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FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1900. VISITS MEACHAM.

Republican was never stronger in the county, says Chairman Livermore. Lot Livermore, chairman of the republican county central committee, returned Thursday morning from a business trip to Meacham. Chairman Livermore had no hesitancy in stating that his visit was on political business in connection with the party of which he is the head in this county. As far as he observes, the republicans, not only at Meacham, but in all parts of the county that he has visited are much interested in the coming campaign and are getting their fences in order for the fight. "In my opinion," said the chairman, "republicanism is never stronger and more active in Umatilla county than it is this year. Perfect harmony prevails and I don't think the republicans will have any trouble whatever in carrying the county this summer and fall. Republicans are more numerous than ever before and new recruits are being added to the ranks every day."

Mr. Livermore said that there was a considerable snow at Meacham, but that it was disappearing at a rapid rate the past week. When it has disappeared, though, it is so muddy that it is practically impossible to get around. The roads in that section are in a very bad condition on this account and traffic has practically been stopped for the time being.

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FROM PILOT ROCK. Crops Look Well—Sheep and Cattle Being Driven to Spring Range. Eric Johnson, of Pilot Rock, was in the city Thursday evening. Mr. Johnson is a farmer and small stock owner and says that both crops and stock are in fine condition in that portion of the county. Wheat is growing in good shape, and there is now every evidence of a large crop being harvested. The stand has now attained such growth that there is practically nothing to fear, unless it be hot summer weather. He is the opinion of Mr. Johnson. Stock are being turned out on the range in excellent shape, and many of them are now in a fine condition for beef. Very little feeding has been done the past winter. Sheepmen are also getting their flocks in condition for the spring range, and in a few instances some which are in a weakened condition are being fed. The number, however, is very small, most of the herds being in fine condition.

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NEW BICYCLE ORDNANCE. What is Needed, Says the Majority Bicyclists. The bicycle ordinance passed by the Pendleton city council at their meeting Wednesday night, has been the subject of considerable discussion between wheelmen yesterday and today. As far as can be observed the majority favor the rule and regulations and say it is just what the majority of bicyclists have wanted. "It gives them plenty of liberty," said

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

District No. 16 is in a Flourishing Condition and Steadily Advancing. T. G. Hailey, one of the retiring directors of the school board of this district was seen by The Oregonian reporter Thursday and gave the representative of the press some very interesting data concerning the affairs of the school financially and otherwise. During the past year ending March 1, 1900, the public schools of Pendleton have advanced in a most admirable manner, and their growth has caused considerable gratification to those interested in education and the advancement of the school. Of course, there have been a number of difficulties to surmount, but the board of directors have proved themselves equal to the occasion. The affairs of the school have been conducted in a business like manner and the school has advanced steadily under their management.

The total bonded indebtedness of the district is \$13,500, and there is a floating indebtedness of some \$350. The bonds have now run some six years and are due in four years more, but the district has the option of deferring their payment for a further period of 10 years if they see fit. The expenses of conducting the school for the year ending March 1, 1900, was \$10,154.83 for the preceding year. It will be seen that the last year's expenses exceed that of the previous year by \$1,039.12, but this is on account of an increased number of children, which necessitated the employment of more teachers, and an enlargement of school facilities. During that year the Alta street primary school building was built and besides this can be added the expense incurred in building the assembly hall, in the rear of the high school building, which has just been completed. There has also been considerable new furniture added and also some needed improvements on the high school building. These have all been expenses which had to be met and paid for out of last year's income, so it will be seen that the amount of increased expenses over 1898 is very trifling when compared to the many improvements added. In fact it shows a considerable reduction in actual school expenses.

The levy made for school purposes this year, said Mr. Hailey, is \$1.5 mills, on a property valuation of \$1,284,782, and the revenue derived from this, should it all be collected, will be \$8,843.66. To this amount will be added the county apportionment of \$6500 and a further apportionment from the state of \$1000. This will give the district \$14,523.66 for school purposes. This will be the largest amount the district has ever had to expend on the school, and in my opinion the present board will have no trouble whatever in saving a considerable amount on the bonded indebtedness. One thousand dollars, at least, ought to be saved this year for that purpose, and future savings ought to be greater still.

Mr. Hailey paid a nice compliment to the new members of the board and said he felt that this year, in securing such able men to conduct the affairs of the school, "As long as such men are selected," he said, "the schools will prosper and the school debt will soon be wiped out."

Glorious News Comes from Dr. D. B. Carle, of Wash. I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitter cured my chronic rheumatism, which has caused me great suffering for years. Terrible aches would break out on my head and face and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have enjoyed. Electric Bitter is the best blood purifier known. It is the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and unclean sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels expels poison, builds up the strength. Only 50c. Sold by Tallman & Co. Druggists, Portland.

THE WESTON NEIGHBORHOOD.

Personal Mention and Local News of that Flourishing Section.

The East Oregonian is indebted to the Weston Leader for the following items: Miss Agnes Fletcher and Miss Eva Barnhart, of Pendleton, were visiting in Weston Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Pierce, of La Grande, is visiting at the home of her son, Mr. C. M. Pierce, in this city.

Frank Saling has returned from the Saling horse ranch near Hatton, Wash. While there he disposed of 200 range horses at \$20 per head.

Miss Almee Collins has been employed as teacher for another four months in district No. 40, on Weston mountain. The school opens again on April 1.

J. H. Logan has sold his place on Pine creek three miles above town to L. R. Van Winkle, for \$800. Mr. and Mrs. Logan contemplate moving to Weston to reside.

Homer Watts began teaching Monday morning in the King district south of town, where he presided as school master two years ago. He has a three months' term.

J. M. English is dangerously sick at his home in this city with an attack of heart trouble. This morning his condition was reported to be somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barnes, Mrs. Wm. Graham, Mrs. Lizzie Murphy and George Kidenour were among those who went to Walla Walla to attend the funeral of the late S. C. Guley.

Mrs. A. J. Wise, of Perrydale, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brotherton near Athena. Mrs. Wise is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McGrew, in this city.

Dr. Y. C. Blacklock was in town from Walla Walla Saturday, having been called to consult with Dr. Best in the case of C. M. Pierce's little daughter, afflicted with scarlet fever. The patient is improving.

The marriage of Samuel Reimer, of Weston, and Miss Julia Reed, a bride whom he has won in North Carolina, occurred February 28 at Pine Ridge, N. C. Some 40 guests were present, and enjoyed a wedding dinner at the home of the groom's brother, Peter Reimer.

is enthusiastic all over. In short, Charley thinks this is a fine world, with a silver lining to all clouds not bordered with gold.

For a number of years, Hugh and Horace Walker have paid close attention to the improvement of their ranch horses, and they are now beginning to reap some substantial returns. Last week they sold a splendid team of 1625-pound horses to a Seattle buyer for \$300. The other day they disposed of a young stallion to J. P. Lisleau.

He is a fine bay, 22 months old, weighing 1750 pounds, is three-quarters Englishbred, and is expected to make one of the best stallions in the county.

O. H. Holcomb, who is buying draft horses and stout mules for the Seattle market, was at the Marshall House Sunday, accompanied by Geo. M. Froome, of Pendleton. Mr. Holcomb purchased about 20 head of horses in the Juniper country, and will return soon for more. Charley Brotherton sold him four 1600-pound animals at \$100 a piece. Some extra good horses, weighing about 1700 pounds, were bought from Henry Koepke by Mr. Holcomb at \$250 per span. They are wanted for logging purposes.

The fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King was celebrated March 8 at their home on Wild Horse creek. The children were all in attendance but one. Those present were: W. E. King and daughter, Mrs. Edgar James and daughter, C. King and family, Mrs. Grace Hudepeth, Mrs. R. H. Decher and daughter, James A. King and family, Roscoe H. King, Mrs. Jake Roeder, W. R. Taylor and family. Mr. and Mrs. King were united in marriage at the home of Mrs. King's parents in Peoria, Ill., March 8, 1860.

Sam Cully is Dead. Sam Cully, formerly in business in Pendleton, died in Walla Walla Wednesday, where he had been residing for some time. He was about 60 years of age. He was in his usual health up to the hour of his death. He leaves a wife and several grown children. His funeral occurred Thursday, at 2 o'clock, from his home in the Garden City. The order of Eagles had charge of it. A number of his old friends from Weston, where he lived for years, attended his funeral.

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WOMEN SUPPLANTED BY MEN.

Employers Find Them Incompetent in Business and Are Dismissing Them. With carefully gleaned statistics, Edward Bok, in the March Ladies' Home Journal, shows that the number of women in business is decreasing, and will continue rapidly to grow less.

"The tide of women rushing pell-mell into all kinds of business has been stemmed—in fact, it is already receding, and perceptibly so," he contends. "It has already been ascertained by female agitators that the various business positions is because of the opposition of men to the employment of women. On the contrary, men were willing to have women go into business pursuits, and it was men who opened positions to them. Undoubtedly this was largely due to the selfish business reason that women would work for lower wages than men. But with the influx there necessarily came into the business world a great deal of incompetent female help. For a time incompetency was overlooked because of the lower wages. Gradually, however, there came the inevitable weeding process, temporarily stayed by the business depression of the past few years. When prosperous times came it was different, and it is a very significant story which accurate statistics tell that more women have been discharged from business positions during the past year of prosperity, even taking into consideration the larger number employed, than in any previous year."

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Betterment of Service.

The new coaches which the Rock Island road lately received from the Pullman car company, and which are of the high back seat style with elaborate trimmings and interior finishings, have been put in service on the four trains which run daily between Topeka and St. Joseph. One of these cars was attached to Tuesday's train, and was admired by many who saw it. These coaches are valuable additions to the train service between the cities.

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WALLA WALLA NEWS.

Preparing for Bryan's Coming—The Fruit Cannery a Go.

Walla Walla, March 16.—The Union of this morning, says: The democrats of the city met at the office of John P. Kent, Thursday evening, and made arrangements for the reception of William Jennings Bryan, "the Boy Orator of the Platte," upon his arrival in this city, Thursday, March 29.

The committee are undecided where Mr. Bryan will deliver his address in this city. If the weather will permit, the gentleman may speak from the balcony of the Hotel Duquesne, corner Fourth and Main. In case the weather is unfavorable he will either speak in the opera house or court house.

The following committees were appointed:

Committee on arrangements—John P. Kent, W. D. Lyman, John Scott, J. B. Gehl, C. M. Rader. This committee has full power to act, and it appointed the various committees as follows:

Reception—J. B. Billew, N. G. Black, W. D. Lyman, Will Reed, N. H. Dunphy, B. L. Sharpstein, T. M. McKinney.

Finance—E. Tausick, E. Sanderson, B. C. Redell, Thomas S. Page.

Music—H. A. Gardner, Fred Young, C. Buffum.

Grounds, speaker's stand and decorations—George W. Whitehouse, J. W. Cookerly, Thomas Moore, Sam Lovell.

Hon. M. M. Godman of Dayton, has been selected as president of the day.

Governor John R. Rogers has notified the reception committee by telegram he will be in attendance. Prominent citizens from every part of the state are expected to lend their presence to this occasion.

Mrs. Chapin, of Milton, Or., was operated on at the Walla Walla hospital Thursday evening for what appeared to be an abscess of the joint with effusion. When an incision was made in the joint and effusion was evacuated it was found that the radius for 1 1/2 inches was destroyed and corpal bones also affected, so that amputation of the arm above the diseased portion was necessary. Dr. Cropp performed the operation, assisted by Dr. Thomas of Milton and Dr. Stott of Oregon, who is temporarily in Walla Walla.

The effort to establish a fruit cannery in Walla Walla has met with success. The \$15,000 required has been subscribed. Mr. Walsh and a committee of those who have had the matter in hand, will inspect the Walsh cannery and if it is considered advisable, purchase the plant and bring it to Walla Walla.

Frank B. Morse and Mrs. Emma Weatherly, both of this city, were married Thursday evening last, by Rev. Duncan Wallace officiating.

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