

UNION PACIFIC TIME TABLE. No. 1 East Mail, West 7:05 p. m. No. 7 Pacific Express, West 7:15 a. m. No. 2 East Mail, East 11:35 a. m. No. 8 Pacific Express, East 11:00 p. m.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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

Closing out at cost, at the post office store. 12-3-14w.

For fine job printing call at The Scout office.

Considerable sickness in this vicinity at present.

The best job printing can be procured at this office.

Dr. North is permanently located at Union, Oregon. 11-19-11f.

O. Le Sage made The Scout a substantial call Tuesday.

See the fine display of silverware in A. N. Gardener's window.

All correspondents should send in a good letter early for our next issue.

W. T. Martin and wife and Mrs. Wisdom, of Park, were in Union, Monday.

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

For the latest styles in fine millinery, and dress goods, call on Mrs. Rinehart.

Chas. H. Elliott and Maggie M. Galloway were married at Elgin on the 13th inst.

The court house and jail are being plumbed, which will be a great convenience.

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

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

Isaac Bowman, of Sanger sent in this week and renewed his subscription to The Scout.

D. C. Fisher, of the Cove, made The Scout office a pleasant and substantial visit, Friday.

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

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

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

All the latest styles in millinery goods, trimmings and ladies' fancy goods, at Mrs. Rinehart's.

John Tinkham was in the city, Tuesday, from Sanger, after a load of supplies for the mines.

Another car of cedar shingles just received by Hall Bros. Buy them. They are the cheapest.

Every one should buy a few copies of the New Year edition of The Scout and send them to friends in the east.

Mrs. Belle Braisher, of La Grande, is in Union, at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Seaman, who is quite sick.

A fine line of plush albums, dressing cases, perfume, etc., at Brown's drug store. All nice Christmas presents.

Ties are being laid on the branch road between this city and the depot, and it is expected that the cars will soon be running.

J. C. Christiansen, of Elgin, shipped a carload of milk cows to Seattle, Tuesday of last week, and S. L. Brooks, of Sand Ridge, shipped a carload of fat hogs the same day.

Mr. W. R. Usher, our efficient deputy sheriff, took his departure last Wednesday for his home in Eagle valley, for a few weeks rest and recreation. "Uncle Bill" has been confined to the office pretty close for the past eighteen months and is desiring of a little rest.

The freight and ticket office at the depot has been moved to this city and is located in the building adjoining Shelton & Carroll's office. Persons desiring to purchase tickets or having business connected with freight matters must now call at the Union office instead of the depot. Mr. Ellis has moved with his family to one of the residences on Second street, built by P. M. Coffin.

Joseph Manaudaus, of Baker City, has sued the Portland Oregonian for libel, asking \$50,000 for damages. That paper spoke of Manaudaus as a French restaurant keeper and gambler, and stated that the charge of embezzlement against Edwin Hardy grew out of a mining deal in which Manaudaus and Hardy were interested. To be thus placarded about the country seriously wounds the feelings of the plaintiff. The statement about embezzlement matters is said to be wide of mark, and he seeks redress.

Charles Hinckley, the indefatigable miner and story writer of Tolocasset, was somewhat surprised last Wednesday morning, when he went to hitch up to his wagon. One tire was nowhere to be found. He looked high and low, but with no success. Suddenly he remembered that he had been to Union the day before, with the wagon, and accordingly took the road in a dog trot. About half way between home and town he found the prodigal wagon tire, lying about twenty feet from the road. Charles says they will have a dance in Tolocasset, Christmas, just the same as if nothing had happened.

A Merry Christmas to all! Holiday goods at Hall Bros.

Rubber boots and overshoes at Vincent's.

H. L. Dougherty, of the Cove, was in the city Tuesday.

Rev. A. Le Roy, of La Grande, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. S. M. Seaman has been quite sick for the past week.

Jack Oliver is on a visit to relatives and friends in Summerville.

Mrs. E. M. Sleeter, of Baker City, is visiting friends and relatives in Union.

A few more articles suitable for presents will be found at Baird's variety store.

S. D. Williams, the grocer, is enjoying a very good trade. He is selling goods very cheap.

Read the ad. of A. J. Hackett, in this issue. He has some rare bargains in Brandon property.

Mrs. E. B. Hill, of Fairhaven, is in Union on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lewis.

The merry jingle of the sleigh bell could be heard on our streets this week. Not very good sliding, however.

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. 10-1-11f.

James Driver, the blacksmith, has gone to Sanger to work during the winter, having accepted a position with the Bradley Mining company.

Ladies, call and see the magnificent stock of new millinery goods just received direct from New York, at Mrs. Rinehart's millinery store.

Brown's annual "Holiday Druggist" has made its appearance. It is a seven-column folio paper, filled with choice matter, and is distributed gratuitously.

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. 11-19-11f.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following parties since our last report: T. J. Tolly and Hattie Myrick; T. W. Curry and A. E. McDuffie; H. R. Loop and Grace H. Boyles.

Get some of those superb satin finish photographs at Jones Bros.' gallery. Their work is not surpassed anywhere. Pictures taken as well or better in cloudy weather than when it is clear.

The brick building adjoining the bank is being fitted up preparatory to moving the post office therein. The change will be made about the first of January, when Mr. Raymond takes charge of the office.

The Scout job office has just turned out, during the past week, an order for 10,000 statements and 3,000 letter heads for one firm, besides other work. Don't forget that you can get first-class work and at reasonable rates.

The subject at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath will be: H. a. m. "How to know whether Christ came to the world, and whether the Christian doctrine is true." 7 p. m. "The common school and the Bible."

Our old friend Joseph Yowell, of Pyle canyon, is reported to be very sick, suffering from a complication of lung diseases. Dr. Biggers of Baker City has been called to see him. We are in hopes that Mr. Yowell will soon recover.

Mr. Goodbrod, of the Centennial hotel, has had his dining room and office repaired and refurnished this week, which makes a decided improvement in the appearance of things. The work was done by James Bell, the painter.

We neglected to mention last week that Gus D. Johnson had moved his barber shop to the building two doors north of Hall Brother's store, where he will be found comfortably located ready to serve his customers in better shape than ever.

For the benefit of those who have sent in money lately on subscription, requesting receipts, we will say, they will be forwarded in a short time. We have been very busy the past few weeks with our New Year edition and are behind with our correspondence.

Messrs. Kelley and Kelsay, of the Cove, will give a grand New Year's ball at Wright's hall, Cove, on New Year's eve, Dec. 31st. Tickets, including supper at Mrs. A. J. Foters's, \$2.50. Music will be furnished by Prof. James' orchestra. A grand time is expected. All are cordially invited to attend.

Every indication now points to the certainty that early spring will witness the beginning of active work all along the line of the Seattle, Boise & Salt Lake railway. Chief Engineer Mix is already in the field with a party of men surveying a line for the proposed road.—East Oregonian.

The Scientific American, referred to in another column, under the head of "Patents," is the very best publication in this country for those interested in science, engineering, mechanics, inventions, etc. A copy of the Scientific American may be seen at the office of this paper, where subscriptions will be received.

Ben Longley, of Eagle Valley has received the first prize of \$100 for the largest and best potato raised in the United States. The prize was offered by Wm. H. Mantle, Philadelphia. There were a large number of competitors but none could compare with the Union county product. Hurray! for Eagle valley.

STOCK FOR OREGON.

The Horse Sale and Purchases of L. B. Rinehart.

Hon. L. B. Rinehart, of Union, Oregon, who shipped about 175 horses here from Oregon over three months ago, has nearly closed out his Oregon stock and expects to leave for his home in a few days. His stay here has been prolonged on account of being no market for horses and such hard times for money. Mr. Rinehart will take three fine young jacks back to Oregon, also five of the best bred young stallions in Tennessee. One is the famous saddle stallion, Bob Hal, Jr., of Marshall county. He is a model horse, five years old, with fine form and style, and is closely related to Brown Hal, Hal Pointer, Bay Tom and many of the greatest speed horses of the present day. He also has Bug C, two years old, raised in Marshall county by McAdams brothers. He is one of the finest bred colts in Tennessee, being a cross between Tom Hal, Bay Tom and Rattler Brooks. He carried off the blue ribbon at the Marshall county fair for three successive years, which is surely a great recommendation for any colt. He also has Bill Harrison, a fine black, four years old, raised by Harrison Bros. and sold to Jim Knight at three years old for \$800. He is a model combination horse, sired by King Fisherman, with a record of 2:34; his dam was Buclah, by Sunshine, a mare that has carried many a blue ribbon in the saddle ring in this county. He also has Koko Wilkes, a fine young, seal brown, three year old stallion, raised by E. A. Collins, of Milan Tennessee, and sold to Z. T. Long, of Kentucky, for \$350 at a yearling, and sold by him to J. M. Wilburn of this county. He was sired by Milan Wilkes, he by George Wilkes, the great producer of so much speed; his first dam by Stonewall Denmark, second dam Ebra Lexington.

It is conceded here that Mr. Rinehart has as good a selection of good blooded stock as has ever left the state. And while Tennessee loses a fine selection of young blooded stock, Oregon may justly feel proud of such valuable addition of blooded stock.

Mr. Rinehart expects to return next summer to close up his unsettled business here. He has made many warm friends here who will be glad to welcome him back.—Murreysboro Free Press.

The Musician's Guide.

Every music teacher, student or music lover should have this volume. It contains 212 pages of valuable musical information, with full description of over 10,000 pieces of music and music books, biographical sketches of over 150 composers, with portraits and other illustrations. Also a choice selection of new vocal and instrumental music and other attractive features. Upon receipt of eight-two-cent stamps, to prepay postage we will mail free, a copy of The Musician's Guide, also a sample copy of Brainard's Musical World, containing \$2.00 worth of new music and interesting reading matter. Address THE S. BRAINARD'S SONS CO., Chicago, Illinois.

Public School Entertainment.

There will be a literary entertainment and an oyster supper given at the schoolhouse, on the evening of January 1st, 1892. This entertainment will be given by the Literary and Library Association of the public school for the purpose of raising funds to lay the foundation of a public school library. An interesting and instructive programme will be executed, after which will follow supper.

Every effort will be put forth to make this entertainment a success in every particular.

Look out for programme and other information next week.

Christmas Tree.

For the benefit of those persons wishing to put presents on the tree, notice is given that the following persons constitute the receiving committee: Mrs. Benson, Miss Hettie Dobbin, Mrs. A. E. Eaton. Presents should be given only to members of the committee. The committee will be responsible for only those handed to them personally.

Boys and Girls Aid Society of Oregon.

Boys may be had (and sometimes girls) for ordinary service at wages, or up on indenture, (to work, attend school and be brought up somewhat as your own;) and children may be had for legal adoption. Address, E. T. DOOLEY, Supt. Oregon Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, Portland, Oregon.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world, for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at Brown's drug store, Union, Oregon.

Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From a letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Reed, of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me and thank God I am now a well and hearty woman." Trial bottles free at R. H. Brown's drugstore, Union, Oregon.

Our variety stores have all enjoyed a very good holiday trade.

Mr. Goodbrod, of the Centennial hotel, has about twenty barrels of fine kumut for sale cheap.

For fashionable millinery and fancy goods, call on Mrs. Rinehart, one door south of the postoffice.

Ed E. Cates returned from Cornucopia and Pine valley yesterday, where he has been for several days past.

For stove and tinware call on Summers & Layne, sole agents for the celebrated Charter Oak stoves.

Silver-ware, jewelry and a number of nice articles for presents will be found at Gardener's jewelry store.

Geo. Lindgren and Frank Fly are acting in the capacity of deputy sheriffs during Mr. Usher's absence.

Mr. J. W. Shelton took his departure for Portland yesterday on business connected with the Union railway company.

Ed Gagnon took his departure for his old home in Convoitia, Kansas, last Sunday, where he will reside permanently.

The official census gives Union a population of only a little over 600. Multiply this amount by 2 and the result will be about correct.

Don't forget that we are still "in it" when it comes to Job Printing. We are better prepared than ever to turn out good work on short notice.

Mrs. Cusick, of the post office store, desires to announce that she will sell her entire stock of books and notions at cost between now and Jan. 1st.

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.

Steve Dougherty, employed at North Powder saw mill, while handling logs last week, got his left leg caught between two large logs, fracturing the member below the knee.

B. L. Gardener, of Rock creek, Baker county, father of our jeweler, A. N. Gardener, has been on a visit here for the past week. He will take his departure for home today.

J. Q. Shirley, the cattle buyer, has purchased 200 more head of beef steers in the upper Hurst river section, making a total of 1300 head this season. They have all been delivered, the last purchase being brought over a few days since. These cattle are in the pink of condition and for a nice juicy breakfast the bunchgrass fed steer "is out of sight." They will go to supply the Portland market.—Baker Democrat.

Now is the Time to Subscribe.

The Scout has made arrangements whereby it is enabled to furnish its subscribers a first-class farmers' journal, the Rural Northwest, a semi-monthly paper published at Portland, free of charge, in the following way:

Every new subscriber who pays \$1.50 for one year's subscription to The Scout between now and Jan. 1st will receive the Rural Northwest one year free of charge. The subscription price of the Rural Northwest is \$1.00 and it is an excellent journal for the farmer, fruit grower and stockman.

In order to give all our patrons an equal show to secure this excellent journal free we will also send it to all parties who are now in arrears that come in and pay up and pay for another year's subscription to The Scout in advance between now and January 1st.

This is an extraordinary offer and we trust our patrons will take advantage of it. Don't think for a moment that the Rural Northwest is a small and cheap concern, filled mostly with advertisements. On the contrary it is a 16-page paper filled with original and excellent reading of interest to the farmer, fruit grower and stockman.

Call and see a sample copy.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Sheppard, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Spenser, Catawaba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at Brown's Drug store.

A rare opportunity to secure a nice Christmas present, cheap, at the post office store. Everything is being sold at cost. 12-3-14w.

Advertise in THE OREGON SCOUT.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the County Clerk's office at Union, on Wednesday, February 24, 1892, for furnishing the county with voting booths or compartments, and ballot boxes for use at the elections next year, under the new election law passed by the last legislature.

The county will need about 100 voting booths or compartments, and about 50 ballot boxes, all made to conform to the new law. And any person can bid on the whole or any portion of the booths or compartments, and on all of the ballot boxes. The bids for the booths may be for making and delivering at Union, or for making and delivering at various places of voting.

Let the bids be accompanied by plans or by samples of the things to be furnished. The county court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

TERESA OLIVER, County Clerk.

By order of County Court.

GHASTLY DISCOVERY.

The Skeleton Remains of Three Human Beings Found Near Milton.

While Frank Snyder, a 14-year-old boy, was driving roots across an uncultivated field about four miles below Milton a few days ago, he saw the skull of a human skeleton which had recently been uncovered by the winds blowing the dirt away from it. He reported the discovery to some Milton people, who immediately went in search of the relics, and while hunting for the one the boy had found, they discovered two more that had been unearthed in the same way. The peculiar feature of this ghastly find is that they were nearly half a mile apart. No signs of murder or foul play are visible upon any parts of the skeletons, so far as has yet been ascertained. One of the skulls and some other parts of the frame were brought to Milton, and examined by a skilled physician, who pronounces it that of a white female of mature age. The bodies were evidently only buried a foot or two beneath the surface. Who these unfortunates were is shrouded in unathomable mystery, and how long they have lain the recording angel alone can tell.—East Oregonian.

Closing Out Sale.

The remaining stock of the estate of Mrs. J. C. Summers has been removed to Summers & Layne's hardware store, and is being sold at cost, and in many instances much less.

See these prices:

FORMER PRICE. REDUCED TO. Corsets. \$1.25 .75. 1.50 .75. 1.35 .75. 1.00 .60. 1.00 .50. Black wool hoods. 1.00 .60. 1.25 .75. Fascinators. .35 .20. .50 .25. Spool silk. .10 .05. Twist 5 cents .02 1/2. Saxony. 1.75 1.00. Zephyr. .35 .20.

New Year's Ball.

Hiram Lodge, No. 67, A. E. & A. M., of Summerville, will give a public ball in their new hall in Summerville on New Year's eve, for the benefit of the order. All are especially invited to attend. Tickets, including supper, \$2.50. Supper will be served up stairs in the new hall, under the supervision of the order.

Done by order of committee.

N. C. McLEON, E. B. MORLOCK, J. M. HALGARTH.

School Report.

The following is a report of the school in Frosty District No. 10, for the month beginning November 16th, and ending December 14th: Number of days taught, 19, number of pupils enrolled, 20, average daily attendance, 16. Those pupils not absent during the month were Effie and Jesse Booth, Mary Pearce, Andrew and Joseph Harris, Warren Wilson, Charlie Kennedy and Walter Pearce. Number of visitors, 2.

ESTELA BRACKEN, Teacher.

Fifty Photographs for one Dollar.

If you will send us a cabinet photograph and one dollar we will return you the photograph in good order, and fifty postage stamp pictures, or twenty-five minute pictures copied from it. These are something entirely new in this state and are all the rage wherever introduced. The stamp pictures are the size of postage stamps, gummed on the back, and may be stuck to watches, visiting cards, fancy work, books, etc., and used in a variety of ways. The minutes are the same in every particular, only about four times as large. We have albums suitable for these pictures—twenty-five cents each. Address

JONES BROTHERS, Artists, Union, Oregon.

A Prompt and Honorable Fire Ins. Co.

Editor OREGON SCOUT:—I wish to express through your paper my thanks to the Palatine Insurance Co., Manchester, Eng., for sending T. R. Harris as adjuster, a pleasant and honorable gentleman, and prompt payment.

J. D. HEIDENREICH.

ANOTHER STATEMENT.

J. D. and P. Heidenreich owned half of the buildings on the S. E. cor. of U. P. R. R. and Fir St., La Grande, which were destroyed by fire Aug. 6th, 1890. One of these buildings was insured by the Etma Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn. Mills, their adjuster, was here Aug. 18th, 1890, and all proof asked by him was furnished, but not yet paid.

A Nightmare.

Have you ever been visited by that frisky and uncomfortable animal, called a nightmare? Have you ever had it climb upon the bed while you were asleep and go through a lively performance which would make a fortune for the proprietor of a circus? You never can tell just when this nocturnal steed will make its appearance, but you are absolutely safe from it if you happen to be reposing on one of S. C. Miller's new bedsteads, which are unsurpassed in quality and price.

Life-Size Portraits.

Enlarged from old pictures, or taken from life and finished in crayon, water color or oil. We desire to call particular attention to this line of work. We guarantee to give you better work than you have ever had from San Francisco or eastern copying houses, and at a price so low that it will surprise you. Any work of this kind entrusted to us will be finished at once and patrons may examine the work as it progresses and have such changes made as they suggest.

12-10-11f. JONES BROS., Artists.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters along the same line of praise—a purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, salt Rheum and other affections caused by the pure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle at Brown's drug store.

MARRIED.

MARVIN-OLIVER—At the residence of the bride's parents near Summerville, December 20, 1891, Mr. O. E. Marvin and Miss Kate Oliver.

BORN.

ROBBINS—In this city, Thursday, December 17, 1891, to the wife of C. E. Robbins, a daughter.

Misnaming Things.

The experienced hunter in the woods never wastes time looking for bear in Bear Hollow, nor deer along Deer Creek, nor would he hope to shoot any great number of ducks on Duck Lake, for his experience has taught him that such points are always misnamed, and this lesson holds good with almost everything in life. For instance, in the case of the brands on articles of food, spices and other ground food products, the things branded or labeled "pure," "strictly pure" or "absolutely pure," are without exception the most villainously adulterated. 'Tis the wolf in sheep's clothing always.

The most brazen case is that of the Royal Baking Powder. This article is branded and paraded before the people as "absolutely pure" when it contains ammonia. You can smell it in the can and often in the biscuit while hot.

What woman would use an ammonia or alum baking powder if she knew it? They not only destroy the stomach, but ammonia will destroy the complexion.

Not so with Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, the only pure cream tartar powder to be obtained, and the only baking powder made by a physician. Dr. Price has devoted a life-time to perfecting this old-fashioned, indispensable article of the culinary art that has stood all the tests and remained the standard for forty years.