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### PERSONAL MENTION

Lewis Denham of Elgin and L. V. Snodgrass of La Grande were members of the class of 37 applicants who were given higher degrees in Masonry in Portland last week.

The following registered at the Imperial hotel, Portland on Friday: S. D. Crowe of La Grande, Gus Hysing and W. H. Vollans of Wallowa, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barker of La Grande were at the Washington hotel, Portland, on Friday.

Superintendent W. Bollons, of the La Grande division of the O-W. R. & M. company, returned Saturday from a Portland visit. Mrs. Bollons and son, A. J. Bollons of Madras, are still in Portland.

Mrs. C. E. Prim of this city received a pound of butter on January 12 from her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hankins of Madison, Indiana.

M. L. Denham, Elgin attorney, is a Portland visitor.

L. L. Snodgrass returned from Portland yesterday.

Paul Dahlstrom arrived yesterday from North Powder to enter the high school here.

Mrs. Ed. Burke is registered at the Multnomah from La Grande—Oregonian.

Miss Genevieve Stoddard returned this morning from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stoddard in Baker.

### ASKS SEAT HOLDERS TO COME EARLY

The management of the Arcade Theater asks that seat holders for "The Birth of the Nation" come early tomorrow night in order to be seated before the performance starts. No persons will be seated after the pictures start. The show starts at 7:45 sharp.

Notice. To all carpenters interested. There will be a meeting at 8 p. m., January 23d, at Goodnough's shop. Business of importance. All attend by request of committee. 1-22-2p

### ELKS SEAT SALE ON.

The Elks seat sale, being conducted at Van Buren's store, is meeting with popular approval. The show "A Night in Bohemia" will be given Thursday and Friday evenings.

### HE HAS NERVE TO "SPEC" IN SPUDS

Vancouver, Wash., Jan. 22.—(Special)—Charles Greeley bids fair to become the potato king of the northwest. He has opened a warehouse here and is buying the potatoes right and left. To date he has paid out over \$30,000 in Clarke county, paying \$1.50 per sack for the poorest grade. Greeley says he hopes to ship 27 cars a week to the east.

### AT THE HOTELS

Sommer Hotel Guests. S. E. Brackett, H. A. Vincent, G. M. Agnew, C. O. Mickle, Portland; Col. L. W. Scott, E. F. Fisher, C. T. Peterson, Seattle; F. A. Clarke, W. C. Jackson, Enterprise; D. E. Myers and wife, Imbler; S. E. Harris and wife, Elgin; John Wells, Alice; J. MacNeil, Pendleton; O. G. Hitchcock Jr., Salt Lake City; H. W. English, Spokane; Harry Chelemsky, Oakland; L. H. Dill, San Francisco; Dr. E. J. Cummings.

Guests at the Savoy. Ed Claunch, North Powder; J. B. Weaver, Union; S. E. Brewer, Kendrick, Idaho; Mrs. W. Bedingfield, R. W. Kirkkidd, Baker; A. B. Anderson, Weiser; C. Helnick; Pleasant Valley; Mary E. Chaney, Portland; R. M. Garrett, Condon; John Hanke, Denver; J. B. Marks and wife, Lewiston; D. Bangham and wife, Joseph; Roy Dungan, F. E. Sewell, William Volle-winkler, E. J. Moss, W. W. Fancher, L. B. Johnson, Tom Mullenburg, Florence Baker, E. J. Prouty, C. W. Butcher, T. E. Cunningham, F. E. Conklin.

Foley Hotel Guests. A. W. Williams, W. S. Spinning, H. Tryon, Portland; J. E. Blevins, Pendleton; S. A. Reynolds, Spokane; R. J. Brund and wife, Wallowa; C. H. Carter, San Francisco; Paul Dahlstrom, North Powder; John Labine, Meacham; C. L. Baxter, Seattle; R. D. Holmes, A. T. Warner, Walla Walla; H. L. Graham, Elgin; Fred Dull, Teco; Elton Herryford, Cove; J. H. Dobbins, Joseph; L. Weepie, New York; M. D. Totten, Spokane; Joe Thompson, Herbert Lorenze, M. Mahan, Unity; M. C. Smith, Spokane; C. E. Rude, Pendleton.

### BASKETBALL GAMES WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The second series of basketball games in the Y. M. C. A. basketball league will be played Wednesday night in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The teams will lineup with their very best men and the basketball fans will be assured that the games will be fast and exciting. The High School will play the Meteors and the O-W will play the Comets. The games played last Wednesday were as fast as any ever seen in the "Y" gymnasium and the fact that a trophy will be awarded the winner is putting every team on edge to win.

### To Hold Spelling Bees.

Vancouver, Wash., Jan. 22.—(Special)—Seventh and eighth grade students of the Vancouver schools today began training for the elimination contests in the statewide "spelling bee," which is to begin the last week of the legislative session at Olympia. Each county may send one contestant. In the entries to date the girls predominate. First prize is a diamond medal offered by J. W. Summers, of Walla Walla.

### M. I. A. Basketballers To Barnstorm Idaho

The M. I. A. basketball team leaves tomorrow morning on No. 4 for Idaho where they will play teams of the following towns: Ontario, Vale, Payette, Boise and probably Mountain Home. The following are members of the team: Center, Harvey Larsen; guards, E. Rosenbaum, Tracy Hollister, V. Bean and Ray Baum; forwards, John Schofield and J. Rosenbaum. The team will return next week.

### NO MORE "HOOCH"

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—(United Press)—The House territories committee agreed to favorably report the bill providing for Alaskan prohibition.

### BUT MARSHFIELD HAS GOOD SUPPLY

Marshfield, Ore., Jan. 22.—(United Press)—Sheriff Gage and two deputies today confiscated 50 quarts of liquor found hidden under brush near South Kay. It is believed the liquor was lowered from a steamer and brought ashore in a motorboat.

### NO TRACE OF RAIDER FOUND.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 22.—(United Press)—No further reports of the raider's operations have been received. It is believed the ship or ships have transferred activity elsewhere. South American waters are literally swarming with all manners of vessels hunting the raider. No trace has been found.

### Paul H. Spillman Says "Form Associations"

If Farmers Are Interested in Obtaining Loans County Agriculturist Would Be Glad to Help.

You and your neighbors may form a farm loan association if your total requests amount to \$20,000 and there are ten of you requesting loans. You may not borrow less than \$100, not more than \$10,000. If you are interested in this matter let me know and state if your neighbors are giving the matter consideration. There have been some inquiries along this line, but

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Men's President Suspenders	19c	Boys' Sweaters	98c
Men's Work Shirts	49c, 98c, \$1.19	Boys' Shirts	39c, 45c
Men's Dress Shirts	98c, \$1.49	Boys' Suspenders	10c, 15c, 19c
Men's Dress Pants	\$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98	Boys' Unions	49c, 98c

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there must be the required number before an association may be formed. Let me know your plans relative to the matter.

PAUL H. SPILLMAN, County Agricultural Agent.

### Install Officers of G.A.R.W.R.C. Saturday

Dinner for Spanish-American War Veterans Included in Ceremonies—Program Given.

Saturday was joint installation for the G. A. R. and W. R. C. A dinner was served at which the Spanish War veterans were invited guests. After dinner the post installed the following officers:

Post commander, I. W. Falk; senior vice-commander, T. C. Riddle; junior vice-commander, C. C. Coalwell; chaplain, C. H. Gore; quartermaster, Isaac Stein; adjutant, J. W. Oliver; officer of the day, Mr. Jones; officer of the guard, D. W. Johnson.

After the installation of the post the following short program was given:

"America"; recitation, Florence Nelson; violin solo, Floyd Smith. Mrs. Nelson read statistics concerning the boy soldiers in the Civil war, the ages running from 10 to 26 years and over and gave her opinion as to why there are so many Grand Army men today. The Civil war was a boy's war.

Mrs. Morgan presented the "boys" with a flag and pole, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Nelson. In behalf of the corps, Mr. Faulk presented Mrs. Morgan with a gold post president pin in appreciation of her loyal work in office. Afterwards the corps installed the following officers:

President, Violet Morgan; senior vice-president, Annie Roesch; junior vice-president, Susan Williamson; chaplain, Ida Gore; treasurer, Effie Winn; secretary, Della Hamden; conductor, Jessie Nelson; guard, Rose Wright; assistant conductor, Olive Baker; assistant guard, Clara Sherley; patriotic instructor, Lillie Kimmel; first color bearer, Sadie Miller; second color bearer, May Horstman; third color bearer, Clara Gore; fourth color bearer, Anna Wright. Conrad Gore acted as installing officer for the post. Mrs. McGee, who is

visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mary Horstman, was the installing officer of the W. R. C. Mrs. McGee is at present a member of the St. Johns corps.

### Just So.

"The photo of the new bride is alluring."

"Well?" "But in the family group taken about ten years later mother always has a resigned look."—Kansas City Journal.

### Whales In Nets.

Just south of the Bay of Islands, New Zealand, where in a landlocked harbor beautiful Wangamumu nestles in the shadow of Cape Brett, there is established a whaling station, and here is carried on the unique business of catching whales by means of nets set in a narrow channel between rugged rocks. The cetaceans frequent this passage. It is said, to rub off the accumulation of sea growing parasites gained in long journeys through deep water.

### A Perfect Gentleman.

He was particularly polite to women, and usually made a good impression on them. A young woman who was visiting at the family hotel in which he resided grew enthusiastic about his manners. "Oh, he's such a perfect gentleman!" she exclaimed. "He always remembers the little things which mean so much."

"Yes," agreed her hostess. "For instance, he and his wife were coming down from the roof in the elevator last evening. I boarded the elevator at the fourth floor, and the instant I entered he removed his hat and held it in his hand all the rest of the way down!"—Life.

### Winter Tree Protection.

[J. J. Gardner, Colorado station.] There is usually less danger of mice gnawing trees in a cultivated than in a sod orchard. Particularly for young orchards this is one of the best arguments for the practice of cultivation. However, there is always enough danger from mice and rabbits practically everywhere to make it advisable to furnish some kind of protection through the winter.

Several methods are satisfactory. The simplest for mice is to tread the snow with the feet about each tree, being careful not to injure the bark.

Generally something further is necessary. Late in the fall the trees may be wrapped with wood veneer strips.

### NEW TODAY

WANTED—A waitress to go to Reith, Oregon. Phone Black 172 or Black 1462. 1-22-tf

FACTS—I guarantee to teach anyone all the common chords and minor chords on the piano in one lesson by mail; new method; you can teach others. Money refunded if not satisfied; price \$1. J. E. Taylor, P. O. Box 427, Portland. 1-22-tf

FOUND—A pair of kid gloves in the Silver Grill. Owner can have same by calling at Silver Grill and paying for this ad. 1-22-tf

### Reward for Dog.

Liberal reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of dog about 8 years old, weight about 50 lbs., half Airdale, half Russian wolf hound; yellow in color. Dog has woolly face and had collar on. Enjoys riding in automobiles. Finder please notify CLARENCE RICHARDS, Cove, Oregon.

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"I wouldn't give 50 cents for a wife," he asserted.

"But," we asked, "you'd give a counterfeit half dollar for a better half, wouldn't you?"

He acknowledged that he would. So, you see, we're getting right down to cases.—New York Journal.

BUTTER LABELS—For sale at The Observer office.

### FIRST PHOTO OF NEW JERSEY MUNITIONS EXPLOSION



A "close-up" of the explosion that destroyed the plant of the Canadian Car & Foundry Co. near Kingsland, N. J. This photo was made within 200 yards of the disaster when 500,000 3-inch shells being made within 20 hours of this disaster an explosion of 400,000 pounds of powder occurred at the Dupont plant 17 miles northeast of Kingsland. The shock of both explosions was plainly felt in New York city.

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