

Morning Daily Herald

THE MAILS. Mails at Albany postoffice close for all offices north...

OREGON PACIFIC TIME TABLE. Arrives Departs

NOTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Boots and shoes at cost at Read's. Table linen just received at W. Reads.

Wheat has advanced to 65 cents in this city. Fine peaches at 90 cents per box at LaForest & Thompson's.

The best kid glove ever brought to Albany for \$1.50 at Reads. G. L. Blackman will sell his entire stock of books and stationery at cost for 30 days.

"Fun on the Bristol" next Thursday evening. Secure your seats early at Blackman's.

Finest yellow Crawford peaches at LaForest & Thompson's. Don't miss the laughable comedy "Fun on the Bristol" at the opera house to-morrow night.

Go and try some of the cream suits just received at Parker Bros. It beats rolled oats in several respects.

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

Bert Magers of Stayton has accepted a clerkship in the grocery store of LaForest & Thompson in this city.

The regular Wednesday evening prayer meeting services will be held this evening at the Presbyterian church.

Steps are being taken by the sisters of the Catholic school to establish a public hospital in this city. Such an institution is sadly needed here, and the move should be encouraged.

Persons having rooms to rent to students will do well to communicate with President Condit about the matter. Pupils are now seeking places for the fall term, which opens on Tuesday, September 10.

The finest Crawford peaches, which are now in their prime for canning, Bartlett pears, and all kinds of fruits, can be obtained in quantities to suit at LaForest & Thompson's.

The city council is to be commended for prompt action to improve this city's fire protection. With towns all around us burning up, it is the part of wisdom to take every precaution, notwithstanding Albany's excellent fire department.

The remains of John Crothers who died in this city Monday evening, were interred yesterday. He died without means but was given a decent Christian burial. His home was in Colusa, California, and he was a fine musician. He was given every attention, but was cared for by Prof. William Winchell, with whom he was traveling.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Hon. John Burnett of Corvallis was in the city yesterday. W. C. Tweedale and family have returned from a ten days sojourn at Yaquina.

Miss Helen Osborn of Eugene is visiting in this city, the guest of Mrs. J. W. Blain. Julius Joseph, John Morrison, Dr. E. A. McAllister and Miss Brenner left yesterday for Yaquina.

R. A. Rampsy, banker of Harrisburg, and Prof. Jay H. Jewett, principal of the public school at that place, were in this city yesterday. Wm. M. Hoag returned yesterday from San Francisco, and in company with Superintendent Bowen of the Oregon Pacific railroad, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. T. J. Wilson and wife left yesterday for the Warm Springs Indian Agency, where they are engaged as teachers in the United Presbyterian Mission school.

Dr. John R. Pilkington, Surgeon, oculist and medical specialist, of Portland, will be at the Revere House, Albany, all day Tuesday, August 13th, and will give an expert's examination and opinion free to all sufferers from eye, ear, bronchial, lung, chronic, kidney, liver, uterine or rectal diseases. Several hundred references given. Catarrh, neuralgia or rheumatism cases are specially invited.

Building and Loan Association. The regular monthly meeting of the Building and Loan Association will be held on Friday evening, August 16th. Dues can be paid on or before that date at the bank of H. F. Merrill. By order of the secretary, Jay W. Blain.

Avoid the Rush. Parties wishing something good in the way of fruits, vegetables and sweet potatoes will do well to call early and get the first chance, and avoid the usual rush on the arrival of these goods. Willamette Packing Co.

Seissors, Shears. Immense stock at Stewart & Sox's. The best quality and any size or style. Call and examine our stock. Stewart & Sox.

Money to Loan. At a low rate of interest on good farm property in Linn county, or on best improved city property in Albany. Apply to Blackburn & Wright, Albany, Oregon.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Grappling with the Sewer Question Improving the City's Fire Protection.

Regular meeting of the city council was held last evening, all officers and members being present except Councilman Deyoe.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A report signed by Councilman Gradwohl, chairman of the committee on streets and public property, recommending that the Calapooia street sewer be extended to the Santiam Canal, also that the Baker street sewer be extended to a point midway between Fifth and Sixth streets, also that said sewer be extended north to the Willamette river.

The question was discussed at length, and Mayor Cowan addressed the council, stating that an improvement of the sewerage system is absolutely needed, and that it would be wise to occur an indebtedness of even the full extent of the \$5,000 limit for such improvements, if properly expended. The report was referred to the committee on health and police.

The city marshal reported that about \$6000 of the city tax has been collected, leaving about \$2000 yet to be collected. The chief engineer of the fire department, C. H. Stewart, reported that he had made a tour of the alleys with the city marshal, and ordered all dangerous rubbish removed, and that the fire apparatus is in good order, the new hose proving most satisfactory.

The reports of the committee to whom was referred the matter of forming a new fire company to operate the old hand engine, recommending that the old engine be sold and the proceeds expended for a new chemical engine or for more hydrants, was read and on motion the mayor appointed as a committee to sell the hand engine E. M. French, C. G. Burkhardt, Julius Gradwohl and Chief Engineer C. H. Stewart.

Petition for opening First street from Main to Harrison streets was granted, and the street ordered opened.

Petition for sidewalk at the crossing of Eighth and Walnut streets was referred.

Petition for a sewer from Broad-albin street through blocks 21 and 22 was read, and the sewer was ordered constructed within 20 days. The recorder was ordered to advertise for bids for the street work of such sewer.

Petition for sewer across Ellis, north street through block 50, from Broadalbin street sewer, was likewise ordered constructed within 20 days.

Petition for sidewalk on north side of Seventh street between Railroad and Montgomery streets, was read and granted, and the same ordered built within 20 days.

On motion Baker street was ordered graded from Eighth to Ninth street within 30 days.

On motion the street commissioner was instructed to clear the street at the lumber yard on Railroad street.

The work on the cistern at the junction of First and Washington streets as left by the street railway was accepted.

Bids for constructing an 8 inch sewer across Washington street between blocks 26 and 27 was let to Geo. W. Hughes at 45 cents per foot, the same to be built within 20 days.

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.: W. C. D. Body, Grass Valley, Cal., car safety catch; W. M. Brown, Sacramento, Cal., pipe coupling; J. Comer, Redding, Cal., shaft bearing lubricator; A. Skilling, San Francisco, Cal., paper box; J. Rosasco, Healdsburg, Cal., fruit pitting machine; W. E. Tothaker, San Francisco, Cal., hydraulic elevator.

To the Santiam Mines. Joseph Webber, Henry Zoost of this city and R. H. Rutherford of Marion, will leave to-day for their mines up the North Santiam. Mr. Webber says they have some excellent prospects, and he is perhaps not very visionary when he predicts that within a year Albany will have smelting works to reduce the ore from the rich mines up the Santiam.

Fine Saltings. Just opened, at L. E. Blain's tailoring department, the very latest patterns in piece goods for suitings and trousers, which will be made up to order in the most approved style by Mr. E. A. Schuffer, the experienced tailor who has charge of that department. Call early and get your choice of patterns before the stock is broken.

Terrible. Two thirds of all deaths in New York city are from consumption or pneumonia. This disease propogates itself good for most other cities. Delays are dangerous; Dr. Acker's English Remedy for consumption will always relieve, and may save your life.

Hay and Oats Wanted. Mr. L. Sanders, 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. Sacks furnished. Deliver at stables.

Black Silk Scarfs. I received to-day an invoice of Chantilla and Spanish lace scarfs, hand run, ranging in price from \$4 to \$11 each. They are very nice and stylish, a new thing, and the price is right. Samuel E. Young.

Off for Alaska. O. T. Porter, who has been appointed U. S. marshal to Alaska, leaves to-day for his post of duty. Before leaving he was tendered a farewell reception at the residence of Frank Wood last evening. He was presented with a fine case appropriately inscribed. An elegant lunch was served by Mrs. and Miss Woods, and an enjoyable evening was spent.

CAPTAIN MINNIE HILL.

An Albany Girl Who Has Won a Reputation on This Coast as a Steamboat Captain.

A number of articles have recently been published by the newspapers of this coast concerning Captain Minnie Hill, who manipulates the wheel of a trading steamer on the Columbia. This lady commander was born in Albany, Or., in 1865, and lived in this city until a short time before her marriage with Charles Hill, which took place in 1882. Mr. Hill was at that time purser of the steamer Joseph Kellogg. He continued in this position for three years, being assisted in his duties by his young wife. Living economically all this time they managed to save \$1000.

With this money they purchased an old schooner and converted her into a trading boat, putting a small engine into her. Mrs. Hill's next step was to take out a second-class master's license. She had studied navigation and had thoroughly learned the Columbia and Willamette rivers while assisting her husband, and she passed her examination without any trouble. Shortly afterwards they bought the steamer General Newell for \$7500. The steamer is 111.5-12 feet in length, 20.5-12 feet beam, and has a depth of hold of 5 feet. Their business is flourishing greater than ever. They now carry nearly every article that can be found in a general merchandise store. Engineer Hill runs the lower deck, while the captain dickers with the women on the upper deck, and is said to be an excellent hand at making a shrewd bargain. She steers their ship of life, and her husband gallantly responds to the bells, and "goes ahead" or "slows down" as she directs, and a happier couple is unknown. When not on the river their home is in Portland, where it is said they have accumulated property to the amount of about \$25,000.

Mrs. Captain Hill is a handsome brunette, about five and one-half feet in height, and weighing about 140 pounds. She has the happy faculty of making friends, and no one is more highly thought of among her large circle of acquaintances than is Mrs. Captain Minnie Hill.

FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION. The Convention and Tournament to be Held at Tacoma—The Races and Prizes.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Northwestern Firemen's Association, at Vancouver, Monday afternoon, a proposition from Chief Rainey, of Tacoma, to hang up a purse of \$4200 if the convention and tournament were held there, was accepted.

The convention will be held Monday, September 16th and the tournament will begin the following day, to continue three days. The association and tournament were declared open to all volunteer departments in the United States and Canada. The programme for the Tacoma tournament is as follows:

Wet test—First prize, \$1000; second, \$500; third, \$100.

Dry test—First prize, \$400; second, \$200; third, \$50.

Speed race—First prize, \$350; second, \$100; third, \$50.

Association championship race—First prize, \$500; second, \$200; third, \$100.

Hook and ladder race—First prize, \$500; second, \$200; third, \$100.

C. J. Trenchard, C. J. Curtis and B. S. Worsley, of Astoria, were appointed committee on topics.

MIDDLE RIDGE. Middle Ridge, Aug. 10. Threshing is nearly all done in our neighborhood.

Born, to the wife of Wm. Baker, July 31.

J. N. Combs had a barn raising a few days since. It is being stored with feed for use during the winter.

Lottie Miller goes to Shedd's twice a week for medical treatment by Dr. J. V. Gaff; her friends think she is improving.

On last Sabbath afternoon Rev. Lee came to fulfill his regular appointment, accompanied by Elder Logan, of Philomath, who delivered an excellent discourse to an attentive congregation.

Have you heard what Mr. G. L. West, of Cambridge City, Ind., says of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy? If not, here it is: "During last summer I was troubled very much with severe pain in the stomach and bowels, and was induced by a friend to try this Remedy. I took one dose, as per directions, and it gave me almost instant relief. I cheerfully recommend it to the afflicted." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Foshay & Mason.

New Goods at Reads. IT WAS LONG ENOUGH.

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STATE DISPATCHES.

Serious Illness of Salem's Postmaster—Articles of Incorporation Filed.

Special to the HERALD. SALEM, Aug. 13.—The Canyon Creek Wagon Road company filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state to-day; object: to construct a good, serviceable wagon road from the Columbia river down to what is known as the Mountain Meadow. Principal place of business, Portland; capital stock, \$30,000. Anthony Moore, W. H. Holmes and W. T. Griswold, incorporators.

The governor has appointed M. L. McCarl, Ashland, and F. D. Winton, Astoria, notaries public.

Governor Penoyer to-day, in answering a letter from a gentleman of Wasco county regarding the violation of the fish laws, said: "The governor of Oregon, under the laws as they now stand, has no more power or authority to procure the punishment of an offender for an infraction of the laws of the state than has any private citizen. I shall, however, as a private citizen, endeavor to do what I can to secure the punishment of every man guilty of violating the fish laws of the state."

Postmaster Dearborn is again very low, and it is not expected he will live through the night.

COAST NOTES. The O. & C. has a party out in a special car inspecting the bridges on the West Side line.

There is much complaint regarding the manner with which the Newport postoffice is administered.

The people of Harney valley are raising a fund with which to purchase and operate machinery for boring an artesian well in that region.

The new hook and ladder truck for the fire department of Corvallis arrived last Monday. It has long been needed and will add much to the strength of the department. It cost about \$600.

Over 600,000 pounds of merchandise only was carried in and out of Corvallis during the month of July by the Southern Pacific line. This does not include the large amount of grain, cattle, horses, sheep, etc.

The remains of Brooks Shipley, who disappeared from Ashland about one year ago, have been found by some hunters in a canyon in the vicinity of Evans creek, eight or ten miles from his home.

The amount paid on the new court house at Corvallis is \$54,000, while the total expenditures of the county funds amounts to \$77,000. The county orders outstanding amount to only \$26,840, while the cash on hand is \$2576, leaving a net indebtedness of \$24,273.

The business men of The Dalles have been experimenting with an artesian well drill. They commenced drilling a three inch well near the Odd Fellows cemetery, when at a depth of 280 feet the chisel parted, leaving a 12 foot drill in the well. The water raised immediately to a depth of thirty feet.

Mr. John L. Gainsford, a wealthy stockraiser who resided near Pendleton, settled with his father's family in the Mohawk valley in Lane county in 1852, and remained there until seventeen years ago when he went to Eastern Oregon and engaged in the stock business. He has now a band of 12,000 to 15,000 head of sheep at his ranch, along the foot of the Blue mountains southeast of Pendleton.

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Important Notice. HAVING LEASED THE MONTETH pasture from the Oregon Pacific Co., all persons having stock therein on pasture are hereby notified to remove them at once, or make arrangements with me. Failing to do so such stock will be turned out. JOHN SCHMEER.

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