

ALARMING AMOUNT OF TRUANCY

Astoria One-half the Children Are Not in the Public Schools, It is Said.

(Morning Astorian.)
There are only about 1300 pupils in the Astoria public schools now although it is estimated that many more ought to be in attendance. The question of the number of pupils in attendance raises an interesting problem which the board of education will probably have to contend with next year far more vigorously than ever before. The population of Astoria is just about 15,000; by the usual method of computing the number of children of school age there should be at least 4000 pupils between the ages of 4 and 20; or, conservatively, there should be approximately 2500 children over 6 years of age enrolled in the schools. Hence there were, apparently, hardly more than one-half actual attendance; one child in every two either running the streets or working somewhere.

New Notices.
Napoleon Davis, Cleone; Thad week, D. W. Wakefield, Portland.

Crook county is entitled to a railroad, and the one it ought to get is the Corvallis and Eastern. Only 30 or 40 miles would give it connection with the finest valley in the world.

Sore Nipples.
Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

Before you condemn learn what things are.

When you need to take something take it promptly for the stomach, but take something you know is reliable—something like Kodol for Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Kodol is pleasant to take, it is reliable and is guaranteed to give relief. It is sold by all druggists.

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and those sharp, shooting, agonizing pains drive you almost crazy, take Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and get relief. They drive out the pain by their soothing effect upon the nerves. When taken as directed they are harmless, and leave no bad after-effects. That's the reason they are so popular with all who use them. Your druggist can tell you what others in your locality think of them.

"I do positively think that Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are the best medicine ever put upon the market. I find them so restful and soothing, and without any bad after-effects. I have suffered with neuralgia so that my system would just ache and quiver, and I cannot take opiates; but I can take these tablets, and they always relieve me. No one that suffers with neuralgia need fear to take them as I know they will not form a habit, for if there was any opiate in them I could not take them. Just one in the morning when I feel bad, and I can do my work all day."
MRS. W. H. BURKETT, Macon, Ga.
Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it fails, he will return your money. 25 doses, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk.
Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

JURY LIST FOR CIRCUIT COURT ISSUED

The following is a list of those selected for jury duty during the July term of the circuit court:
Charles F. W. Brown, Salem, painter; J. J. Ryan, Butteville, farmer; C. W. Whitney, Woodburn, farmer; M. A. Badlong, Salem No. 4, teamster; John Shafer, Turner, farmer; E. J. Sauter, Salem No. 4, mason; C. H. Hinges, Salem No. 2, merchant; W. L. Jones, Jefferson, farmer; J. J. Coyle, St. Paul, farmer; F. W. Steusloff, Salem No. 1, butcher; Henry Fry, Aurora, barber; L. E. Libby, Jefferson, farmer; B. J. Miles, Liberty, fruit grower; Julius C. Wolf, Silverton, hop buyer; Chas. Evans, Salem No. 7, barber; J. C. Misterick, Liberty, farmer; E. Shepard, Stayton, farmer; W. J. Dawls, Scotts Mills, farmer; Edward A. Finney, Brooks, farmer; Steve Seifer, Mt. Angel, farmer; F. I. Carter, Sublimity, farmer; G. W. Hubbs, Silverton, real estate; F. H. McCormick, Sidney, farmer; Thos. Cronise, Salem No. 3, photographer; Jos. Zuber, Stayton, farmer; W. J. Smith, Breitenbush, timberman; J. W. Roland, Salem No. 4, insurance; John Porter, North Silverton, farmer; A. A. Lee, Salem No. 4, abstractor; F. B. Southwick, Salem No. 1, carpenter.

ENLARGING THE MEDFORD THEATER

(Medford Tribune.)
Manager Hazelrigg is receiving bids today upon the rebuilding of the Medford opera house at a cost of several thousand dollars. The plans call for an increased seating capacity, a sloping floor and an enlarged stage. The present structure will be entirely remodeled and the latest finishing and decorations added. Opera chairs will replace the primitive seats now in use. The present gallery will be torn out and a more modern one built. The stage will be made large enough to stage any opera that may come here, and the wings be extended for dressing rooms and scenery. Ten-year contracts have been made with both the theatrical trust and the vaudeville trust, so that all attractions touring the coast can be secured here.

Let them who are without sin get married.



More proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saves woman from surgical operations.
Mrs. S. A. Williams, of Gardiner, Maine, writes:
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For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?
Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Don't find fault,—you may have babies of your own.

When you need a cough cure you need one that will cure your cough. Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure, will do it. All druggists sell it for 25 cents.

Proposals Invited.

Proposals invited for supplies for the Oregon state penitentiary for the period ending December 31, 1908. Sealed proposals for drugs, dry goods, groceries, butter, leather and findings, hardware, flour and meat will be received at the office of the superintendent of the state penitentiary, until Friday, June 26th at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time they will be opened.

A deposit of \$200 in cash or certified check, payable to the superintendent, must accompany each bid for meat and flour, and all other bids must be accompanied by an amount equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the bid.

Samples to accompany all bids where practicable. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to accept or reject any portion of a bid. On each envelope should be inscribed the nature of the bid. Goods of Oregon manufacture or production will receive preference, other things being equal.

All goods and supplies must be delivered to the penitentiary within twenty (20) days after the contract is awarded.

Schedules of the various lines of goods to be bid on will be furnished upon application to the superintendent.

Vouchers will be issued for payment on the first of the month following the completion of contract, and monthly on continuous contract.

C. W. JAMES, Superintendent, Oregon State Penitentiary, Salem, Or., June 9, 1908. 6-10-13-15-20-25.

Annual Session Oregon Christian Missionary Society, Turner, Oregon, June 23-July 5th, 1908. For the above occasion a rate of one and one-third fare will be made by the Southern Pacific Company on the certificate plan. John M. Scott, A. G. P. A.; Wm. McMurray, G. P. A. 6-20-08

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YOURS VERY TRULY,
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