

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY
Passenger Train Schedule
Effective Oct. 4, 1914

WESTBOUND	161	161	167
	am.	pm.	pm.
Salem	7:00	9:45	4:00
Dallas	8:15	11:02	5:30
Falls City	8:50	11:35	6:05
Bl'k Rock		11:55	
EASTBOUND	164	166	170
	am.	pm.	pm.
Bl'k Rock		1:05	
Falls City	9:30	1:25	6:10
Dallas	10:10	2:00	6:40
Salem	11:01	3:15	7:45

Free Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching 11:00 A. M.
Class meeting 12:00 P. M.
Evening service 7:30.

H. A. WALTER, Pastor.

M. E. Church

Sunday Services
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

Week-Day Services

Orchestra Practice Wednesday 7:00 P. M.
Choir Practice, Wednesday 8:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Friday 7:30 P. M.

W. J. WARREN, Pastor.

Post Office Time Card

Office hours: Daily, except Sunday, 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Mail arrives, from
Salem 9:00 a.m., 6:15 p.m.
Dallas, 9:00 A. M., 6:15 P. M.
Portland & Eugene train 101, 11:55 a. m.
Black Rock, 1:30 P. M.
Mail closes for:
Salem, 8:50 A.M., 1 P.M. and 5:30 P. M.
Dallas, 8:50 A. M. and 5:30 P. M.
Eugene & Portland train 162, 1 p. m.
Black Rock, 11 A. M.
Mail Order and Postal Savings window closes at 6 P. M.

SUNDAY ONLY

Office hours: 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Mail arrives from Salem, 9:00 a. m.
Portland & Eugene train 101, 11:55 a. m.
Mail closes for Salem, 8:50 a. m.
Eugene & Portland train 102, 1 p. m.
Effective Oct. 20, 1915.
IRA C. MEHRING, Postmaster

BOTTLE FLOATED 16 YEARS.

It Was Thrown, With a Note, Into the Pacific Ocean in 1899.

Hoquiam, Wash.—After floating about in the Pacific ocean for years a bottle containing a note, probably written and thrown overboard by one of the officers of the schooner Transit, has been found on the beach by an Indian, Bob Wayne, near Mcclips.
The note was dated Aug. 10, 1899, and was perfectly legible, though the writing and the paper were considerably faded. The message with the note reads as follows:
Schooner Transit, Aug. 10, 1899.—Ten days out from Honolulu, H. L. bound to San Francisco. Weather calm and baffling wind. All is well. Latitude 29 degrees 41 minutes north, longitude 152 degrees 7 minutes west.
J. PETERSON.
Wayne found the bottle on the beach after the record high tide of the winter, which followed several days of a heavy offshore blow, which brought in a heavy surf.

LEG BONE PATCHES SPINE.

Altoona Boy Is Now Jubilant After Unusual Operation.

Altoona, Pa.—Kenneth Geist, aged four, is perhaps the happiest child in the United States, for recently he received his discharge from the hospital here.
He was admitted to the hospital on Christmas, 1913, suffering from tuberculous of the spine. He could neither talk nor walk, and the case was thought hopeless.
The surgeons took a piece of bone from his right leg and inserted it in the place where they removed the diseased vertebra. The operation was successful, and Kenneth can run, talk and play like other boys.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, ss.
Lucas County,
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1915.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Local News Items

Mrs. C. M. Travis is still confined to her room.

P. J. Shepherd was over from Salem Tuesday.

Prof. Haley was a Dallas visitor Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Jennie Cobb who has been sick with lagrippe is improving.

Judge Teal is reported to be quite ill at his home here in this city.

F. Dropge was a business visitor to Portland the first of the week.

Warren Cobb who has been very ill with pneumonia is improving.

Lester Dodd of Monroe who has been visiting his parents returned to his home Monday.

The Oswego, Dallas & Roseburg Co., have put on a new locomotive at the cement spur.

C. J. Pugh manages to keep pretty busy these snowy days fixing telephone wires.

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NEW POTATOES FOR CHRISTMAS DINNER

According to W. P. Harris, his son-in-law, A. E. Meyers of Ore-ton dined on new potatoes on Christmas day. Mrs. Harris was there for dinner and can verify the statement. Mr. Meyers grows fine potatoes in the proper season, but this is a little out of the ordinary.

CLASS MEETING

At the business meeting at the Christian church Monday night the following officers were elected:

- Superintendent—Mrs. R. M. Wonderly.
- Treasurer—R. M. Wonderly.
- Secretary—Park Calkins.
- Organist—Leota Bradley.
- Librarian—C. L. Bradley.
- Superintendent of Primary Department—Mrs. R. Paul.

FURS WANTED.

Highest prices paid. Write for price list. G. D. Alderin & Co. Salem, Oregon.

FOR SALE.

Dried apples and pears; 10 and 12c. Phone 158.

A beautiful 42-piece dinner set given away free.

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J. O. MICKALSON, REAL ESTATE DEALER

All kinds of lands; business propositions listed, sold and exchanged, anywhere. Choice city and country homes for sale cheap.
Falls City, Oregon.
Get your butter wrappers printed at the News office.

Waiter L. Tooze, Jr., Lawyer, Dallas, Oregon.

The Womens World, Farm and Home, Home Life, Household and the News one year for \$1.18.

NEEDED INDUSTRY

This section of the country is and has been the center of vast production of fruit for years—especially in the loganberry line. Year after year large amounts of loganberries are sold at a small price and many go to waste on the vines. The plan of establishing a cannery has been discussed, but little or no heed has been given the subject.

C. J. Pugh, who operates a loganberry juice plant in this city and makes many gallons of the beverage every year, in a statement Thursday, expressed his belief that if the business men of this city would get together and organize a co-operative company and erect a dryer that they would be well paid for the expense that they would be out. He says that he has many inquiries during the summer in regard to the quantity of berries that he can use and is often asked if he would guarantee to take a certain amount. This is something that he cannot do as the berries if not given immediate attention after being picked will soon spoil and be unfit for use.

A dryer, he stated, could be bought at a reasonable price and the berries could be prepared for market. When the people saw that there was a market for the product they would engage in the industry and soon a flourishing business would result. Robert Palaus, manager of the Salem Fruit Union, recently stated that he could take care of all the fruit that could be dried or canned in this vicinity. The price paid for the berries is 2 1/2 to 3c a pound.

If the dryer paid very well a cannery could be established and other fruits that would otherwise go to waste could be canned and sent to market.

NEW TRAIN SERVICE

The Southern Pacific has put on a new motor service between Mill City and Albany, effective January 15, 1916:

- Leave Mill City 6:15 A. M.
- Arrive Albany 8:15 A. M.
- Leave Albany 5:15 P. M.
- Arrive Mill City 7:30 P. M.

TO THE PUBLIC

On January 11, 1916, I assumed entire control and ownership of the business of J. C. Talbott & Co., and will continue under the name of J. C. Talbott. I appreciate, and desire to thank the public for their patronage in the past and assure them that they will always be accorded the same courteous treatment and I shall, if possible, serve them even better in the future.
Wishing all a happy and prosperous year, I am,
Yours very truly,
J. C. Talbott.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

"There has never been any demand in Polk county for the enforcement of the Sunday closing law, and I do not propose to bother the officers of the law with its enforcement until complaint is filed" says District Attorney Sibley.
There is a widespread agitation against the old statute and its enforcement, and initiative petitions have already received enough signatures to assure the voters that they will have a chance to repeal the measure, if they so desire. There is no reason why the law should be carried out to the letter in Dallas or in Polk county, according to the district attorney and Sheriff Orr, and they intend to follow the lead of other counties in the valley and ignore the law until complaint is made.—Polk County Observer.

Some people are so old-fashioned

that they imagine that when an officer subscribes to his oath of office that he pledged himself to enforce ALL the laws, not only such as might be pleasant or convenient to certain individuals in his bail-wick.

Robert Kieth and family moved Tuesday to a farm near Mt. Angel.

W. E. Newsome of Ranier, Ore., was transacting business in this city Wednesday. Mr. Newsome was owner of the electric light plant here a few years ago.

Miss Eva Harris was severely injured Monday night riding a toboggan. In some manner her foot was caught and doubled back injuring the ligaments of the knee.

The son of C. A. Spaw, who was injured by falling off a bicycle last fall and has been suffering from the injury in his leg was taken to the hospital at Dallas Thursday for treatment.

C. J. Pugh shipped last week to his distributors, Gray, McLean & Percy at Seattle, Wash., a carload of his Loganberry juice. The 20th of this month he will also ship another car load to his distributors at Portland.

It is estimated that over four feet of snow has fallen since Friday night, December 31, 1915, two weeks. No one but the "old settlers" have ever seen anything here to equal it. Some of them tell it real "skeery."

The Parent-Teachers meeting held at the school house Tuesday was very well attended. An excellent program was rendered, after which the President Mrs. C. L. Hopkins spoke of the necessity of providing a reading room for the young people of our town. She earnestly urged the organization to take hold of this. Many of those present were very enthusiastic over the matter. She appointed the following committees: J. J. Sammons, Mr. Powers and R. M. Wonderly to look after the procuring of a room for meeting. Miss Fatland, Mrs. Powers, Miss Hammond to look after the books which were ordered to be sent from the State Librarian.

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Bargains In Queensware

We have a nice line of dishes that we are offering at Bargain Prices; 5 and 10c each.

25-VOTE COUPON IN PIANO CONTEST GIVEN WITH EVERY \$1 CASH PURCHASE.

J. C. TALBOTT

R. E. WILLIAMS, M. L. THOMPSON, W. F. NICHOLS, R. G. WHITE,
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Bank of Falls City

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PARENT TEACHERS MEETING

The Parent Teachers association met at the school house Tuesday evening and a very enjoyable and profitable meeting was held. The following program was rendered:
Selections,—High School orchestra.
Reading,—"The advantages of a hot lunch in school." Miss Shields
Reading—Selections from Riley, Miss Hammond.
Selections—High School Male Quartette.
Vocal Solo—Helen Selig

After the program an hour was spent in devising means by which we may have proper places of amusement for the young people of the town. A committee was appointed from the council and the various churches of the town to procure a building and formulate plans for carrying out the work.

Luella Ward has the mumps.

Mr. Henry Bancroft is seriously ill.

Rev. Warren visited the school Monday.

Walter Fleming of the fifth was absent Monday.

Lena Buell was absent Thursday on account of sickness.

Charles Wortzburger of the sixth grade was ill last week.

Richard Vandenbache of the sixth grade has the mumps.

Vernie Hudson was absent from the third grade Wednesday.

Mr. McMillion of the Siletz Basin is sick at the Falls City Hotel.

Alice Adams of the first grade was absent from school on account of sickness.

Emerson Reece of the fifth grade was absent from school on account of sickness.

Lavena Meyers and Esther Cleveland have been absent from school on account of deep snow.

Floyd Reese and Bertha Beuton of the sixth grade who were sick with mumps return to school this week.

The constitution for the self-government of the High School, with a few changes, has been accepted and ratified by the student body.

Barbara and Gerta Chamberlain of the first grade, Carrol Reynolds of the second grade and Dallas Heisted of the fifth grade were absent from school this week on account of the deep snow.

A steam roller rolled on a stray canine.

And flattened him east and west; He hadn't a chance to utter a whine,

But his pants, no doubt were pressed.

Last Monday afternoon while four boys were practising a quartette selection at the home of Mrs. Chas. Morer for the coming parent-teachers meeting Tuesday evening, an Oregonian agent approached the door. Listening at the peculiar voices which were coming softly through the keyhole he stood motionless on the porch without knocking. When the song was finished Mr. Gordon Sammons stepped to the door and asked his business. The man replied in a very dignified manner, "I am taking orders for the Oregonian and would like to have your name on the list." Mr. Sammons quickly glanced at Mrs. Moyer who was shaking her head vigorously, for an immediate reply. Gordon who is a staunch Republican, seeing she was dissatisfied turned to the agent and replied, "We are all democrats at this house and take the Oregon Journal therefore we do not care for that paper, furthermore, we like to get the "strait" of politics and no one can take the Oregonian and get things strait. The man looking downcast very politely turned and started away saying, "May God help you, I will remember you in my prayers."

Common sense is a rare article. It is of even more value than horse sense. It was discovered in Webster's Unabridged Dictionary long ago by an investigating freshie, but its real value was hit upon by a Senior who said that this virtue was the key note to all situations; if this is indeed true, then we should assert that the F. C. H. S. Students are a musical bunch. This article no matter how much used still remains bright and useful but unused, it becomes rusty and worthless. Although the name is common sense we could say it is rather extraordinary, but it is obtainable by all who really think; From Shakespeare's essay on, "The Appeal to Reason."

The male quartett made its first appearance in public Tuesday night at the Parent Teachers meeting. Their first selection, "The Bull Frog in the Pool", was so beautifully rendered that one could almost hear the splash, and so well was it appreciated that they were asked to sing another. This is only one evidence out of many of the good work Mrs. Moyer is doing in the school.

Grant Buckner was absent from school Tuesday and Thursday on account of sickness. It is surmised that sleighing is not good for the health.

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