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B. P. O. ELKS, ROSEBURG LODGE, NO. 836, hold their regular communications at the I. O. O. F. hall on second and fourth Thursday of each month. All members requested to attend regularly, and all visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.
FRED PAGE-TUSTIN, E. R
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PHILETARIAN LODGE, NO. 8, I. O. O. F. meets Saturday evening of each week at their hall in Odd Fellow Temple at Roseburg. Members of he order in good standing are invited to attend.
ROBERT ROBINSON, N. G.
F. G. MICELLI, Sec'y.

ROSEBURG LODGE, NO. 16, A. O. U. W. meets the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 7:30 p. m. at Odd Fellows hall. Members of the order in good standing are invited to attend.

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MOLLIE SHAMBROOK, W. M.
REGINA RAST, Sec'y.

ROSEBURG DIVISION NO 476, B. OF L. E., meets every second and fourth Sunday.

ROSEBURG R. D. LODGE, NO. 41, I. O. O. F. meets on Tuesday evening of each week at the Odd Fellows hall. Visiting sisters and brethren are invited to attend.
MERIT WEST, N. G.
AMATA SMITH, R. Sec.

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G. W. VEDDER'S LETTER.

Out of the Populist Committee and Glad of it.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 27.—The letter of G. W. Vedder, read at the populist county central committee meeting yesterday:

"The object of the leaders of the populist party is to prepare everything for a general stampede into the democratic party in 1900, with the egotistical Bryan at the head of the presidential ticket, with the idiotic jingle of free silver as their war-cry. I am working in conjunction with the national reorganization committee to the end that a national convention be called this year for the purpose of reorganizing and strengthening the lines and getting rid of the objectionable members of our national committee, which we must do, and put out a good and substantial platform, embodying the principles of reform, such as finance, transportation and the initiative and referendum, with the imperative mandate, and with these propositions go before the people in 1900 and fight it out on that line. I want to say to you and all others that the boodlers and pickhunters will never be able to sidetrack us again, for our reorganization committee, in conjunction with the loyal members of our national central committee, which met in St. Louis on the 12th of last month, adopted the referendum plan of government, and hereafter all questions will be submitted to the voters, and the boodlers will be out of a job, so far as the populist party is concerned. And now let us work diligently, for it will take us years to recover from the recover from the record we made in 1896. Let us never allow that thing to occur again. Now, if we, as independent populist party, will determine to come together in our state convention in Portland on the 28d of next month, and there put out a clean cut populist ticket, leaving out all such boodlers as a state officer connected with the Soldiers' home, and a judge, and then invite these other factions of so called reformers to vote for our principles and our candidates, then that will be all right; but for us to go to Portland, and there go to appointing conference committees from a lot of boodlers to agree on a boodlers' ticket, which will be the results of all such acts, then I am forever against the whole proceedings, and I shall let the election of 1898 pass by, and shall take no interest in it. This whole combination business is a political fake, put up by a lot of office seekers who are hungry for office and no other show to get elected The idea of putting such a political fraud as the ex-judge or Soldiers' home officer on the populist ticket is absurd. That judge-out-of-office never was a populist, and the Soldiers' home man is a fusionist. I am not counting on the election of 1898 in Oregon, or anywhere else. The way we are now broken up, we will accomplish nothing this year, more than to reorganize, and this is the thing I am going to work for, and if we fail to do this and do it creditably to ourselves, then I am out of politics forever. If the people want to become slaves, they will have to do so without my assistance. I hereby appoint you to act as my proxy in our next meeting, or any following meeting, of the populist central committee of the county of Marion, Oregon, at which I am not present as a member. You see, our precinct has been changed, and the committeee may take advantage of the change to get rid of me.

G. W. VEDDER,
Monitor Precinct."

Drain Notes.

Jimmy Sterling has returned from his tour of the county and says he had a good time. Renewed many old acquaintances and made new ones, and was treated royally everywhere. But don't tell Jimmy Blundell he found a cut off down on Lost Canyon, where old Doctor Cole was lost and then a few years afterward Uncle John Mires and Mr. Clements were lost. Jimmy had to tie up his horse, take off the saddle and go for settlement. He knew his course and came out at James Ensley's at the mouth of Little Canyon at 8 o'clock at night, with torn clothes and wet from head to foot. Yes, little giant, it beat your cut off from Albro's to Canyonville, where Jimmy got lost some years since.

At the school meeting A. Hickethier was elected director and J. W. Krewson clerk.

J. A. Black is out for sheriff. He has a large following along the coast precincts. Well, Johnny, there is J. B. Riddle, Henry Hedrick, Geo. Dimmick to hear from. Go it boys, the longest pole gets the persimmons.

I am glad to hear of a candidate for the legislature from Looking Glass, a Mr. Matteon. I don't know his initials, but if he is as true blue a republican as the Mattoons here, we are for him now and forever. Yes, I am glad that neck of the woods has announced a man. Now for Ten Mile and Camas Valley, etc., the more the merrier. The demo-pops can't count on the office, and oh no, they don't want 'em!

Here's our hand, Frater. You are a good appointment. You will soon hear, "Any letters for me?"

Sometime since I wrote that I staid all night and your compositor had it I stand all right with Ben Doss. Well, I hope I do, Ben, but I must write less. A la Greeley, as old Father Blackwell of Gardiner says. I am worse than Greeley.

The acreage of grain is larger than ever and I am glad to say it looks fine and much virgin soil is broken up this season.

Good bye, Jim Eddy, good luck to you. And how d'ye do Judge Stratford, may you live long and prosper.

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NOTE AND COMMENT.

Congressman Tongue's bill creating a reserve of 20 miles square about Crater Lake passed the house.

Hon. W. E. Edwards, who run as a fusion candidate for state senator from the counties of Josephine, Coos and Curry, is now opposed to fusion.

When a man acknowledges a fault, political or otherwise, it is poor policy to ridicule him. Make it as easy as possible for him to get on the right side of the line.—Newberg Graphic.

The Dispatch has not been in harmony with methods which are to bring about a union of the free silver forces, because it believed and now does think it, bad and dishonest politics. If the old democratic party has principles they are worth defending at all times. In time the better sense of the people would permanently adopt them. The desertion of principle for a temporary victory is not going to make converts to the cause We believe there is yet a democratic party.—Portland Dispatch.

The interest which is taken in the work of growing flax fiber in Oregon and Washington is not confined to these states. The American Volunteer, a newspaper published at Carlisle, Pa., recently published a half column article on flax and linen which calls special attention to the effort now being made in Oregon to establish the linen manufacturing industry. This effort is highly commended, and a hearty wish for its success is expressed. The same paper contains a letter from B. S. Pague, chief of the Oregon weather bureau, which gives an excellent report of Oregon's productiveness from an agricultural standpoint.—Daily Astorian.

Commissioner of the General Land Office Binger Hermann, states, regarding the recent ruling of the Interior Department, concerning the amount of work required on each mining claim before patent would issue and under date when such order goes into effect, that all claims upon which work was done before December 15, 1897, will be approved. He also states that it will suffice, if, in applying for a patent on a group of claims, work or improvements aggregating $500 for each claim can be shown to have been put on the group as an entirety. Where $750 expended upon one location and $250 upon another, jointly owned by the first, both would pass.

The Welcome is not a republican paper, but it preferred the election of McKinley to that of Bryan on account of their several position on the money question. It is glad now that Mr. McKinley and not Bryan was elected, because of the imminence of war with Spain. President McKinley knows what war is, its incalculable cost, its indescribable horrors; and he will not rush into war unless it becomes a great national necessity. Yet McKinley is patriotic, a thorough American, who can be depended upon to make war when such a necessity arises, and to carry it on vigorously and valiantly. What Mr. Bryan might have done we do not know. He might have risen to the occasion and done well; but because of his inexperience and impetuosity the country would have been in a fever of doubt and anxiety. It is well that in such a time as this we have a matured, calm, cool experienced man at the helm of the Ship of State.—Portland Sunday Welcome.

Won't Fuse.

The Highland Populist Club has adopted some red hot resolutions against fusion which makes the office-seeking democrat sweat blood.

They "indignantly refuse to permit unauthorized persons to trade with the birthright of the people's party for a 'mess of pottage,' even though it be cooked in a silver pot, free of charge, in a democratic kitchen and flavored with a few petty county offices."

They call attention to how the people's party was "seriously injured by fusion with a party which betrayed the trust reposed in it so shamefully as to defeat the election of Bryan for president, and to give the plutocracy an overwhelming majority in Congress."

They refer to the populist as the lamb and the democrat as the lion, and say: "The lion and the lamb never lie down together in modern politics, except when the lamb is inside the lion." The populist lamb don't propose to be found inside the democratic lion.

They finally clinch the matter when they say: "All populists worthy of the name look with distrust upon any proposed alliance which has no firmer basis for unity than a division of offices and spoils."—San Bernardino Times Index.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of H. D. Thomas, deceased, objections having been filed to the final account of administrator, hearing was set for March 15, 1898.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Rosin, deceased, final account of R. M. Conkling, administrator, was approved and administrator discharged.

In the estate of W. L Wilson, deceased, administrator, was given authority to sell real estate at private sale.

A. N. Varney was removed as administrator of the estate of J. A. Varney, deceased.

In the estate of Joshua Abbott, deceased, account in final settlement was approved and I. C. Morris, administrator was discharged.

Administrator was granted leave to sell real estate belonging to the estate of America Young, deceased.

Account in final settlement of estate of Nancy McCulloch, deceased, was approved and estate closed.

Final settlement in the matter of estate of S. Gloor, deceased, was continued to May 2, 1898.

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CLERK'S ANNUAL REPORT.

For School Dist. No. 4, for Year Ending March 7, 1898.

Resident persons between 4 and 20 years of age, males 340, females 369, total 709.
Teachers employed, male 4, females 8.
Teachers holding life diplomas, male 1, female 1.
Teachers holding state life diplomas, female 1.
Teachers holding state certificates, females 6.
Teachers employed in private schools, male 1, female 1.
The pupils in private school average about 30.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

Val school houses and grounds	$14,000 00
" furniture	1,000 00
" apparatus	175 00
Insurance on school property	9,300 00
No. months school taught	9
No. Mo. private school {Prof Dilworth / Miss Hobbs	9 / 4
No. of legal voters	359
Tax levied for present year	4 mills

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Funds on hand March 1, 1897 $	152 72
Rec'd on district tax	5,359 43
Rec'd of Co. treasurer	560 30
Rec'd state school fund	1,673 70
Rec'd by rate bills	28 75
Rec'd from other sources	1 00
Total receipts for year $	5,765 90
Paid for teacher's wages $	3,719 90
Paid int on bonded debt	744 00
" for painting school house	156 00
" for wood	196 12
" Dist. clerk	104 25
" Water Co.	90 00
" janitor	331 45
" insurance	275 00
Paid for incidentals	143 55
Total paid school purposes	5764 36
Cash on hand March 7, 1898	1 54
Amt. due on dist. tax	150 00

Council Meeting.

The city council met Monday evening March 7, at the city hall, and on roll call the following were found present: Mayor Marsters; Councilmen Parks, Shambrook, Willis, Benson, Perry, Fields and Aiken; Marshal Dillard and Recorder Rice. Absent, Sehlbrede.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

A petition was presented to have the electric light on Mill street changed to the junction with Sykes street. Granted.

Committee on city improvement reported not favorable on petition to raise the light on Fowler street. Report laid on the table.

Committee on ways and means reported that no change would be made in boarding house and laundry licenses at present.

Marshal and recorder's monthly reports read and accepted.

The following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn.

Brown & Tustin, atty.' salary	$ 10 00
Roseburg Electric Light Co, lights	147 25
Churchill, Woolley & McKenzie hardware	5 50
A. Field, street work	2 00
J. G. Flook Co., lumber	8 25
B. F. Page, street work	8 70
D. Patterson, drayage	4 75
Dunbar & Co., lumber	19 56
F. W. Dillard, salary	50 00
F. W. Dillard, janitor	2 50
Dexter Rice, salary	25 00

Bill of H. W. Miller for $15.87 for judgment against the city referred to judiciary committee.

Committee on city improvement instructed to commence improvements on side streets as soon as weather would permit.

Council adjourned.

DEXTER RICE, Recorder.

In Memory of Little Alice Gilbert.

Our precious gem from us has gone,
The one we loved so well,
To live in Jesus' happy home,
And with the angels dwell.

Although her life was filled with charms
While in this world below,
The Savior called her to His arms
And to His will we bow.

For in His blessed book we see
In words with accents given:
"Suffer the little children to come unto me,
For of such is the kingdom of Heaven."

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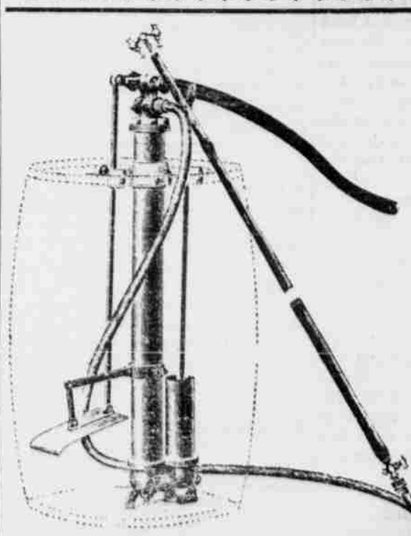
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