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Hon. Binger Herman and Tom Richardson will be among the principal speakers at the irrigation mass meeting to be held in Eugene the latter part of the month.

This is Pioneer Day for Union county. At Imbler will gather several hundred who came here many years ago, after long journeys occupying more than six months battling with the elements as well as the Indians.

It is fitting that these early pioneers, their descendants and friends meet annually to talk over the eventful days of the building of the foundation of this great commonwealth.

IMBLER CONCLAVE.

When the extraordinary large crowd from La Grande arrived, waiting automobiles and carriages whisked the guests to the Bingham grove a half mile away where lunches were served, to the merry melodies of the Elgin band.

Columns would be required to depict and picture the scenes on every hand. Trail blazers from remote corners who see each other but once a year, pioneer day, have a peculiarly affectionate greeting, and it is almost pathetic to listen to the stories they tell and witness the warm review of the many things which they have in common.

It is a lesson for the younger generation; a treat which is indeed worthy the time and effort necessary in reaching here.

The Forenoon Program.

Speeches from pioneers and solos were methods of entertaining the visitors this morning. J. H. Rinehart the prominent pioneer and Durham Wright of Cove, spoke.

A solo by Mrs. Robinson delighted the guests. An a musical feature was the male quartet by Wade Brooks, Frank Shoemaker, Mr. Iddings and Frank Woodell.

Arrival Delayed. Arrival was delayed from west and east ends of the county due to the fact that Elgin's large delegation was without means of transportation and the O. R. & N. condescendingly permitted a special train from there.

The Joseph train crew ran to Elgin bringing that crowd to Imbler and then came to La Grande to make up the regular Joseph train. It was 10:40 when the train left La Grande.

The thousand mark has been reached but once in the history of the as-

sociation and the present administration is highly pleased with the attendance. Imbler has seldom if ever had a larger concourse than today.

CITY BILLS ALLOWED

Although bills to an unusually large amount were allowed at the council meeting last night, there need be no fear on the part of the taxpayers that the city officials are unduly extravagant in the expenditure of city moneys.

Water Fund. Crane Co., supplies \$51.14, Joe Jones, care hose, 2 months 10.00, Willock Bros, hauling 1.00, Pacific Coast Pipe Co., 45, Horace Knapp, labor 62.50, Grande Ronde Electric Co., 166.65, Joe Jones, drayage 2 months 12.50, Island City M & M. Co., mdse 9.00, Neptune Meter Co 230.40, Andrews & Berry, mdse 8.00, L. A. Pickler, team hire 10.00, Geo. Palmer Lumber Co., 18.65, Pacific Coast Pipe Co., pipe 1288.67, O. R. & N., freight on same 219.67

Pound Fund. W. H. Stanchfield, feed 5.11, A. V. Oliver, feed 1.75

Contingent Fund. D. E. Cox, cash paid out 23.45

Road Fund. Geo. Palmer Lumber Co., lumber 18.74

General Fund. J.W. Davis, labor 2 1/2 days 6.25, Howard Cartier, labor 4 days 10.00, King Rowe, labor 10 days 25.00, S. Crowther, labor 1 1/2 days 3.75, Oscar Jackson, labor 1 1/2 days 3.75, Ted Baxter, labor 10 3/4 days 26.85, Chas. Knapp, labor 19 1/2 days 48.75, L. W. Metcalf, labor 2 1/2 days 6.35, Mike Callahan, labor 16 days 40.00, E. Monsell, labor 3 days 7.50, J. O. Mills, labor 20 days 52.25, J. E. Bradley, labor 3 days 7.50, W. H. Holbrook, labor 9 3/4 days 24.40

ago, after long journey is occupying 65.00, W. S. Montgomery, team 13 days 65.00, Ed. Lovely and team, labor 1 1/2 day 2.75, Don Turner and team, labor 9 days 45.55, W. E. Dalstrom, labor, 1 day 2.75, Win. McMurry and team, labor 9 days 45.55, T. P. Mathews, labor, 21 days 52.25, C. A. Crandale, labor, 6 days 14.75, L. J. Lee, labor, 4 days 10.55, Jewell Rowe labor, 8 days 20.00, A. C. Williams, canvassing returns 3.00, Angus Stewart, election board, Bernard Lagsden, election board 4.50, G. W. Allen, election board 4.50, Wm. Thompson, election board 4.50, James Mahady, election board 4.50, M. A. Harrison, election board 4.50, J. M. Hiltz, election board 4.50, John A. Cates, election board 4.50, Chester Hamilton, election board 4.50, J. W. Stotts, election board 4.50, H. W. Stoner, election board 4.50, C. W. P. Ellsworth, election board 4.50, H. O. Walker, election board 4.50, J. E. Reynolds, election board 4.50, W. Ferguson, election board 4.50, P. Clark, election board 4.50, M. McMurry, election board 4.50, H. Dray, election board 4.50, E. Kilpatrick, election board 4.50, A. Warnick, election board 4.50, F. W. Faulk, special police 16.00, Frank Tiffany, special police 4.50, W. J. Black, burying dogs 2.00, G. E. Fowler, unloading pipe 7.00, W. J. Black, allowance for horse feed 10.00, Grande Ronde Electric Co., 344.60, Joe Jones, services at fires, 19.80, Arthur Curtis, city surveyor, 36.00, G. E. Fowler sprinkling 95.00, Bolton-Bodmer Co., road plow, 21.00, La Grande Observer, printing, 163.45, G. M. Mickelson, auditing books 80.00, Star Publishing Co., printing, 59.00, R. W. Logan, treasurer 20.00, Ferguson's, supplies 1.45

Special Interest Fund. R. W. Logan, treasurer 2.05

KING ROWE CASE STUDIED

Although no report at all has yet been made by the grand jury, the impression is gaining ground that a number of violations of the local option law are being investigated and a number of witnesses were questioned.

BOISE WANTS LOCAL BAND

The La Grande band has received an invitation through the courtesy of the management of the Idaho-Intermountain Fair Association with offices in Boise, to attend a two days' contest there during the week opening October 11.

Further particulars will follow later, as to the rules and regulations for the contestants.

The invitation has just been received and it is not known if the local band will be in a position to accept. The maximum membership is 20 pieces and the minimum 18.

COMMITTEE IS PICKED

The finance committee which will arrange for finances for swinging the big county fair to be held in the city of La Grande this fall has been picked.

The list follows: Wm. Ash, treasurer and chairman; George H. Currey, John Collier, S. N. Bolton, George Stoddard, A. S. Geddes, Mac Wood, F. D. Halsten, J. W. Bush, Fred Geibel, Ed. Polack and Frank Brown.

The executive committee will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the club rooms. It is very urgent that all attend.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that C. C. Penington and W. H. Rush doing business under the firm name of C. C. Penington & Company, have dissolved business by mutual consent, and C. C. Penington will collect and pay all bills against the firm.

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Dated this June 21, A. D. 1909. ANGUS SHAW JR., Executor J. D. Slater, atty for Ex.

Vacation suggestions. Take on your outing a stamped piece to work, pillow top at 10c, linen pieces from 8 1/2-3c to 75c, during the Semi-annual sale at the Golden Rule store. (3t)

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