

SUBURBAN NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS IN BRIEF.

LOCAL PORTS AND RAILWAYS

ASTORIA, June 11.—(To The Journal.)—Portland is more vitally interested than Astoria in having this port made a common point on exports by the Union Pacific system.

GRESHAM WORK

Important Improvements on the Base Line Road. GRESHAM, June 11.—A great amount of road work has been done in this section during the past two months and it is still in progress.

THE DALLES.

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ACROSS THE RIVER

Still Not Settled. The School Board has met, and, after talking over the proposition of building a new school for the Woodlawn district, decided not to take any steps in the matter at present.

Left for His Health. Eugene Ferguson, superintendent of the street-cleaning and sprinkling department, has left for St. Martin's Springs, near The Dalles, where he goes in search of health.

CHOICE ROSE THIEVES. Complaint has been made by a large number of residents of the East Side that thieves are again raiding their gardens of all the choicest roses.

ON THE PENINSULA. A "bloomer" social will be given by University Park Assembly, No. 2, United Artisans, at Odd Fellows Hall, University Park, Thursday evening.

Street Is Dangerous. The condition of the elevated roadway on East Morrison street from Union street to East First street is in a very dilapidated condition.

Talk to Band of Mercy. The members of the Stephens School Band of Mercy will be present at the address delivered by Miss A. McGraw of San Francisco this afternoon.

George Benson, aged 39 years, died very suddenly Monday afternoon at his home at Portsmouth.

INTERIOR INFORMATION IN COMPACT STYLE.

EUGENE ECHOES

Veterans Hold a Session—Oregon University's Commencement. (Journal Special Service.) EUGENE, June 11.—The Lane County Veterans' Association met here today for a three days' reunion.

NEW WOOL

(Journal Special Service.) BAKER CITY, Or., June 11.—The largest crop of wool ever produced in Baker, Grant, Malheur and Harney counties was clipped this spring.

FAIRVIEW.

Robert Hofer and Ed Wetmore were in Portland on business Tuesday. E. J. Snow received painful, though not very serious, injuries yesterday.

SALEM BRIEFS

(Journal Special Service.) SALEM, June 11.—In the Circuit Court yesterday, George Beaber, indicted on a charge of aiding prisoners to escape from jail, pleaded guilty to the charge.

SUES FOR DAMAGES.

(Journal Special Service.) BAKER CITY, June 11.—Austin Craig, postmaster at Whitney, has brought suit against the Bank of Sumpter and A. P. Ross, president of the bank, for \$20,000 damages.

ROSE SHOW

Portland Rose Society's Exhibit June 18. Multnomah Field will be a sweet smelling place on June 18 and 19, when the Portland Rose Society will hold its great rose show there.

INDEMNITY REDUCED. (Scripps-McEas News Association.) WASHINGTON, June 11.—Minister Conger, at Pekin, cables the announcement that the powers agree to reduce the amount of the indemnity demanded from China by about \$10,000,000.

Revenue District Changed. The state of Washington has been detached from the internal revenue district of Oregon.

FIR FOR AFRICA. (Journal Special Service.) TACOMA, Wash., June 11.—Immense shipments of fir lumber to South Africa are being resumed.

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Friday, June 26, 11 a. m.—Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Thomas L. Elliott.

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GRAND ARMY OF VERMONT

Is in Session Today at the State Capital. (Journal Special Service.) MONTPELIER, Vt., June 11.—Montpelier is gayly decorated in honor of the Grand Army veterans of Vermont, whose 25th annual encampment is in session here.

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