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## P. O. RECEIPTS IN 1911 GAIN OVER '10

NOT AS GREAT, HOWEVER, AS PREVIOUS YEAR'S GAIN

Month of December Makes Best Showing of Increase of Any During Year Just Past—Total Amount for Year Over \$22,000.

Figures just compiled by Harry Rees, assistant postmaster, show that the receipts of the local post office for the year 1911 were about one percent greater than for the year 1910. The receipts for the December just closed show the business for that month to have been about three percent better than for the month of December, 1910.

The following tables show the receipts per month during 1910 and 1911:

	1910.	1911.
January	\$ 2,023.80	\$ 2,072.15
February	1,580.78	1,727.13
March	1,576.56	1,725.03
April	1,886.37	1,822.38
May	1,463.41	1,694.77
June	1,525.93	1,394.12
July	1,675.54	1,956.56
August	1,922.62	1,659.66
September	2,018.01	1,849.21
October	2,237.99	2,190.55
November	1,924.12	1,754.83
December	2,344.08	2,429.65
Totals	\$22,056.39	\$22,286.04
Gain, \$229.65.		

For the year, 1909, the total receipts at the postoffice were \$20,574.36 and the gain made by 1910 over 1909 was about seven per cent. The December business for the year 1909 amounted to \$20,223.39. The fiscal year in the postal department closes March 31.

## NEW PHONE SWITCH BOARD AT STANFIELD

### LUNDWALL HOME SCENE OF HAPPY CARD PARTY

Sunday School Missionary Occupies Pulpit—Colonel Stanfield Ships Sheep to Portland Market—New Baby Girl at Johnson Home.

(Special Correspondence). Stanfield, Jan. 2.—A new switch board has been installed in the local telephone exchange. It is of modern style and considerably larger than the one formerly used.

Three carloads of sheep were shipped from here to Portland Saturday night by R. N. Stanfield.

Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. E. Lundwall, occurred a very delightful card party, there being twenty four guests present. The rooms were beautifully with Christmas decorations of green and red, including the Christmas balls. Pedro was the game in which the guests indulged. The first prize for ladies was won by Mrs. J. F. Bagan, consolation prize, Mrs. H. Wessell. First prize for gentlemen was won by H. C. Bartholomew, consolation prize by F. M. Smith. Following the card games, the hostess served delicious refreshments. Those present voted it a most enjoyable evening.

The Ladies Aid Society held a reception last evening.

Sunday at both the morning and evening services in the Presbyterian church the pulpit was filled by Rev. J. F. Vernon, of Milton, the Sunday school missionary for the Pendleton and Grand Ronde Presbyteries. He was greeted by a good sized congregation and his sermons were very much enjoyed.

Frank Sloan was transacting business at Echo Saturday.

Mr. Phelps of the Umatilla Storage & Commission company, with headquarters at Hermiston, was here Friday looking after business of this local branch.

Miss Edna Brownfield is here from Grangeville, Idaho, visiting her mother.

W. H. Howard went to Portland Sunday to attend the funeral of his brother, who died in that city on Saturday.

Mrs. D. E. Balas arrived from Portland Sunday and joined her husband who recently opened a barber shop at Stanfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Wadhams of Seattle are recent arrivals here. Mr. Wadhams is employed by Eschbach, Bruce Co., and will operate the large ditch machine in digging the drainage ditch here.

Mr. Keefe came from Portland yesterday to take a position in the office of the Inland Irrigation Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson, resi-

dents on the Furnish project are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter at their home Sunday afternoon. Dr. Reid, the attending physician reports all well.

Dr. M. S. Kern of Pendleton was a Stanfield visitor Sunday.

R. N. Stanfield went to Portland Sunday to look after business matters.

The Umatilla Drainage Ditch Board of Directors held a meeting Saturday evening. Considerable important business was transacted.

Robt. Gilmour was a Hermiston visitor Saturday.

Mrs. R. N. Stanfield and daughter Barbara came from Pendleton Friday and are spending a few days here.

Chas. J. Ward went to Portland Friday.

County Commissioner Horace Walker went to Pendleton Saturday evening.

Misses Gladys and Eva Ward, who have been spending holiday week with their father Geo. L. Ward, returned to Pendleton yesterday where they are attending the Slaters' school.

Sunday the Presbyterian Sunday school held its annual election, all the officers and teachers being re-elected. The officers are W. T. Reeves, superintendent, Mrs. J. E. Reeves, secretary-treasurer.

Harry Ornduff of Pendleton was transacting business in Stanfield yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Priegnitz were motor passengers to Echo yesterday.

At The Grand. The Austin Co. in "Vacation Time" is playing to capacity houses. The full cast is seen in different characters.

Six classic songs are presented and with the singing and dancing chorus take well. After the show last night the Austin Co. entertained at the Moose hall during the banquet and dance. Several new members are being added to the company and will greatly strengthen same.

Thursday night the company will present "My Neighbors Wife," a farce full of vim and comedy from beginning to end.

Rehearsals have also begun for the war drama for the benefit of Malabon Camp of Spanish American war veterans, Jan. 15, 16, and 17.

### DANCE "MUMBO-JUMBO" AND TAKE OFF FLESH

Conventionalized "Hula-Hula" Recommended by Congressional Delegation from Hawaii as an Effective Reducer of Too Much Fat.

Washington—Well calculated to remove superfluous flesh is the new mumbo-jumbo dance, which "Prince Cupid," otherwise Jonas Kuhio Kalaniano'ole, the congressional delegate from Hawaii, has introduced here. It is an Americanized version of the "hula-hula," a native dance, which makes the performances of the Roulin Rouge look like a high school class in calisthenics.

According to those who have seen it on its native heath and that includes all the friskily inclined tourists who visit Honolulu, the "hula-hula" exceeds the speed limit of terrestrial achievements. Even in its denatured form, the "mumbo-jumbo" makes the "turkey trot" and the "grizzly bear" seem quite tame.

"I can assure you," says general Prince Cupid, "that the new dance is worth a whole course of Muldooning to those who want to take off avoirdupois but I am told, the Americans like anything unique. It's unique, all right.

"The native dance was not considered risqué until the Americans demanded something with local color. Then I am told the native dancers added a good many trimmings to their original gyrations."

"Prince Cupid" thinks that in its conventionalized form the dance is "all right." However since fashionable Washington has frowned on the "turkey trot" and the "grizzly bear" partisans of the new dance hardly expect it to obtain widespread popularity. There is no prospect that it will supplant the sa'd waltz and two-step at debutante affairs.

### TO SELL SEIZED ROYAL JEWELS

Deposed Family Protests Portugal Offers King's Private Property.

Badajoz.—The Portuguese government has declared its intention of selling the jewels and other valuables which have been found in the royal palaces, including rince. Miguel's jewels which alone are valued at \$2,500,000.

The deposed royal family has presented a claim, stating that with the exception of the crowns the remainder of the valuables consisting of bracelets, necklaces, belts and jeweled arms are the private property of King Emmanuel and Queen Amelia.

The cabinet ministers are considering the matter.

It was not a happy New Year for everybody.

## Newsy Notes of Pendleton

Thursday Afternoon Club. The Thursday Afternoon Club is to meet this week at the home of Mrs. S. A. Lowell on Johnson street. The meeting will be at 2:30 Thursday afternoon.

Ukiah Land Sold. A deed was recorded today transferring a quarter section of land near Ukiah and two lots in the town of Ukiah from Flora and A. R. Turner to E. A. Morton of Colfax for a consideration of \$1500.

Installation Is Postponed. The installation of officers of the Sir Knights and Royal Arch Masons which was scheduled for Friday evening, January 5, has been postponed until a week later, January 12, on account of the prior date conflicting with the date of the opera, "Elijah."

Revival at M. E. Church. Revival services will begin at the Methodist Episcopal church this evening, conducted by the pastor. Excellent music is being arranged for. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these meetings. Song service, 7:30, preaching, 8 p. m. each evening.

Commercial Club to Meet. The first Commercial club meeting of the new year will be held in the club rooms tonight and President Smythe and Secretary Keefe join in requesting that a goodly attendance be out in order to make the beginning of the year 1912 propitious.

School Resumed Today. After a vacation from studies for ten days the public schools of the city resumed their work this morning with a slightly increased attendance. There will be no interruption in the regular school work now until the national holiday, Washington's birthday, February 22.

Looking For Location. Dr. W. S. LeRoy, of Appleton, Wis., arrived in Pendleton last evening and is the guest of Dr. R. B. Brundage. Dr. LeRoy has just finished a post graduate course in the Wraetmer Institute of Suggestive Therapeutics at Nevada, Mo. He is intending to locate some place in Oregon.

Charles Eggerth Improving. Charles Eggerth, well known Pendletonian, who has been taking treatment at Hot Lake for an ailment dating from his birth, has been visiting in the city for a few days and declares he is improving so much that he has hopes of a complete cure. He will leave this evening for the sanatorium, to complete his treatment.

\$3380 for Sportsmen. The county during the past year received from sportsmen a total of \$3380, according to figures compiled and authenticated today by County Clerk Saling. Of this amount \$1815 was secured from anglers and \$1565 from hunters. The sale of licenses during 1911 exceeded by a considerable figure that of the preceding year.

O. A. C. Club Meeting. A meeting of the Umatilla county O. A. C. alumni association has been called for tomorrow evening by C. G. Brownell, president. The meeting is to be held at the Hotel Bowman and will begin at 7:30. All graduates of the Oregon Agricultural college, all students and former students are invited to attend.

Sues for Divorce. Through his attorneys, Carter & Smythe, James Baldwin of Ukiah has commenced suit against his wife, Olive Baldwin, for a divorce on the grounds of desertion. His complaint cites that they were married at Ukiah June 10, 1908, have one child, Earsee, aged two and a half years, and that in March, 1910, defendant without cause wrongfully deserted the plaintiff and has not lived with him since.

Two in Police Court. The new year started this morning in police court with but two entries in the docket, a most propitious beginning in view of the usual New Year's celebration. Only one of these two offenders, John Zill, was a drunk and was given a two days' sojourn in the city bastle in order to make a new set of resolutions. The other man to make a bad beginning, Jack Hale, is charged with vagrancy and his case is not yet disposed of.

Means Not a Candidate. That he is not a candidate for chief of police of Pendleton, has not been a candidate for that office and will not be is emphatically declared today by Tom Means, local contractor and builder. During the past few weeks and during the recent mayoralty campaign the name of Means was linked by gossips with the marshaling. However, Mr. Means says there has never been anything to the rumors and that he does not aspire to the place now held by Chief Gardane.

Leap Year Social Big Success. The leap year social given by the Epworth League was a decided success in every way. The parlors were tastefully decorated and thronged with a merry crowd. The readings by Mr. Akers and Miss Maud Gregory and the musical numbers by the Misses Gregory were heartily encored. The original poems by Dr. Temple and Miss Lecl Evans brought forth rounds of applause. Many of the beautiful baskets proved the young gentlemen to be artistic decorators and the viands there'n testified to their high culinary skill. The young ladies appeared a little awkward as acting as escorts but the boys performed their part to perfection.

Moose Have Royal Title. The newest lodge in the city, the Loyal Order of Moose, was last to a happy New Year through last evening in the handsomely equipped apartments just fitted up in the Matlock-Brownfield building. Several hundred members and friends gath-

## MILTON IN THROES OF SMALL POX SCARE

With several cases of smallpox in one family at Milton somewhat of a scare is now on in the east end town and the proposition of how to handle the situation has been put up to Dr. D. J. McFaul, county physician.

It is in the home of a family named Harrison that the once dreaded disease now has a foothold. Several of the children are ill and in consequence thereof others living in the town are becoming anxious lest the disease spread.

Last evening Dr. McFaul gave instructions that the home where the disease now exists be thoroughly quarantined so as to prevent others from being infected. He does not consider the situation sufficiently serious to necessitate the closing of the schools in Milton.

ored to hear the dedication exercises in which Attorney Joseph T. Hinkle of Hermiston was the principal speaker. Following the exercises, the crowd adjourned to the rance hall where the hours before midnight were joyously spent in tripping the light fantastic.

Jake Welsh Able to Be Out. F. E. "Jake" Welsh, proprietor of the Court street cigar store, who has been in the hospital for eight weeks following an operation, is able to be down town again although he is still very weak.

Farm Land Is Sold. Trajan and Carrie Tucker of Weston have sold their farm land in the Weston section of the county to William McKenzie for a consideration of \$6000. The deed was recorded today.

Pat Doyle Pays Up; Goes Free. It did not prove very profitable for Pat Doyle to hesitate in refunding to Thomas Thompson and sons the \$30 which he was overpaid. Because he waited until the law stepped in to assist his former employers, he is out several days' time and eight good dollars of his wages. The case against him was today dismissed by Deputy District Attorney Newberry upon the payment of the \$30 and costs by Doyle the costs amounting to the eight dollars afore mentioned.

Mitchell to Stay Here. C. J. Mitchell, manager of the Oregon theater for several years but who retired from that position yesterday, will remain in Pendleton until spring according to his own statement today. He declares he will accept a position with E. J. McComas until then and will probably move to British Columbia later. His wife and child will leave in a few days for Spokane where they will spend the winter. Mr. Mitchell states he has tried hard to make the theater business profitable here but has been unable to secure a patronage that would pay.

Mrs. Fred Crawford Dead. Mrs. Fred Crawford, of this city but who has been living in Portland for some years is dead. The following notice of her death is from the Portland Oregonian of yesterday: "Mrs. Mary A. Crawford, formerly a resident of Pendleton; died at the family residence, 107 East Twenty-seventh street, Saturday at the age of 39 years. Death was sudden from heart disease. She is survived by a widower, Fred Crawford, and two daughters, Annabel Crawford and Mrs. Robert Pierce."

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Shredded Coconut, 3 packages for	25c
French Mushrooms, can	35c
Crab Meat, can	35c
Lobsters, can	35c
60¢ Brooms while they last at	35¢
15¢ Market Baskets while they last	5¢

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