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Lodge Directory.

EAGLERS—La Grande Lodge, No. 10 meets every Friday night. K of P hall at 8 p. m. Visiting brethren invited to attend.
 C. C. Blockwell, W. P. A. N. Wayville, W. Sec.

FORESTERS OF AMERICA—Court Main Marion, No. 22 meets each Tuesday in 834 hall. Bothes are invited to attend.
 Al Helander Chief Ranger.
 O. J. Vanderpool, Sec.

100 F—La Grande Lodge, No. 10 meets at their hall every Saturday night. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.
 E. E. Klinehart N. G.

H. E. Coolidge, Sec.

A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41, meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month.
 A. C. Williams Sec.,
 O. D. Huffman W. M.

EASTERN STAR O. E. S. Hope Chapter No. 14 meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 2:30 p. m. in Masonic Temple.
 Mrs. Clara T. Lytle, W. M.
 Mary A. Warnick, Sec.

BANDITS KILL BANK CASHIER AND FLEE

Try to Rob First National Bank—Buffalo Bill on Trail with Indian Scouts and Seeks Revenge.

(Special to the Observer)
 Cody, Wyo., Nov. 2.—A bold daylight raid by bandits from the mountain regions was made this afternoon upon the First National bank at this place. Cashier I. O. Middaugh was shot and instantly killed and the outlaws fled without securing anything and under a rain of bullets from the aroused citizens who were attracted to the scene by the shooting between the robbers and bank officials. Two cowboys who had been seen loafing about Cody for several days, without masks or disguises of any character, rode up to the bank and with six shooters in each hand ordered everyone within to throw up their hands. Instead of complying the bank officials grabbed weapons from beneath the counters and opened a fusillade upon the intruders who beat a hasty retreat into the street followed by Cashier Middaugh, who emptied his gun at them at short range. When Middaugh ceased firing the smaller of the two robbers wheeled, and taking deliberate aim at the bank official, sent a bullet through Middaugh's breast, who fell dead.

The citizens, aroused by the firing, seized every weapon in reach and guns were trinned upon the fleeing bandits from every point. The outlaws swept the streets with their six shotguns, digging their spurs frantically into the sides of their horses.
 Deputy Sheriff Chapman, at the head of about twenty armed cowboys, quickly left Cody, making a detour in an effort to head off the flight of the two desperadoes who were apparently making for the mountains of the Montana line. A number of shots were heard shortly after the posse out through the field, and as the officers cannot be far behind the fugitives, it is considered probable that the outlaws will soon be taken. Excitement is at ever heat and a lynching is threatened if the fugitives are apprehended.
 Buffalo Bill who is enroute from Omaha in a special car with two of his Sioux Indian scouts, has telegraphed orders that horses be waiting for the party at the depot. He will take the trail in person immediately on his arrival.

CODY WANTS BLOOD

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 2.—A special to the Times from Omaha, says: William F. Cody's private car went west tonight on the Burlington flyer. Excitement is at fever heat over the man hunt.
 "I wired White Beaver, my manager at Cody, to offer a large reward for the capture of the outlaws," said Colonel Cody, "and a double reward in case the outlaws were killed. We want to kill, not capture them."
 "Within ten minutes after we reach Cody we will be in the saddle ready for the trail. My best horses will be in readiness at the depot. I have with me my old scout, the Sioux chief, Iron Tail."
 The old fellow was cleaning up his guns and seemed overjoyed at the chance of getting into a scrimmage.
 "The government had several hundred thousand dollars on deposit in the bank and it was a narrow escape," he said.
 Colonel Cody expects to reach Cody at noon Thursday.
 The posse led by Sheriff Champlin, overtook the outlaws at dusk, twenty miles southwest of Cody. A battle ensued. Champlin's horse was shot from under him, but he was uninjured. The bandits stole fresh horses at a ranch and escaped.

Chief Sick

Chief Paul Saulway of the Umatilla Indians who has been working in the beet fields is reported to be dangerously ill at Union. He is one of the leading representatives of the tribe having made fourteen trips to Washington in the interest of his people which according to Joe Allen who called upon us last evening states the number of Umatillas to be 2400.

The Apple Crop

This week will practically close the apple picking in the valley this season. The yield has been very satisfactory and the size and color has been exceptionally good.

Mines Closed

St. Louis Nov. 1.—Dispatches from Illinois points indicate that less than 100 of the 900 coal mines in that state are hoisting coal today, as the result of the strike of engineers at midnight and nearly 50,000 miners are thrown out of work. An early settlement is not looked for, though many miners were against the strike and are working hard for a settlement.

Famous Stallion

Lincoln, Neb. Nov. 2.—George Starr the famous Nebraska stallion, valued at \$10,000, perished in a fire this morning at Norfolk, Neb.

Uncle Sams New Ally

(Observer Special)
 Paris, Nov. 1.—The news of the signing of the arbitration treaty between France and the United States which occurred at Washington today was received here with the warmest expressions of approval particularly in governmental circles where the treaty is regarded not only as a strong bond between the two republics, but also as an important extension of Minister Doula's series of peace treaties.

District Attorney Returns

District Attorney Leroy Lomax returned yesterday from Enterprise where he has been in attendance upon the District Court.
 To a Herald representative he said: "The dockets, both civil and criminal at Enterprise were quite light this term and there were no cases of unusual importance."
 Mr. Lomax left last night for Union where he has a number of legal matters to engage his attention.—Herald

A Jolly Time

There was a large and merry crowd at the Rebecca's Hall on social given in the Odd Fellows Hall last evening.
 One of the features of the evening consisted of a contest as to who could eat the greatest number of crackers in a walk but there were several others who started. The prize was a rubber ball.
 The merry making, was interspersed with music and recitations. Miss Worstel and Aldrich sang Annie Laurie and Naomi Williamson delighted the audience with one of her incomparable recitations.

Reception

The reception last evening in honor of Miss Katharine Hanna, at the home of Mrs. J. C. Ardyre was one of the most delightful social events of the season. The reception was attended by almost the entire Endeavor and Missionary societies of the city. Miss Hanna has been a missionary among the Indians a Neah Bay, Washington and has been visiting relatives in the city the past three weeks.

Attend Public Schools

Washington, Nov. 2.—The report of the commissioner of education for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1904, made public today by the secretary of the interior, shows that 10,007,931, or 9 per cent of the entire population of the country, attended the public schools during that year. As compared with the previous six years, this percentage shows a slight decrease in the number of pupils as compared with the total population.
 The total cost of the public school system is given as \$251,457,025. This is an increase of \$16,000,000 over the previous year. It amounted to \$3.15 per capita of total population and \$22.75 per capita per pupil.
 Since 1870 the proportion of male teachers has decreased from 39 per cent of the entire number to 29 per cent the past year. The average compensation for male teachers last year was \$4.98, and \$40.51 for females. This is a slight increase over the previous year.
 The enrollment in the private schools for the year is given as 1,093,086. By the addition of pupils in elementary schools, business colleges, state schools and schools for defective orphans, the grand total of 18,187,918 pupils is reported.
 AVERAGE 1934 DAYS
 The report intimates that the average schooling given each inhabitant in 1870 was 672 days and in 1904, 1034 days.
 The report shows that last year 1,573,672 colored children were enrolled in the common schools for that year in the former 16 slave states and the District of Columbia. The enrollment in 1877, the first year statistics were taken of the colored schools, was 371,506. Since 1870 it is estimated that \$130,000,000 has been expended in the education of the colored children in the former slave states and nearly \$600,000,000 for the same purpose for the white children of the same section.
 There are at the present time 95 in line working in the beet fields from the Umatilla reservation and they expect to be employed two weeks more. They dig and top for \$0.50 per acre.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Cures Kidney and Bladder Diseases in Every Form—Many People Have Kidney Trouble and Do Not Know It.

It is the function of the kidneys to filter and purify the blood which is constantly passing through them.
 When the kidneys are out of order the other organs are affected immediately and you may have symptoms of heart trouble, stomach and liver trouble, and other ailments, which are all owing to the kidneys being weak and out of order.
 If you are sick Foley's Kidney Cure will strengthen and build up the worn out tissues of the kidneys so they will act properly and the symptoms of weakness, heart, stomach and liver trouble will disappear and you will be restored to perfect health.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

You can easily determine if your kidneys are out of order by setting aside for 24 hours a bottle of the urine passed upon arising. If upon examination it is cloudy or milky or has a brick-dust sediment or small particles float about in it, your kidneys are diseased and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at once. Foley's Kidney Cure is pleasant to take and acts directly upon the parts affected and you begin to feel better at once.
 It corrects slight disorders in a few days and it has cured many obstinate cases after other treatment had failed.
 Doctors Said He Would Not Live.
 Peter Frey, of Woodruff, Pa., writes: "After doctoring for two years with the best physicians in Waynesburg, and still getting worse, the doctors advised me if I had any business to attend to I had better attend to it at once, as I could not possibly live another month, as there was no cure for me. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me by a friend, and I immediately sent my son to the store for it and after taking three bottles I began to get better and continued to improve until I was entirely well."
 Two Sizes, 50c and \$1.00.
SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY

Classified Advertisements

If You Have Anything to Sell let the People hear about it through This Department and You will Find a Buyer. If You Want To Sell Explain Your Wants and You Will Find a Seller.

LOST—A Waterman fountain pen on Adams Avenue between Model Restaurant and Post Office. Finder kindly return to Romig & Staples.

LOST—A yellow Jersey cow branded O on right side. Was last seen October 16. A suitable reward will be paid for her return to F. D. Gaskell or for information leading to her return.

FOR SALE—One first class milch cow. For particulars telephone 1276.

FOR SALE—An entire suite of household furniture with steel range, folding bed, combination book case and a complete set of utensils of every kind for housekeeping purposes. Will be sold cheap if sold at once. For particulars apply to Mrs. William Conley, on 7th between P and Q sts.

WANTED—Girl to do general house work for particulars call at this office.

FOR SALE—A child's \$50 go cart at half price. Almost as good as new. Phone 1776 farmers line.

Organ nearly good as new, two cook stoves, bedstead and springs, dishes, cooking utensils sewing machine nearly new, driving horse safe for woman to drive, cheap buggy. Inquire of 10-19 26 George Ball.

FOR SALE—One fine Jersey cow for particulars call at the residence of Thos Walsh or phone 301.

FOR SALE—An almost new 4 room house, nice lawn, in best residence part of town, very cheap if taken at once, only part cash. See 1701 First Corner Spring sts. Oct 12 19

FOR SALE—Milch cow Jersey, 1200 lb. driving horse, gang plow, top buggy. Apply to A. Mollenburg, 1/2 mile N E of Island City. w Oct 14-Dec 14

FOR RENT, LEASE OR SALE
 Lots 17, 18, block 102, Chaplain's Addition.
 Address bids to "P" care of Observer

FOR SALE Good Nine—Roomed Plastered House with closets pantry and bath. Centrally located, good cellar, lawn, city water. Also wired throughout. Address Box 608 or P.O. 547.

Acres tract with new two room house, in Pleasant Home addition, \$400. Part cash, balance monthly installments. Enquire of V H Haworth at Stoddard Lumber Co. 10-17-24

Beautiful Columbia River Folder

A passenger department of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company has just issued a beautiful and costly panoramic folder entitled "The Columbia River, through the Cascade Mountains, to the Pacific Ocean." From Arlington to Portland and from Portland to the Pacific Ocean, every curve of the river and every point of interest are shown while Mt Hood, Mt Adams, and Mt St Helens, perpetually covered with snow, stand out in their beauty. On the back of the map is an interesting story in detail of the trip from Huntington to Portland and from Portland to the ocean, not overlooking the beaches and the San Francisco trip by ocean. A copy of this folder may be secured by sending four cents in stamps to pay postage to A. L. Craig, General Passenger Agent of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company Portland, Oregon, by sending the address of some friend in the East, and four cents in postage the folder will be promptly mailed.

For Rent

Eight room on North F Street enquire of Mrs Shearor. 8-t

WANTED—A few gentlemen to board and lodge at 2114 Third street. Phone 707.

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms nicely furnished for light house keeping at the corner of Fourth and Q streets. For further particulars apply to or address Mrs E C Moore, 1617, 14th st.

CURES OLD SORES

Best remedy for old sores on the side of my chin that was supposed to be a cancer. The sore was stubborn and would not yield to treatment, until I tried Snow Liniment, which did the work in short order. My sister, Mrs Sophia J. Carson, Allensville, Mifflin Co, Pa, has a sore and mistrusts that it is a cancer. Please send her a 5c bottle. Sold by Newlin Drug Co.

The building formerly occupied by the Salvation Army. For full particulars and rates inquire of Mrs S C Zuber. Aug. 31 t t

FOR RENT—Store room with lodging house. Rooms above and living rooms in rear. Best location in city. Will give long lease to proper persons. Inquire at this office. t t

ACUTE RHEUMATISM

Deep tearing or wrenching pains, occasioned by getting wet through; worse when at rest, or on first moving the limbs and in cold or damp weather, is cured quickly by Ballard's Snow Liniment. Oscar Oleson, Gibson City Illinois, writes, Feb 16 1902: "A year ago I was troubled with a pain in my back. It soon got so bad I could not bend over. One bottle of Ballard's snow Liniment cured me." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Newlin Drug Co.

Furniture For Sale

And house to rent apply to Mrs Shearor opposite Star Grocery North of track.

FURNISHED ROOMS

Furnished room for gentleman sleeping nights. Mrs C W Preston, 1916 Adams Ave.

No Hunting

All persons are forbidden to hunt with firearms or dog on my land under pain of being prosecuted for trespass. Sept 6—N7) Joseph Anson

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I hereby notify all persons that I am the sole lessee of the Thos Smith stone quarry, also all stone on the 230 acre pasture and all parties are hereby forbidden from taking stone off of said tract. J L Mars.

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Fruit Boxes.

Send your orders for Fruit Boxes to Stoddard Lumber Co. at the La Grande planing mill.

Sale or Exchange

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Reading Room.

The east room of Central Church or Christ. Open every day from noon to six in the evening. Daily and weekly papers, magazines and books. Men and boys cordially invited. Strangers always welcome.