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MANY REBEKAHS VISIT ELGIN

District Convention of the Order Under Way at Elgin This Afternoon

Sixteen members of the Rebekah lodge of this city, and Rebekahs from the many lodges of Union county, are meeting in Elgin today for the Union County District convention. The La Grande drill team tonight exemplifies a part of the initiatory work.

It is planned that the La Grande delegation return tonight in automobiles.

WOOL GROWERS TO MEET SOON

Heppner To Be Hostess to Oregon Association December 15-16

Pendleton, Nov. 21.—(Special)—Senator J. N. Burgess received word this morning that the convention of Oregon Wool Growers which was to be held in Heppner on the 8th and 9th of December, has been held over one week in order to avoid a conflict with the Stock Show in Portland. The new dates for the Heppner convention are December 15 and 16.

There are a number of important matters to be considered by the sheepmen at this meeting of the state body. Among them are the matter of securing roads and trails over public land under the 640 acre homestead law which is a possibility of the near future, and consideration of the proposal of the forest service to raise the fees for grazing on the forest reserves.

The Names of God in the Creation Narratives Explained by Writer.

La Grande, Nov. 21.—(To the Editor)—In a recent lecture, a synopsis of which appeared in the Observer, the statement was made that the practice was erroneous, of confusing the term God (Elohim) with that of Lord God (Jehovah-Elohim), in the book of Genesis, and that these terms are not synonymous.

Now that the traditional view is, that they refer to one and the same Being, each revealing or denoting some special characteristic of that one Being. This is the view of that nation, through whom that book was produced, and for whose learning it was primarily written. What is the verdict of the Jews? Turn to the eighteenth Psalm and the thirty-first verse, where we read, "Who is God (Eloah) save Jehovah." (Am. R. V.) Eloah is the singular form of Elohim.

The use of names in the Old Testament is most significant. Among the orientals, names were not given in the haphazard, arbitrary fashion prevalent amongst ourselves, but were descriptive of the character of the person named, or of something in connection with him. Adam (the earth man) was so named because he was formed of the dust of the ground, as far as his outward manifestation was concerned; Eve meaning life, because she was the mother of all living, and so on. Sometimes names were given to record certain events at the time of birth. Thus the genealogies in the book of Genesis not only contain lists of individuals but also tribal developments signified by the names. When this is understood these lists become far from dry, and of intense interest.

Owing to the radical difference in the manner of thought and expression between the Oriental and Occidental, the latter often finds great difficulty in interpreting the former. He may acquire a grammatical knowledge and extensive vocabulary of oriental language, but its "ethos" or mental mode evades and eludes him. For that, he must be "to the manner born."

The names of God in the Old Testament are revelations of His Being and character, no one name being sufficient to this purpose. That they refer to the one and the same Being may be seen from their coalescence in him, each expressing some characteristic naturally pertaining to God. These names were either given or revealed by God Himself, or were applied by man as he grew in knowledge of God. Take the name "Elohim" which means "the mighty ones;" this was applied to princes and potentates. When men grasped the idea of God as the Supreme ruler of the universe, they called Him "Elohim," but with the verb in the singular. This peculiar use denoted that God was one Being, but super-excellent in majesty and might, above all the elohim of the earth, as King of Kings, Lord of Lords. This name originated probably in the first instance with man.

DANGER SIGNS AT CROSSINGS

Policy Adopted Some Time Ago To Be Put Into Practice At Once

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Statistics show there were 1,086 men, women and children killed in train-automobile accidents in the United States during the calendar year of 1915. This needless sacrifice of precious human lives is most deplorable. Automobile manufacturers estimate that one million new cars will be sold during the current year, therefore it is not unreasonable to assume an increase in such fatalities may be expected unless all powers and influences combine to check this evil.

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But as one of the special, peculiar privileges of the Jews was, that to them were committed the oracles of God, so it is fitting that this fact should be emphasized, by a more particular account, with special reference to their race. This is indicated by the use of the covenant name of God (Jehovah) with that people.

If the Jew found no difficulty nor confusion, in regarding both names as applying to the one and the same Being, why should others? The traditional Jewish interpretation must be of the greatest authority and weight, because to that nation in its own language and manner of thought and expression, the Old Testament scriptures were first given, so it is naturally the most likely to understand and decide such a question.

As to the harmonization and bringing out the practical agreement of the two accounts, which the lecturer evidently regards as absolutely contradictory and irreconcilable, that as Kipling would say, is another story. UPTON H. GIBBS.

HAZING DEAD ISSUE AT W. S. C.

Committee Reports Comprehensive Code—New Rules for Freshmen

Pullman, Wash., Nov. 21.—(Special)—That Freshmen at the State College of Washington shall wear green caps and not dress suits; that they shall not "fuss"—that is, appear with a companion of a different sex—at any intercollegiate contest in football, baseball, or track; that they shall not smoke on the campus, or cut across the lawns, or wear high school emblems, or post proclamations against any class or anybody; and that they shall enter chapel by one particular door and sit in the seats assigned to them—this may seem a good deal to expect of the average Freshman, but not too much to expect of the Freshmen of the State College of Washington, according to the report of the Freshman Rules Committee of that institution.

For there are advantages accruing to the Freshman if he lives up to the program here laid down—and the enforcement of the rules is placed wholly in the hands and left to the honor of the Freshman class. First and foremost, no Freshman will be hazed.

To prevent hazing was the prime object of a committee representative of the most important interests at the State College—including a delegate from each of the four classes—which met with President Holland at the end of October and delegated a sub-committee to draw up a set of rules conducive to that end. The rules—as cited above—are now in force and seem to be satisfactory to all parties. As a result, one of the greatest and most senseless of the evils of college life has disappeared at a breath. Right student sentiment opposed it.

PRISON HEAD SEEMS QUALIFIED

Captain Murphy Has Had Wide Experience in Handling Men

Captain Charles A. Murphy, chief engineer of the Eastern Oregon State Hospital and newly appointed superintendent of the Oregon State Penitentiary, as stated in The Observer Monday, is a native Oregonian. He was born in Salem in 1868 and received his education in the Salem schools. Captain Murphy is considered especially well qualified for his new position, as he has shown himself to be capable in handling men. He was an officer in the Second Oregon during the Spanish-American War and for many years was Captain of Company M, of Salem, in the Third Oregon. During the war he was in command of the machine guns for a month and commanded his company for a month. In 1905 he was captain of the guards at the Lewis and Clark Exposition in Portland.

Captain Murphy engaged in business at Salem following the close of the war for seven years. In 1909 he accepted a position as assistant engineer at the State Asylum at Salem

and was later transferred to duty at the Feeble-Minded School. In 1911 he came to Pendleton and superintended the construction of the main buildings of the Eastern Oregon State Hospital. Upon being notified of his appointment as prison superintendent Captain Murphy telegraphed his acceptance immediately. He expects to leave Pendleton for his new post in the near future.

Captain Murphy Monday said that he did not care to make any statement concerning his policy until he had time and the opportunity to look over conditions at the state prison. During their residence in Pendleton Captain and Mrs. Murphy have gained a large circle of friends, who regret their departure.

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