

... should like to have you take it, and we know it would be profitable to you to become a subscriber. We send for two years for \$2.50; one year \$1.50; 12 months for 90¢. Order by Postal Card, and pay for it when you can.

At any time when requested to do so, the paper will be discontinued. But we expect that all arrears will be paid before such request is made. It is easy to ask us for a statement, which will be cheerfully rendered at any time.

IN THE GRAPEVINE ARBOR

By FRANK H. SWEET

Copyright, 1906, by Frank H. Sweet

KETURAH ALLEN sat out under the grapevine arbor knitting. It was only 9 o'clock in the morning—an un-Christian hour to knit, as most busy housewives would have said and which Keturah herself acknowledged in the depths of her lonely, disquieted heart. But what could she do? Since the conqueror came she had no recourse against time except knitting and missionary work, and even her charity loving heart could not find the shadow of an excuse for making poor calls this morning.



"OH, MISS KETURAH, HAVE YOU HEARD THE NEWS?"

Meadowville was a small place, and since the Ladies' Missionary society and the Children's Missionary band had been organized the two or three poor families had found it a strenuous task to keep their poverty before the public. Even the most liberal of the work lovers were forced to admit that their progress were becoming more and more shiftless and lazy.

Keturah loved charity work and hated knitting, and it was this same hate that made her cling to it so assiduously. If she had lived in the right age her sensitive conscience would have provided her with sackcloth and ashes.

It was in the lush of middle June and the odors of honeysuckles and roses were mingled with those of ripening strawberries and pungent garden herbs. Follen dusted bees and iridescent butterflies flitted about in the sunshine, and among the tendrils of the grapevine above her head was the half-celestial nest of a yellow warbler. Nothing was so beautiful as the scene, and Keturah was twittering a contemplative interlude not three feet away from her clicking needles.

But Keturah was in a disturbed frame of mind this morning and not even conscious of her tiny friend's presence. She could hear the conqueror bustling about in the kitchen—her kitchen now—rattling dishes, opening and shutting oven doors, whistling—loud and now and then indulging in a snatch of high pitched, breezy song. Keturah listened with mingled emotions. The conqueror was a splendid housekeeper—she was glad to admit that, both for her brother and for the missionary society and found plenty of time to visit and receive calls. Keturah admired her vastly and even liked her in a rebuffed sort of way, but somehow, even from her vantage ground of inside spectator, she never quite understood how any woman could accomplish so much. Every morning her conscience made her offer to help with the work, and every morning the conqueror looked at her with a calmly superior air and said that slow help was a bother.

And that is why Keturah's mornings were spent in this grapevine arbor or out making poor calls. She wanted to like the conqueror and tried to will all the strength of her tender, shrinking heart. Was she not her brother's wife and her own sister-in-law, and was she not the best housekeeper and the most capable manager in Meadowville? But even with all these attractions Keturah could not force her sensitive, refined nerves to ignore this new order of bustle and energy and self assertion.

And there was another thing. For three and twenty years Keturah had been the undisputed mistress of the establishment, doing the work in her quiet, prim, ladylike way and never dreaming that the years would bring other change than what rightfully belonged to them. She had been housekeeper for her father until he died and then for her brother, and, although she had once thought—and hoped—that her brother might marry, such a possibility had gradually been lost sight of. He had just passed his fortieth birthday and she her forty-third when the conqueror came.

Keturah was not combative, and she honestly tried to take the new order of

things according to the light her conscience dictated, but her resolutions were not as strong as the nature handed down by half a dozen generations of ancestors. At the end of a month she had gone to her brother and asked for her share of the property, so that she might go and live by herself. Her assertions of the conqueror that she was not a single gray intruder among all the glossy brown hair that was coiled and massed upon her head. She was thinking of her future now, and she was under the grapevine arbor listening to the self assertive work of the conqueror in the kitchen and oblivious of the persuasive twittering at her side. Deep down in her heart she was trying to get herself to someone to go away, to go away, to seek employment—anything. If her brother would not give up her share of the property she would surely be able to earn a living somewhere.

A quick step on the gravel walk brought her eyes from the needles and her thoughts from the future.

"Oh, here you are, Miss Keturah. I've looked for you everywhere and I'm glad to see you. The conqueror has tucked into the arbor and plumped herself down on the seat beside Keturah. Florence was eighteen, very vivacious, very dumpy and very much in love with herself. Added to this, she was the pride and admiration of the conqueror's heart.

"Oh, Miss Keturah, have you heard the news?" she cried as soon as she could get her breath. "The Rev. Charles Barden, missionary to Japan, is coming to Meadowville and is going to lecture here the next week and is coming here to stay. What do you think of that? Going to stay here with us a whole week."

Keturah rose quickly and then sat down and began to ply her needles with desperate energy. She did not even notice that she was knitting back over the same needle.

"What do you mean, child?" she gasped in a voice that she intended to be calm. "How do you know?"

"Why, what a woman you are!" laughed the girl. "One can't even mention missionary work but you go off into the rhapsodies. Catch me ever getting so cracked on charity as that. But it's true! Your brother was at the station when he got off the train this morning, and he invited him here. I was in your brother's store and saw him, and he's just splendid!—enthusiastically—six feet high and more and carries himself like a regular soldier. Your brother told me to hurry back and let you all know he was coming." She was silent for a few moments, with a self-satisfied smile on her pretty face, then burst out with: "I'm going to set my cap for him. I'm just sick and tired of this poky place, and I always did want to go to Japan and China and them foreign countries."

"Child, child!" remonstrated Keturah. "He's more than twice your age."

"Only forty-five," said the girl perky. "I heard him tell your brother so. That's just the right age in a man. And there's nobody round here can hold a candle to him. I don't believe there are any real handsome women here, and you know, Miss Keturah, a smart girl can do almost anything with a man in a week."

"Maybe he's married, child."

"No, he ain't," for your brother asked him. He keeps house and has a Chinaman."

"I haven't seen so much of you as I hoped," he began as he sat down.

"There's been considerable going on," she said.

"Yes, I have been trying to get a chance to speak with you alone, but this is my first opportunity. Do you remember our last conversation—before I left?"

She did not answer, but her needles began to click more rapidly.

"It was in this very arbor, you remember, twenty-five years ago, I asked you to go away with me, and you said that your father was growing old and needed you and that it would not be right to leave him. Keturah, will you go back with me now? Your father is dead, and your brother is provided for. No one needs you here. The knitting work fell to the ground unheeded, and a warm, rich color stole into her face.

"But I am getting to be an old woman now, and you are in the prime of life."

"Ah, indeed?" quizzically. "I am forty-five, and you are forty-three. Just the same difference between us as there was twenty-five years ago. Will you go back with me?"

But still her conscience made her demur.

"Would not a younger woman do you more good, Charles?"

"I want you, Keturah," the grave voice growing more earnest and tender. "No? You don't mean it?"

"I want you now, I shall want you always. Will you go back with me?"

"Yes."

At the supper table that evening the Rev. Charles Barden looked across at his host.

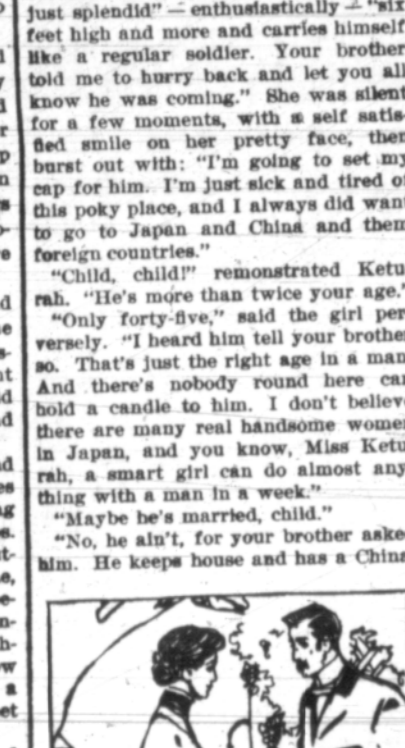
"I believe that I haven't yet told you, John, that Keturah is going back with me," he said composedly.

"No? You don't mean it?" and John Allen looked from one to the other in incredulous amazement. "But really, Charles, I congratulate you. She is a fine woman, if I do say it."

Good seed will not always insure a good crop, but the first step to insure a poor one is to use poor seed.

Do Not Toss the Baby. Tossing a baby is dangerous. Many a child has been attacked with convulsions because of being tossed. Move the baby gently up and down. It will aid his digestion.

The yellow refrigerator car which is so common a sight on all our railroads represents one of the greatest economic changes which ever came to the country and at the same time represents the concrete economic casualty of the wealth and greed of the trusts and the financial hordes of the little shippers.



"I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU, CHARLES," SHE SAID.

"A young man, who recently graduated from one of the best States paid his way through comfortably by money earned in taking stenographic notes and furnishing students with type-written copies."

"This young man took a course at the Holmes' Business College before entering the University, and this training equipped him with knowledge which he was able to turn into money."

"There are hundreds of young men and women in all parts of the country occupying positions of prominence, who were helped up the ladder of life by training received at the Holmes' Business College."

"If you are interested in 'Stories of success from real life' we shall be glad to give you the details."

"Write for our folder. It is worth getting and worth keeping. We will gladly send it to you post-paid if you will send us your name and address."

HOLMES BUSINESS COLLEGE
WASHINGTON & TENTH STS.
PORTLAND, ORE.

Writes direct to Principal, Room 22.

Great Northern Rates
August 7th, 8th and 9th, and September 8th and 10th are dates fixed upon when the Great Northern Railway will have on sale tickets to Chicago and return at rate of \$71.50; St. Louis and return \$67.50; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, Superior or Sioux city and return, \$60. Tickets first class, good going via the Great Northern, returning same or any direct route, stop-overs allowed. For all information address H. Dickson, C. P. & T. A., 122 Third St., Portland.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine tablets. All druggists refund money if it does not cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25¢.

WISSE BROS. OPTICIS
MAIN 2029
3RD & WASH
PORTLAND, ORE.

HILL MILITARY ACADEMY
A private school for boarding and day pupils. Franchise for admission to any college or university. For book-keeping, stenography, shorthand, penmanship, etc. Thorough instruction according to the best methods. Rooms equipped with the latest apparatus. Manual training. The social and educational for the most selected students. Twenty-three years experience. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 11 a. m. at 211 Marine St. Portland, Ore. Catalogue and pamphlet containing list of testimonials, etc., address:

J. W. HILL, M. D.
Principal, Portland, Ore.
P. O. Drawer 15.

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY
Beautifully located in Portland, Oregon, offers unsurpassed facilities for the culture and education of young women. Special opportunities in Music, Art, Languages and Literature. Well equipped Physical and Chemical Laboratories. Herbarium and Mineral Cabinet. The largest and oldest Ladies' Seminary in the Northwest. It enjoys a national reputation for imparting the best physical, mental and moral training and developing true womanhood. Equipped with the latest apparatus. Rooms equipped with all modern conveniences. The institution is liberal and progressive without sacrificing the character and traditions of age and achievement. Terms and conditions of admission and of instruction. Satisfactory references required. Write for announcement booklet. Address: Sister Superior, St. Mary's Academy, PORTLAND, OREGON, U. S. A.

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY
FOREST GROVE, OREGON.
A HIGH-GRADE COLLEGE WITH SUPERIOR EQUIPMENT.
Beautifully located twenty-six miles from Portland. Full regular college courses. Academy gives strong preparatory and High School courses. Conservatory of Music and School of Art, with superior instructors. Business branches taught. Gymnasium and Field Athletics under a Physical Director. Well-equipped Laboratories. Library of 18,000 volumes. Healthful social life; religious influences. All student enterprises active.

THE SCHOOL THAT STANDS FOR THE WRITE FOR CATALOGUE

IMPERIAL HOTEL
Lobby Plan
Washington and Tenth Sts.
Portland, Oregon.
PHIL METSKER, Manager
\$1.00 and Up

This popular hotel has again been honored for the year by the Imperial Hotel Co., whose president, Mr. Phil Metsker, the former manager, during the year has received the highest honor.

IMPROVEMENTS JUST COMPLETED under the direction of Mr. Phil Metsker. The dining room, the bar, the billiard room, the cafe in the main hall, the billiard room for ladies in a convenient location. Free bus service to all trains. Our illustrated booklet tells you all about it and how to get the details. Address: IMPERIAL HOTEL, 403 Washington St., Portland, Ore.

Esmond Hotel
Portland, Oregon.
OSCAR ANDERSON, Manager
Corner Front and Morrison Streets

Free bus to and from trains
Rates by the day
50 c, 75 c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.
European Plan
A Good Clean Family Hotel

Hotel Hood
Four Blocks from Union Depot.
6th and Everett Sts.
New Brick Building Newly Furnished.
Rates 50, 75, \$1 per day
Best accommodations in the city for the money.
P. A. VILES, Proprietor, Portland, Ore.

Vinton Hotel
GRASS VALLEY, ORE.
New Entirely.
Convenient to Business
PRICES REASONABLE
Conducted on Best Principles
Commercial Travels Solicited

M. M. S. POULTRY FENCING.
HAS POINTS OF MERIT WORTHY OF ATTENTION.

The best features of merit in this fencing are found in its multitude of horizontal wires, the galvanized steel, and cable every foot in its height of fence, to say nothing of the connecting mesh wire; this, coupled with its peculiar construction, bars any possibility of its contracting, sagging or narrowing together between posts; doing away with the top and bottom board rail and fully one-half the number of posts ordinarily required, which reduces the actual cost of the completed fence. These items alone insure a saving of fully 50 per cent. to the user, without taking into account the fact that a fence with a top rail must be much higher than one without to be of equal service, for a top rail, being visible, marks the height of the fence and gives obstruction something to light on. It is made of the best galvanized steel wire, smoothly and evenly woven, and retains its full height before as well as after stretching.

Manufactured by the
Pacific Steel and Wire Co.,
Oakland, Cal. Portland, Oregon.

Carmody Bros., Selling Agents,
Flores, Oregon.

Meats and Vegetables
Eatables of all kinds at The Sachs Market
J. H. SACHS McCaleb Building Main Street.

Dealer in all kinds of Fish and Cured Meats, Ham, Bacon and Lard. Fresh Fish every Thursday and Friday. Headquarters for Vegetables and Fruits. Butter and Eggs taken in exchange. Give me a trial order.

JOB PRINTING

DO A LITTLE MISSIONARY WORK IN YOUR idle days by telling your neighbors of the good qualities of The Observer. If you can't get their subscriptions, send us their addresses and we will send them sample copies. We pay for all soliciting you do for us.

C. B. FLOBER
Iron and Wood Working.
HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY.
Machinery Repaired.
Shop on Park Street, Near Pump House.
More - - - Oregon.

SEND US A TRIAL ORDER WE PAY THE EXPRESS

AND SHIP IN PLAIN PACKAGES WITH NO MARKS TO INDICATE CONTENTS

4 BIG FULL QUARTS 4

OF OUR FAMOUS RICH & MELLOW SIX YEAR OLD

STUBBLE RYE

AGED IN THE WOOD \$3.25 MEDICINALLY PURE

GIVE FULL NAME POST-OFFICE AND SHIPPING DIRECTIONS accompanied by EXPRESS or POSTOFFICE ORDER PAYABLE TO

OIC OREGON IMPORTING CO.
195 3RD ST. PORTLAND ORE.

Esmond Hotel
Portland, Oregon.
OSCAR ANDERSON, Manager
Corner Front and Morrison Streets

Free bus to and from trains
Rates by the day
50 c, 75 c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.
European Plan
A Good Clean Family Hotel

THROUGH TOURIST SLEEPERS
EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR.
BETWEEN SEATTLE AND CHICAGO
VIA THE GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

"The Comfortable Way"
Route of the famous Oriental Limited
For detailed information, rates, etc., call on or address
S. G. VERKES, A. G. P. A., Seattle, Washington.
Or H. DICKSON, C. P. & T. A., 122 Third Street, Portland, Ore.

M. M. S. POULTRY FENCING.
HAS POINTS OF MERIT WORTHY OF ATTENTION.

The best features of merit in this fencing are found in its multitude of horizontal wires, the galvanized steel, and cable every foot in its height of fence, to say nothing of the connecting mesh wire; this, coupled with its peculiar construction, bars any possibility of its contracting, sagging or narrowing together between posts; doing away with the top and bottom board rail and fully one-half the number of posts ordinarily required, which reduces the actual cost of the completed fence. These items alone insure a saving of fully 50 per cent. to the user, without taking into account the fact that a fence with a top rail must be much higher than one without to be of equal service, for a top rail, being visible, marks the height of the fence and gives obstruction something to light on. It is made of the best galvanized steel wire, smoothly and evenly woven, and retains its full height before as well as after stretching.

Manufactured by the
Pacific Steel and Wire Co.,
Oakland, Cal. Portland, Oregon.

Carmody Bros., Selling Agents,
Flores, Oregon.

Meats and Vegetables
Eatables of all kinds at The Sachs Market
J. H. SACHS McCaleb Building Main Street.

Dealer in all kinds of Fish and Cured Meats, Ham, Bacon and Lard. Fresh Fish every Thursday and Friday. Headquarters for Vegetables and Fruits. Butter and Eggs taken in exchange. Give me a trial order.

JOB PRINTING

DO A LITTLE MISSIONARY WORK IN YOUR idle days by telling your neighbors of the good qualities of The Observer. If you can't get their subscriptions, send us their addresses and we will send them sample copies. We pay for all soliciting you do for us.

C. B. FLOBER
Iron and Wood Working.
HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY.
Machinery Repaired.
Shop on Park Street, Near Pump House.
More - - - Oregon.

SEND US A TRIAL ORDER WE PAY THE EXPRESS

AND SHIP IN PLAIN PACKAGES WITH NO MARKS TO INDICATE CONTENTS

4 BIG FULL QUARTS 4

OF OUR FAMOUS RICH & MELLOW SIX YEAR OLD

STUBBLE RYE

AGED IN THE WOOD \$3.25 MEDICINALLY PURE

GIVE FULL NAME POST-OFFICE AND SHIPPING DIRECTIONS accompanied by EXPRESS or POSTOFFICE ORDER PAYABLE TO

OIC OREGON IMPORTING CO.
195 3RD ST. PORTLAND ORE.

Esmond Hotel
Portland, Oregon.
OSCAR ANDERSON, Manager
Corner Front and Morrison Streets

Free bus to and from trains
Rates by the day
50 c, 75 c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.
European Plan
A Good Clean Family Hotel

THROUGH TOURIST SLEEPERS
EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR.
BETWEEN SEATTLE AND CHICAGO
VIA THE GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

"The Comfortable Way"
Route of the famous Oriental Limited
For detailed information, rates, etc., call on or address
S. G. VERKES, A. G. P. A., Seattle, Washington.
Or H. DICKSON, C. P. & T. A., 122 Third Street, Portland, Ore.

M. M. S. POULTRY FENCING.
HAS POINTS OF MERIT WORTHY OF ATTENTION.

The best features of merit in this fencing are found in its multitude of horizontal wires, the galvanized steel, and cable every foot in its height of fence, to say nothing of the connecting mesh wire; this, coupled with its peculiar construction, bars any possibility of its contracting, sagging or narrowing together between posts; doing away with the top and bottom board rail and fully one-half the number of posts ordinarily required, which reduces the actual cost of the completed fence. These items alone insure a saving of fully 50 per cent. to the user, without taking into account the fact that a fence with a top rail must be much higher than one without to be of equal service, for a top rail, being visible, marks the height of the fence and gives obstruction something to light on. It is made of the best galvanized steel wire, smoothly and evenly woven, and retains its full height before as well as after stretching.

Manufactured by the
Pacific Steel and Wire Co.,
Oakland, Cal. Portland, Oregon.

Carmody Bros., Selling Agents,
Flores, Oregon.

Meats and Vegetables
Eatables of all kinds at The Sachs Market
J. H. SACHS McCaleb Building Main Street.

Dealer in all kinds of Fish and Cured Meats, Ham, Bacon and Lard. Fresh Fish every Thursday and Friday. Headquarters for Vegetables and Fruits. Butter and Eggs taken in exchange. Give me a trial order.

JOB PRINTING

DO A LITTLE MISSIONARY WORK IN YOUR idle days by telling your neighbors of the good qualities of The Observer. If you can't get their subscriptions, send us their addresses and we will send them sample copies. We pay for all soliciting you do for us.

C. B. FLOBER
Iron and Wood Working.
HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY.
Machinery Repaired.
Shop on Park Street, Near Pump House.
More - - - Oregon.

SEND US A TRIAL ORDER WE PAY THE EXPRESS

AND SHIP IN PLAIN PACKAGES WITH NO MARKS TO INDICATE CONTENTS

4 BIG FULL QUARTS 4

OF OUR FAMOUS RICH & MELLOW SIX YEAR OLD

STUBBLE RYE

AGED IN THE WOOD \$3.25 MEDICINALLY PURE

GIVE FULL NAME POST-OFFICE AND SHIPPING DIRECTIONS accompanied by EXPRESS or POSTOFFICE ORDER PAYABLE TO

OIC OREGON IMPORTING CO.
195 3RD ST. PORTLAND ORE.

Esmond Hotel
Portland, Oregon.
OSCAR ANDERSON, Manager
Corner Front and Morrison Streets

Free bus to and from trains
Rates by the day
50 c, 75 c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.
European Plan
A Good Clean Family Hotel

THROUGH TOURIST SLEEPERS
EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR.
BETWEEN SEATTLE AND CHICAGO
VIA THE GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

"The Comfortable Way"
Route of the famous Oriental Limited
For detailed information, rates, etc., call on or address
S. G. VERKES, A. G. P. A., Seattle, Washington.
Or H. DICKSON, C. P. & T. A., 122 Third Street, Portland, Ore.

O. R. & N. OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC
3 Trains to The East Daily

Through Pullman standards and tourist sleeping-cars daily to Omaha, Chicago, Spokane; tourist sleeping-car daily to Kansas City. Reeling chair-cars (seats free) to The East daily.

PORTLAND DEPT. Lv. Daily. Ar. Daily.

CHICAGO-PORTLAND SPECIAL for the East 2:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.
SPOKANE (stops) 1:15 p.m. 1:15 p.m.
SPOKANE FLYER. 6:15 p.m. 8:00 a.m.
Passes Biggs 10:25 a.m. 8:27 a.m.

For Eastern Washington, Walla Walla, Lewiston, Coeur d'Alene and Great Northern points.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS for the East via coast. 8:15 p.m. 7:15 a.m.
12:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m.

PORTLAND-BIGGS LOCAL for the East 8:15 a.m. 6:00 a.m.
12:00 p.m. 12:15 p.m.

Arrives at Biggs 9:15 a.m. Lv. 12:15 p.m.

SEE Nature's Wondrous Handiwork
DENVER & RIO GRANDE RY.

THROUGH UTAH and COLORADO Castle Gate, Cannon and the Grand, Black Cañon, Marshall and Tennessee Passes, and the World-Famous Royal Gorge.

For Descriptive and Illustrated Pamphlets, write to
W. C. McHERRIDGE, Gen. Agt., 124 Third Street, PORTLAND, ORE.

The Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway
The Milwaukee Pioneer Limited, St. Paul to Chicago.
Overland Limited, Omaha to Chicago.
Southwest Limited, Kansas City to Chicago.

No train in the service of any railroad in the world equals in equipment that of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. They own and operate their own sleeping and dining cars and give their patrons an excellence of service not obtainable elsewhere.

Berths in their sleepers are Longer, Higher and Wider than in smaller cars on other lines. They protect their trains by the Block System.

H. S. ROWE, General Agent, 134 Third St., Portland, Ore.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC CO.
Sunset, Ocean and Shasta Route
EAST via SOUTH

Overland Express trains for Salem, Roseburg, Ashland, Sacramento, Ogden, San Francisco, Stockton, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East. Leaves Portland Union Depot, 8:45 p. m. Arrives 7:25 a. m., daily.

Morning train connects at Woodburn with Mt. Angel and Silverton local. Leaves Portland Union Depot 4:15 p. m., returns 10:45 a. m., daily. Corvallis passenger leaves Portland Union Depot 7:30 a. m., arrives 5:50 p. m. Daily.

Sheridan passenger leaves Portland Union Depot 4:50 p. m., arrives 8:25 a. m. Daily.

Forest Grove passenger leaves Portland Union Depot 10:45 p. m., arrives 1:50 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

PORTLAND OSWEGO SUBURBAN SERVICE AND YAMHILL DIVISION.

Depot, Foot of Jefferson Street. Leaves from Jefferson street depot for Dallas and intermediate points daily, 4:15 p. m. Arrive Portland, 10:15 a. m. The Independence Monmouth Motor Line operates daily to Monmouth and Airline, connecting with S. P. Co's train at Dallas and Independence.

First-class fare from Portland to Sacramento and San Francisco, \$20; berth, \$5. Second-class fare, \$15; second class berth, \$2.50.

Tickets to Eastern points and Europe, also Japan, China, Honolulu and Australia.

CITY TICKET OFFICE, Corner Third and Washington, Phone Main 721. Portland, Ore.

C. W. STINGER, Wm. McMurray, City Ticket Agent. Gen-Pass. Agt.

See Bert Miller, the Monkland mail carrier, and have him take that package to you. His charges are small and deliveries prompt.

THE DALLES, PORTLAND AND ASTORIA NAVIGATION CO.
Regulator Line
Portland, The Dalles and way points

Steamers leave Portland and The Dalles daily except Sunday, arriving at Lyle at 7:30 a. m., connecting with down river boat for Portland and intermediate points.

Leaves Lyle for Goldendale on the arrival of the up river steamer.

Good Accommodations for Teams and Wagons.

For any further information write or call on the nearest Agent, or the General Office at Portland.

THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE
CHICAGO AND THE EAST

When purchasing ticket to Chicago and the West, see that it reads via the Chicago & North-Western Railway. Choice of routes via Omaha or via St. Paul and Minneapolis.

It is the route of The Overland Limited and the direct line to Chicago from the Coast. Four fast daily Chicago trains make connections with all transcontinental trains at St. Paul and Minneapolis.

The Best of Everything.
All agents will ticket via this line.
For further information apply to
W. V. HOLMES, General Agent, C. P. & T. A., 122 Third St., PORTLAND, ORE.

CHICAGO AND THE EAST

When purchasing ticket to Chicago and the West, see that it reads via the Chicago & North-Western Railway. Choice of routes via Omaha or via St. Paul and Minneapolis.

It is the route of The Overland Limited and the direct line to Chicago from the Coast. Four fast daily Chicago trains make connections with all transcontinental trains at St. Paul and Minneapolis.

The Best of Everything.
All agents will ticket via this line.
For further information apply to
W. V. HOLMES, General Agent, C. P. & T. A., 122 Third St., PORTLAND, ORE.