

THE TELEPHONE-REGISTER.

Thursday, January 9, 1890.

POSTOFFICE HOURS. From 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. From 8:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.

THE MARKET REPORT. Potatoes, young, 7 bushels \$ 8.00

LOCAL AND GENERAL. Rogers Bros., have a change of ad in this issue.

Home-made candy, 15c. per pound, at C. Grissen's.

Try that imported Japan tea at the Red Fort grocery.

Jas. Cook, son of J. F. Cook, is very ill with pneumonia.

Use Gold Medal Borax soap. It is the best, at C. Grissen's.

There were 146 votes cast at the late city election in Newport.

Pearl Top lamp chimneys; large size, 10c. at C. Grissen's.

If you don't take the TELEPHONE-REGISTER you're not getting the news.

Am Shadden and several of the boys went on hunting Monday.

Eleven or eight tramps were domiciled for the night last Friday evening.

Lawyers, councilmen, doctors, editors and Sam Yick have the influenza.

A large number of cuts will appear in the extra devoted to McMinville.

Have you purchased your seats for Hazel Kirk. Reserved seats 50 cents.

Miss Nellie Gardner has been suffering for several days from throat and heart troubles.

When you want a good hotel go to the Commercial house. The finest tables in the valley.

Wm. Martin is all "broke up," the result of the foot race last Wednesday at Independence.

Wanted.—A girl capable of performing all kinds of housework. Enquire at W. T. Booth & Son's.

The TELEPHONE-REGISTER is two dollars per year. Some of our subscribers have forgotten this fact.

The Lower Willamette council will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow, Jan. 23rd in this city, at the Grange hall.

Ike Weir, the champion featherweight was knocked out by Billy Murphy Monday night, in San Francisco.

Our snow, and consequently our fine sleighing, has disappeared. We don't want any more for 90 years.

The Commercial house managed by Mall & Holman, is fast gaining prominence by the good meals given.

Be sure and attend the Matinee Saturday. East Lynn will be presented by the best company ever in McMinville.

Considerable wheat is still held in Portland and the valley, while Eastern Oregon and Washington are about cleared out.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. Cozine's on Friday, the 17th inst. All are invited to attend. N. A. Jacobs, secretary.

The TELEPHONE-REGISTER is always in the lead. The proprietors have both had La Grippe, Russian Influenza, or what you call it.

Mayor Manning has been confined to his house for several days with a severe attack of the grip. He is improving, and will soon be up.

Mrs. Emma Lynch and her little daughter Gladys, of McMinville, are visiting relatives at Cove. She will remain several months.

For Sale—House and two corner lots. The house has 7 rooms, all finished. Barn on lot. Price, \$1,100. Call on T. B. Kay for further particulars.

Grissen & Wagonman commenced cutting ice yesterday morning over on the six reservoir. It is about thick as it ever gets here, being nearly four inches.

\$200,000 to loan by the American Mortgage Co., on farm land, for a term of years. No commission, no brokerage. F. W. Fenton, attorney at McMinville.

The many friends of Mr. R. R. Daniel will be pleased to hear that he has returned with his family to this place much improved in health.—Lafayette Ledger.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The regular meeting of the common council was called to order Tuesday evening Jan. 7th, 1890. Present, Mayor Manning, Councilmen Barnekoft, Bart, Grissen and Wright.

On motion adjourned until Wednesday evening, Jan. 8th, 1890.

Meeting called to order by Mayor Manning. Present, Councilmen Barnekoft, Bart, Grissen, Johnson and Wright.

Minutes of various former meetings read and approved.

Report of judiciary committee on ordinance No. 80 was read and placed on file.

The superintendent of water and electric lights made a verbal report.

On motion the superintendent was ordered to collect the fees for January and to instruct the consumers how to pay the same.

The following bills were allowed: S. A. Manning, trip to Portland \$ 5.00

Ed Helmer, repairing break in wire 1.00

Chas. Lewis, tapping mains 5.50

Kelley Dunn & Co, dynamo oil 6.00

Mrs. Klonek, headboard 5.00

G. Glass, printing 8.75

Telephone-Register, printing 2.40

Carlin & High, hauling 14.25

W. A. Dodge, surveying 49.00

Wm. Ball, lumber 39.64

S. E. Messinger, meals 5.75

O. O. Holson, hardware 22.35

W. A. Dodge, assistant engineer 49.00

Jno. Todd, rock 12.20

Henry Nell, night watch 2.00

A. Q. Teeters, night watch 4.00

Manning & Ungeman, hardware 4.35

C. H. Neal, night watch 14.66

Lee Wright, guard 1.00

J. H. Crow, night watch 20.00

B. A. Habersham, engineer 20.00

P. Barnekoft, telegraph 2.50

Geo. W. Bart, oil, etc. 25.80

G. H. Hemstock, engineer 50.00

P. D. Dodge, assistant engineer 49.00

P. D. Glenn, superintendent 27.85

G. W. Kauffman, salary 34.24

J. T. Spencer, recorder 16.63

Rule 25 was amended to read 7 o'clock instead of 6:30.

The reports of the marshal and recorder were read and placed on file.

COUNTY COURT.

It was ordered that N. Prevost be allowed clothing to the amount of \$10.

In the matter of the petition of John Campbell et al for county road; George Dorsey, J. D. Carter, J. T. Gowdy, viewers; Maloney surveyor, to meet at Smith Stephens' house Jan. 29.

Bond of H. S. Maloney, surveyor, approved.

The clerk is directed to notify all supervisors not reported that their reports must be filed on or before the first day of the February term of this court.

The following judges and clerks of elections were elected:

East Chehalum—Noah Heater, Louis Hoskins, G. R. Bristol, judges; Aaron Mills, Jos. Everest, clerks.

West Chehalum—L. W. Harger, Amos Nelson, J. C. Nelson, judges; J. L. Davis, W. W. Walker, clerks.

North Yamhill—Lee Laughlin, H. F. Bedwell, T. Goodrich, judges; A. D. Runnels, McMillan Roberts, clerks.

Carlton—W. Carle, D. W. Laughlin, W. J. Kutch, judges; Ed Hendrix, D. J. Oida, clerks.

North McMinville—D. Stout, A. J. North, Jacob Wiesecker, judges; J. H. C. Edwards, J. D. McDonald, jr., clerks.

South McMinville—J. W. Cook, S. A. Manning, E. Wright, judges; F. W. Martin, G. W. Jones, clerks.

Bellevue—J. J. Henderson, M. Mulkey, Geo. Oids, judges; Frank Wright, Wilbur Cook, clerks.

Sheridan—C. LaFollette, S. Potter, P. Scroggins, judges; Arthur Branson, B. E. Richter, clerks.

Wheatland—Henry Howitt, Smith Stephens, M. B. Hendrick, judges; C. Robertson, J. R. Forrest, clerks.

Dayton—S. R. Baxter, Fred Crawford, Willis Starr, judges; R. N. Snell, Morris Fletcher, clerks.

Amity—W. H. Harrison, A. M. Wadell, B. H. Springer, judges; E. M. Bridwell, John Watt, clerks.

Lafayette—P. P. Gates, Henry Hobkins, J. J. Hembree, judges; W. W. Nelson, J. N. Hembree, clerks.

Dundee—F. T. Keys, Uriah Badley, D. M. Ramsey, judges; Chas. Vaughn, D. M. Ramsey, clerks.

SUPERVISORS APPOINTED. Dist 4 H. Winslow Dist 25 Joe Kirkwood

" 4 C. Richter " 26 John Morris

" 7 John Cronin " 29 Wm Shuck

" 9 W. Milpas " 31 Hans Nelson

" 12 Jerome Herby " 32 Geo Vinton

" 13 Fred Hinton " 33 J. Anderson

" 14 B. Walker " 34 A. T. Graves

" 16 J. G. Morris " 35 R. Mattison

" 17 Wm. Hoffman " 36 G. Christensen

" 19 J. P. Hood " 38 R. Snell

" 20 W. T. Rash " 40 Joseph Willis

" 21 W. M. Martin " 41 Wm. Martin

" 22 Sigb Robertson " 42 Geo. Johnson

" 33 Frank Fouts " 46 Lorin S. Porter

Following are the bills allowed: ON INDIGENT'S ACCOUNT.

T. M. Waters 30.00

G. W. Dykstra 21.80

T. J. Shadden 26.00

J. E. Richter 25.00

A DETERMINED SUICIDE.

Andrew Christie Steps in Front of a Locomotive and is Horribly Mangled.

A horrible tragedy took place on the railroad track about one mile below Eugene Monday afternoon, the 6th inst., about 2:45 o'clock.

The Eugene local was approaching town and being behind time was running at a high rate, not less than 20 miles an hour, when the engineer, W. J. Sully, was horrified to see a man run from the brush, which was only about forty feet from the track, and plant himself squarely on the track, with arms extended from his body, and his back to the approaching train.

In a second the engineer's hand applied the air brakes and reversed the engine, but it was too late. The ponderous engine struck the man and passed over the body crushing nearly every bone in it.

The body was taken from the forward trucks of the baggage car. The bones in both arms and legs were broken, one foot was partially cut off, one side of the jaw and face was badly crushed and a neck was broken. He breathed but a few times and was dead. The remains of the man, who had thus resolutely committed suicide in a manner about as horrible as could be conceived by the human mind, were placed in the baggage car and brought to Eugene.

The body was identified as that of Andrew Christie. He had stopped at the Minnesota hotel since New Year's day, and paid his board by the day, and on the morning of his death had proffered a \$5 piece in payment but paid scarcely one nickel and a cheap watch was found. A letter was also found, addressed to him from Lowell, Mass., signed "Emma," and was presumably from his sister. About an hour before the occurrence he was talking with Robt. Blair near the scene of the tragedy and claimed that he had been tramping for six months and had not anything for two days. Robt. Blair asked him to go to his house, a short distance away, but the man refused saying he did not wish to trouble anyone. It is hard to conceive why he should have made this statement when only two hours before he had ate dinner at the Minnesota.

One boarder stated that the man seemed absent-minded on that morning, walking fast then stopping suddenly. He was about 35 years of age and was likely of German descent. From the facts developed Coroner Harris did not deem it necessary to hold an inquest, and the body was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at the expense of the county. Christie had undoubtedly committed suicide, but whether insane or not may never be determined.—Guard.

Telescopes Outdone. That wonderful man Edison, is still catching on to some of the Almighty's secrets. His latest is some sort of an electric arrangement that enables one to see from San Francisco to Boston.

To understand it is not vouchsafed the ordinary mind. But we can enjoy the wonderful result, just as we can the duplex wire, the telephone, the phonograph, the telegraph, and other of his wonderful inventions, or rather discoveries. There is no such thing as an invention. What we call an "invention" is just something that the Creator knew all the time, but that one of us down here or up there has just found out. Edison has dropped more of the Almighty's ways and knowledge than anybody else in this century.

If our brethren of the pulpit could just follow his lead, and get some authentic pointers from headquarters, the churches in Astoria or anywhere else couldn't hold the crowds that would flock in. It showed presence of mind, though, on Edison's part, to wait till the afternoon of the nineteenth century before he was born, and began his wonderful inventions. If he had appeared in the east iron past when men dared not express their thoughts for fear that the stake or torture chamber would be their fate, he would have, likely enough, been roasted or drawn apart before this. That new invention of Edison's whereby a man can see afar off will be a good thing for many who buy land on the Nehalem.—Astorian.

Where is Your Boom? The Yaquina Republican New Year's edition was but half its usual size, and here is its reason: "To be consistent with the eternal fitness of things, we have decided on a reform at the begining of the new year, and as a starter we have formed the size of the Republican to correspond with our advertising patronage. When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for us to institute another change by enlarging or diminishing the golden star of country newspaperdom we will not such single without flinch or flinch. Just now it matters little to us which end of the horn comes first. We can make the tack either way with out missing steps and going upon shoals. This, our New Year's issue, presents just as eloquent a commentary upon the business enterprise, prosperity and progress of Yaquina Bay as does the New Year's issue of the Oregonian or the San Francisco Examiner or their respective cities. Yaquina Bay is all right—or will be a hundred years hence when new generations are born."

Oranges in Oregon. Yesterday afternoon E. Balice, who resides within ten miles of this city, in Polk county, came into the Journal office and laid upon our table a beautiful orange that he had just plucked from the tree some three hours beforehand. Attached to the orange is a small portion of the limb upon which it grew, which is covered with smooth, of fair size and very delicious. Mr. Balice says that his daughter owns the tree, and that it very proper encouragement. Let every citizen ask himself this question, "Shall I pay for some of the stock in the road and assist the enterprise and increase the value of our own property two or three fold; or shall I sit idly by and refuse to lend my assistance to that which will not only help me but my neighbor as well?" If each and everyone will answer this question candidly, I am sure every man owning property here will want to assist in securing the road at once. It is urged that every man in this county do all in his power to hasten the day when we shall have quick and rapid transportation.

SLEEPLESS nights, made miserable by that terrible cough, Shillit's Cure has cured. CATARRH cured, health and sweet breath secured by Shillit's catarrh remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. Sold by Rogers Bros.

WEATHER-CROP BULLETIN.

SIKAL OFFICE, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON CITY, January 1, 1890.

TEMPERATURE. The month of December has been unusually warm in all districts east of the Rocky mountains, while the normal temperature prevailed on the California coast, and it has been slightly cooler than normal on the North Pacific coast.

Over the central valleys, extending from the Gulf coast northward to the Lake region and Minnesota, the average temperature for the entire month was about 15 degrees above the normal. In the Lake region and along the Atlantic coast from Virginia to Florida, the average temperature for the month was about 10 degrees above the normal, while in New England and eastern New York the excess of temperature ranged from 3 to 6 degrees.

In the central valleys, as shown by the reports from St. Louis, the warm period began about the 6th and continued until about the 30th, the excess of daily temperature during this period ranging from 10 to 35 degrees, and on no day being less than 10 degrees. In the Southern states, as shown by the reports from Atlanta, the daily temperature during the latter half of the month ranged from 12 to 23 degrees above the normal. At New Orleans, from the 50th to the 30th the daily excess ranged from 11 degrees to 16 degrees.

While the greatest departures from the normal temperature of the month were observed in the Mississippi valley, the thermal conditions were in excess along the Atlantic coast; the warmest period extending from the 15th to the 30th, during which time the daily excess at Washington ranged from 12 to 28 degrees, and at New York from 6 to 25 degrees, the warmest period in this section falling on the 25th and 26th, when it was about 25 degrees warmer than usual.

Only light frosts occurred along the Gulf coast during the month, but on the Pacific coast frosts extended southward as far as San Diego on the 30th and 31st of the month. The most marked cold waves occurred at the close of the month; the lowest temperature observed—22 degrees—occurred on the 30th at St. Vincent, and the line of zero temperature at no time extended south of Iowa or east of Wisconsin.

PRECIPITATION. There has been an excess of precipitation generally throughout the Lake region, Minnesota, eastern Dakota, northern New England, and in California, Southern Oregon and over the plateau regions. The rainfall for the month has been most unusual in California, over 18 inches at Los Angeles and nearly 8 inches at San Diego, which was from three to five times the usual amount for the month. These heavy rains were attended by destructive floods, causing considerable damage to roads and interrupting communication.

Throughout the entire country south of the Lake region, and from Massachusetts southward to Florida, less than the normal precipitation occurred, the month being dry in the Southern states, where the amount in rainfall was from 3 to 5 inches less than usual.

Slight storms passed over the Lake region on the 8th and 9th, 10th and 11th, 16th and 17th, 19th and 20th, 21st and 22d, and 23d to 25th, while more severe storms passed over the same region on the 25th and 26th, and 28th to 30th, they being attended by destructive gales along the Atlantic coast from Hatteras northward and in the Lake region.

A. W. GREELY, Chief Signal Officer.

Real Estate. Lucy E. Bewley, executrix of J. F. Bewley estate, to Roswell L. Bewley, 120.00 acres of the I. N. Branson land claim, 1 5 s, r 6 w; also 138 acres, section 13, 1 5 s, r 6 w; also 124.32 acres, 1 5 s, r 6 w; \$7,648.00.

Lucy E. Bewley to Roswell L. Bewley, 352.58 acres, section 33, 1 5 s, r 6 w; \$2,000.

John J. Gilbert and wife to Daniel J. Gilbert, 300 acres, 1 5 s, r 2 w; \$1,500.

J. E. Magers, administrator of Henry Dunzer estate, to E. L. Weed and Chas. Hopfield, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 24, Rowland's addition to McMinville; \$800.

E. L. Weed et al to M. M. High, lot 4, block 22, Rowland's addition to McMinville; \$475.

Charles Hopfield et al to M. E. Black, lots 1 and 2, block 22, Rowland's addition to McMinville; \$685.

Jesse Edwards and wife to James Bear, 1.36 acres in Newberg; \$175.

R. B. Hayden and wife to Wm. L. Gilson, 40x80 feet of lots 3 and 4, block 3, Rowland's addition to McMinville; \$800.

F. Fisher and wife to Fritz Berg and E. C. Goodman, 166.26 acres, 1 2 s, r 4 w; \$6,000.

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R. W. Lancelotti and wife to F. A. Fletcher, land in section 1 and 12, 1 5 s, r 7 w; \$2,510.

Fred L. Post and wife, C. M. Post and Ames Post 3 acres, 1 5 s, r 3 w; \$300.

T. B. Kay and wife to Isaac Hyman, sw 1/4 block F, Saylor's addition to McMinville; \$150.

Wisdom Millsaps and wife to H. Bailey, T. Longdon and P. M. Scroggin, mill property in Williamson Ia.

Edgar Poppleton and wife to I. N. Branson, land in 1 5 s, r w; \$550.

R. J. Jones and wife to Daniel Adolf, Henry Richter and Gottlieb Newman, 150.50 1 3 s, r 2 w; \$2,250.

J. E. Walling and wife to W. Brown, lots 2, 5, 6 and 6, block 5, Wallings addition to Amity; \$125.

State of Oregon to W. H. Egan, 40 acres, section 14; \$50.

J. S. Robison to Mrs. Julia A. Spencer, 320 acres, 1 5 s, r 3 w; \$4000.

Mrs. Julia A. Spencer to Mrs. C. J. S. Greer, 320 acres 1 5 s, r 3 w; \$4000.

Geo. L. Wood to C. F. Wood and J. B. Wood, 150 acres of Caleb Wood land claim; \$100.

Frank E. Foster to R. S. Churchman, lot 7, block 8, Sheridan; \$60.

What is Castoria? Castoria is Dr. Samuel Pitzer's prescription for infants and children. It contains neither opium, morphine, nor other narcotic substance. It is a harmless substitute for purgative drugs, soothing syrups, and castor oil. It is pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by millions of mothers. Castoria destroys worms and allays feverishness. Castoria prevents vomiting, sour curd, colic, diarrhoea and wind colic. Castoria relieves teething troubles, cures constipation and flatulency. Castoria assimilates the food, regularizes the bowels, cures colic, gives healthy and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's friend.

SHILLIT'S Vitalize is what you need for constipation, loss of appetite, dizziness and all symptoms of dyspepsia. Price 10 and 25 cents per bottle. Sold by Rogers Bros.

GAUNT.—To the wife of Geo. Gaunt, on Sunday, January 12, 1890, a boy.

THE FINE BROWNSVILLE GOODS.

From the Brownsville Woolen Mills, At Actual Cost Price During January!

We will also Offer Bargains in OVERCOATS, C. C. & V. WOOLEN UNDERWEAR, AND ALL WINTER GOODS

In General. We will give Immense Bargains in Children's and Boy's Overcoats, and Men's Shoes.

We will be satisfied if you will see our Goods and Prices before purchasing.

KAY & TODD.

P. S.—All Parties having Accounts with us would confer a favor by settling on or before January 15, 1890.

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