

RAILROAD TIME CARD

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

North Bound

No. 10, 7:47 a. m.
No. 28, 10:24 a. m. (on flag.)
No. 18, 2:33 p. m.
No. 14, 9:00 p. m. (on flag.)

South Bound

No. 17, 2:37 a. m.
No. 15, 9:44 a. m. (on flag.)
No. 19, 3:15 p. m.
No. 27, 5:15 p. m. (on flag.)
No. 9, 7:28 p. m.

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Town Topics

The Observer and the weekly Ore-
gonian both one year for \$2.00.

Louis Webert was a business visitor
in Salem Saturday.

W. J. Flick of the Union district was
here on business Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Sadler was a visitor in
Woodburn Friday evening.

Henry Pardey was among those in
Aurora Saturday from the Hubbard
section.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bents went to
Albany recently to attend the funeral
of Mrs. Bent's nephew, O. L. Biltmore.

"Colonel" W. J. Uppendahl was
among the military men and Ford ex-
perts here on business from Marks
Prairie Friday.

Miss Lizzie Will went to Hubbard
last week to the convention of Sunday
schools for North Marion County. A
convention will probably be held here
in April.

Judge Bingham last week granted a
decree of absolute divorce to Mabel A.
Roseheim of Aurora from Bernhart
Roseheim, restoring her maiden name
of Mabel A. Thomas.

Out of 2850 registrants in Clackamas
county, 34 are delinquent, having failed
to submit their Questionnaires to the
local board at Oregon City. Under the
selective service law, this failure makes
the delinquents deserters, for whom
the government offers a reward of \$50.
In the list of delinquents published by
the local board is the name of Edgar
Smith, of Spokane, formerly of Canby,
Oregon.

ANNOUNCEMENT

January 15, 1918.

Having requests from all over the
county to make the run for State Sena-
tor, I hereby announce my candidacy
for Senator on the Republican ticket
for State Senator, subject to the votes
of the voters of Marion County. Hav-
ing been a resident of this county for
58 years it is not necessary to tell the
people about my past record and occu-
pation, for I think they all know it,
and that is the platform I am going to
run on.

—A. M. LAFOLLETT.

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(Paid adv)

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

When Baby Cries.

Well babies do not cry. When
a baby cries and cries it is in-
variably an indication that it is ill.
When a baby cries himself to
sleep find out why he does so.
An infant may be so uncomfort-
able from frequent handling that
he is made nervous, feverish
even and ill. The nervous sys-
tem of the young child is exqui-
sitely sensitive, and profound sys-
temic disturbances frequently re-
sult from irritation of a child's
nerves. It is the mother's duty
to insist upon having her baby
treated with courtesy. When he
is lying down to rest or content-
edly playing with his toes no one
should be allowed to touch him.
Letting him alone saves his
nervous system from being irri-
tated. "Naughty, fidgety" ba-
bies are made so by their well
meaning caretakers and visitors.
Infants are good when they are
well, and they cannot be well if
they are unnecessarily handled.

The Canby Investment Co. company has
sold the Sutherland mill near Donald to
the Great Western Tie Company of
which W. B. Hawes is manager. The
company have a dozen men at work.

John Matthieu and son Lowell have
been working at the Great Western
Tie Company's Mill, formerly known as
the Sutherland Mill near Donald. E.
R. Feller is running the donkey engine
at the same mill.

The Third Oregon Auxiliary of this
city will hereafter hold its business
meeting on the first Tuesday of each
month at the home of its president
Miss Emma J. Snyder, the next meet-
ing being Tuesday, February 5.

Among the Clackamas County men
classified for military service are the
following: Carl Theodore Sether, Hub-
bard, Class 4; Jacob Fenske, Mack-
sburg 4; Gordon Westberg, Aurora 1,
(Agricultural claim transferred to dis-
trict board).

John Henry Clark of Aurora has been
placed in class 2 by the Clackamas
county local board, Fay Wilson of
Aurora has been placed in Class 2 also,
but his agricultural claim has been sent
on to the district board.

Frank Astman, formerly of Aurora,
but more recently of Canby, has sold
out his business there and has removed
to Tillamook, where he has a spruce
tract which he has sold to the govern-
ment. The timber will be used for
aeroplanes.

Clarence Laverne Stevens of Aurora
has been given a place in Class 1 by the
Clackamas county local board; Ora Hex-
ter Eisele of Boones Ferry in Class 4;
Eugene S. Gribble of Aurora in Class
1; Rudolph William Ritter of Aurora in
Class 4; and Claude Pembroke Brown
of Hubbard in Class 1.

Anson L. Long, well known here, one
of the chief witnesses against Police
Captain Harms of Portland, in the re-
cent investigation on the charge of
pro-Germanism, drunkenness, and gen-
eral unfitness, has resigned as a mem-
ber of the Portland police force to go
in the government service in the spruce
camps.

The following registrants have been
classified, examined, and found fit for
military service: Russell C. Higgin-
botham of Portland, Wm. Lettenmaier
of Hubbard, O. M. Pulley of Hubbard,
W. B. Gill of Woodburn, W. F. Keil of
Aurora, N. Trout of Hubbard, E. D.
Carver of Donald, John Kister of Fargo,
F. Yoder of Hubbard, F. C. Berhorst
of Hubbard, C. B. Barker of Hubbard,
C. M. W. Will of Hubbard, L. A. Will
of Hubbard, O. W. Lindquist of Aur-
ora, J. L. Snyder of Aurora, T. Cronen
of Aurora, and A. W. Daniels of Hub-
bard.

N. C. Wescott, editor of the Aurora
Observer, has been appointed an author-
ized agent of the United States Treas-
ury Department to receive and issue, at
the cost prices named thereon, United
States War Certificate Stamps and
United States Thrift Stamps. During
February War Savings Certificate
Stamps, series of 1918, will be sold at
\$4.13. These will have a maturity val-
ue of \$5.00 on January 1, 1923. This
means that the government pays inter-
est at 4 per cent, compounded quar-
terly, on these stamps, but the interest
and principal \$5.00 is payable at the
same time—January 1, 1923. Send in
your order for stamps by mail or tele-
phone.

Singular Creatures.

"And so, Peter, you spell women
with an 'a'?" said the teacher, cor-
recting an exercise. "Please, sir," was
the reply, "my papa told mamma only
yesterday that women were singular
beings."

Saturday afternoon a very pleasant
surprise party was tendered Mrs. Chas.
Snyder in honor of her seventieth birth-
day. A most enjoyable afternoon was
spent in social converse, songs and mus-
ic, after which delightful refreshments
were served. Those present were Mrs.
Henry Kraus, Mrs. Chris Zimmerman,
Miss Elizabeth Forstner, Mrs. George
Kraus, Mrs. Henry Beck, Mrs. Chas.
Beck, Mrs. Jos. Erbsland, Mrs. Wm.
Kraus, Mrs. Tillie Webert, Mrs. J. M.
Will, Miss Julia Ziegler, Miss Sophia
Ziegler and Leona Will, Diana Snyder,
Aileen Snyder and Chas. Snyder.

Franz Kraxberger, president of the
Macksburg National Rural Credits As-
sociation, has just received notice from
the president of the Federal Land Bank
at Spokane, that United States Rural
Credit bonds are now being offered for
sale in amounts of \$25, \$50, \$100 and up-
wards. These bonds pay 4 1/2 per cent
interest, and are practically free of
taxation. They offer one of the best
forms of investment for the small in-
vestor who cannot afford to take any
risk. All the resources of the United
States and even the land itself are back
of these bonds, which are sold to obtain
the money to be loaned to the mem-
bers of the National Rural Credit As-
sociation.

Beyond Human Control.

Children were discussing "what we'll
do when we get big." One wanted to
be a milkman and ride around. The
second wanted to ride on freight cars
and "make the round things go." The
third could not decide whether to be
a minister or a grocer. The fourth
child, a girl of eleven, did not care to
tell.

"Aw," cried he for whom the minis-
try and confectionery had equal at-
tractions, "you want to get married."

When the boys had run off, the girl's
ambition was confined to her favorite
aunt. "I wouldn't tell them," she said
scornfully. "They couldn't understand.
But, aunt, I want to be a justice of
the supreme court and"—her voice be-
came solemn—"beyond human control."

—Christian Register.

Might Is Right.

"Eme," said the timid highland lov-
er, "I wad kiss ye, but I'm feart ye
wadna let me."

She blushed as red as the sunset, but
did not answer.

"Eme," he repeated timidly, a little
later, "I said I wad kiss ye, but I'm
feart ye wadna let me."

At the third repetition she asked:
"Dae ye min', David, yesterday I
couldna lift a bag of potatoes intae
the cart an' ye lifted them for me?"

"Oh, aye!" he replied.
"Weel, that shows, David," she mur-
mured, "that ye're far stronger than
me!"—London Globe.

Principles of Action.

There are five good principles of ac-
tion to be adopted—to benefit others
without being lavish, to encourage la-
bor without being harsh, to add to
your resources without being covetous,
to be dignified without being super-
cilious and to inspire awe without be-
ing austere.—Confucius.

As a Bad Job.

"What made young Howler give up
the practice of the law?"

"He didn't give it up exactly. So far
as I am able to understand the situa-
tion, the practice of the law gave young
Howler up."—Richmond Times-Dis-
patch.

A Gentle Hint.

He—Then you are not interested in
my welfare. She—No; but if the two
syllables were transposed I'd not only
be interested, but enthusiastic.—Boston
Transcript.

A SIMPLY GOOD LIFE.

In the effort to appreciate va-
rious forms of greatness let us
not underestimate the value of a
simply good life. Just to be good,
to keep life pure from degrading
elements, to make it constantly
helpful in little ways to those
who are touched by it, to keep
one's spirit always sweet and
avoid all manner of petty anger
and irritability—that is an ideal
as noble as it is difficult.—Ed-
ward Howard Griggs.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

The registration books are now open
and voters not already registered should
apply for registration in order that they
may be qualified to vote at the primary
election, May 17, 1918. Voters who
have not voted during the past two
years, or who have changed their resi-
dence to a new precinct must register
again.

Voters living outside incorporated
cities and towns, are required to give
the range, township and section where
they live. Naturalized citizens must
exhibit their papers. Registrar's office
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tf. Mrs. C. S. Wescott.

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