

UNION PACIFIC TIME TABLE.

Table with 2 columns: No. and Time. Includes Pacific Express, West and East, and Pacific Express, East.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

A Paragraphic Record of Recent Happenings in and Around the City.

Wheat is quoted at \$1.00 per bushel in Portland.

Isaac Goble, of Big creek, was in the city Saturday.

The best job printing can be procured at this office.

Dr. North is permanently located at Union, Oregon.

Mrs. Eva Benson and Mrs. Fanny Bidwell visited La Grande Friday.

Henry Bowman, of Baker City, paid The Scout a substantial visit Monday.

H. Buekers, of Island City, sent in this week and subscribed for The Scout.

Quite a number of Baker City people are in Union this week attending court.

For school books and supplies call on Geo. Baird, one door north of the Centennial hotel.

R. H. Brown, the druggist, has just received a large stock of school supplies for the fall trade.

J. J. Grinnitt, of Island City, is in town attending court. He did not forget the printer.

Work has been delayed on the city hall, owing to the cold spell the fore part of the week.

Remember that Hall Bros., as usual, have a full and complete stock of school supplies for sale.

J. Shuerman and A. S. Ebi were each fined \$100 for contempt of court at Pendleton last week.

A. J. Hackett arrived in the city Saturday from Portland. He will remain in Union for awhile.

L. B. Haggerty, of the Cove, one of The Scout's old stand bys, made our office a pleasant call Monday.

Geo. Baird has a fine line of holiday goods on exhibition at his store. Call early and make your selection.

O. F. Bell, who has been quite sick for some time past, we are pleased to note is able to be around again.

A. J. Goodbrod received his telephone this week and it has been put up between his residence and the hotel.

Henry Bauer, of North Powder, sent in Monday and had his name enrolled on our fast increasing subscription list.

Don't get a set of teeth that will rattle around in the mouth. Go and get a perfect fitting set at Dr. North's dental parlor, Union, Oregon.

Be sure and call at Dr. North's dental parlor, Union, Oregon, where you can get a full set of teeth for six dollars. Call and see for yourself.

Do you want to secure a life size portrait of yourself or any of your family? If so it will pay you to call at Levy's store where you can get them free of charge.

A. N. Gardner received this week, direct from the east, a fine repeating shot gun for his own use. He will make a scatterman among the ducks in a few days.

M. L. Dollar, an expert bicycle rider, will give an exhibition of his skill in the hall before the opening of the firemen's ball on Thanksgiving night. You should not fail to see him.

"Uncle Tom" Baird, father of George Baird of this city, came down from Wood river Saturday on a visit to relatives and friends. The old gentleman is looking hale and hearty.

There was quite a demand for extra copies of The Scout last week, containing the cut of the new school house. We have a few more copies left which can be had at 5 cents per copy.

Ties are being distributed along the line of the branch road between this city and the depot, and it begins to look as though we may have a railroad yet. C. C. Coffinberry has the contract for distributing the ties.

Hiram Lester, 124 years old, and Mary Mosley, of eighty-one short, fleeting summers, were married recently at Atlanta, Ga. It is understood that they will be "at home" during the remainder of their lives, as it is impossible for them to walk out doors.

Messrs. Shelton & Phy, of the Union Electric Light Co., are making preparations to put in a large engine with which to run their dynamos. We are in hopes that the change will result in the furnishing of the city and patrons generally with better light, as it has been very poor for some time past. We understand the engine and dynamos will be placed in the brewery building.

A gentleman arriving from Sparta recently brought word of the death of Harry Barrows, a young man about 30 years of age, whose demise occurred at that place on Wednesday evening. The deceased had earned the title of "bee king" of Eagle valley, he having been engaged in bee raising in that valley for the past several years more extensively than anyone else. His diary is at the Ples. Brown farm. Relatives of the young man residing at Salem, Marion county, have been notified of his death.

School books at the drug store. 2m

For fine job printing call at The Scout office.

Good apples taken on subscription at this office.

Chas. Tomblison, of Telocaset, was in the city last week.

Did you see the eclipse of the moon last Sunday evening?

The west bound mail train was about 7 hours late Tuesday night.

The iron booths to be used at the coming city election arrived yesterday.

See the fine display of school books and supplies in Hall Bros.' windows.

It will pay you to call on Brown for anything in the school book line. 2m

The Scout is under obligations to Ferd Bloch for favors shown this week.

Every family is in need of a good cook book. You can get it free of charge at Levy's.

School books, slates, tablets, pencils, penholders, copy books, etc., at the drug store. 9-24-2m

J. C. Oliver, of Alice, made our office a pleasant and substantial visit last evening.

Fine Webster's dictionaries given away at Levy's store. Call and see how it is done.

E. P. McDaniel, of the Cove, made our office a pleasant and substantial visit yesterday.

J. W. Norval and J. W. Tuttle, of Summerville, paid The Scout a visit yesterday.

Minnick's steam saw has returned from the Cove and is again chawing up wood in this city.

Seventy-five head of horses to trade for cattle, grain or land.—M. H. Phy, Union, Oregon. 11-19-1m

Miss Maud Summers did not take her departure for the east at the time stated in our last issue, but started last Sunday evening.

Geo. Baird will give a grand masque ball at Wright's hall in this city on Christmas night. Further particulars later on.

The case of the Giroux Amalgamator Co. vs Parker & James, of Baker City, will be tried in this city at the present term of court.

B. T. Cravens, of the Cove, was in the city last week on his way to Adams, Umatilla county, Oregon. We acknowledge a pleasant call.

The Jones Bros., with their families, were expected to arrive home yesterday afternoon, but up to the time of going to press had not put in an appearance.

R. H. Brown is selling school books at Portland prices and is giving away a set of handsome picture cards with each book sold. Call early and get choicest cards. 10-1-2m

Mrs. R. M. South and daughter and the Misses Tina and Lillie Kennedy called at The Scout office last Wednesday evening to see our big press in operation.

A. N. Gardner, the jeweler, received last week a fine engraving machine, which enables him to do the finest work in that line with the greatest ease. The machine cost over \$100 and is a fine piece of mechanism.

Among those who went to Union yesterday morning were Ed Hardy and Jos. Manaudas, who are involved in a little unpleasantness and who will settle their differences before they return.—Democrat.

John McDonald, of Union, is in the city on business connected with the Eastern Oregon Agricultural Association. Mr. McDonald is one of the most prominent citizens of Union county and is one of the county commissioners.—Baker Blade.

C. L. Blakeslee arrived home Sunday from Idaho, where he has been for the past six weeks, assisting his son, Dr. Lynn Blakeslee. He will return again after court and will probably be accompanied by his wife. He informs us that the doctor is enjoying a large and lucrative practice at Boise City and vicinity.

A meeting of the stockholders of Single Rail and Saddle Truck railroad company was held in this city yesterday afternoon for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting other important business. Dr. J. B. Mahanna, president of the company, arrived in Union Tuesday, for the purpose of attending the meeting.

Mr. O. F. Bell having left the recorder's office, owing to impaired health, will hereafter conduct the abstract business on his own account. Mr. Bell's long experience in this line, and his knowledge of the records of this county, eminently fit him for this work, and those entrusting him with work may be assured of having the same done with correctness and dispatch. His office, for the present, will be at his residence in North Union.

An exchange says that a man who is so mean that he stops his clock at night to keep it from wearing out the "running gear" may get forgiveness for his sins; the man who needed a barrel but was so stingy that he carried a bung hole which he picked up on the street with his cooper and asked him to make a barrel to fit it, to keep from having to pay for the whole outfit, may be saved, but if the man that gets mad at the editor and stops his paper and then steals it from his neighbor don't die and go to hades, he can see us for publishing a falsehood.

The engagement of Miss Mattie Mitchell, the handsome and accomplished daughter of Senator Mitchell, and a French duke, with an unpronounceable name, is announced. It's too bad our American girls can't find husbands suited to their taste among the sturdy sons of Uncle Sam, and not have to take up with worthless European snobs possessing nothing but a defunct title.—Ochooco Review.

Captain Benjamin Thompson, of Kennebunkport, Me., ninety-eight years old, had occasion to fix a pulley on the ridge-pole of his barn, the other day. To perform the work it was necessary to pull the ladder up over three stagings and then place it in position on the roof; but the old gentleman did the job, being afraid, he said, to trust it to his son Horace, aged sixty, as the latter was stiff and clumsy and might fall.

A copy of the Daily Citizen, J. Swartz, editor, printed at Vicksburg Miss., July 2, 1861, which for several years past has hung in the office of the Centennial hotel, was sold this week to Attorney L. B. Cox, of Portland. The paper is quite a relic, being printed on wall paper; and Mr. Goodbrod hated to part with it, but Mr. Cox has been wanting it for some time past and paid a fair price for it. He will place it on exhibition together with a number of other relics which he has in Portland.

Heroes of Unknown Seas and Savage Lands

Is the title of the long expected new book by J. W. Buel. For more than two years the book world has been waiting for this; and there is great interest over it now that it has appeared. If there is any limit to human interest it is reached in this great book, in which is gathered the most heroic, startling, marvelous and thrilling adventures and discoveries that have marked the high-way over which human progress has marched from savagery to civilization. It is a record of the finding of all lands and descriptions of the first visits to the wild races of the world, following step by step each era of the world's progress. It is profusely illustrated with 300 beautiful original illustrations and a number of magnificent double-page plates in oil colors.

This work will undoubtedly have a very large sale. The well known house, the Pacific Publishing Company, San Francisco and Portland, are general agents for it. They offer splendid inducements to agents. See their advertisement in another column.

NOT THE MAN.

U. S. Marshal Harris En Route East Last Night Without the Murderer of William Duncan.

The 12:45 east bound train last night had as one of its passengers Deputy U. S. Marshal Geo. W. Harris, of Pierre, South Dakota, on his return from Fairbank, Wash., whither he went to identify the man arrested as Chas. Abernethy, the murderer of Wm. Duncan, brother of our townsman, Chas. H. Duncan.

Marshal Harris was met at the depot by Mr. C. H. Duncan and the Democrat reporter to whom he imparted the disappointing information that the man arrested was not Abernethy and did not in any way favor the murderer in appearance. Marshal Harris, however, stated that he believed a clue had been obtained and Abernethy would yet be brought to justice.—Democrat.

An Advance in Wheat.

There was quite a sudden advance in the price of wheat Tuesday and the figure now paid for the best grade is 80 cents per bushel. The price heretofore has reached as high as 63 cents, but hardly anyone expected to see a jump of 17 cents in one day. It is the opinion of those who are supposed to be best posted on the situation that the price will not decline from the 80 cent figure until another harvest. It is unfortunate that this advance did not come a few weeks sooner and before so much grain has been turned off. Still there is a large amount of grain held and not a few farmers will reap a big benefit from holding on to their wheat. The price of oats and barley has not advanced as yet, but there is every assurance that by spring the price will be double what it now is.—Gazette.

Another Happy Englishman.

The cold and bleak atmosphere of yesterday morning had little effect on Chas. Houghton after his visit to the postoffice and being handed a letter from his home across the water, conveying to him the welcome intelligence that in the death of a cousin he had inherited the neat sum of \$5,000. Charley is evidently happy over his good fortune and he will find many friends to congratulate him.—Baker Democrat.

Agents Wanted

Our agents make \$100 to \$500 a month selling our goods on their merits. We want county and general agents, and will take back all goods unsold if a county agent fails to clear \$100 and expenses after a thirty day's trial, or a general agent less than \$250. We will send large illustrated circulars and letter with a special offer to suit territory applied for, on receipt of three one cent stamps. Apply at once and get in on the boom. Address, BENNER MANUFACTURING CO., PITTSBURGH, Pa.

"Put Money in Thy Purse."

Our lady readers will be deeply interested in the advertisement of Glasgow Lace Thread Co. which appears on our editorial page.

COVE CULLINGS.

An Epitome of the Village Happenings.

BOYS' SCHOOL TO BE REOPENED.

The Plum and Prune Industry—Benefits of a Starch Factory Discussed—Personal Mention.

Farmers are rejoicing over the rain, as it will enable them to plow.

The sick ones are gradually improving and the general health is good.

J. W. Minnick has been in town the past week sawing wood with his steam saw.

Mrs. J. T. Russel took her departure last week for an extended trip to Walla Walla.

Hay baling has ended and the boys have all gone to the mountains to cut cordwood.

Don't forget to go to E. P. McDaniel & Son's for your winter clothing and rubber goods.

Considerable baled hay is being hauled from Cove, also large quantities of fruit and vegetables.

Mr. B. T. Craven took his departure last week for Adams. He expects to remain all winter.

B. F. McMahan and wife have gone to Sanger for the purpose of arranging to move there for the winter.

Work on the new baptist church is progressing. They expect to have it completed by the first of December.

Quite a number of young people attended the theatre at La Grande Tuesday evening. They report an enjoyable time.

Considerable work is being done by the road supervisors in the way of repairing the old and opening the new roads.

J. M. Southerland, of the Sandridge, has moved into the Cove, and we understand has rented a portion of H. H. French's farm.

The manufacture of temperance drinks is quite an enterprise in the Cove at present. Both a cider and soda factory running at full blast.

W. T. Wright expects to start east this week with another car load of horses. T. G. Wilson will accompany him if he can possibly get ready.

E. W. Enos, of the Portland Dispatch was here last week. He met with great success as the people are anxious to establish a democratic daily.

Leighton Academy is to be reopened. Both day and boarding pupils will be received. Terms, strictly cash in advance. The Academy will be under the personal supervision and management of Rev. A. Rooney.

The ladies of Cove will give a first-class Thanksgiving dinner at Foster's hall from 12 o'clock until 2 o'clock. Price, 25 cents each. Proceeds to be used to seat the new Baptist church. All are respectfully invited. A social time is anticipated.

It is estimated that 1000 pounds of evaporated plums and prunes have been packed in the Cove this year. There are only about 2500 plum and prune trees in the place that are bearing, and at least one-half of these are young trees. There are about 4000 acres in the Cove that could be planted in this fruit and the yield would be almost beyond comprehension. A greater population in Grande Ronde is needed for furthering the advancement of such enterprises. Therefore why not encourage all the methods to induce immigration and advancement. It might be well to speak again of the enterprise suggested by The Scout a few weeks ago—a potato starch factory. In the Cove the average yield is about 150 bushels to the acre, and no one can deny that we can produce more of any kind of products than any other part of the valley. To further consider the proposition, at 150 bushels to the acre, and at \$10 per ton, as The Scout said the factory could consume them at that price, the average income per acre would be \$45. Why does not some one correspond with parties concerning the establishment of such an enterprise in the Cove? Good inducements could be offered.

A Jail Bird Escapes

On last Saturday night William Row, confined in Malheur county jail at Vale, on a charge of burglary, made his escape by the assistance of a friend who stole the key to the cell occupied by Row from Sheriff Fell's desk and while that officer was at supper, made an entrance through a window in the sheriff's office connected with the jail and gave the prisoner his liberty. As soon as the discovery was made that his bird had flown Sheriff Fell started officers in every direction and the chances are very good for Row to be captured. Marshal Logan, of Vale, came immediately to this point to guard the gateway of escape, and from him we learned the above in regard to the jail delivery. Row is described as being five feet one or two inches in height, weight 120 pounds, very dark complexion, small moustache and about 30 years old. Sheriff Fell will pay a liberal reward for his capture and return to Vale.—Huntington Herald.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

The November term of circuit court convened in this city Monday, with Judge Jas. A. Fee on the bench; Chas. E. Hyde, prosecuting attorney; Turner Oliver, clerk; J. T. Bolles, sheriff; A. C. Craig, court bailiff; J. C. Moore; grand jury bailiff.

The following persons were drawn to serve, and compose the grand jury: D. A. McAllister, foreman, James Gilkinson, E. P. Staples, Louis Zoph, W. W. Gordon, Enos Fisher, and A. W. Stults.

The following jurors were excused for the term: O. S. Buckland, J. W. Dickey, O. Kirkpatrick, Cohn Frazier and G. A. Thompson.

The docket is quite lengthy, containing nearly 200 cases, some of which are very important, and it is thought the term will last about three weeks. Following is a list of cases disposed of up noon of Wednesday November 18th:

The following attorneys are in attendance: C. H. Finn, M. Baker, J. F. Baker, J. W. Knowles, E. W. Bartlett, L. A. Estet, R. J. Slater, A. C. Williams, J. N. Hudson, La Grande; O. F. Paxton, L. L. McArthur, L. B. Cox, G. O. Holman, A. L. Frazier, C. M. Idleman, A. J. Hackett, John M. Gearie, Portland; J. W. Shelton, T. H. Crawford, B. F. Wilson, R. Eakin, Union; T. C. Hyde, A. J. Lawrence, J. L. Rand, C. F. Hyde, Sam. White, F. C. Moore, Baker City; A. Meachen, H. F. Burleigh, Elgin; J. M. McLennan, Summerville.

CASES DISPOSED OF.

- Ames & Dulrick vs Gorham & Rothchild; settled and dismissed.
Covles & McDaniel vs Wm Wilkinson; default.
E S Dunnington vs F M Bartness; default and judgment.
Elgin Lumber Co vs Goble; dismissed.
First National Bank of Union vs J F Thompson; continued.
Frank Bros vs Elgin Lumber Co; default and judgment.
Huntington vs Caldwell; settled and dismissed at plaintiff's costs.
Lee vs Roy; continued.
R C Mays & Co vs Elgin Lumber Co; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.
R C Mays & Co vs Milo Holdridge; same.
Island City M & M Co vs Jno S Clark; settled and dismissed.
D A McAllister vs N Howland and R H Lloyd; default and judgment.
Noyes vs McClure; settled and dismissed.
Rees & Redman vs A R Osborne; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.
O N Ramsey vs W L Smith; default and judgment.
Frank Smith vs Gaskell; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.
Smith vs Snodgrass; same.
O G Roberts vs H D Rivers and Jas Gilnough; default and judgment.
T H Williamson vs Rivers and Gilnough; default and judgment.
American Mtg Co vs Isaac Weaver et al; judgment of default and decree of foreclosure.
Childers vs Green; settled and dismissed.
John MacLennan admitted to practice on certificate from the superior court of Washington.
T A Marvin vs O L McDowell et al; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.
Ruckman vs Ruhl; same.
Assignment of Snyder & Procter; continued for term.
Assignment of M A Stevenson; same.
Taylor vs Taylor; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.
Heidenreich vs Thompson; same.
Thompson vs Heidenreich; same.
Dan Sommer vs A Shaw; judgment.
Frank Bros Co vs A P Fuller and Cora Fuller; default and judgment and order of sale of attached property.
Frank Bros Co vs Milo Holdridge; default and judgment.

Richardson vs Oldenburg; dismissed. Oldenburg vs Richardson; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

A Sommer vs Deal and McAlister; judgment.

Geo Horsepool vs E J Clark and Eva Clark; judgment.

Geo Horsepool vs Elizabeth Clark and J P Clark; same.

Cross vs Cross; default: J Nat Hudson referee.

Hindman vs Emma E Tucker; default. Wade Bros vs Milo Holdridge; judgment.

E J Couper vs T J Chandler; same. Covles & McDaniel vs Wm Wilkinson; same.

Frank Bros Implement Co vs Chandler; judgment for want of answer.

Frank Bros Implement Co vs Chandler; judgment.

Frank Mitchell vs T J Chandler and J A Lambert; dismissed as to Lambert; judgment as to Chandler.

Frank Mitchell vs T J Chandler; judgment.

John Kirchhoffer vs J W Bault; judgment.

First Nat Bank of Island City vs Chandler et al; default and judgment.

Island City M & M Co vs J N Chandler; judgment.

Wade Bros vs T J Chandler and J N Chandler; judgment.

Donald McRea vs T J Chandler; judgment.

John Kirchhoffer vs Jacob Groth; judgment.

John Kirchhoffer vs John Rand; judgment and decree.

American Mtg Co vs D W Johnson; dismissed.

American Mtg Co vs J B Eaton; dismissed.

W H Leasey vs Sampson Roy; judgment.

Mahaffey vs Williamson et al; dismissed.

John McDonald vs Adam Beresford; confirmation of sale.

State vs Jennings; not a true bill; defendant discharged and bail exonerated. Grand jury returned 6 true and 1 not true bills.

State vs DeWitt C Clark; indicted as H C Clark.

State vs John Sullivan; true bill; arraigned for trial.

State vs Evan Carver; same.

State vs Ed Segamond; same.

State vs Jasper Lebo; same.

C E Harris vs J T McComas; dismissed without prejudice.

Rummelhart vs Harris; judgment.

Inblver vs Hill; default and judgment.

Edison Electric Co vs Union Ry Co; dismissed on stipulation.

Island City M & M Co vs Stevenson; default.

Kirchhoffer vs Terry; default and judgment.

Ruckman vs Union county; dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Union county vs Ruckman; same.

Arnold vs Dray et al; continued on former order.

Clayburn vs Crossman; judgment for plaintiff for costs.

Letter List.

- List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Union, Oregon:
Atkinson, Gao W
Buck, Mrs Alice
Baty, A S
Conner, Dan L C
Carroll, H S
Dunker, Wm E
Fordlee, Jimmy
Farmer, Frank
Thurman, Mrs Chas
Parties calling for the above will please say "advertised."
Gardner, Miss S U
Lineberger, Joe
Meaks, S M
Pierce, Mrs Addie
Rees, Mc D
Renshaw, Mrs Lucy A
Smith, S L
Tibbs, Mrs
Mrs. E. A. ALGER, P. M.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed this warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alternative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50 cents, at Brown's drug store.

Does it Contain Ammonia?

The charge is being made that the Royal Baking Powder contains ammonia. We would have supposed that the emphatic condemnation of ammonia baking powders by the most eminent physicians throughout the land, and the fact of the three leading chemists of Minnesota making their report to the Senate Committee recently showing that bread baked with the "Royal" contained ammonia and the hostility now being manifested by the public against all ammonia and alum baking powders would have driven them permanently from the market.

In view of the fact that Baking Powder has become an indispensable article in every kitchen, it is gratifying to know that there are brands in the market to which no suspicion of any kind has ever attached. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is a pure cream of tartar powder free from every taint of ammonia, alum or other harmful substance.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is reported by all authorities as free from Ammonia, Alum, or any other adulterant. In fact, the purity of this ideal powder has never been questioned.