

## FYKE HEAD OF PREACHERS

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION HAS ELECTED ITS OFFICERS.

Rev. R. E. Close Is Secretary and Treasurer.

The La Grande Ministerial association which was organized just one year ago, held its annual election Monday afternoon. It was the wish of the body to re-elect Dr. Lane as president, but because of multiplied responsibilities which he anticipated during this winter, he declined the honor. Rev. E. B. Pyke was elected to fill the chair for the ensuing year. Rev. Wm. C. Drahn succeeds Rev. Adams as vice president and Rev. R. E. Close takes the work of secretary-treasurer.

An interesting schedule of topics to be discussed during the winter months was presented by Mr. Drahn. This series will cover many phases of church work.

November 3, has been set as the date on which all ministers of Union county are to come to La Grande for the purpose of organizing a Union County Ministerial association. This call is the result of several weeks' investigation in which out of town preachers were consulted.

### BAKER HAS HARD CONTEST.

Weiser Team Is Heavier and Many Men Experienced.

Baker, Or., Oct. 13.—That Baker high school football team will bump up against the hardest team they will have to compete with the whole season, when they meet the Weiser warriors next Friday on the local gridiron, is the prophecy of those who have seen both teams in action.

The Weiser team outweighs Baker 15 pounds to the man, and most of them have been seasoned by two and three years at the game. Two of their guards weigh 100 pounds and are built on the type of Easterwood who played a star game with Baker last year. Their quarter back is now showing fine form, and while their back field is heavy it is not fast. They assert they will have no trouble cleaning up Baker, and they boast the fact that they are a stronger aggregation than Boise this year.

Baker will undoubtedly resort to the forward pass in the coming game as it is thought little yardage can be gained by line bucks.

Coach Williams said this morning regarding the prospects of winning: "While it is doubtful about the outcome, if my men continue in the improvement they are showing we will give Weiser a hard rub, and I do not expect the purple and gold to go down to defeat. E. M. Brown of the Y. M. C. A. is helping me coach the men this week, and he is a valuable acquisition to the coaching staff. Crane will be out of the game with blood poisoning in his foot, and although Fleetwood has a wrenched shoulder he will be back in the lineup before Friday. All the other men are in the pink of condition."

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Admission 25c to skaters.  
Gallery 10c to everybody.  
Children's Matinee Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 p. m., 15c.  
Skating Sunday afternoon and evening.

L. McNULTY, Skating Mgr.  
C. P. FERRIN, Mgr.

## JAMES LEHMAN PASSES AWAY

WAS ORIGINAL DISCOVERER OF LEHMAN SPRINGS.

Dog, Pet of Deceased, Mourns When Master's Voice Is Silent.

Pendleton, Or., Oct. 14.—James Lehman, one of the early pioneers of Umatilla county, for whom Lehman Springs, the noted resort of the Blue mountains, 50 miles south of Pendleton was named, died at the age of 82 years Saturday afternoon on the road, while being brought into Pendleton by Al Bolan and Dan Doherty, from his cabin at Lehman Springs. The news caused mourning through the city among all classes, as "Uncle Jimmy," as he was familiarly known, was beloved by all who knew him. He was born July 17, 1831, and the history of this section during the last half century was identified with his life.

According to Mr. Bolan, Mr. Lehman had not been feeling well, and Sunday, October 5, he went to James Nelson's place at the Meadows to have his team hitched up so he could come into Pendleton. But on becoming ill, he was persuaded to stay over.

Last Saturday morning, Mr. Lehman telephoned to Mr. Bolan, whose home is 13 miles from the springs on Camas prairie, asking Mr. Bolan to come and get him and bring him into town. Mr. Bolan went after him immediately, and they started from the springs at 10 o'clock. They got to the Bolan place at 2 o'clock, and Mr. Bolan wanted the old gentleman to stop there until he felt better, but he declined to do so. The journey was renewed. After driving about a mile, Mr. Bolan happened to look back to see how Mr. Lehman was getting along, and discovered that he was dying. Mr. Bolan stopped the buggy, lifted the aged man's body out and laid him on the ground. Mr. Lehman was quite weak, gave a few gasps, and died. He made no parting statement.

Old Hound Looking for Him.  
A pathetic feature of his death was that his old black dog, "Coalie," a short-haired hound, with gray on his nose, followed the body into the city, and all Saturday night and Sunday the faithful animal wandered disconsolately up and down the streets, calling time after time at the haunts that his master was wont to frequent and sniffing inquiringly at the men that he knew were associates of his master. It is feared that the dog will die of grief. He is still looking for the old man everywhere in vain.

The immediate cause of Mr. Lehman's death is unknown.

In the winter of 1871 one of the Nail brothers, supposed now to have been Preston Nail, had gotten into some kind of trouble and to keep away from the officers he went into the mountains and first ran onto the hot springs, which have since been first known as "Teel" and later as "Lehman" springs. When he came out he told of his find and in the spring of 1873 Dr. Teel, who was the pioneer doctor of the little town, accompanied by James Lehman, made the trip into the springs, following the directions given by Mr. Nail, with a two-wheeler cart sometime in June. They were followed by a party of campers in July composed of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bentley and two small daughters, Dora and Nettie, both of whom died the next year with diphtheria; B. B. Bishop, the pioneer justice of the peace, and his family; Sam Rothchild, one of the little town's merchants, and Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson, who went in with a wagon and team. The whole party went from Bear creek into the springs.

### Taffy Pull Tonight.

The Young People's society of the Lutheran church meet for a taffy pull tonight at the parsonage, 805 N avenue. There will be short program after which all present will be asked to try their art of candy making. As all are expected to eat the candy they make or get some one to eat it for them, it is expected that the best candy will take place. The members hope to see many of their friends present.

Your job printing. Have it done at the Observer office.

## NON-SUIT IS TRIAL'S END

TOY L. YOUNG FAILS IN SUIT AGAINST WULFE.

La Grande Band Again Defendant In Suit Started by Bennedetti.

Toy L. Young's suit against Ed. Wolfe, to recover \$50 alleged to be due as a forfeiture on a contract for the sale of some Telocaset land, said to have been due when Mr. Wolfe elapsed on the contract, failed today when the case was non-suited. The local Chinese had presented his case and rested when the defense moved for a non-suit and won. The deal which the litigation was over, was enacted in 1912.

Ray Clark will be tried Friday on a charge of perjury. This case has been in court several years in one form or another and is now to come to trial. Clark's alleged misconduct came in connection with the witnessing of a marriage license, several years ago, in which Wallawa county people were granted permission to marry at ages, said to be less than permissible.

Henry Wortman, of Elgin, pleaded not guilty today to a charge of failing to support his wife and family properly, and his trial date will be set shortly.

Judge Knowles today rendered a decision correcting a deed and quieting title to J. J. Turner of Medical Springs. There is no case before the circuit court this afternoon.

### BAND SUED AGAIN.

Former Leader Brings Suit In Union Justice Court This Time.

The La Grande band is again defendant in a suit over alleged damages sustained by I. Bennedetti, formerly band leader here. A few weeks ago Bennedetti sued in the local justice court to recover one month's wages said by him to be due at the time he was discharged as band leader. In the trial the band won a favorable decision, and the court held that the leader was entitled to \$10 which the band admitted. This sum the musician accepted and no appeal taken. Now he brings action in the Union justice court for damages in the sum represented by what he alleges to be due him on the entire contract with the band, entered into before the disagreement between the leader and the band. This sum is about \$150.

## ELECTIONS NUMEROUS

IMBLER, UNION AND LA GRANDE TO VOTE.

Complete Ticket Made Up for Imbler's First Municipal Ticket.

Special elections are the order of the day in Union county. On October 18, Imbler votes on her first set of officials to rule the recently in operation city. On the 20th the city of La Grande votes for three commissioners. On November 4 Union votes on the dry and wet issue. County Clerk Wright has had filed before him the list of candidates for the Imbler election. Six councilmen out of 10 candidates are to be named. The list of candidates are:

For Mayor.  
Louis H. Bergold ..... Socialist  
John T. Witty ..... Progressive  
For Recorder.  
J. S. Lloyd ..... Socialist  
Frank Perry ..... Republican  
For Treasurer.  
Guy J. Glenn ..... Democrat  
Bernice Lloyd ..... Socialist  
For Marshal.  
Don E. Myers ..... Democrat  
For Alderman.  
James L. Andrews ..... Socialist  
F. E. Barrett ..... Progressive  
George L. Cleaver ..... Prohibition  
J. P. Larson ..... Progressive  
Robert Lloyd ..... Socialist  
R. McBride ..... Republican  
C. J. Pratt ..... Democrat  
Charles Squires ..... Socialist  
John W. Wells ..... Socialist  
John Wells, Sr. .... Democrat

No Title Page in Early Books.  
The idea of a title page did not occur to the early printers. "The books started straight off with 'Incipit' or 'Here beginneth' without author's or publisher's name. This causes much difficulty in attributing earlier works to the proper sources." The idea of a title page with names seems first to have occurred to a Cologne printer named Therboernen about 1470, but it was not generally adopted until fifty years later. The early punctuation was very simple, consisting of an oblique line and a full stop. One of the first books to introduce the colon and notes of interrogation and exclamation was a "Lactantius" printed at a monastery near Rome in 1465.—Luprint.

London's Gunpowder Alley.  
The city coroner, who commented upon the "funny" name of Gunpowder alley (off Shoe Lane) and confessed that he had never heard of it, may nevertheless have heard of the post Lovelace, who died in the alley two years before the restoration. The lodging in which he died was a miserable one, but probably seemed to the poor post released from prison a glorious palace, for he was philosopher enough already to have written that "stone walls do not a prison make." In this alley also lived the notorious astrologer, Lilly, the Sidrophel of "Hudibras."—London Chronicle.

A Cure For Hiccups.  
Fill a glass tumbler with clear, cold water and place on a table. Then let the patient stand where he or she can look directly into the glass and fix the attention about the center of the bottom of the glass for about a minute, when the patient will find that the hiccups have entirely disappeared. This has been known to cure the most violent cases of this uncomfortable disorder.—London Family Herald.

To Make Vinegar.  
Save the parings and cores of apples and put them in a jar with warm water enough to more than cover them. Set in a warm place for several days; then strain and add one pint of molasses to a gallon of the water. Put in a jar, tie a thin cloth over it, keep in a warm place and in a few weeks this will be good vinegar.—National Magazine.

Different Proposition.  
"What is the object of your society?"  
"To prevent gambling among women."  
"Nonsense. It can't be done."  
"Certainly gambling can be stopped."  
"Gambling? I thought you said gambling."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Grounds.  
"Has your husband given you grounds for divorce?" asked the woman who is always eager to sympathize.  
"Yes," replied the one whose mind is on alimony. "Plenty of grounds, but I'd rather have some regular real estate."—Washington Star.

## OREGON NEWS BREVITIES

### Ontario Well Taken Over.

That there will be something doing in oil in Malheur county is now certain. George Franklin Willey closed a satisfactory deal with the Ontario people whereby he will eventually take over that well.

It is more than possible that something will be done with some of the Vale wells in the near future. There are tentative deals made with two of the Vale wells and probably will be others in line when Mr. Willey returns from the east.

Upon closing the deal for the Ontario well Mr. Willey expressed himself as greatly impressed with the spirit of unanimity exhibited by the well owners at Ontario.

The gas pressure at the Ontario well impressed Mr. Willey and he is now confident that something can be accomplished as gas will answer every purpose and, in his opinion, oil will be eventually produced.

Mr. Willey will return in about 60 days.—Vale Enterprise.

### 30,000 Sheep On to Chicago.

More than 30,000 head of sheep will leave Bend within the next few days

for Chicago stock yards, this probably being the largest single shipment of mutton ever made from Oregon.

The sheep have been brought within a radius of 100 miles of Bend by Clay, McDaniels & Green, live stock agents, and will be consigned to the Smith Commission company, brokers at Chicago.

They will travel over the Oregon Trunk, North Bank, Northern Pacific and Soo Lines to destination. A total of 120 double deck cars will be required.—Baker Democrat.

### Take a Lease On Red Boy.

Baker, Oct. 4.—A new move in the Red Boy mine west of Sumpter is the working of the mine by leasers. A. K. Glenn, Bob Wilson, C. J. Dempsey and Allen Ames went out to the mine the first of the week to start work on a lease. Their work, it is understood, will be confined to the old workings of the Red Boy and will in no way effect the operations now being carried on by the Red Boy company. The leasers are well known in Sumpter and should meet with success in the new venture.—Sumpter American.

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