

HEBO.

Wm. Bradford and family left on Monday for Dallas, where they will reside this winter.

There is an unprecedented run of salmon this fall, but unfortunately for the fishermen here, the roads are almost impassable so few teams are hauling, so their sales are limited.

M. J. Edwards returned Saturday from an extended trip to Newberg and other valley towns.

Revs. Ginn and Dollarhide are holding a protracted meeting at Three River school house.

Ed Johnson will leave for California in a few days, where he will remain this winter.

COULSONBURG.

Here we are again after an absence of a few weeks.

Plenty of rain and mud in abundance in this vicinity.

Mr. E. T. Coulson and family visited at C. Mills' of Beaver one day this week.

Mr. A. Poland hauled a load of potatoes to town for N. Coulson Monday.

Quite a number of Beaverites attended church at this place Sunday afternoon.

Messrs M. and E. T. Coulson brought in 30 bu. of apples Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Swab and son Perley have gone to Tillamook to spend a few days.

Misses Abbie and Linnie Coulson visited relatives at Blaine Tuesday and Wednesday.

E. O. Mills of Browns was in our burg one day this week.

Mrs. Will Patrick visited at N. Coulson's Tuesday.

NEHALEM.

Mrs. C. Pye and son returned home on Friday.

Miss G. E. Newell left on Saturday to take charge of a school at South Prairie.

The Rev. Dill and wife are now occupying the house of Giles B. Johnson.

Sunday was a fine day and a large number of people turned out to listen to Elder Waters at the M. E. Church.

Louis Nystrom proved up on Saturday before U. S. Commissioner P. D. Newell.

There was a farewell dance given at the house of Riley Peters in Foley on Saturday night, given for the benefit of Miss Madeline Wade and Miss Ethel Hoskins.

Miss Wade has just completed a successful term of school there and Miss Ethel is going to Astoria to attend school.

It appears that the road work being done on Necarney mountain is subscription work and the road fund is not yet being used.

On Friday a fellow decamped from Blackburn's camp with a valuable revolver and a pair of pants belonging to other parties. He was followed, overtaken, brought back, and the articles recovered and then he was hauled over the line into the next county.

WOODS.

School commenced here last Monday with Miss Minnie Nelson as teacher.

A. A. Still makes regular trips to Salem with salmon once a week.

The citizens from Woods and vicinity are having fine fun trolling on the river. Some report from ten to fifteen in a few hours.

Mrs. G. J. Shaw has been quite sick the last week, but is improving fast.

Frank Wilehart has had a severe attack of the grippe, but is able to be on the streets again.

Wm. Raleigh and M. Patter, of Sheridan, are at the Park for a few weeks duck shooting.

The F. M. & A. will give an entertainment and dance in the near future.

Mr. Waymire will organize a singing class here for the winter.

Frankie Weatherby has a nice house under headway and nearing completion. George says Frankie has advertised for a house keeper.

Mr. Pollard is negotiating with Andy Heater for the purchase of one of his lots opposite Woods, and its successful will build a nice residence.

Kubo Bros. are getting out lumber for the erection of a cheese factory at Mr. Jensen's place, who will be prepared to buy milk by the first day of May. They have all of the machinery on hand to operate the factory.

Mr. J. J. Lency is selling out his stock of goods at last, and as soon as sold out will retire from business in Woods.

Misses Helenbrand, Sursinger, Fletcher, Dickens, and Gage, of Little Nestucka, were visitors at Woods last Saturday.

Jacobs has been in Woods the past week trying to sell out a bankrupt stock. The merchants here would not bite, but some of the ranchers did.

Uncle Geo. Collins left for the Valley on Monday with a load of 72 ducks and geese, the result of two days' shooting on the bay. He remained here five days, and he said besides killing 72 ducks and geese, he loaded two wagons with salmon he caught with a troll.

Thomas Shillinglaw and Wm. Wolf were in from Sand Lake Monday, buying their winter supplies.

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT.

Of the County Clerk of Tillamook county, State of Oregon, showing the amount and number of claims allowed by the County Court of said county, for what allowed, amount of warrants drawn, and amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid, from the 1st day of April, 1898, to the 30th day of September, 1898, both inclusive.

Table with 4 columns: ON WHAT ACCOUNT ALLOWED, No. of Claims Allowed, Amount of Claims Allowed, Amount of Warrants Drawn. Rows include Salary of County Clerk, Deputy Clerk, Sheriff, County Judge, Commissioners, Treasurer, School Supt., Assessor, Surveyor, etc.

Total amount claims allowed and drawn 14,111 22 14,111 22

AMOUNT OF OUTSTANDING WARRANTS UNPAID.

Table with 3 columns: DATE, LIABILITIES, AMOUNT. Rows include Outstanding unpaid County Warrants on the 30th day of September, 1898, Estimated interest accrued thereon, etc.

Total amount of unpaid County Warrants \$39,726 86 \$2500 00

SEMI-ANNUAL SUMMARY STATEMENT.

Of the County Treasurer of Tillamook County, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 30th day of September, A.D., 1898.

Table with 3 columns: DATE, LIABILITIES, AMOUNT. Rows include SEPT. 30—To warrants drawn on the County Treasurer, and outstanding and unpaid—General Fund, To estimated amount of interest accrued thereon, etc.

Total liabilities \$52,837 43

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Of the County Treasurer of Tillamook County, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 30th day of September, A.D., 1898, of money received and paid out, from whom received and what source, and on what account paid out.

Table with 3 columns: AMOUNTS RECEIVED, FROM WHAT SOURCE RECEIVED, GENERAL FUND, SCHOOL FUND. Rows include To amount on hand from last report, To amounts received from State, County Sheriff, County Clerk, etc.

Total \$26,205 71 \$6,590 86

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Of the amount of money and warrants received for taxes, and money paid to the County Treasurer by the Sheriff of Tillamook, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 30th day of September, 1898.

Table with 3 columns: TO AMOUNTS RECEIVED, DURING THE MONTH OF, April, May, June, July, August, Sept. Rows include In coin & currency, In county warrants, Cash on hand, Warrants on hand, etc.

Total received \$6,443.81 \$1,179.16 \$2,143.51 \$4,425.54 \$5,011.35 \$3,590.08

Total paid Treas. \$7,443.81 \$1,179.16 \$2,143.51 \$4,425.54 \$5,011.35 \$3,590.08

State of Oregon, County of Tillamook, SS. I, H. H. Alderman, Sheriff of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct and true.

Witness my hand this 4th day of October, A.D. 1898. H. H. ALDERMAN, Sheriff of Tillamook county.

FASCINATING FIRE ENGINE.

There is a Never-Failing Attraction About It in Whatever Phase It May Be Seen.

"There is something fascinating always," said Mr. Goslington to a New York Sun man, "about a steam fire engine. I could stand and watch one by the hour, and I find plenty of people that feel just the same way about it, and we, that is to say, the people that love the fire engine, can do that if it isn't doing a blessed thing but just standing in the street. What I mean is this: 'I happened the other day to see a fire that was over in a minute; men put it out without throwing a stream on it. But this engine that I speak of hooked on to a hydrant and was ready to throw water if it was needed. It wasn't, and they took off the suction, put it back in place on the engine, and drew the fire, and then stood there just waiting to be ordered home; driver up and everything all ready.'"

"But the people looking on didn't go. From the time the engine had halted at the hydrant they had been standing around on the sidewalk, a crescent-shaped fringe of men and boys; and they remained immovable now, myself among them, when it was all over but the going home. The engine was fascinating still, with its three powerful horses, with its burnished smoke-stack and fittings, and its hissing steam, and its suggestion of power everywhere, and we just stood there and looked at it, and waited five minutes, I guess, maybe as long as ten, just to hear the bell clang and see the driver gather up the reins and turn the great team and start off on the way back to the house."

WANTED FLOWERS.

But the Congressman Informed Her That He Had to Draw the Line Somewhere.

A certain southern congressman was heard entertaining a company of his colleagues last week in the democratic cloak room of the house with an account of an unusual experience, says the Washington Post. "During the woman suffrage convention," said he, "several ladies from my district were present. Early in the convention one of them came to the capitol, called at my committee room, and requested an interview, which was readily granted. She stated that the woman suffrage delegates were to have some sort of a public meeting, in which she was to participate, and requested that I should provide a floral tribute to be presented to her on that occasion."

"I was naturally somewhat taken aback at the suggestion. I supposed in the course of my 12 years in congress that I had exhausted about every variety of duties that a member of the house is called upon to perform. I have always been ready and willing to run errands for my constituents, for which at home my office boy would have sufficed. I have catered to the whims of office-seekers. When my constituents have come to me hungry I have fed them, and when they have come shelterless I have given them lodgings. I have taken my political supporters to the theaters by hundreds, but I was forced to inform my lady visitor that I must draw the line at bouquets."

MANNERS OUTSIDE THE NAVY.

An Instance Showing That Old Sea Dogs Have Little Respect for Land Lubbers' Ways.

The ordinary seaman's respect for rank and station when not connected with his beloved vessel is decidedly meager, says a writer in an article entitled "On a Man-of-War." When the president of the United States visits one of our men-of-war he is received at the gangway by the admiral, commanding officer, and all of the officers of the ship in full uniform, the crew at quarters for inspection, the marine guard drawn up with the band on the quarter deck, the national flag is displayed at the main, the drummer gives four duffles, the band plays the national air and a salute of 21 guns is fired. The same ceremony also takes place on his leaving.

On one occasion the president visited one of the ships informally, dispensing with the salute and ceremony, when one of the men rather indignantly asked another who that lubber was on the quarterdeck that didn't "douse his peak" to the commodore. "Choke your luff, will you," was the reply; "that's the president of the United States." "Well! Ain't he got manners enough to salute the quarterdeck if he is?" "Manners! What does he know about manners? I don't suppose he was ever out of sight of land in his life."

COOLNESS OVER THE FLAG.

Flung to the Breeze in the Night, It Sent Terror to a Friend's Heart.

There is a painful coolness between two women who live in a big apartment house uptown, and an American flag is at the bottom of it. The flag is a huge affair, made of bunting. The woman who owns it says in extenuation that her husband bought it, and that you know how men are about buying things. It came home late one evening last week, and its patriotic owner insisted on flinging it to the breeze at once, that it might have all night. Accordingly the pole was fixed to the window sill, and Old Glory streamed out into the night, says the Washington Post.

The woman who occupies the apartment immediately under the window from which the flag hung is a very nervous person. That night she was awakened by a soft, swishing sound against the window. It was like the rustle of a garment, and the nervous woman

thought first of burglars and secondly of ghosts. She was afraid to get out of bed to look out of the window, but she huddled up with her back to the wall and shivered the night away.

Again and again she was sure she heard soft, ghostly fingers at the window. She could feel her hair turning white. She says she didn't sleep a wink. After 30 or 40 hours, she says, morning came, and she ventured to the window and raised the blind. There hung the flag, flapping against the window with every breeze.

The nervous woman is courageous by daylight. She drew a table to the window, climbed upon it, pulled the window down from the top, and, reaching out as far as she could, calmly proceeded to cut the end of the flag off. The woman who owns it says that anybody who would mutilate her country's flag is a traitress, and the woman who did it says that some people haven't the sense they ought to have been born with, and, as I began by saying, there is a marked coolness up at that apartment house.

LETTERS TO SPAIN.

How Communications Must Be Sent These War-Time Days—Cannot Be Sent Direct.

"Of course all communication with Spain and Cuba, so far as mail is concerned, has been suspended," explained a post office official to a Washington Star reporter, "but that does not mean mail from other countries is cut off. For instance, our post offices return all letters addressed to Spain or Cuba with a stamp thereon to the writers, informing them of suspended mail arrangements. A letter, however, can be got to Spain or any of its possessions except Cuba, which is blockaded against all comers, by a little diplomacy and tact. If a letter is sent to Canada or London, or indeed any British possession, and mailed there, it will be sent to any Spanish possession, for there is no interruption with the mail arrangements except directly between this country and Spain. By the same arrangement any letter can be sent to this country from any Spanish possession if the precaution is taken to have it sent to London and remailed there, under a British stamp. With Cuba, however, mail communication is cut off as clean as a whistle, and the world has been officially informed by the regular formal proclamation that there is a blockade in existence there, and that no vessel will be allowed to land there, notwithstanding the terms of the International Postal union, a proviso to which arranges for just such a condition of things, war, as now exist. The Cuban is not a ready letter writer, and he can stand any deprivation as regards his mail. Indeed, he is just about as happy when he gets it or not. There has been but very little mail communication between Cuba and Spain until during the past couple of years, during which there has been a very large force of Spanish soldiers there. This has perceptibly increased the mail."

MUST FEED STATESMEN WELL.

Cooks of Washington Hold the Fate of a Presidential Administration in Their Hands.

"My supreme social effort has been accomplished, and I am nothing but a wrungout rag left to tell the tale," writes "A Cabinet Member's Wife" in the Ladies' Home Journal in her series of letters giving her experiences in Washington. "I'm tired enough to go to bed by the time breakfast is over. Do you suppose I am catching laziness? It's in the air. By the supreme effort I mean my cabinet dinner, the last one of this season, and the first state affair to follow Lent and Easter. There is no set time nor rule governing these dinners. This year the cabinet ladies got together and decided to divide the honor equally among them, half of our number entertaining each year, consequently I will only give two cabinet dinners during the administration. Everything went off smoothly owing to Lem and a good caterer. The truth is, Lyde, the servants make or mar an administration. Tariff and currency are of importance, but good domestic service is a necessity. If I were lobbying for a bill I would first feed well the house and senate."

They Wouldn't Draw.

Planted before a big case of Chinese ceramics in the Metropolitan Museum, New York, the other day, stood three elderly women of the homespun brand. The ceramics were teapots of the most non-utilitarian design, and, if you will believe it, the three women were "choosing" which they would take if they were vouchsafed to them to take any—just as children do before the shop windows at holiday time. The women were in dead earnest. After each had picked out one she would rather have above all others, they proceeded to select those "next to" the original choice. Their speech waxed warm and loud in the interested and important discussion, and, much to the entertainment of the stray bystanders, "Well, there's one thing," cried one of the three, at last, "not one of 'em looks as though 'twould draw."

A Tab on Millionaires.

British millionaires die at the rate of three in a year. During the ten years 1887-1896 32 millionaire estates were approved for death duty. The estates involved an aggregate personality of £31,670,000, so they averaged in value over £1,500,000.

Surveying by Photography.

Surveying by photography is gaining ground. Over 50,000 square miles have been photographically platted and surveyed by the surveyor-general of Canada.

Lunatics as Inventors.

It is a curious circumstance that some of the most important inventions have been discovered by lunatics.

R. & N.

Union Depot, Sixth and J Streets.

TWO TRAINS DAILY FROM ALL POINTS EAST.

FAST MAIL ROUTE.

Leaves for the East via Walla Walla and Spokane daily at 7:30 a.m. Arrives at 10:35 a.m. Leaves for the East via Pendleton and Huntington daily at 7:30 a.m. Arrives at 10:35 a.m.

THROUGH PULLMAN AND TOURIST SLEEPERS.

Water lines schedule subject to change without notice.

OCEAN AND RIVER SCHEDULE.

OCEAN DIVISION. Steamships sail from Astoria each month for San Francisco. Geo. W. Elder sails October 4, 11, 20 and 29. Columbia sails October 5, 14 and 23. State of California sails October 8, 17 and 26.

COLUMBIA RIVER SUMMER SCHEDULE DIVISION.

PORTLAND, ASTORIA AND THE COAST. Steamer R. R. Thompson leaves Portland daily, except Sunday, at 8 p.m., on Saturday at 10 p.m. Returning, leaves Astoria daily, except Sunday, at 8 a.m.

WILLAMETTE RIVER ROUTE.

PORTLAND AND SALEM. Steamer Ruth, for Salem and way points leaves Portland Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 a.m.

YAMHILL RIVER ROUTE.

Steamer Madoc, for Dayton and way points leaves Portland Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 a.m. Returning, leaves Dayton for Portland and way points Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 a.m.

Steamer Almola leaves Riparia Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 1:45 a.m., after arrival of train from Spokane and Portland. Leaves Lewiston, returning, Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1:45 a.m.; after arrival of train from Spokane and Portland. Leaves Lewiston Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 6 a.m.

W. H. HURLBURT, General Passenger Agent. V. A. SCHILLING, City Ticket Agent. Telephone (Main) 712.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A. O. U. W.—Meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month at 7:30 p.m. in Woodmen Hall. W. M.; T. Steinhilber, G. N. Drew, Recorder.

BAV TERT, No. 55, K. O. T. M.—Meets on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month at 8:00 p.m. at Woodmen Hall. T. Handley, Com.; John Day, R. K.

MORNING STAR BREWERY LODGE, No. 52, I. O. O. F.—Meets on the first and third Wednesday evenings in each month at 8:00 p.m. at Woodmen Hall. G. N. Drew, Sec.; Miss L. Foland, V. G.; Joe Petre, Sec.

G. A. R.—Meets on the first Saturday of each month at 1 p.m. in I. O. O. F. Hall. C. N. Drew, adjutant; W. H. Reynolds, commander.

I. O. O. F.—Meets every Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. in I. O. O. F. Hall. C. N. Drew, Sec.; Wm. Olsen, rec. secretary; W. J. May, permanent secretary.

ALDER CAMP, No. 210, W. of W.—Meets every Friday night in W. of W. hall. T. Coates, com.; Otto Heins, clerk.

A. F. & A. M.—Meets the first Saturday night of each month in Masonic Hall. T. B. Handley, W. M.; Geo. Handley, secretary.

JOHNSON CHAPTER, No. 24—Meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Saturday of each month at Masonic Hall. J. D. Edwards, H. P.; W. W. Conder, secretary.

SILVER WAY CHAPTER, No. 13, O. E. S.—Meets second and fourth Saturdays of each month. Luella Ford, W. M.; Carl Kundson, secretary.

ALDER CIRCLE, No. 41, W. of W.—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, in W. of W. hall. G. N. Drew, H. Alderman; Mrs. C. Waldvogel, clerk.

UNITY BREWERY LODGE, No. 51, I. O. O. F.—Meets second and fourth Saturdays of each month. Gus Nelson, W. M.; C. H. Hicks, N. G.; Mrs. Frank Long, V. G.; J. J. Pye, secretary.

BAV CITY LODGE, No. 102, A. F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Saturdays in each month. Gus Nelson, W. M.; Wm. Maybel Kiger, A. M.; C. H. Hicks, secretary.

MIRIAM CHAPTER, No. 20, O. E. S.—Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month. Mrs. Ella Wood, W. M.; Gus Nelson, W. P.; Mrs. Maybel Kiger, A. M.; C. H. Hicks, secretary.

BAV CITY LODGE DIRECTORY. PACIFIC LODGE, No. 105, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday before and fourth Saturday, and every other Saturday in the month. C. H. Hicks, N. G.; Alfred Deane, V. J.; J. Pye, secretary.

Secretaries will please notify us of any change in the names in this list.

DIRECTORY.

COUNTY OFFICIALS:

Table listing County Officials: Judge, Commissioner, Clerk, Sheriff, Treasurer, Assessor, Surveyor, School Superintendent, Coroner, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, County Clerk, etc.

PRECINCT:

Justice of the Peace, Constable, Mayor, Council, Recorder, Treasurer, Marshal.

SCHOOL BOARD

Claud Thayer, B. L. Eddy, and A. Edmunds.—Clerk, Tom Coates.

MAIL SCHEDULE.

FILLAMOOK AND NORTH YAMHILL: Leave N. Yamhill daily except Sunday 8 p.m. Arrive Tillamook next day 4 p.m. Leave Tillamook daily except Sunday 6 p.m. Arrive N. Yamhill next day 12 p.m.

TILLAMOOK AND HOBSONVILLE: Leave Tillamook daily except Tuesday 9:00 a.m. Arrive Hobsonville 11:00 a.m. Leave Hobsonville, except Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. Arrive Tillamook 12:00 p.m. Leave Hobsonville Sundays 9:00 a.m. Arrives in Tillamook 12:00 p.m.

NETARIS: Leaves Tillamook Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. Arrives Netaris 11:00 a.m. Leaves Netaris, same days, 6:00 a.m. Arrives Tillamook by 6:00 a.m.

GRAND RONDE: Leaves Grand Ronde daily except Sunday at 5 p.m., or on arrival of mail from McMinnville. Arrives at Tillamook at 1:45. Leaves Tillamook daily except Sunday at 4 p.m., or on arrival of mail from McMinnville which is usually 4:30. Arrives at Grand Ronde at 1:45.

Post Office hours, 7:30 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. Money Order department, 8:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. Sunday 4:00 to 6:00 P. M.