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STRICKLAND WAS FOUND.

Murderer of Rising Near La Grande Found in Wyoming.

James Strickland, supposed to be the murderer of Rising, near La Grande, in 1892, as a dispatch from Cheyenne says:

The crime is seldom covered up so over more evident than in a case that has just come to light at Rawlins, Wo. James Strickland has been a popular resident of that place for five years, and not until a few days ago did the citizens of that town suspect that he was other than what he claimed to be. Last Thursday an officer arrived in Rawlins from La Grande, Or. He notified the authorities that he wanted James Strickland, whose right name is James Palmer, on the charge of murder. Strickland was promptly placed under arrest.

The Oregon officer states that Palmer shot and killed a man named Rising at La Grande, on June 19, 1892. Palmer admits this, but claims the killing was in self-defense, while the officer says it was cold-blooded murder. Palmer suspected his wife of intimacy with a man named Ott. Following close to a camp meeting on the night of the tragedy, Palmer lay in wait until his wife and Ott came out. Mrs. Palmer learned that her husband was in hiding and changed clothes with a Mrs. Montgomery, who was in the company of Rising. The four came from the meeting together, Mrs. Palmer and Ott in the lead. When near Palmer's hiding place, he jumped out, took a hurried look at the first couple and saying, "I don't want you," passed on to Mrs. Montgomery and Rising and shot the latter dead, supposing in the dark that Rising was Ott. Palmer fled from La Grande and came to Rock Springs, Wyo., and afterwards removed to Rawlins. While there he married a Mrs. Anna Bates. Palmer returned to Oregon without requisition papers.

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PEEBLER'S ELECTION IN DOUBT.

His Plurality Will Be Small—Might Be Changed by Official Count.

Present figures on the county treasurer are:

Republican county committee's concession, 15; democratic county committee's claim, 19.

This is getting down to a very small margin, and it may be wiped out by the official canvass which must be made before the exact figures are known on all officers. After the returns were received from Mountain precinct, the vote stood exactly even, Peebler and Yates having the same number of votes from all precincts which were in. The remaining precincts probably gave Peebler a small majority. Accepting the claims of the republican committee, that Mountain precinct gave Yates a majority of 24, this was the situation—"an even break."

Following that, Alba precinct came in with a majority of something like 8 for Peebler, Yoakum gave him one or two, Vinson about five, Hogue a small majority and the result was a claim by the democrats of 19 for their man.

Everyone will understand that the figures on all candidates coming as they do over 'phone and brought by many individuals from all parts of the county and the totals being made up in great hurry and amid constant excitement errors may be made at any time and it is possible that such mistakes may have been made that the final canvass may alter the result. Although Peebler is probably elected the democrats are not refusing to admit that it is by no means settled and will not be prior to the official canvass.

Hailey is surely elected. The figures given late Tuesday evening have been increased in his favor by the returns that have come in later from such precincts as had not then been heard form. His margin in Morrow county was 26. In this county, he was given 43 Tuesday evening at the time the East Oregonian went to press. Then word came from Alba that he received a majority in that precinct, small majority in Hogue, additional majority in Vinson and a good big majority in Mountain, with more majorities in Ruddock and Yoakum. His majority in the district will be something over 100.

Blakley's majority was increased by the later returns which was 889 when the East Oregonian closed the returns of the day on Tuesday. Alta's vote was 44 to 14 in his favor and other precincts increased it slightly. But it is reasonably sure that his majority in the county will be more than 900.

Maloney's big majority was also increased by the later returns and he will have more than 600 probably when the count is final.

Hartman also has more than he had reported Tuesday evening.

In fact, all the later returns increased the majorities of the democratic candidates who were then given out as having obtained a majority.

The most of the precincts which were not in Tuesday evening will not be known until the vote is canvassed. In most instances the ballots and election sheets were all put into the boxes and sealed up for transmission to the court house, and no one took off the figures as to results. The returns therefore received later Tuesday evening are given from memory by persons coming in, and that is the reason the result cannot be said to be certainly known prior to the official canvass.

People continue to wonder at the remarkable discrepancy between the republican state and congressional tickets and the county ticket. It is without precedent almost in the whole country.

PENDLETON WAS HOSPITABLE.

Good Words from Those Who Attended the Session of the Women's Clubs.

The ladies of La Grande, says the Chronicle, who attended the first biennial session of the Women's Clubs of Oregon which was held in Pendleton last week, speak in the highest terms of their entertainment. The ladies of Pendleton spared neither pains or expense to entertain their guests, who were from all parts of the state.

Friday afternoon carriages were provided to take all to the Indian school in the reservation, where they were entertained by the pupils of the Indian school, a very nice picnic dinner was served by the ladies of Pendleton.

The delegates from the Neighborhood Club were Mrs. R. Smith and Mrs. Ivanhoe. For the Tuesday Musical, Mrs. Robert Lyle and Miss Anson. The visitors from the La Grande clubs were Mrs. Frann and Miss McKennon.

Mrs. Spaulding, corresponding secretary of the federation, and Mrs. Turner Oliver, one of the board of directors, were in attendance. Mrs. J. M. Berry and Miss Fannie McKennon were guests.

WHITMAN COMMENCEMENT.

Addresses to Be Given by Dr. Nixon, of Chicago, on Tuesday Next.

The commencement exercises of Whitman college will begin tomorrow evening, with the "ensemble concert" by conservatory pupils, the following exercises being:

Friday, June 8, at 8 p. m., recitals of conservatory pupils.

Saturday, June 9, academy graduation.

Sunday, June 10, 10:30 a. m., baccalaureate sermon by the president, Rev. S. B. L. Penrose, D. D.; sermon before the Christian societies by Rev. H. C. Mason, of Pullman.

Monday, June 11, prize oratorical contest.

Tuesday, June 12, annual meeting of trustees; class day program: dedication of Whitman memorial building and Billings hall, with an address by Dr. O. W. Nixon, of Chicago.

Wednesday, June 13, college dinner in old college chapel, and commencement exercises of the college, followed by the president's reception.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost $5 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1. Trial bottles free at Tallman & Co.'s Drug Store.

LUE VERNON'S FAKE POEMS.

How a Former Pendleton Man Stole Verses for His Own.

Lue Vernon once lived in Pendleton, as many will remember. He was a piano player in places of resort and dispensing of liquid refreshments. Since leaving Pendleton, he has been frequently seen in print both as a song writer and as a poet. He has produced a number of poems which have been printed in some of the highest class publications in the country.

Now, it appears that Vernon is a thief of literature. Instead of writing poems, he steals them. Sometime ago, a Portland Oregonian writer made the discovery and thus commented pertinently:

"Newspaper readers who keep tab on the poetry niche in the dailies have been asking a good deal about a bard signing himself Lue Vernon in several newspapers and periodicals throughout the country. Mr. Vernon hails from British Columbia. It is upon the extreme western shore, where the quick, fresh ocean breezes and salt air are supposed to develop the highest kind of poetic inspiration, that Mr. Vernon holds star-chamber sessions with the muse. She seemed to be all right until lately, when she became afflicted with "unconscious assimilation."

"As a poet the British Columbia scribe seems to be making a strong bid for the laureateship. Through his effusions there have appeared at times some scintillating lines that suggested genius.

"At least, there were a few editors who thought so. The editor of Leslie's Weekly was one of them. He accepted a poem entitled "The Peacemaker." It was printed this week, credited to Mr. Vernon.

"But, notwithstanding "The Peacemaker"—reproduced in the Oregonian yesterday—is good, it has been discovered the piece is not original. The theme is literally cribbed from a much older poem, which is found in McGuffey's Fourth Reader, revised edition, copyrighted in 1879. The poem was then titled "The Dying Soldier."

"For some time past Lue Vernon has been detected in the act of pirating the work of others and passing it off as his own. It was comparatively safe so long as he confined his robbing to fugitive poems and the many inglorious Miltons who wrote years ago. But growing bolder he began to improve and add to the thoughts of the immortals themselves, by changing the text here and there and supplying a different title.

"A San Francisco dramatic paper a few weeks ago convicted Vernon of palming off as original a piece which, upon investigation, was found in Longfellow's poems. The editor, fearing a refreshed version of "Gray's Elegy" might come next, called the literary carpenter and purloiner to order in no complimentary manner. The exposure did not deter Vernon from accrediting "The Peacemaker" to himself, and also "The Old Band," which was recently published in Eastern papers."

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Major Dennis, says the Salem Statesman, who has for a number of years, engaged in the shearing of sheep not only in Oregon but also in some of the adjoining sheep raising states, returned recently from Heppner, Eastern Oregon, where he remained throughout the sheep shearing season which just closed. Mr. Dennis left yesterday afternoon for Grass Valley, Montana, where the sheep shearing season has just opened. He says the sheep shearing machines have been introduced in Eastern Oregon, but they have not proven nearly as satisfactory as the method they are presumed to supersede. Besides not being able to accomplish as much work with the machine, it does not do satisfactory work. They clip the wool too closely and sheep on the range suffer from the intense heat of the sun. Besides, it is claimed that the close clipping of the wool injures subsequent growths and eventually results in producing a thin and inferior grade of fleece.

Mr. Dennis says there is a difference of from 25 to 50 head of sheep per day between the work of a clipping machine and that of an expert shearer. Shearers receive 8 cents per head in Montana for shearing and a fair average per day is 100 head although more experienced shearers will shear from 125 to 150 head in a day.

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CHURCHILL REFUSES PRESIDENCY.

R. Alexander Receives Definite Decision from Baker City Man.

A. J. Churchill, principal of the Baker City public schools, who was offered the presidency of the Eastern Oregon state normal school, at Weston, by the board of regents last week, has come to the conclusion that he prefers to remain there. He therefore refuses to accept the position offered him.

R. Alexander, president of the board of regents, has received final word from Mr. Churchill giving his reasons. He intended to accept the place, notified the board of the city schools, and they asked him to defer a decision for a day. The board met and, after considering the matter, offered him more salary even than he had demanded. The salary of the normal presidency is $1800, and Baker City will pay Mr. Churchill $1750. His work in that town has been of such satisfactory character that 90 per cent of the people desired his retention at the head of the city school system.

President Alexander will call a meeting of the board of regents in about two weeks, although the date has not yet been selected.

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PREPARE FOR THE FOURTH.

Committeemen Should Be on Hand To-Night at Council Rooms.

Members of all committees on Fourth of July arrangements are expected to meet this evening at 6 o'clock at the council rooms. A meeting was held on Monday night, but was adjourned, for the reason that the various committeemen were too much wrapped up in the election returns or too tired to from various reasons to attend committee meetings. This evening, it is desired that everyone be prepared to report definitely upon all matters necessary at this time.

One month, a little less, in fact, remains before the Fourth of July arrives. That is time enough, but not time to spare, if the celebration be made a success.

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