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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER

Wants

Cent a word single insertion, 11/2 cents a word 2 insertions. Special rates by month and year.

Dressmaking and plain sewing, Satisfaction guaranteed, Miss Lida Flowers.

FOR SALE.

Thos, Siegmund left on sale at Riley & Riley's the Wonder Washer. Fuliblood White Langshang eggs for setting. \$1.00 per 15. Mrs. J. D. 101bm Struble, Enterprise.

MONEY TO LOAN State Funds loaned, 6 per cent. John P. Rusk. Atty. State Land B'd. Joseph Farm loans at 71/2 percent. Call or write First Bank of Joseph. 58btf

WANTED.

Lumber. Anyone having lumber of any grade in any amount for sale, or who has timber he intends to saw soon, and wishes to contract the lumber, call on or address W. F. Rankin at Haney planer in Enterprise, Agent for W. R. Kivette.

Housekeeper wanted to keep house for man with two children. Call on or write Ted Johnson, Enterprise, 97b1m

Black fielder's mit, between Carter's and town. Please leave at this office. Tuesday, one small, brown, ladies 104r1

STRAYED.

Two black work horses, 1 branded 7A on right stifle, the other with white spot on left side. Information leading to recovery will be thankfully received. J. L. Fine, Enterprise, Oregon.

BIDS WANTED.

Bids will be received for the construction of a two story and basement store building by the undersigned up to 1 o'clock p. m., Thursday, April 21. Plans and specifications can be seen at the store of the undersigned in Enterprise, or at office of the architect, A. Elliott, at Joseph. Bond of 30 per cent of cost of building will be required of the successful bidder. Right is reserved to reject any and all bids, FRED S. ASHLEY.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the city election for the purpose of electcity recorder, one city treasurer and one city attorney, will be held at the office of W. E. Taggart from o'clock p. m. to 6 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, May 3, 1910. W. E. TAGGART.

City Recorder.

NOTICE OF EIGHTH

GRADE EXAMINATIONS. The Eighth Grade Examinations will be held in the several school

districts, May 12 and 13, 1910. J. C. CONLEY. Supt. of Schools

Some War Expenses. The Napoleonic wars cost England \$4,320,000,000. The war of 1870 between France and Germany cost \$3. 300,000,000 The Crimean war cost \$1,700,000,000, and the civil war in the United States exacted a toll from bothsides of over \$6,600,000,000. The Boer war cost England over \$1,000.000,000, and the struggle between Russia and Japan cost more than twice that sum
-New York American.

THE MARKETS

Portland.

Wheat-Track prices: Club, 86@ 87c; blustem, 90c; red Russian, 85c Barley-Feed and brewing, \$24. Oats-No. 1 white, \$28 per ton.

Hay-Timothy, Willamette Valley \$18@20 per ton; Eastern Oregon \$23; alfalfa, \$17; clover, \$16. Butter-Extra, 29c; fancy, 29c;

ranch, 20c. Eggs-Ranch, candled, 25c. Hops-1909 crop, 13@16c; olds

nominal. Wooi-Eastern Oregon, 14@17c per pound.

Mohair-32@33c.

Seattle.

Wheat- Bluestem, 89@90c; club 85@86c; red Russian, 82@83c. Outs-\$27 per ton. Barley-\$23 per tos

Hay Timothy, \$22@23 per ton; al-Butter-Washington Creamery, 33c;

Eggs-Selected local, 26@27c. Potatoes-\$10@14 per ton.

TWO KILLED IN RAILROAD WRECK

ENGINEER'S LIFE IS SACRIFICED FOR PASSENGERS.

BURLINGTON TRAIN DITCHED

Engineer Gordon and Fireman Meyers Crushed to Death Under Locomotive.

NORTH YAKIMA, April 25.-While running at a speed of 30 miles an hour past Selah station, six miles northwest of North Yakima, the Burlington passenger train No. 41, over the Northern Pacific railroad, was wrecked Sunday. Engineer William Gordon, of Ellensburg, and Fireman Meyers, of Pasco, were instantly killed, and R. Pratt, of Seattle, a mail clerk, and William Brogan, of Seattle, mail weigher, slightly injured.

That many passengers on the heavily loaded train were not injured was due to the presence of mind of Engineer Gordon, who lost his life in the effort to save those under his care, when he shut off the steam, threw purse. Finder may have one-half of on the air brakes, and even placed the money, and leave purse at post- the emergency brake in the 400 feet the train ran from the time it struck the open or defective switch.

Conductor Churchill, who was taking tickets in the day coach, says when the engine left the track the train was going at the normal speed of 30 miles an hour. Suddenly the air brakes were set, the engine whistle gave the short distress blasts, and a second later the crash came,

The engine, No. 280, pulling the train, had left the main line, and gone into the switch just east of Selah, jumped the track and been dumped over an embankment about five feet high. Forced by the momentum of the heavy train, the mail car had swept by the overturned engine and been turned about a quarter over, and the baggage car had followed. Both cars were badly damaged. Apparently, after giving the warning signal, Engineer Gordon had attempted to get from the cab, for his body was found between the boller head and the tender. The body of Meyers was found pinned under the tender, May 31. his arms outstretched.

STORM LOSSES IMMENSE

West Must Go to Rescue of East, as Fruit and Vegetables Are Ruined. CHICAGO, April 25 .- Western and other fruit-producing states will be called upon this year to supply all of the Middle Western states, in addition to their regular business, for to fruit, with the possible exception of strawberries and a few late grapes

will be grown in six or eight states. Thirty million dollars is a rough estimate made of the loss in this year's fruit crop by the cold temperatures and blizzardous condition which obtained through the Upper Mississpippi Valley and extended as far east as Ohio. Unofficial reports are that Kansas has suffered a loss of \$8,000,000; Iowa, \$8,000,000; Michigan, \$5,000,000; Wisconsin, \$1,000,000; Illinois, \$4,000,000, and Indiana, \$2,-000,000.

Trust Must Show Books.

TRENTON, N. J., April 25 .- The State Supreme Court this afternoon, affirmed the decision of Supreme Court Justice Swayze in which the National Packing Company and other beef packing concerns were ordered as a means of meeting the trust to bring their books within the State of New Jersey for the purpose of examination by the Hudson County at a rate of 6 cents a pound less than

John Kling Goes Back to Chicago. CHICAGO, April 26.-After several weeks of delays, John Kling, the catcher of the Chicago Cubs, whose reinstatement in organized baseball short distance south of Washington, was recently announced by the National baseball commission, actually the 9 pupils harbor hookworms. started to Chicago from Kansas City.

COMMISSION WILL MEET

Matters Pending Involve Transcenti-

nental Freight Traffic. WASHINGTON, April 24-A nota-De conference will be held by members of the Interstate Commerce Commission Thursday and Friday. These days have been set aside by the com | Presidents to visit every state in the thus he will have a National flower. mission for the consideration of the Union during his incumbency,

Pacific Coast cases heard by the commission on its long trip last autumn.

The cases involve not merely freight conditions local to the Pacific Coast, but questions affecting the transcontinental traffic in its entirety. The cases include the rehearing of the Spokame rate matter, the Portland and Seattle back haul cases, the San | SLAYER OF MOTHER-IN-LAW Francisco cases, including rates into the intermountain territory and the Reno rate case.

Tennessee Has Snowfall.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 25. -Flurries of snow were intermittent here all day Sunday. So far, the damage in Tennessee from the present cold snap has been slight.

Acid Drunk for Medicine. SEATTLE, April 25 .- Marion Morrison, aged 12, died Sunday as the result of drinking carbolic acid from a bottle she thought contained medicine.

EMIL SEIDEL



Emil Seidel, the Socialist mayor of Milwaukee, who has come out strongly for abolition of the slums and the tearing down of tuberculosis-infested tenements. Milwaukee is the first great city in the United States to elect a Socialist for mayor.

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST CONDENSED FOR READERS

Eulogies on the late Representative Cushman, of Washington, will be held

Wisconsin's State Board of Forestry has joined hands with the Federal Forestry Service in getting a comprehensive statement of facts as to forest tax conditions in that state.

President Taft has ordered the removal of United States District Attorney John J. Boyce and United States Marshal Dan A. Southerland, of the first division, Alaska.

As a result of sensational testimony before the House committee on the District of Columbia regarding the conduct of affairs of George Washington University, there may be a Congressional investigation.

Albert Wolter, a degenerate youth of 19 years, who gloated over lewd pictures and was "crazy" about women, must die in the electric chair for the murder of Ruth Wheeler, a pretty 16-year-old New York stenographer.

President Taft has signed the first of the proclamations providing a reclassification of the lands in the Na tional forests, which will throw 4,000, 000 acres out of the forest reserves and make them available for homestead entry.

Senator Johnston of Albama has in formed the Senate that a movement for the importation of Australian beef had been inaugurated in New York prices. He said it had been found that the foreign meat could be sold the domestic product.

Government employes are much perturbed over reports which indicate that the hookworm disease, dread foe of all work, is approaching the National capital. In Virvinia, only a it was found in one school that 7 of

There is now only eight states in the Union which Mr. Taft has failed to visit officially and these will have the pleasure of meeting the President before many months have passed. They are Wyoming, Neyada, Oklahema, Michigan, Florida, West Virginia, Maine and New Hampshire. He will have been perhaps the first of the

WEZLER MAKES

TELLS OF CRIME.

DID NOT INTEND TO KILL

Prisoner Says He Desired to Persuade Mrs. Schulz to Aid Him in Getting His Children.

TACOMA, Wash., April 25.-Charles J. Wezler, the Portland novelty ad vertising solicitor, captured in San Francisco and brought here to anwer for the brutal murder of Mrs. Mrs. Schulz, mother of Welzer's di- reason of their water competition. porced wife, was shot to death April on a lonely country road leading from Gig Harbor to a sister's home near Artondale, whither Mrs. Schulz had been lured by a fake letter sent her by Wezler. Supicion was at once directed by the family to Wezler.

Prisoner Weeps as He Talks.

Weeping hysterically while he talked, Wezler insisted that he did not intend to kill Mrs. Schulz. The family, he said, had threatened his life if he came to their house. He says he sent the decoy letter only to get Mrs. Schulz out where he could talk with her in safety, and that he wanted her to bring her daughter Emma along, believing Emma's good influence would help persuade the mother to aid him to recover his two

He walked along the road a mile or more talking with Mrs. Schulz. Wezler says she demanded he pay his divorced wife \$3000 alimony and that then everything would be allright, otherwise his wife was going to Alaska and Mrs. Schulz was going to take the children. When she refused to recede or argue further, he drew the revolver and shot her.

BRANDEIS ACCUSES TAFT

Claims Ballinger Was Cleared on Report Pre-Dated.

WASHINGTON - After attacking certain statements in Attorney-Gener-Glavis case before the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation Attorney Brandels. threw out a broad suggestion the document had been dated mouths earlier it appear that Taft's letter of vindibased upon alleged facts it contained Neither the President nor the at- lowing paragraphs: torney general would comment on Mr. Brandels' intimations.

Former Register Testifies.

Alaska to tell whether he had made \$5000 to \$10,000 for him to come to office at Juneau, took the stand and

Simple Services Over Mark Twain. ELMIRA, N. Y., April 25 .- Services as simple as his wholesome life attended the tributes paid here to Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), whose body was brought here for burial where he died last Friday.

Church Ordains Bryan as Elder. LINCOLN, Neb., April 15 .- In the Westminster Presbyterian church, midway between Lincoln and Fairview, W. J. Bryan was formally ordained and installed Sunday as an elder of that denomination.

Babe Drinks Kerosene. WESTON, Ore., April 28 .- The in fant daughter, 18 months old, of Councilman Frank Snider, is dead from the effects of drinking kerosene which she found in a cup on the table.

Patriotic Rose Premised. LOS ANGELES, April 27.-Having resebush which produces a red and white flower, Park Superintendent Long, of Long Beach, thinks he can make it add a blue shade also, and

Mrs. Hetty Green, celebrated for years as the richest and shrewdest business woman in the world, will soon retire from active business life and will turn over the handling of her immense fortune, estimated at \$50, 000,000, to her daughter, Sylvia, now Mrs. Matthew Astor Wilkes.

Commander Sverdrup, the famous Arctic explorer, will leave Norway this week with 14 men on the whaler Hvalrossen for an expedition to Greenland's northwest coast and Baffin Land in the hope of finding a new whaling territory. Commander Sverdrup will visit also Annatok and Etah, in order to examine the places in which Dr. Cook declares he left his observation materials.

The Dixon long and short haul amendment to the Elkins interstate commerce bill now before the Senate will probably be defeated because the lumber Senators, who at first glance were inclined to favor this provision, Fredericka Schulz, has made a com- have become convinced that Coast plete confession to Sheriff Morris terminal rates should not be robbed and Prosecuting Attorney McMurray. of advantages that come to them by

DR. B. C. HYDE



Dr. B. C. Hyde, chief figure in the Swope murder case, now on trial in Kansas City. Dr. Hyde is accused of having poisoned Colonel Swope, says he lost all control of himself, the wealthy uncle of his wife and other members of the Swope family so Mrs. Hyde could inherit the Swope

PARIS HEARS ROOSEVELT

PARIS, April 23.-Theodore Roosevelt delivered his eagerly awaited lecal Wickersham's summary of the ture on "Citizenship in a Republic" in the Sorbonne this afternoon. His audience was composed of all the members of the French Cabinet, students selected from the University of Paris, than it had been prepared to make and many distinguished guests. In the course of his address he made cation of Secretary Ballinger had been reference to the subject of human rights and property rights in the fol-

"My position as regards the moneyed interests can be put in a few words. In every civilized coun-Having come all the way here from try society property rights must be carefully safeguarded. Ordinarily the statement that an agent of Col- and in the great majority of cases huier's had told him "it would be worth man rights and property rights are fundamentally and, in the long run, Washington to testify," John W. Dud- identical; but when it clearly appears ley, the dismissed register of the land that there is a real conflict between them, human rights must have the said that he had been misunderstood. upper hand; property belongs to man, and not man to property,"

Clark Joins Hill in Work.

CHICAGO, April 25,-William A. Clark, former United States Senator from Montana, and James J. Hill are said to have joined hands with a view from his home at Redding. Conn., to a combined railroad invasion of Washington, Idaho, Montana and California, according to an article in the Record-Herald.

> Senator Clark is said to be interested with Mr. Hill in the construct 15 to June 18, and the class day extion of the Gilmore & Pittsburg Railroad and in the North Ceast Line, which Robert Strahorn, of Spokane, avoid conflict with the meeting of is promoting.

CORVALLIS-The O. A. C. baseball squad, including twelve men, left here Friday, April 22, for a tour of the Northwest. While away the team will play six games with Conference Colleges and two with Non-Conference Schools.

SALEM-Replying to a letter from Ed Wright, County Clerk of Union County, Oregon, Attorney-General Crawford has rendered an opinion to the effect that "the time specified when the division of the county into election precincts shall be made is

NEWS OF OREGON STATED IN BRIEF

TELEGRAPHIC CHRONICLE OF STATE HAPPENINGS.

SMITH NAMED IN LAND FRAUD

Puter's Letters to McKinley Most Important Timber Case Feature .--Krib's Knowledge Shown.

PORTLAND-Through a series of remarkable letters from Steven A. D Puter to Horace G. McKinley, the Government succeeded in bringing into the Linn County land fraud case the name of C. A. Smith, and showing that Frederick A. Kribs could not have escaped knowledge of the frauds through which the timber lands were acquired, and later purchased by C A. Smith and John H. Willd.

It is considered by the office of District Attorney McCourt that the prosecutor has at last secured an opening in the armor of the defense through which he hopes to obtain a cancellation of title of 33 quartersections of land, now valued at \$802,

Puter advised McKinley that he had interested C. A. Smith, of Minneapolis, in the Linn County lands, and that the Minnesota millionaire was sending his cruiser, Frederick A. Kribs, to look over the property.

It was shown by McKinley that the witness was arrested at Albany by Government officials, April 1, 1900, and that the charge was subornation of perjury in connection with the Roseburg entries of the very lands which McKinley and Puter were trying to sell to Kribs.

Kribs and Puter were shown to have reached Albany on April 1, Puter securing the release of McKinley on bonds, and that the next day the party went up to examine the claims. From many witnesses it has been shown that Kribs afterward acquired all the notes and mortgages securing the payments of money advanced by McKinley and Puter to pay for the lands and settle with the entrymen at the rate of \$75 to \$100 each.

The evidence is considered to be the most important secured since the beginning of the trial, and will be used to counteract statements from many entrymen who have gone on the stand day after day and asserted that they had made no agreement to seil the lands before filings had been made and final proofs submitted.

Advice Offered Taft.

SALEM - The Oregon Rallroad Commission has received copies of resolutions passed by the Nebraska Commission in the matter of the appointment of the late Justice Brewer's successor on the United States Supreme bench. The resolutions set forth in effect that there are many men in the state Supreme Courts or in the practice of the profession who are "free from the prejudices and beliefs which are naturally acquired by one whose life work has been devoted to defending and safeguarding railroad interests," and asks the appointment of a man free from this kind of influence. The resolutions have been forwarded to President Taft and the Oregon Commission has been asked to approve of the resolutions and indicate its approval to the President.

Plan for Jubilee Made.

CORVALLIS-The quarter centennial of the Oregon Agricultural College will be celebrated Tuesday, June 14. The day for commencement exercises has been changed from June ercises have been scheduled for June 11. This change has been made to the Masonic grand lodge in Portland on June 15 and 16.

Excursion rates of one and a third fare will be in operation on all railroads within the state and special trains will run from Portland and other points with a special rate of one fare for the round trip.

SALEM - State Printer Duniway has completed the printing and delivery of the 53d Oregon Report, and has printed the 54th Report up to the index. The reports of the Supreme Court are now printed up to November, 1909, being much nearer directory and not mandatory or juris up to date than at any time in many years.