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I.O.O.F. TEMPLE FINE STRUCTURE

A Credit to Lakeview's
Business Center

PLATE-GLASS FRONT

Handsome Lodge Rooms—Auten
& Rinehart Take a Lease
on First Floor

The basement of the Odd Fellows Temple is now practically completed, and bricklaying will commence in the next few days. The plans and elevations of the building indicate that it is to be a most imposing structure, and will add much to the appearance of the business district of Lakeview. It will be of modern construction throughout, with steel and glass front. The steel has been ordered from the Schrader Iron Works, of San Francisco, the main girder being 40 feet in length and weighing 4600 pounds.

The outside measurements of the structure, which will face Main street, are 40x34 feet, and it will be two stories in height. It will be practically fire-proof in every respect.

The basement of the building has stone walls, two feet in thickness, with a three-foot concrete foundation underneath the stone work. It will be 8 feet in height with regulation size windows along the front and sides and a large door at the rear.

On the first floor will be one large spacious store, which is to be occupied by the hardware firm of Auten & Rinehart. Glass windows will extend along the entire front of the building and a distance of 12 feet along the south side. These windows will be 12 feet in height and will extend to within 1 foot of the sidewalk. A recessed entrance will be in the exact center of the building and will be a modern steel front affair. At the rear of this floor will be a brick oil room, which is also to be used by the hardware firm.

The second floor of the building will contain one large auditorium 50x40 feet, with polished floor and otherwise very much up-to-date in every respect. There will also be five wardrobe rooms for storing regalia of the various lodges who will use the building. Three of these rooms will be 12x8 feet one 5x8 feet and one 8x9 feet. There will also be a reception and banquet room combined 26x24 feet, one kitchen 10x10 feet, and two indoor toilets. The front of this story will also be of modern steel construction.

The work of construction has been in charge of the trustees, who consist of Loren Bailey, W. P. Dykeman and S. F. Ahlstrom. The carpenter work will be done under the supervision of Contractor Corbett, while the stone and brick work is in charge of Sam Bailey.

It is expected that the building will be completed sometime during the month of September at which time the Grand Lodge of Portland will probably take charge of the dedication work in connection with the local organization.

ELDER S. H. RILEY LOSES TEXAS HOME

Lightning Caused It To
Be Destroyed By Fire
on 17th Inst.

Some ten days ago Elder S. H. Riley, of the West Side, received word that his home at San Angelo, Texas, had been destroyed by fire, caused by lightning. The San Angelo Standard gives the following particulars:

"The Riley home, ignited at 6:20 by a blinding flash of lightning, was a total loss in less than an hour, but it was possible to save about half of the household furnishings. The six-room house was valued at \$1800 and carried \$1000 insurance. The furniture was

not insured. The lightning struck the roof of the house and the whole structure was soon in flames. Owing to all telephone service in the neighborhood being put out of commission, a messenger was dispatched to the city to give the alarm. The fire department responded but was powerless to cope with the flames and directed its attention to protecting adjoining property. In the meantime, neighbors of the Rileys succeeded in carrying out about half of the household furnishings which were later carried to the Dabney and Scholer homes.

"S. H. Riley, owner of the property is in Oregon, and Mrs. Riley was visiting at Christoval with a daughter. Mrs. Bessie R. Lucas, another daughter, and her daughter, were the only ones at home when the house was hit by the lightning. Mrs. Lucas was out at the cowpen milking. By the time she aroused the neighbors, the fire had made considerable headway and the efforts of those assembled were directed to saving the furniture from the house."

Mr. Riley was in town Saturday and to an Examiner representative stated that he was more pleased than ever with Lake county, for no such storms ever occur here. While regretting his loss, Mr. Riley was greatly pleased over the fact that none of his family was injured in the storm.

KLAMATH LODGE NO. 1247, B.P.O.E.

Local Elks Royally Entertained
When Lodge
is Formed

Klamath Lodge No. 1247, B. P. O. E., was instituted by Deputy Exalted Ruler W. Carleton Smith, of Salem, who acted in the capacity of Grand Exalted Ruler.

The officers of the new lodge are as follows:

Exalted Ruler—E. B. Hall.
Esteemed Leading Knight—W. H. Dolbeer.
Esteemed Royal Knight—Hunter Savage.
Esteemed Lecturing Knight—Chas. I. Roberts.
Secretary—G. A. Kraus.
Treasurer—C. H. Daggett.
Tyler—Chas. Graves.
Trustees—Fred Melhase, 3 years; D. B. Campbell, 2 years; Alex Martin, Jr., 1 year.

Among the Lake county people who were present during the festivities were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McKendree, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Macnab, D. P. Malloy, Frank Rogers, Harry Bailey, W. F. Grob, C. W. Dent, F. P. Light, W. Lair Thompson, G. W. Rice, W. B. Snider and A. B. Schroeder.

Most of the delegation have returned home, and all express themselves as not only well pleased with the trip but greatly surprised at the magnificence of the entertainment. The parade was simply immense, both in features and size.

Langslet-Stevens

A very pretty June wedding occurred Saturday evening, in the presence of several invited guests, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Willis, when Reverend H. Smith, of the Baptist church, united in marriage Chris Langslet, proprietor of the Lakeview Tailoring Co., and Miss Fern Stevens, who for some time past has been residing with the Willis family. Both Mr. and Mrs. Langslet are well known locally and their many friends join with the Examiner in wishing them a long and happy life.

The young couple were the recipients of many gifts during the week, and on Monday evening were visited by the usual large number of chivaliers.

That Oregon Eastern

Ontario Optimist: That the westward extension of the Malheur branch through Malheur canyon would actually be under construction in a short time was the statement of G. W. Buck, chief engineer of the O. W. R. & N. railway during a short visit to Ontario Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Buck arrived here on No. 6, ostensibly for the purpose of meeting Carl Stradley, chief engineer of the O. S. L., who was also here. Mr. Buck returned to Portland on No. 5, and Mr. Stradley went as far as Huntington, returning on the early train to Salt Lake.

N.-C.-O. FINALLY REACHES VALLEY

Wednesday Track Com-
pleted in Canyon

SOON AT DAVIS CREEK

But Two Short Stretches of
Grading Remain South
of That Place

J. F. Hanson, superintendent of construction of the N.-C.-O. was in town yesterday, and to an Examiner representative stated that the rails are now being laid in Goose Lake Valley, and that within a few days construction trains would be operating as far north as Davis Creek. There are but two half-mile stretches of grade to be thrown up south of that place and with the force now at work they should be completed very shortly.

Mr. Hanson stated that Meney Bros. now have a force working north of Willow Ranch, and that excellent progress is being made all along the line.

Lucky Runaway

Last Thursday afternoon a lively runaway occurred at the corner of Slash and Main streets when a team belonging to Joe Ambrose, of the West Side, became frightened and started on a dead run up Main street. When the McShane residence was reached they turned and started back down the street, but were stopped before they proceeded any great distance. Fortunately no one was injured and a remarkable feature is that with the numerous turns made, etc., neither horses nor wagon were in the least damaged.

The City Council Tuesday evening held a special meeting, at which time the applications of J. S. Lane & Co., Light & Harrow, C. Henkle, Post & King, John Flynn, Hart & Lynch, Whorton & Malloy, and Ayres & Schlagle for liquor licenses were granted.

WILCOX ALLEY IS OPEN TO PUBLIC

New Thoroughfare to High
School of Much Con-
venience to Public

Wilcox Alley promises to become as famous in Lakeview as Broadway in New York or Market street in San Francisco. From Canyon street to Cogswell, a distance of nearly a quarter of a mile, there is no cross street through the residence section between Dewey and West Streets. Owing to the fact that the new High School is located on West Street opposite the closed section it has been quite inconvenient to reach the building and therefore the fact that Mr. Wilcox has thrown open to the use of the public the private alley on the north side of his property, which faces the High School, will be greatly appreciated by all. The alley will be the main highway for students to reach the building.

Enjoyable Dance

The Keemo Club dance held last Friday evening was very well attended, about fifteen couples being present for the occasion. A buffet lunch was served by the club members and the many guests partaking thereof came to the unanimous conclusion that the ladies certainly put up delicious meals, as well as being swell entertainers. This dance probably ends the series of dancing parties held during the winter months by the members of the Civic Improvement Society.

Many large eight-horse loads of wool have been arriving in town during the past week from the various shearing plants. It all being stored in the local warehouse preparatory to the big sale scheduled for July 10th. The wool clip this year has averaged about seven pounds per head.

SHEEP POISONING SEASON IS OVER

But One Case Reported
Thus Far

EXPERTS STILL BAF- FLED

Unable to Obtain Any Clue, Owing
to Excellent Range Con-
ditions This Year

Doctor C. D. Marsh, the physiologist who was detailed here from Washington to work in connection with the Forest Service with a view towards determining the causes of so many sheep dying each year. Sunday morning left for Boulder, Colorado, where he expects to be stationed for a short time. While here Doctor Marsh had but little opportunity to make investigations along the lines mentioned as but one case of sheep poisoning, that of Ben Daly, who lost ten head, has been reported so far this season, and the sheep in question had been dead at least ten days before the facts became known. The cause of death in this instance was undoubtedly due to poisonous plants.

One reason given by the sheep men as to the small loss among their stock this season is that the feed both on the desert and summer ranges is so plentiful that the stock simply nibble off the tops of the grasses and do not pull the plants up by the roots. It is in the roots that the damage lies. Another reason is that many of the plants eaten by the sheep during the dry seasons when vegetable matter is rather scarce are now passed over untouched.

Mr. W. W. Eggleston, of the Bureau of Plant Industry, is still stationed in these parts being now in the Thomas Creek country. He will probably be located here until about the first of July, at which time he expects to leave for Mineral, California, in the Lassen Forest, on work similar to that which he has undertaken while here.

BIG TIME NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT

Local A.O.U.W. Lodge will
Have a Big Class
Initiation

On July 6, Lakeside Lodge No. 111, A. O. U. W., will hold a big class initiation in the Masonic Hall. There is going to be something doing all the time that evening, and it is a guarantee that no one will be disappointed.

Owing to the large number of applications handed in the fireworks will be touched off early, and the animals will not be given anything to eat for two days previous, so that they will not be sluggish in their movements.

All members are requested to be on hand at 7:30 p. m. sharp, to dispose of the business early, so that the degree work can be put on in proper shape.

The residents of Lakeview are coming to realize that the A. O. U. W. offers the best protection there is, because they have a guaranteed rate, and carry a loan, paid up, or extended insurance value with it, the same as the best old line companies, only a great deal cheaper. You are not contributing to the bloated corporations of the East when you join the A. O. U. W. It is an Oregon institution, under the control of the State of Oregon, and its money stays in Oregon and does not go to fatten the coffers of the millionaires in the East. Investigate the plan of the A. O. U. W., you will like it.

The A. O. U. W. has been in Lakeview for 28 years and its best people are numbered among its members.

Truck Gardener

If there are any doubters who believe that small garden truck cannot be raised successfully in this section it would pay them to visit the plot of ground at the rear of W. Roche Fick's residence on West Street. Mr. Fick

had several hot beds near his house during the winter, from which he raised lettuce and other vegetables much earlier than is usual hereabouts. Now he has given up the hotbeds and is using the open-air method with much more than ordinary success. This is practically an experiment on the part of Mr. Fick, but it goes to prove that this country, especially the Goose Lake portion, is especially adapted to raising small vegetables. There's money in it, too.

Bliss Boys Injured

Chewaucan Press: While playing with two smokeless powder shotgun shells, two sons of Fred Bliss, Joe and Pearl, met with an accident that may cause each of them to lose the sight of one eye. Not knowing the danger they were running, they touched a match to one of the shells, which exploded, burning their faces severely and temporarily blinding their right eyes. Dr. Witham was near at hand, fortunately, and he hurried over to lend his assistance. It is expected that the injured eyes will be quite blind for a long time, possibly permanently, but the doctor stated that they may eventually recover. Both lads are suffering severe pain.

Work was commenced yesterday towards laying the first brick on the new Catholic church.

LAKEVIEW, MECCA FOR MEDFORD MEN

Get-Together Party Com-
ing Next Month a la
Bend Boosters

And now Medford wants to follow the example set by Bend and cultivate the acquaintance of Lake county. The announcement coming from there is to the effect that the Commercial Club is preparing to run an excursion to Northern California towns, Klamath Falls and Lakeview in July. In connection therewith the Medford Sun says:

"A four-day business excursion through Southern Oregon is being planned by Secretary Boos of the commercial club, to be held during the middle of July.

"If the venture meets with the approval of local business men, a special train will be secured, with a Pullman, diner, etc., and the trip advertised through the districts to be visited.

"Ashland, Hornbrook, Montague, Yreka, Weed, Mount Hebron, Dorris, Klamath Falls and Lakeview are the places planned on the itinerary, and stops from three to twenty-four hours will probably be made.

"We want to make this a get-together trip for all the towns of Southern Oregon," said Mr. Boos yesterday.

"Medford should get in closer touch with the business men of the district through which this city is destined to be the distributing point. There is no better stimulus to commerce than friendship and acquaintance. Moreover, Medford has grown so rapidly during the past few years that there are many merchants here who scarcely know their brother dealers. This trip would make closer friends of the business men and would be of lasting benefit as far as the trade relations with other towns in this part of the state are concerned. The only way to know conditions in other parts of the state is to know the people and the country."

Signboards For Forest

A number of signs are now being painted by the local Forest office and when completed are to be posted along the various roads throughout the Forest as well as on the Ranger Station sites. The signs are board ones, about 12 inches wide by 33 inches long, with white back ground and black letters. In addition to stating the various towns in the vicinity, nearby ranches, etc., the signs will give the approximate distance to the places mentioned, and will have the usual arrow pointing the direction. Something of this kind would be of much assistance to strangers if posted along our main roads and might to some extent do away with the various exaggerated estimates of distance, which we hear from time to time.

Ask to see the Ladies' Athena Underwear at Mercantile Co's Store

BIG CELEBRATION AT PINE CREEK

Fine Program Arranged
for Holiday

Rev. M. T. WIRE, ORATOR

Free Dinner, Baseball and Races
Of All Kinds Are Draw-
ing Cards

Lakeview this year will help her neighbors in celebrating our National Holiday, no effort having been made towards observing the day locally. Quite a number of people will go to Alturas for the Fourth and probably a few to Paisley and Silver Lake, but the greater number will celebrate at New Pine Creek, where great preparations are being made not only for the observance of the day but for the entertainment of visitors as well.

E. Keller will officiate as president of the day, while Rev. M. T. Wire, of Lakeview will deliver the oration. Miss Elsie Keller will read the Declaration of Independence and Rev. Henderson officiate as chaplain. George Hammersley has been chosen Grand Marshal, and the parade promises to be a big feature of the celebration.

The Goddess of Liberty vote was counted at noon last Monday and it was found that Miss Edith Blurton received the highest number of any of the candidates and Miss Lillian Taylor the next highest. There were 510 votes cast at 10 cents each.

The parade will start at 10 a. m., the program at the grove commencing at 11 o'clock, at the conclusion of which a free dinner will be served.

In the afternoon a fine program of sports has been arranged, including a baseball game for a purse of \$50 and gate receipts, the winning team to get 75 per cent and the second 25 per cent. Boxing contest for a purse of \$5 has also been arranged.

Following is the program of races:

Girls race under 10.....	\$ 2.00
Girls race under 13.....	2.50
Young ladies race.....	2.50
Boys race under 10.....	2.00
Boys race under 13.....	2.50
Boys race under 15.....	2.50
Egg race.....	2.50
Three legged race.....	2.50
Bicycle race.....	2.50
Slow bicycle race.....	1.50
Tag o'war over state line, six men on a side.....	6.00
Sweep stake race for men.....	5.00
Sweep stake race for women.....	5.00
Squaw race.....	5.00
Wheelerbarrow race.....	2.50
Saddle horse race.....	10.00
Old horse race, horses must be over 20 years old.....	5.00

Other interesting features will be the Boys Marching Club and impersonations of Theodore Roosevelt, George and Martha Washington and Uncle Sam. A most cordial invitation has been extended to the people of this section to participate, and it is expected that the attendance will be very large.

Some refreshing and cooling showers visited this section Monday evening and were welcomed by all of us.

JONES CATTLE EN ROUTE TO KLAMATH

Lake County Is Being De-
nuded of Her Vast
Herds of Cattle

Merrill Record: George Offield and Fred Stukel will leave Monday for Lake county to receive delivery of about 1,900 head of cattle from Harvey Jones. The herd will be brought to Klamath county and pastured near Merrill this summer. This is the largest single deal in cattle that has taken place among the Merrill cattle men for several months and it is expected that the coming year will be a heavy one in the cattle feeding business in this valley.