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NEWS ITEMS OF OTHER CITIES

The new heating plant at the State Asylum for the Insane, provided for as a portion of the \$192,000 appropriated for new buildings at that institution, is completed.

The postmaster general has granted first, second and third class Oregon postmasters five days' leave to attend the meeting of the Oregon Presidential Postmasters' association at Portland, October 13 and 14.

Three corps of Government engineers under Major L. J. Morrow, are at work in Crater Lake Park laying out a complete system of roads and making plans for one of the most extensive lines of improvement ever made in any of the Western parks.

The Rev. W. T. Euster, builder of churches in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, has been transferred from the Sunnyside Methodist Episcopal church in Portland to the pastorate of the First church, Stillwater, Okla.

Isaac N. Harrell was hanged at Salem Friday. The crime for which Harrell was hanged was the murder of Walter Newell. He also killed Herbert Newell, brother of Walter, at the same time and place, but was tried for the second murder.

Up to August 27 six postmasters in Oregon had made application to Postmaster General Hitchcock for designation as postal savings banks, and nine Oregon banks had made request for the designation of their institutions as depositories for the postal funds.

Twenty-one new members on the faculty roll, four new buildings on the campus, and much additional equipment for the laboratories and classrooms have been made necessary this year at the Oregon Agricultural College, which will register the students for the fall semester, September 23.

Prominent Oregon horticulturists have been secured to act as judges of the fruit exhibits at the big British Columbia Fair to be held at New Westminster, B. C. E. C. Roberts, of Lebanon, ex-County Fruit Inspector of Linn County, and E. C. Armstrong, of Salem, County Fruit Inspector of Marion County, will make the awards. This fair will begin October 4.

Papers in the executive offices show that F. H. Patterson, who was convicted of obtaining money under false pretenses in Portland during January of this year and sentenced to a two-year term in the penitentiary, was pardoned conditionally by Acting Governor Jay Bowerman, on August 27.

A meeting of the Columbia River salmon packers, including the cold-storage men and all the cannery men whose plants are to operate this fall, was held at Astoria and the prices to be paid for raw fish during the season, were fixed as follows: Silversides, 3 cents per pound; steelheads and Fall salmon, 4 cents per pound; white tullies, 10 cents each; dog-salmon, 5 cents each.

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INDEPENDENCE ENTERPRISE
Dr. Allin, Dentist, Cooper Bldg. of

County to Have Timber Cruised. **MARSHFIELD.**—County Commissioners of Coos County at their next meeting will be petitioned to provide for the cruising of all of the merchantable timber in the country with a view of securing a more equitable assessment. The work will be costly and will require a year. The commissioners will be asked to make some special provision for the expense.

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Hollanders to Oregon.
SALEM.—The secretary of state's office is in receipt of a communication from J. W. Schmidt, Varsseveld, Holland, who wants information relative to Oregon with a view of bringing a colony of Dutch to this state. Agricultural pursuits in a free country is what the Hollanders are looking for, according to this correspondent.

Dies of Chicken Pox
W. Newton Squires, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Squires, died at the family home in Salem, Sunday. Death was caused by chicken pox and blood poisoning. The boy was the son of one of Salem's rural mail carriers who formerly resided in Polk county.—Observer.

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Leave Independence6:00 p. m.
Leave Salem7:00 a. m.
Leave Salem4:00 p. m.
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TIME TABLE
From Independence to Dallas
Train No. 64 leaves Independence daily at 8:00 a. m. and Monmouth at 6:15 a. m. and arrives at Dallas at 6:40 a. m.
Train No. 68 leaves Independence daily at 10:50 a. m. and Monmouth at 11:05 a. m. and arrives at Dallas at 11:30 a. m.
Train No. 70 leaves Independence daily at 6:15 p. m. and Monmouth at 6:30 p. m. and arrives at Dallas at 6:55 p. m.
From Independence for Airlie
Train No. 61 leaves Independence

daily at 7:00 a. m. and Monmouth at 7:15 a. m. and arrives at Airlie at 7:50 a. m.
Train No. 73 leaves Independence daily at 2:30 p. m. and Monmouth at 2:50 p. m. and arrives at Airlie at 3:25 p. m.
From Dallas for Independence
Train No. 65 leaves Dallas daily at 8:30 a. m. and Monmouth at 8:55 a. m. and arrives at Independence at 9:15 a. m.
Train No. 69 leaves Dallas daily at 1:00 p. m. and Monmouth at 1:35 p. m. and arrives at Independence at 1:40 p. m. (This train connects at Monmouth for Airlie.)
Train No. 71 leaves Dallas daily at 8:00 p. m. and Monmouth at 8:25 p. m. and arrives at Independence at 8:40 p. m.
From Airlie for Independence
Train No. 62 leaves Airlie daily at 8:15 p. m. and Monmouth at 8:50 a. m. and arrives at Independence at 9:10 a. m.
Train No. 72 leaves Airlie daily at 4:05 p. m. and Monmouth at 4:40 p. m. and arrives at Independence at 4:50 p. m.

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