

RECEIVER-ELECT HERE

BONDS HAVE GONE TO WASHINGTON FOR INSPECTION.

New Receiver Here Hopes to Get Into Office June First.

To get in touch with his duties when officially installed in office, Nolan Skiff the receiver-elect for the United State land office in this city, is here for his home in Halfway, Ore. Mr. Skiff was appointed by President Wilson several weeks ago to become receiver to succeed Colon R. Eberhard, and while the red tape of installation is under way, he will acquaint himself with the work at hand under the guidance of Mr. Eberhard and Register F. C. Bramwell.

"My bonds went to Washington a few days ago," said Mr. Skiff today, "and while I have no way of knowing when they will be approved and my commission forwarded, I don't predict that the final installation into



Cutting the Corners Of the Home Plate

may be all right for the base ball pitcher, but he takes a chance, and that is how some base ball goods are made, something is skimmed; a chance is taken.

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UNION ENJOYS FINE LIBRARY

SURPLANTS OLD-TIME INSTITUTION THERE.

Built in Heart of Town, It Has Made Big Improvement.

Union, ay 19.—(Special)—Union's fine Carnegie library which was opened to the public last winter is becoming more and more a civic center for the people of this town. There are about 2500 volumes at present and more are to be added all the time.

The building is located on Main street just north of Catherine creek and is a credit to the town. It was the ladies of Union who deserve almost the entire credit for securing the new building and for establishing and maintaining the institution in less commodious quarters for several years previous to the gift of Mr. Carnegie.

Almost ten years ago Mrs. S. A. Pursell, Mrs. Jerry Thompson and Mrs. Caton and others established a public library in Union. Through their determination and continued efforts with the help of other ladies of whom were Mrs. S. O. Swackhammer, Mrs. Geo. Sibird, Mrs. W. T. Wright, Mrs. Townly and others, their faithfulness was finally awarded by the fine gift that now gives Union a permanent public library. Mrs. Annie Cockrum, present librarian, is making the library as efficient an institution as possible.

WANTED—Plain sewing by the day. Mrs. Geo. Watterman, room 4, Savoy hotel. 5-20-3t

6 bars Pearl White soap 25c. Dalton's Cash Store 5-20-2t

office will come until the first of the month anyway."

Mr. Skiff contemplates bringing his family here in a month's time from Halfway. "Bud" McAllister, T. H. Crawford, and other old-time friends dropped into the land office today to greet the receiver-elect.

MANY BEARS FAMILIAR

BOSS BADE HITS THE CITY THIS MORNING.

"Tiny" Leonard Out of Game for 10 Days to Come.

Bringing only Sheely and Lundstrum as new faces in the fielding department, and one of the former champion pitchers, Captain—Playing Manager Brown invaded La Grande last night for a week's stand. "Tiny" Leonard, probably the tye pitcher of the league, is not with the Bears however, having returned to Walla Walla to get over effects of stopping a terrific drive at Boise with his pitching shoulder. Leonard may be out of it for 10 days, at any rate this week, and Manager August Bade the Walla Walla mogul, who arrived in the city today to see his cohorts perform against La Grande, admits that the Spuds ought to take the series with Leonard out of it. Shader, Laird and Kelly, the last named of hard luck fame, constitute the pitching staff for the present week and Shader was scheduled to open against La Grande this afternoon. "Cotton" Harmon, the hard hitting outfielder, leads off again for Walla Walla this year, and Brown winds it up. Lundstrom is not a new face in the league however, having reported to Boise in this city when the late Hugh Kellack brought the Irrigators to La Grande the first time in 1912.

Infielder Miller, with Yakima until yesterday is playing with the Spuds for the present.

Lomond Coming. There seems no question now but what Lomond, the shifty infielder who played here a while last year, will join the Spuds late this week. He has accepted terms and is thereby bound to report at any rate. He will strengthen the infield and the batting strength of the team and permit Nadeau to resume his position in the outfield.

FARMERS IN BETTER MOOD

SUNSHINE COMES AND CROPS GROWING.

Cold and Continued Rains Has Caused Trouble With Farmers.

Red Pepper School District, May 20.—(Special)—The clouds have cleared away and the sun is shining once again. What we need is lots of warm sunshine. If the weather would be nice and warm now for a while everything would sure grow. We have had so much cold rain things are now at a standstill.

The water isn't quite so high as it was a few days ago.

Richard Hopper and Elvin Orton attended the invitation dance Friday evening that was given by some of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Conley were La Grande visitors Saturday.

G. M. Gray of Lower Cove was a La Grande visitor Saturday.

George and Philip Conley will start for Starkey Wednesday morning with their horses, to put them in Bennett brothers pasture for the summer. They will make the trip, which is 28 miles from La Grande, and back in tow days.

FOR RENT—Four room and bath, modern cottage. Inquire 1602 Jefferson avenue. 5-19-5tp

WANTED—Board and room by man and wife. Apply Fisher's Variety Store. 5-20-2t

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

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term circuit court 9.20
E. C. Thatcher, juror February term circuit court 9.20
H. P. Lewis, juror February term circuit court 15.20
H. C. Vinacke, juror February

term circuit court 6.20
C. E. Cummings, juror February term circuit court 15.20
W. F. Hendricks, juror February term circuit court 9.20
W. H. Stafford, special juror February term circuit court 15.20
F. E. Millering, special juror February term circuit court 15.20
W. S. Montgomery, special juror February term circuit court 9.20
M. L. Clark, special juror February term circuit court 9.20
Joe Kelly, special juror February term circuit court ... 15.20
Chris Miller, special juror February term circuit court 15.20
W. C. Combs, special juror February term circuit court 9.20
Geo. Gekeler, special juror February term circuit court 9.20
E. C. Hughes, special juror February term circuit court 15.20
S. D. Crowe, special juror February term circuit court ... 3.20
George Noble, special juror February term circuit court 3.20
T. E. French, special juror February term circuit court 3.20
C. H. Conkey, special juror February term circuit court 3.20
S. R. Hiatt, special juror, February term circuit court ... 3.20
Home Restaurant, meals for jurors 3.25
L. C. Smith, work on sheriff's safe 4.75
Ed Wright, express 1.90
D. H. Procter, express, etc... 3.15
E. O. Republican, printing as per bill 26.60
La Grande Evening Observer, printing as per bill 28.90
Glass and Prudhomme, supplies as per bill 77.49
Bushong and Co., supplies as per bill 58.75
La Grande Seed & Floral Co., supplies for court house ... 2.70
Jas. A. Bugg, supplies for court house75
Cherry's New Laundry laundry for jail 1.00
N. K. West, merchandise for indigents 6.10
Golden Rule Co., merchandise for indigents 3.33
E. L. Bussey, hack hire for indigents 4.50
Cock Bros., funeral expenses indigent 25.00
Valentine Graemer, opening grave for indigent 6.00
Henry & Carr, supplies, etc., for indigents 58.00
J. J. Quinland Co., blacksmithing for poor farm 28.63
Pioneer Flouring Mill Co., feed for poor farm 40.75
Bolton-Bodmer Co., merchandise for poor farm 4.00
La Grande Meta Co., meat for poor farm 26.97
Grande Ronde Cash Co., supplies for poor farm 7.00
Mrs. E. Porter aDy, house rent for indigent 12.75
C. A. Galloway, commissioner's efes 48.40
J. F. Hutchinson, commissioner's fees 46.80
In the matter of the monthly report of the county treasurer Approved.
In the matter of the monthly statement of county clerk of scalp bounty warrants issued. Approved.
In the matter of the monthly allowance to various indigent persons. Allowances made as follows:
D. W. Souder, \$15.00; Maggie Slagner, \$10.00; Mrs. Jno. Hilderbrant, \$12.50; Rose Hornbeck, \$20.00; Clara Serles, \$10.00; Mrs. F. B. Huntley, \$12.50; Mrs. O. Moffitt, \$10.00; Mrs. M. A. Tripp, \$10.00; J. F. Williams, \$12.50; Millie McLachion, \$10.00; Alfred Banks, \$10.00; Mrs. Ole Olson \$7.50; Mary Weaver, \$10.00.
In the matter of the petition of John T. Witty et al., for the incorporation of the town of Imbler. Continued until May 25th, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.
In the application of Will Comb for relief. Denied.
In the matter of the application of Mrs. Jas. O. Sage for relief. Allowance of \$10.00 per month granted.
In re application of La Grande Real Estate Association for cancellation of tax lien. Application granted.
In re resignation of J. B. Breshears as supervisor of road district No. 4. Resignation accepted.
In re expediting county records. C. M. Lockwood awarded contract.
In re application of Mrs. Robert Wilkinson for county aid. Allowance of \$10.00 per month granted.
In re bids for supplying wood for court house. County clerk directed to advertise for bids for same.



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R. W. LEIGHTON'S Garage

In re erection of two 60 foot steel bridges. County clerk directed to advertise for bids for the erection of same.
In re adjournment of county court. Court adjourned to May 25th, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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