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Change O. R. & N. Time Card.

As a result of the meeting of officials of the Harriman lines in Salt Lake Monday, the time card of the O. R. & N. is to undergo a decided change this month. The time of arrival and departure of all trains between Portland and Ogden will be altered and an improved schedule will go into effect. President Mohler and the other local officials of the road, who were in attendance upon the meeting in the Mormon City, arrived home Wednesday, and they express themselves as well pleased with the results of the conference. It is believed that the change will be welcome by every one.

The exact time of arrival and departure has not been settled as yet, but Superintendent O'Brien stated last night that according to present arrangements the schedule will probably be as follows:

- No. 2, east bound, leave Portland at 8:45 a. m., instead of 9:20.
- No. 6, east bound, leave Portland at 7:45 p. m., instead of 8:15.
- No. 1 arrive at Portland at 6 p. m. instead of 4:30.
- No. 5 arrive at Portland at 9:30 a. m. instead of 10:30.

Mr. O'Brien stated it might be found necessary to change these times 15 minutes one way or the other, but he thought the above schedule would prove satisfactory.

New Irrigation Company.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the county clerk at Pendleton Wednesday by T. B. Van Cleve, H. C. Rogers, Charles McBee, B. L. Sheridan and R. B. Stanfield, creating the Butter Creek Irrigation Company, with a capital stock of \$5000, divided into 500 shares of \$10 each.

The principal place of business of the company will be located at Echo, and it declares its intention of taking the waters of the Umatilla river and its tributaries for domestic and irrigating purposes, and for the furnishing of power and the watering of stock in dry pastures and other general uses.

The company will construct ditches, dams and reservoirs, and will convey the water over the land. It will also operate telephone and telegraph lines and power stations, will generate electricity for lighting and other purposes, and will reclaim arid lands in the vicinity of the location of the property of the company.

Henry M. Barrett has been relieved of the position of superintendent of city delivery in the Portland postoffice, and hereafter will serve as a clerk.

The town of Ranier has been ordered closed by the city council. Gambling has become a nuisance, and hereafter no games of any kind will be allowed.

Charles Oberg, a plasterer of Portland, has sued the Northern Pacific for \$35,000 for injuries received in the wreck of the Elks' excursion train, near Centralia some weeks ago.

Portage Railway Estimates.

Salem, Or., Nov. 6.—The State Board of Portage Railway Commissioners held a brief meeting today and audited a number of bills incurred in making the preliminary survey for the right of way.

The report of the engineer, previously made orally, was submitted in writing and placed on file. This report contains among other things the estimates made by the engineer for the information of the board concerning the probable cost of each class of work and materials necessary for the construction and equipment of the road.

As the board is to receive bids for furnishing the material and work and the publication of the estimates might interfere with their securing the lowest possible bids, the details of the estimates are not made public. It is stated, however, that the total comes inside the state appropriation of \$165,000, with a small overplus that may be used in defraying the expense of procuring a right of way.

The report says that as originally surveyed, the road would twice cross the O. R. & N. tracks at Celilo, but upon learning all the circumstances, it had been decided to change the course so that the portage road would run parallel with the O. R. & N. tracks for a short distance and between the railroad and the buildings of J. H. Taffe.

The engineer reports that all his work has been completed and that he will have nothing further to do until the state's condemnation suit comes to trial.

The Value of Radium.

In regard to the value of radium, radium chloride of the activity of 240 sells for about \$30 an ounce. The radium salts used by the author in the experiments at the American Museum of Natural History. 127 milligrams—equal to about one-eighth of a gram or 1.249 of an ounce—represented a value of \$274, or a rate of \$64,800 per ounce troy. This radium was of the activity of 300,000. The museum ordered, at the request of Edward D. Adams, of New York City, and as a gift to carry on the investigations, radium of an activity of 1,800,000, valued at \$660 for 100 milligrams, or at the rate of \$198,000 per ounce. The small sample used represents the concentration of more than one ton of pitchblende; the 1,800,000 sample, probably the concentration of four or five tons, and yet the entire quantity could be put in the end of a thimble and not occupy one-fourth of the space remaining between that and the finger. Radium compounds with an activity of 40 can be bought for \$20 an ounce. It is only when it has been fractionated and increased in its activity that it becomes very costly—like steel, itself worth only a trifle per pound, but worth many times the value of gold when manufactured into watch springs.

As will be observed from a notice appearing in another column, the partnership heretofore existing between Walter Lyon and Otis Patterson in the publication of the Astorian has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Lyon will look after business interests elsewhere in the state, while Mr. Patterson will continue publication of the paper.—Astorian.

A fast train and a fire truck drawn by running horses collided in Chicago. The horses were killed and several firemen badly hurt.

Charles D. Purry, chief of the New York fire department, contemplates resigning. If he should he will receive a pension of \$3,000 per year.

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The state land board has appointed the irrigation commission provided for by the last legislature, the duty of which will be to draft an irrigation bill to be presented to the legislature at its next session and to codify Oregon's irrigation laws. The gentlemen appointed are: Henry E. Ankeny of Sterling and C. W. Mallet of Ontario, both practical irrigators; T. G. Hatley of Pendleton and Zera Snow Portland, attorneys, and H. V. Gates of Hillsboro, a civil engineer. The senate concurrent resolution, under which these appointments were made, provides that the personnel of the board shall consist of gentlemen of these several professions. The purpose is to secure legislation to make it possible and practical to carry into effect the Carey act.

The Osage country is a land where baby may always be sure of a large welcome. For one reason, he has an earning capacity from the day he is born, which is often quite as great as his father's. One of the next things after naming the little pappoose is to go to Pawhuska, the capital of their nation, and have its name put upon the payroll. Once every three months Uncle Sam pays up the interest on the money which he holds in trust for them, and the amount paid to each Indian varies from time to time according to how many have gone to the Happy Hunting Ground and how many wee ones have come to take their places since last payday. The latest little arrival at the newest built wigwam receives just as does the oldest grandfather or the most athletic "warrior." So that when Chief Look Out not long ago had the happiness to be blessed with twins, he was not only eligible to the usual congratulations due a new father, but at the same time, unlike most new fathers, he found his estate increased by the snug little sum of \$23,000. For, until the children reach the age of 18, their incomes are paid to their parents.

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