

Morning Daily Herald

THE MAILS. Vails at the Albany postoffice close For all offices north...

Table with 2 columns: Arrives, Departs. Lists train schedules for various routes.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Wheat is worth 62 cents. For the finest silver polish in the market go to H. Wert's.

Mrs. Dr. Davis and Mother, Mrs. Dr. J. F. Hendrix, returned from the bay yesterday.

G. L. Blackman will sell his entire stock of books and stationery at cost for 30 days.

Rev. E. R. Prichard and little son came over from the bay yesterday and returned again.

The Albany Farmers and Merchants Insurance Company will not be heavy losers in the Spokane fire.

Horses run away, boats tip over, accidents are always happening. Get a policy with Winn in the travelers.

W. A. Radir, of Price, Crook county, and Geo. Richards, of Camp Creek, arrived in the city on Saturday.

Charles Davis, spoken of in the Spokane Falls fire dispatch, is supposed to be a brother of Dr. W. H. Davis, of this city.

Monteith & Seifenbach, D. G. Clark and J. F. McCoy are among the business men of Spokane Falls who were former residents of Albany.

The Williams cannery at Oyster-ville was destroyed by fire on Saturday, entailing a grievous loss, as it had just been put in repair for the fall fishing.

Mr. Hutchings, of Lodi, California, whose commanding size attracts attention, and averdupois brings down at 250 pounds, and who furnishes the luscious water-melons that have been in the market the past week, is in the city on business.

Mrs. B. um has a few neat gilt picture frames on hand to which she will fit crayon portraits at from \$10 to \$20, frame included. Parties wishing to avail themselves of this offer must call promptly, as Mrs. B. will remain here but a short time longer.

Heretofore the Southern Pacific and Oregon Pacific railroads have given excursion rates to Yaquina Bay on Wednesdays and Saturdays, but the crowds have grown so large that these roads have very wisely decided to give regular excursion rates six days in the week. Hereafter pleasure seekers can go and return when they please for \$3.50 the round trip.

Messrs. Isaac and Strander Freeman are talking of making a visit to their childhood's home in Illinois. They will find some changes in it since they left it in the early fifties. Isaac says he intends to have a swim in the river in which he departed when a boy. Well, wagner a toothpick that the water will be too cold for him even in these August days.

The drowning of Duck Wilson and Miss Minnie Luckey, of Eugene, by the upsetting of a row boat in which they were boating, on the Susiaw is reported. Some mistake, however, occurred on the subject of the young couple meeting their sad fate through disobedience to the young lady's parents, for the parents have been dead several years.

Disastrous Fire in Folk County—Appointments by the Governor.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD. SALEM, August 5.—The Smithson Land Company of Portland filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state today; capital stock \$40,000; H. C. Smithson, A. J. Smithson and W. B. Gilbert, incorporators.

The governor to-day appointed F. L. Downing a member of the Southern Oregon board of agriculture, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. H. Stewart. He also appointed John G. Cook health officer at Coos Bay to fill the vacancy caused by the death of C. B. Golding.

Fire broke out to-day near Dixie, Crook county, on the west side of the railroad, and at the latest accounts was sweeping west across the county, doing great damage on basket estate and other places. No particulars have been received.

E. P. Walker, a farmer living near Turner, had a narrow escape from being killed yesterday. He was driving a team attached to a wagon on which was a hay rack. While opening a gate the team ran away and caught him between the hay rack and gate post, inflicting some severe cuts around the head and ears. He was insensible for three hours, but is now all right again.

Patents Granted. Following were the patents granted to citizens of the Pacific States during the past week and reported for the HERALD by C. A. Snow & Co., patent lawyers, Washington, D. C.: G. W. Ansley, Medical Lake, W. T., rotary or disk harrow; A. Meeklem, Coifax, W. T., separator; J. D. Burkhardt, Dayton, W. T., thrasher adjuster; E. P. Garon, San Francisco, bullet forner; A. R. Wells, San Francisco, loop clamp; G. H. Riggs, San Francisco, cable railway crossing signal.

SMOKE AND ASHES.

Spokane Falls Follows Seattle's Lead. BUSINESS PART BURNED.

A Whirlwind Scatters the Flames Broadcast—Provisions All Destroyed—Banks and Stores Burned.

Spokane Falls, August 5.—The entire business portion of the city, covering nearly forty blocks, was destroyed by fire to-night. Fire broke out at 6 p. m., in a frame block near the depot. The water pressure was very weak, and the flames spread rapidly, sweeping the entire block in less than half an hour. A high wind sprang up soon after the fire started, filling the air with burning embers, and starting fires in several adjacent blocks.

The Pacific hotel was the first valuable building to succumb. Adjoining it was the Russ house, a large frame hotel, which burned like tinder.

The fire communicated to the Northern Pacific passenger and freight depot, burning them to the ground. The Northern Pacific railroad's loss is variously estimated. The loss, including the freight in the warehouse, is estimated at about \$1,000,000.

The Western Union lost all their instruments, poles, batteries, etc., in the fire, but will be open at daylight for business.

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The mayor ordered buildings to be blown up with giant powder. About a dozen large buildings and other small ones were blown up.

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The burned district includes all that part of the city from the Northern Pacific railway to the river, and from Lincoln to Washington streets, embracing over 30 blocks.

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An unknown man was shot by exploding cartridges, and is supposed to be dead.

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THE MILWAUKEE EXHIBIT. Arrangements Made for Its Proper Representation.

Commander McElroy and Quartermaster-General D. W. Matthews came up from Salem yesterday, and in company with Mr. Cusick and Mr. Dickson went across the river and gathered in some splendid specimens of plums and prunes.

In the evening a meeting of the Board of Trade convened in the W. C. T. U. hall and Prof. McElroy ably presented the matter of getting up the exhibit.

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Visited to His Injuries. Quint Gurthrie, the fireman who was injured with Engineer Miller at the Lebanon switch disaster, died at the hospital in Portland at 5:45 p. m. He had been improving through the week and the physicians thought he would recover, but a fatal change took place on Sunday resulting in his death.

Hay and Oats Wanted. Mr. L. Senders, of this city, will buy all the clean timothy hay brought to him in tightly compressed bales, for which the market price in cash will be paid. He also wants to buy oats, sack-furnished. Deliver at stables.

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WHAT CONSTITUTES SWAMP LANDS.

The Misaki, Made by M. W. Who Attempts to Enter Swamp Land.

Speaking of the case of the two young men lately arrested and fined for resisting a deputy United States marshal who attempted to eject them from claims they had taken up in the Harney valley country, a gentleman who is well informed in regard to such matters said:

"These men pre-empted the land knowing that it had been conveyed to another by the state as swamp land. As the land is not now swampy they imagined that the owners title to it could not be maintained and that they could hold it as arable land. There has been a great deal of trouble of this kind in the southern portion of the state, and trouble of this kind is likely to occur for years to come. Where these people who attempt to take up such land make a great mistake in thinking that because land is not swampy now it never has been, and that therefore the man who pre-empted it as swamp land committed a fraud, and is not justly entitled to the ownership of the land and cannot make good his title. The fact is that the swampy land act was passed in 1862 and the swamp lands were bought in large tracts by different persons. The question as to whether they were guilty of any fraud depends upon whether they were swamp lands then or not, and not upon what the nature of the land is at present. During the twenty-seven years since the passage of that act great changes have come over the face of the country. The land in many places where it is dry now was then covered with a rank growth of grass and bushes, the soil was loose and absorbed the rain and melting snow and allowed it to percolate gradually. Thus large tracts were kept moist and swampy, and lakes spread over a great extent of ground. After the introduction of cattle in these sections the brush and herbage disappeared, the ground was trampled hard and the rains, instead of being collected and allowed to slowly percolate through the soil, ran at once down every slope and was carried off by streams. When summer came the ground became dry and hard, and the lakes not being fed continuously, gradually shrank, and the whole face of the country changed. The swampy land act applied to the lands as they were then, and what they may be now has nothing to do with the case and those who, while crying fraud, attempt to rob the swamp land man of what he honestly bought, should remember this, and before attempting to take up land which has been designated as swamp land should satisfy themselves as to the condition of the land when the swamp land act was passed."—Oregonian.

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OREGON PRESS ASSOCIATION.

The Oregon Press Association will meet at Newport, Benton county, August 23rd, and 24th, 1889. Reduced fares for newspaper men and their families have been accorded over the various railroad lines as it is hoped there will be a full attendance.

The citizens of Newport are making arrangements to entertain the association, and all intending to attend will please notify the President at once.

The Oregon Pacific will give free passes from Albany to Newport and return, and the O. & C. R. R. rates are full fare going one-fifth fare returning.

J. R. N. BELL, PRESIDENT. CHAS. NICKELL, SECRETARY.

Notice to Contractors. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned building committee of the Masonic Association will receive bids at the office of C. E. Welverton in the city of Albany, Oregon, until 1 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, August 10, 1889, for laying down and constructing a 12-foot cement or artificial stone sidewalk in front of the new Masonic building and David Froman's block, a distance of 100 feet. Said walk to be constructed of first-class material, and to be laid in a thorough and workmanlike manner. All bids should specify the material to be used. The walk to be laid by September 1st, 1889.

GEORGE W. MASTON, L. SENDERS, G. F. SIMPSON, Committee.

Something New. Julius Gradwohl has opened, at the Golden Rule Bazaar store a magnificent line of the latest decorated ware, including Wedgewood & Co.'s Newyacht shape, richly decorated with flowers and gold, handsomely enameled, new shape and prettiest decoration on the market. These goods were received direct from England, and are latest designs. Ladies are invited to call and inspect them. There is no need of sending away for such goods when such a selection, imported direct, can be obtained in this city at a less price than anywhere else.

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