

MORE PAVING IS ASKED FOR

COUNCIL HEARS NEW REQUESTS FOR PAVING.

Various Matters of Importance Taken up and Disposed of.

Requests for more paving were heard at the meeting of the city council last evening. President Mackey presided in the absence of the mayor and considerable detail was attended to.

New street lights were allowed for the corner of Spring and First, Jefferson and Cove Avenues, East O and North Cherry street.

A sidewalk, cement, of course, will be built on the East side of the court house grounds, the county and city dividing the costs.

Storm sewers are to be built along First street to handle the spring freshets.

Flagman Promised.

M. J. Buckley, assistant general manager for the O-W, sent several communications to the county and city attorney dealing with the various matters before the council. The first told of promising prospects for paving Jefferson from Fourth to Fir, where the

company owns all the adjoining property on the North. The next told of negotiations now pending for installing a flagman at the North Fir street crossing between 8 in the morning and 7 at night.

Residents Want Paving.

Residents on O street between First and Fourth want the street paved and so petitioned the council last night. This will connect the hard surface paving on First with that on Fourth and will reduce the grade on the steep hill on that street.

Commissioners appointed to handle the wanted paving on Second street, from the O-W, right of way to Spring avenue.

Bids for the construction of the new city hall, or rather the extensive changes to the present one, were ordered advertised for. The plans are now in the recorder's office.

A careful inspection of all theatres in the city, and instructions to the fire chief to enforce every phase of the fire ordinance, was ordered by the council. This includes the moving picture houses as well.

The night police and day forces must wear their badges on the lapel of their coats and not the vests hereafter.

Alleys will have to be cleaned up hereafter and prevention of fire traps in the business section alleys taken. It is pointed out that when the lower insurance rates are put into force, this will be one of the strict requirements.

Trees hanging over sidewalks and unsightly lots must be cared for immediately, in compliance with an order issued last night.

The council last evening took steps to prevent the Davenport Carnival company returning to the city this year.

Heineken, the German Prodigy.
Christian Henry Heineken, the most wonderful of all the world's precocious prodigies, was born at Lubeck, Germany, in the year 1721. When but nine and a half months of age this human wonder could pronounce every word contained in the German language, and before he had rounded out his first year of earthly existence he knew all the leading events of the world's history. At the age of fourteen months he could give chapter and verse of any quoted passage of the Scriptures and knew the history of every book in both the Old and New Testaments. At the age of two and a half years he could answer every question in the geographies and histories then in use and could converse with visitors in either German, French, Dutch, Latin or Greek. His fourth year was devoted to the study of religion and ancient history. He had finished the studies mentioned and had started on a course in oriental religion when he suddenly died before completing his fourth year.

Instinct in Birds.

In the stormy part of the year a steamer encountered rough weather, and, as often happens at such times, many sea gulls hovered near the ship and even came on board. One allowed itself to be caught, and it was found that it had a fish bone stuck in the eye in such a position as not absolutely to destroy the sight, but penetrating an inch into the flesh of the bird and projecting an inch and a half. It might have had a fight with a fish or got transfixed seeking its prey. The doctor of the ship took the bird, extracted the bone, applied a soothing remedy to the wound and let it go. It flew away, but returned the next day, allowing itself to be caught. The doctor examined the wound, which was progressing favorably, applied more of the remedy and let the bird go a second time. It flew several times around the ship and then departed and returned no more.—London Sketch.

G. A. Sala and His Epitaph.
Among some autograph letters and historical documents sold recently were a series of eight letters by George Augustus Sala addressed to W. P. Frith, including an amusing forecast of his own epitaph:

When I die it may be written on my tomb, He wrote the worst burlesque ever acted; He abused the constituted authorities

and with malice prepense maligned

The Royal Academy of Arts. He did the things he ought not to have done and never did

Those he should have done. He was stout in person and bloated in countenance, and

He never came to dinner when he was asked.

But when he "dropped in" unasked was no doubt better company than many invited guests are!

—Pearson's Weekly.

Passport to the North Pole.

A passport to the north pole was issued some years ago by the governor of the province of Tobolsk, which stretches along the Russian shores of the Arctic ocean. The official was approached by two men who had been engaged to proceed to the north with an English expedition then fitting out. Their petition was for a passport to

ONE INNING SPELLS DEFEAT

PIPPINS HAVE BEST OF GAME OTHERWISE.

Pendleton Allowed to Climb up on Fitchner During One Bad Canto

STANDINGS OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct
Walla Walla	57	31	.648
Pendleton	48	44	.516
Boise	45	45	.500
La Grande	29	58	.333

Pendleton, Aug. 22.—La Grande almost won a game yesterday, but Fitchner loosened up in the seventh rally two down and allowed a batting rally which netted the Buck four runs. The final score was Pendleton 5, La Grande 3. Berger did the heaving for the locals and had his usual bad inning, but aside from that was in fine form.

Both teams played good ball in the field and the game was a good one to watch. Straight blanks were drawn until the fourth, when Pendleton put one over, Pembroke clouting out a three-sacker and Nadeau scoring him with a two-sacker. The Pippins tied it up in the sixth when Fitchner doubled, took third on an error, and scored on a sacrifice fly. Berger's bad seventh netted La Grande a couple of two-sackers and a single that made them good for two runs, but in the last half the Bucks forged to the lead again. With two down and one on, Augustus, Berger, Rader and Robinson all hit safe, four runs coming in.

	R.	H.	E.
Pendleton	5	11	1
La Grande	3	8	2

Batteries—Berger and Wilson; Fitchner and McBride.

Bears Meet Defeat.

Boise, Aug. 22.—(Special)—The Irrigators got away with the Bears yesterday in a loose game. The score: R. H. E. Walla Walla 3 10 3 Boise 4 7 3 Batteries—Kelly and Johnson; Pope and Taylor.

the pole itself, but the governor pointed out that the pole was as likely to be in their home province as in any other, that it was extremely unlikely they would reach it and that if they did there were no police there to examine their credentials. At last, however, to satisfy them he ordered the issue of a document allowing them to pass without let or hindrance to the north pole.

Utility of Education.

An eminent physician, at a recent convention of railway surgeons in Philadelphia, said of a safety device that has averted many railway accidents:

"The advantage of this device is now almost universally recognized. Indeed, the railroader who disputes its advantages is as antiquated as the old resister who said:

"Education be hanged! Thar's young Bill Smithers took an engineer's course in a correspondence school and then put up a sign on his carriage house and hadn't no better sense than to spell 'carriage' 'garage.'"—Exchange.

He Aroused Them.

When Samuel S. Colber was preaching in an old log schoolhouse in Johnson county, Missouri, in 1852, his congregation was quite small. One Sunday all were sitting at the desks forward near the puncheon floor. The sermon was monotonous and the old log seats had no backs. Observing the sleepy, downcast look of the congregation, the minister woke them up by shouting, "Arouse, heaven is not under the floor!"

Proof of His Love.

'Arriet (doubtfully)—Bill, you say you loves me, but how do I know it to be true?

Bill (cheerily)—Bust me, 'Arriet! Didn't I stand you a tripe supper, a feed of whilks and a plate of stewed eels? What more d'ye want?—London Globe.

An Exchange of Compliments.

Howell—Your head is pretty thick. Powell—I don't think the inside measurement of yours would be any strain on a tape measure.—New York Press.

Lazy Little Prue.

Sue—Wouldn't you just like to be as happy as a lark? Prue—No, indeed. Think of the time they have to get up.—Lippincott's.

SCOUT RALLY FRIDAY NIGHT

TROOP THREE TO BE BOOSTED WITH A VIZ.

Other Troops of City to Rally Around North Side Troop of Scouts.

A few weeks ago the original troop 2 of the Boy Scouts, which had grown very rapidly under the direction of Scoutmaster E. P. Borden, was divided to form the nucleus of two other troops. One of these troops includes the territory on the hill while the other takes in all of the boys who live on the north side of the tract are urged to be present at this meeting Friday night.

In order to boost these new troops, Scoutmaster H. C. Vinacke and Assistant Scoutmaster Clark have asked all three troops to meet Friday night at troop 3 headquarters. They meet at 7:30 in the M. E. church South. All Scouts are expected to be present, and if possible each to bring with him a boy who should join. Parents of boys are cordially invited to come to this meeting in order that they may know some of the purposes of the Boy Scout movement. There will be a program including some demonstration work by the older Scouts. Here are the requirements to be met by any boy wishing to join:

Know the Scout law and signs and salute.

Know the composition of the national flag and the right way to fly it.

Tie four knots out of the following knots: Reef, sheet bend, bowline, bowline, middleman's fisherman's sheepshank.

He then takes the Scout's oath and is enrolled as a tenderfoot, and is ex-

pected to wear the buttonhole badge. The oath he takes is as follows: "On my honor I promise that I will do my best: "1.—To do my duty to God and my country. "2.—To help other people at all times. "3.—To obey the Scout law."

Any boy who is now a Scout will willingly assist any new boy to meet the above requirements and to prepare him to pass the examinations. All boys and their parents who live on the north side of the tract are urged to be present at this meeting Friday night.

"WAR NOT NEEDED."

Senator Bacon Says Intervention in Nicaragua Is Unnecessary.

Washington, Aug. 22.—"If the United States pursues the same tactics in Nicaragua that it did in Mexico there will be war," said Senator Bacon in the senate today.

"There is just one-tenth the justification for interference in Nicaragua that there was in Mexico. Dollar diplomacy is commendable when properly carried out but when personal fortunes are furthered in a way requiring the use of the army and navy I do not believe in it."

RUSSIAN SAILORS MUTINY.

Transport Sunk and Another Vessel Is Threatened by Mutineers.

Odessa, Aug. 22.—Russian sailors mutinied at Nicolaeff today scuttled the transport Cagsul and now threaten to sink another vessel. The Black Sea fleet is en route to the scene to suppress the mutiny. Fifteen mutinous sailors are condemned to death and 206 others are under arrest.

Bride From South Africa.
Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 22.—At a large and fashionable wedding here today Miss Kate de Villiers, whose home is in Paarl, South Africa, became the bride of Henry Baldwin Schwab of New York City. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mrs. C. Curtis Hussey, sister-in-law of the bride. The bride belongs to a noted South African family, being a cousin of Lord de Villiers, who was president of the convention that formed the Union of South Africa in 1910. Mr. Schwab, the bridegroom, is a Harvard graduate and a nephew of Gustav H. Schwab, the New York banker. The bridal couple will spend their honeymoon in the Alps and later will make a six months' tour of South America.

WOMAN KILLED IN DUEL.

Miners' Union Official Also Meets Death in Gun Fight.

Herrin, Ill., Aug. 22.—Thomas Guffy, president of the Miners' union at Colville, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna Fioher, died here today as the result of a pistol duel following Mrs. Fioher's attempt to save the life of Mrs. Guffy, who had been attacked by her husband. Guffy received six bullets in the body, and Mrs. Fioher was shot through the heart.

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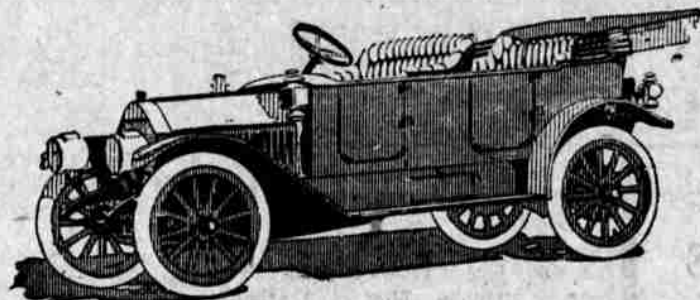
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