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UNION NEWS

The woolen mill started up again Monday, and is doing all sorts of business.

Adam Crossman expects to open up his third emporium about February 1st.

Mrs. T. R. Berry returned to La Grande Thursday last, after a visit to relatives and friends in Union.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Walker returned from Portland Tuesday, after an absence of several days.

Manager Housh, of the Grande Ronde Electric Co., has been in this city this week, superintending the extension of the company's lines.

Mrs. Daisy Pearl Nichols, wife of A. W. Nichols, died in Union, Oregon, Sunday, January 14, 1906, of valvular disease of the heart, age 51 years, 10 months and 23 days.

Will Keady and family left for La Grande this week, where they will remain for a few weeks before taking their departure for Portland, to locate for the present.

Judge Eakin is to be commended for taking testimony at Union, in cases where the witnesses nearly all live in this immediate vicinity, thus adjusting his court affairs to the convenience of interested parties.

RIGHT OF WAY INTO THE PARK

The Oregon Short Line has this week filed maps of the right of way for their road from Marysville to the Yellowstone park, and several Blackfoot and Salt Lake people will be pleased to learn that they can soon take the train from either place and step off on their lands through which the new road will pass. But to return to the cold hard facts of the case, the road will extend nearly due north from Marysville to the north banks of the Buffalo river, then curve eastward through townships 43, 44 and 45, crossing in the continental divide on the state line at Rea's pass. The road is completed to Marysville, and from there to the line of the park is 64 miles, which will be completed as soon as possible.—Blackfoot Republican.

VITAL STATISTICS OF IRELAND

Washington, Jan. 20.—Consul Gunsaulus at Cork writes that some valuable and interesting figures are given in the annual report of the registrar-general of Ireland, just issued, covering the fiscal year 1904. According to this report the estimated population of Ireland has fallen in the middle of the year 1905, to 4,402,192. The natural increase of population recorded, or the excess of births over deaths, was 24,298; the loss of emigration amounted to 36,902. A decrease of 12,604 in the population would thus appear to have taken place during the year; but against this decrease there is a set-off in immigration, of which no official record has been obtained.

ECHO HOTEL SOLD

Echo, Jan. 20.—C. R. Lisle, who has conducted the Echo hotel for the past three months, yesterday evening sold the building and business to M. H. Gillette, the well known Butter Creek farmer, who will immediately take charge and conduct the place hereafter.

SALE OF BANKRUPT STOCK

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order made by the Referee in Bankruptcy, I will receive sealed bids accompanied by certified check of 10% of bid at my office in La Grande, Oregon up until 2 o'clock in the afternoon of the 29th day of January, 1906, for the grocery stock and fixtures of A. Beck bankrupt. Said stock and fixtures located at Elgin Oregon and invoiced at \$1267.54. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Wm. Grant, Trustee.

MAY LIVE 100 YEARS

The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure Stomach and Liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at NEWLIN DRUG CO.'s drug store. Price only 50c.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the county courts of Union and Walla counties of Oregon, up to noon, February 7, 1906, for the construction of a bridge across the Walla river, according to plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office of each of said counties.

Bids for the abutments and approaches must be separate from the bridge proper. Certified checks for 20% of the amount of the bid must accompany the same, as a guaranty that a contract and bond will be entered into to build said bridge, or abutment and approaches as the case may be, according to said plans and specifications.

Said courts reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

J. B. GILMAN

County Clerk of Union county, Oregon.

WHITE SLAVE GIRLS

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 20.—That a slave market, in which young white girls are the merchandise, is in full blast on the Northern coast of British Columbia, is the gist of the report from the Ottawa government to the government of the province of British Columbia. The Dominion authorities have received their information in an elaborate report from C. J. South, the retiring secretary of the British Columbia Children's Aid Society.

In consequence of Mr. Smith's sensational disclosures, Hon. F. J. Fulton, acting attorney general, has directed the provincial police to investigate the alleged conditions, while at the same time the Dominion has ordered inquiry by the agents of the department of Indian affairs.

Hitherto the provincial police have left the Indians to the care of the Indian agents taking little cognizance of their doings except when they have become involved in grave criminal offenses.

In the course of his direct and very positive report, Mr. South states that at Cape Mudge there is a family of half-breeds, both men and girls showing very little of the Indian strain. The elder brother, who recently gave one of the biggest potlatches ever known in the north, has for years been doing a wholesale and retail business as a slaver, his character being the property of white men to whom the girls of the tribe are sold, the mothers returning to the tribal village upon desertion. This slave traffic has been in existence for five generations, and the girls show none of the Indian, and are easily sold at from \$500 to \$2000 each according to disposition and good looks.

A similar traffic is said to be carried on at Port Simpson and at one or two other northern points.

ATROCITY OF YAQUI INDIANS

Santa Rosa, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Homer Rambo, formerly of this city, who now resides with her husband on the border of the Arizona Indian country, has sent a letter to Santa Rosa relatives. She is right in the midst of the Yaqui uprising against the Mexicans. Among other things she states in her letter that the most recent atrocities committed by the Yaquis was the capture of two Mexicans, the soles of whose feet they cut off and then compelled them to walk over cactus by way of further punishment.

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PROF. DAY, PRINCIPLE.
MRS. DAY, ASSISTANT.

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ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Oregon, Montana Development Company will be held in the city of La Grande, Oregon, on Friday, January 26, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing officers and board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may come before said meeting.
W. W. RANDALL, Pres.
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