000. To Cornelius Raifsnider the farm owned by Wm. H. Goltra 8 miles southeast of Albany, containing 160 acres; consideration, \$5250. To John Charles the house and lot owned by T. J. Cline near the O. P. Depot; consideration, \$800. To L. Newt Smith, lot 7 in block 14, Hackleman's 2d addition; consideration, \$325.

Church Notice.

Preaching services at the Presbyterian church to-morrow at 11 A. M. Subject, "God's Unspeakable Gift." Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M. Young people's prayer meeting in the lecture room at 6:30 P. M. At 7:30 P. M. a union meeting will be held in the interest of the American bible society.

Removed Notice.

It was rumored in this city last evening that Jacobs & Nengass, of Corvallis, had failed. The firm has been considered solid and it is possible that the report is incorrect. Handsome Result. A sociable recently held in Brownsville for the purpose of raising funds for enlarging and improving the cemetery, resulted in placing \$96 70 in the hands of the committee.

THE MORTGAGE TAX LAW.

Several articles have recently appeared in the Oregonian advocating the repeal of the mortgage tax law and one in the issue of the 19th inst. ascribes its authorship to the "Grangers" of Linn county. If the grangers did procure its enactment they deserve the commendation of all the honest citizens of the state, except those money loaners who wish to enjoy high interest without paying taxes. A promissory note on a solvent payor and drawing interest should in all cases be taxed at its face, for that is its value and it will sell in the market at par; and such paper was so taxed when the assessor could find it, before there was a mortgage tax law. The mortgage tax law does two good things. 1st, It causes land to be taxed where it is situated and helps to support the roads and schools. 2d, It exposes to the assessor and causes to be taxed promissory notes that would otherwise be hidden by the holders and escape taxation.

As an example of the first benefit above enumerated: If the mortgage tax law did not exist the notes held by men in Portland, secured by mortgages on land in Linn county, would, if discovered by the assessor be taxed in Portland, and being taken as indebtedness from the assessment of the owner of the land, the land would be transferred for taxation from Linn to Multnomah county, and the county, road and school districts of Linn would lose this tax and its amount be shifted to the other property of the county and increase the levy on it. The repeal of the mortgage tax law would be in the interest of money loaners but not in the interest of the people.

As the law now stands money is abundant in the hands of brokers and may be had by all who wish to borrow and can give good security.

The object of these articles in the Oregonian is to exempt money and credits from taxation and throw more burdens on the producing classes. If the people of moderate means are sensible and see their true interest, they will continue to support the mortgage tax law, and procure the passage of other laws which will make the moneyed class pay their just share of the taxes which they still escape in a great degree by skillful dodging.

RIGHT HERE IN ALBANY.

Net Cash Will Buy Goods Cheaper Than Anywhere Else. There is no need of sending away for goods when the following desirable wares can be bought for net cash at import prices:

- One-half dozen unhandled tea-cups and saucers, 35 cts. 1/2 dozen unhandled coffee cups and saucers, 45 cts. 1/2 dozen handled coffee cups and saucers, 50 cts. 1/2 dozen seven inch dinner plates, 45 cts.

The goods mentioned above are iron stone china, and not C. C. ware. These prices will stand good for the next thirty days. JULIUS GRADWOHL.

BRIEF MENTION.

Magic yeast at Brownell & Stanard's. Fine old cherry bounce at M. Baumgart's. Finest line of jerseys ever in Albany at Read's. J. A. Archibald, agent for the Singer Manufacturing Co., opposite Odd Fellows temple.

Crackers, ginger snaps and a great variety of sweet goods, all fresh and nice, at C. H. Spencer's. We handle three kinds of fruit jar and you will do well to see us before placing your orders.

All kinds of fresh roasted coffee constantly on hand and ground to order at C. H. Spencer's. Mirth is short lived. Prolong it if you can. It will help your disposition to trade with W. F. Read. Call on Brownell & Stanard's for candies and nuts for the holidays. A fine assortment on hand.

Just received, another lot of those fine hand-sewed French kid shoes, the very cheapest ever brought to town at W. F. Read's. Mexican Cactus Bitters is the best remedy in the world for liver and kidney diseases, indigestion, etc. For sale at M. Baumgart's.

"You will never miss the water 'Till the well runs dry." If you want a well dug call on E. B. Davidson. He does prompt work at a reasonable price. Orders can be left at this office.

Just received at W. F. Read's a full line of ladies fine muslin underwear, also girls' white dresses and infants' slips. Call and see them. The immense sale of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been produced to a great extent by people who have been cured by it telling their friends and neighbors of its good qualities and urging them to try it. The most severe cold will soon yield to its soothing effects. For sale by Foshay & Mason.

GRANDMASQUERADE Skating Carnival

TO BE GIVEN AT THE ARMORY HALL IN ALBANY ON Wednesday, Dec. 26th. LIST OF PRIZES TO BE AWARDED Ladies First Prize—Handsome silk plush toilet set. Ladies Second Prize—Garnet plush wearing case. Ladies Third Prize—Cologne case. Gents' Prizes—1st, handsome shaving case; 2d, blue silk plush wearing case; 3d, brush case and whisk Broom. Admission—Gents, 25 cts; Ladies 15 cts. Skates, 25 cts. The Albany Band will be in attendance. S. E. CATTERLIN, Prop.

An Important Item.

The best evidence that a business man believes in American manufacturing is shown by patronizing them. Julius Gradwohl has just received from Eastern factories the remainder of his immense holiday stock, consisting of tea and dinner sets in beautiful designs, plush goods, writing desks, dolls and toys of all kinds; in fact everything kept in a first-class bazaar store. His stock is not excelled by any store of the kind in Oregon, and prices will be found entirely satisfactory.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment is unequalled for old chronic sores. Many cases have been permanently cured by it. For sale by Foshay & Mason.

Goods are going at wonderfully low prices at M. J. Monteith's auction sales every afternoon.

AT COST!

Boots and Shoes. Brownell & Stanard have still a goods assortment to select from, and among them have: Ladies best quality Rochester made Fr. kid button, \$4.35; regular price... \$5.50 Extra quality Fr. kid button, \$5; regular price... 6.00 Good Fr. kid button \$5; regular price... 4.00 Bright Gondola button, best quality, \$2.75; regular price... 3.50 Bright Gondola button, good style \$2.00; regular price... 3.00 American kid, button, best quality, \$2; regular price... 3.00 American kid, button, second quality, \$1.25; regular price... 2.00 A good assortment of Children and Misses oil grain school shoes from \$1 to \$1.20; regular price \$1.35 to 1.40 Ladies rubbers 30 and 40 Men's rubbers... 40 Come before all are closed out. BROWNELL & STANARD.

Received for Holidays

- New Smyrne Rugs and Portierres. New Table Covers. Linen Table Sets with Napkins to match. A large Assortment of Linen and silk handkerchiefs. Fine Lace Handkerchiefs. Trunks and Valises. Silk Dress Patterns. Colored and black silk Warp, Hermetics. Silk Umbrellas.

BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT.

- Ladies and Gents Fancy Slippers. Ladies and Gents' Fine Shoes. Ladies and Children's Fine Shoes and slippers. Felt Slippers of All Kinds.

CROKERY DEPARTMENT

- Choice Novelties in Decorated China. Tea Sets. Fruit Plates and Saucers. Decorated Bedroom Sets. Salad Bowls. Fancy Pitchers. Lamps. Fancy Cuspadores. Cake Dishes. And a Large Assortment of Novelties in China for the Holidays.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG. Albany, Oregon.

Elegant Furniture

THE HOLIDAYS!

Thos. Brink has just opened a fine line of furniture in beautiful patterns for the holidays. These include

- Wicker Chairs, Parlor Suites, Rectors' Easy Chairs, Rugs, Wood Baskets, Lounges, Chairs of all Kinds, Whatnots, Brackets, Novelties, Etc.

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STILL TO THE FRONT!

G. W. SIMPSON.

Having purchased the stock of Clothing, Gents Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, Etc., of C. B. Roland & Co. is now prepared to offer

Better Bargains than Ever!

Having a complete assortment of General Merchandise, bought at a big discount, which he still proposes to sell at cost. Purchasers will do well to call and get his prices. Before buying elsewhere, as you can save from 25 to 30 per cent. The highest market price paid for country produce of all kinds, either in cash or goods.

Children Cry for Fitcher's Castoria.