

ENTERPRISE TO ROCK CREEK FIRE ELKS' DELEGATE HAVE BANK STILL BURNING RETURNS

NEW STRUCTURE TO BE BUILT SOON, IT IS SAID

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE DONE TO VALUABLE GRAZING LANDS

TAKES LONG TRIP THROUGH THE SOUTHLAND

Salt Lake Money Seems to be Behind Projected Bank Movement

Timber Burning and Stock Being Hustled out of District Today

Confident that Portland Will Get the Next 1912 Convention of Elks

Enterprise, Ore., Aug. 1.—Special.—Reliable rumor breathes forth the information that Enterprise will have a new bank, the same to be started immediately. Salt Lake capital, it is stated, is interested in the project. C. E. Funk of the firm of W. J. Funk and Co., here, has leased a building site, or more precisely has given an option for a lease, to the parties whose names are not made public, and a stone building will be erected, it is stated, this summer.

Reports coming from Rock Creek where a forest fire has been burning for some time and is working North toward La Grande, conflict as to the nature of the blaze or the damage done, but it seems that 160 acres of valuable timber land had been burned over yesterday afternoon, that a large piece of slashing has been thoroughly burned over and that while the blaze has done its worst, it is still menacing cattle and sheep running in that vicinity. Several large herds were brought to safety yesterday.

After a journey leading him through the extreme southern portion of the United States, a visit to Detroit where he attended the grand lodge of Elks as a delegate from La Grande, and more convinced than ever that the Grande Ronde is fully as good to live in as anything in a dozen or more states that he saw and in which he was a genuine Grande Ronde valley booster, J. H. Pearce, the jeweler, is home today.

It is also said that four or five small ranches have been destroyed, house, crops and all, but who the losers are is not ascertainable. Though constantly working toward La Grande there is little or no danger of it coming so close to the city that there will be any serious trouble.

Mr. Pearce was a member of the Northwest Elks' special, which left Portland early in July, and following the session of the grand lodge at which 1931 delegates attended, he took the southern route home, coming via Los Angeles, where he commenced a systematic tour of coast points of interest. He saw C. D. Bell, a former La Grande man at Detroit.

Smoke Over Wallowa.
Enterprise, Ore., Aug. 1.—Special.—This portion of Wallowa county for days has been dimmed by smoke from forest fires, drifting evidently from the north. Although no fires have been reported in this county, smoke has been observed to rise out of the Blue Mountains on the south and west of here, drifting the length of the range.

Little was done at the session in the way of changing the existing laws. The election of Hermann, as grand exalted ruler and many of the other offices occurred without material "fights." While the next convention goes to Atlantic City, there is a great cry and demand for a coast city to get the 1912 convention and Portland will get it with little trouble, declared Mr. Pearce. Detroit business men did all in their power to entertain the delegates, but the "cost of living" was materially increased for the benefit of the Elks.

Seidel Addresses Negroes
Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 1.—Mayor Seidel, Milwaukee's Socialistic chief executive, will deliver an address today at a big celebration of the emancipation proclamation arranged by the colored population of the city.

Cut Fare in Half.
Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 1.—By order of the Public Service Commission, the ten cent fare heretofore charged by the traction company operating between Rochester and Sea Breeze, was today cut in half.

MANAGER CLARK MARRIED

POPULAR YOUNG BUSINESS MAN

Marriage Occurs at Baker—Bride Is Boyhood Friend from Clarion.

C. B. Clark, commercial manager of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company in this city, was married at 10:30 Saturday evening at Baker City to Miss Zulu Zoe Himes of Clarion, Pa., former home of Mr. Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Clark reached La Grande last night and are here to make their home, though as yet they have not found a suitable location.

Mr. Clark, who has been here for a half year, has come to be popular in social quarters and business circles. Miss Himes came out from Pennsylvania to meet Mr. Clark and they were quietly married at Baker.

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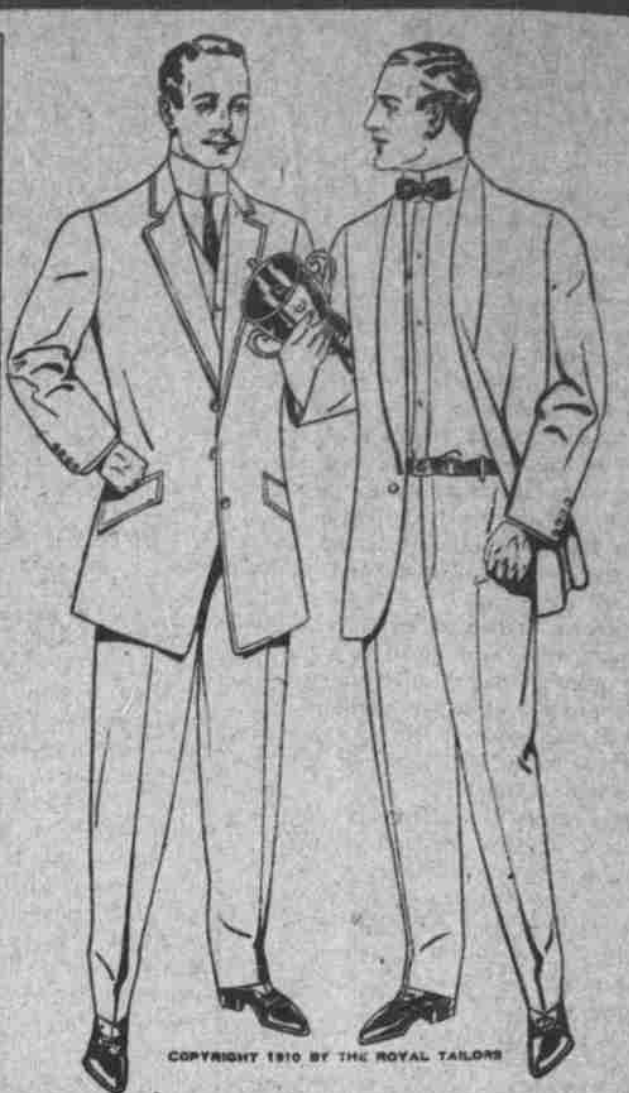
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THE FAIR



TOWNSEND CASE ON TRIAL

LIQUOR CASE FROM PALMER JUNCTION CALLED.

W. H. Compton Claimed to Have Purchased Liquor June Eighth.

Victor Townsend of Palmer Junction is today on trial charged with selling intoxicating liquor, and his trial is the second of the series. Selection of a jury commenced at 10 o'clock this morning and the same attorneys who handled the Newlin case have

this in charge. In fact these men will officiate throughout the entire series of trials according to present arrangements.

Townsend is accused of having sold liquor on June 8 to W. H. Compton, at Palmer Junction. A popular question that was given all the prospective jurors was whether or not they believed that prosecution vindicated the local option law and if failure to convict a man accused tended to make a dead issue of the law.

The jury secured for this case consists of: George Becker, James Peach, James Masterson, M. L. Carter, Dexter Eaton, George Johnson, Lee Humphrey, James McClure, J. D. Hudson, C. E. Moore A. Rysdam and Thomas D. Poole.

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USING CEMENT BLOCKS

Street Superintendent Utilizing Cement Crosswalks from Paving District

Street Superintendent Matott is removing cement crosswalks on Adams avenue, block by block, and is resetting them again in the residence district where cement sidewalks have lately been constructed. The venture is proving successful in every respect, and Fourth street and Pennsylvania avenue are each receiving much improvement in this way.

Spanish War Veterans.

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 1.—New York state veterans of the war with Spain assembled here today for their annual reunion. A large party will go from the Empire state to the national encampment at Denver next month.

NOTHING NEW UNDER THE SUN

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