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TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1900.

EXTERMINATING GROUND SQUIRRELS.

Rancher Thinks Texas Means for Killing Prairie Dogs Could Be Used.

L. C. Rogers, the breeder of thoroughbred Hereford cattle at Echo, says that he believes the means whereby prairie dogs are killed in Texas might be used to exterminate the ground squirrel in this county and other counties of Eastern Oregon. He cites to the attention of the farmers an article in the Chicago Record on the subject:

Echo, Or., May 14.—To the Editor.—I send you a clipping from the Chicago Record, printed in the Kansas City Star, which might be of value to farmers. It is not to be wondered at if ground squirrels could be treated successfully in the same manner. I append the article in question from the Record

The prairie dog pest, which has caused the farmers and stockmen of the Panhandle section of Texas severe losses during the past several years, is fast being eradicated. The Hon. John C. Peery of Baylor county, member of the state legislature, who introduced a bill at the last session of that body providing for the extermination of all prairie dogs in the state, has been spending a few days in Austin. He says that while he regrets that his bill did not become a law and thereby make the killing of the prairie dogs compulsory, yet a new metohd of killing the little animals has been discovered and is being generally adopted by the farmers and stockmen throughout the pest-stricken section.

"It was discovered several months ago," Mr. Peery said, "that the animals could be exterminated by suffocation, the method being to saturate a piece of cotton with bi-sulphide of carbon. This is dropped in the prairie dog's mound and covered over. It rapidly generates a gas, which has a tendency to penetrate downward into every corner of the underground chambers occupied by the parent dogs and their young, giving them a quick and easy death. Millions of prairie dogs have been killed in this manner during the past few months. A number of men have taken hold of the work as a regular business and they take contracts to rid farms and ranches of the pest at the extremely low rate of four cents per acre or $25 per section, inasmuch as the animals destroyed fully 50 per cent of the grass and wheat in the panhandle section the land owners can well afford to pay the low price demanded for getting rid of the little pests. The only difficulty about making the riddance permanent is that the railroad companies and state own vast tracts of land in the panhandle and there is no effort being made to exterminate the prairie dogs on these lands."

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OREGON PIONEER ASSOCIATION.

Twenty-eighth Annual Reunion at Portland on June 15.

At the big exposition building at Portland on June 15, the Oregon Pioneer Association will meet in the twenty-eighth annual session. J. T. Apperson is president, and Geo. H. Himes is secretary. They send out information relating to the reunion, saying:

Upon arrival in the city, pioneers should go at once to pioneer headquarters, 184 Fourth Street, cor. Yamhill—notice the banner—and secure their badges from Geo. H. Himes, secretary. After badges are obtained, all pioneers are invited by the Native Sons and Daughters to the Tabernacle, cor. Twelfth and Morrison streets on June 15, where sandwiches and coffee will be served free.

At 1:30, the procession will be formed at Portland hotel by John W. Minto, grand marshal, and march direct to the exposition building.

The program will be:

Prayer, by grand chaplain, Rev. Robert Robe, Brownsville.

Annual address, Hon. J. C. Moreland, Portland

Occasional address, Cyrus H. Walker, born in Oregon, with music before and after.

After the literary exercises are ended, the Pioneer Woman's Auxiliary will give a banquet to all members of the Association in good standing who have the proper badge for 1900. Special invitations will be issued to the husbands or wives of pioneers who may not be pioneers themselves, upon application to Mr. Himes. No children admitted.

All persons coming to, or born in, the original territory of Oregon prior to February 14, 1859, without regard to where they now live, are eligible to membership.

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Notice to Teachers.

Pendleton, Or., May 14.—Examinations for graduation from the eighth grade of the public school will be held on the 24th and 25th of May at the following places: Pendleton, Adams, Athena, Milton, Weston, Helix, Echo, Umatilla, Pilot Rock, Ukiah, District No. 9, Weston Mountain.

Any public school pupils living in Umatilla county are eligible to take this examination at any of the above mentioned places, provided that they have finished the common school course.

Teachers who have pupils to graduate living in localities not convenient to the above places can secure questions for examination by applying to the county school superintendent, J. F. Nowlin.

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EXERCISES OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Closing Week Brings Busy Work for Students—Detail of Events.

The closing week of the Pendleton public schools is to be a busy one from this time on. The teachers and pupils are devoting every leisure moment to the work of preparation for the public entertainments.

Tomorrow a unique feature will be contest in the three higher grades in the form of an examination in current events, following the study in that line during the past year. Dr. C. J. Smith, one of the directors, has offered $15 in cash prizes, the contest to be judged by a committee consisting of Mrs. C. S. Jackson, Rev. J. K. Buchanan, and J. E. Lathrop. The happenings of the world for that period will be reviewed and the ones best informed are to receive the prizes. The examination will begin at 1:30, and last until 3:30.

Thursday evening at the Frazer opera house, the physical culture entertainment is to be given, the program to be:

Free arm drill, second, third and fourth grades.
Vocal solo, Miss Alice Londis.
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Vocal solo, Mr. Bert Carl.
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Admission, 25 cents; 15c for the gallery.

On Monday night, the operetta, "Golden Hair," will be given in the opera house.

On Saturday comes the field day, the events and prizes with the names of the donors being:

Running races—100-yard dash; gold locket, given by Louis Hunziker.

50-yard dash; prize given by Pioneer Drug Store, a handsome shaving outfit.

400-yard relay race, four relays prizes; a pocket knife by W. D. Hansford & Co., scarfpin by H. L. Hasbrouck, handsome tie by Golden Rule store, silk handkerchief by Golden Rule Store.

Bicycle races—one-half mile, prize given by Alexander & Hexter, a sweater.

One mile, prize by J. Klein, pair of bike shoes.

Two mile relay, two relays, prizes given by Boston Store, a sweater, and Joseph Ell, riding bridle.

One-fourth mile walk, prize given by People's Warehouse, a hat.

Hurdle races—120 yards, prize given by Brock & McComas, a folding camera.

240 yards, prize given by Cleaver Brothers, pair bike shoes.

Jumps—Running broad, prize given by Wessel Department Store, pair gentleman's dressing gloves.

Standing, with weights, prize given by James Crawford, a bolt.

Hop, step and jump, prize given by Cleaver Brothers' Dry Goods company, a hat.

High jump, prize given by T. C. Taylor, pocket knife.

High jump, running, prize given by Tallman & Company, purse and bottle perfumery.

Pole vault, prize given by Max Baer, ball bat.

Putting 12-pound shot, prize given by Magnet Cash Store, negligee shirt.

Throwing baseball, prize given by Fred Nolf, silver match safe.

No admission will be charged. The field day will be at the Simpson & Peringer racetrack east of town. The Weston normal school is to compete against the Pendleton public schools, the school winning the most points taking a silver cup put up by the Tribune.

Points will be counted as follows: 5 points for a first place, three points for a second place, one point for a third place.

The money realized from the physical culture entertainment on Thursday evening will be devoted to the fitting of the gymnasium of the schools.

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CHARACTER COLVILLE RESERVATION.

On October 10 a Fine Body of Land Ready for Location.

Many inquiries have been made of the East Oregonian regarding the Colville Indian reservation the northern half of which will be opened for locations on October 10. Clair Hunt, a civil engineer who has been employed on the reservation has given a description of the lands in question, for the information of persons who contemplate going there for the purpose of taking up land:

"The quantity of first class agricultural land is limited, and the choicest portions were alloted to Indians, who, as a rule took lands in the river and creek valleys; but they did not take it all, and many claims lie open in these valleys, and many more on the bunch grass plateaus.

"The largest areas of available lands are in Okanogan county, on the Okanogan river and benches back of it, and on Myers creek, and in the country near the boundary between Myers creek and Osoyoos lake. There is a considerable body of good land in Ferry county in the Curlew valley and the bunch grass hills adjacent to the valley between Republic and Nelson, Wash. On these lands there is a luxuriant growth of bunch grass that is well watered by rains and dews, and by numerous little streams form the mountains. In surveying through these bunch grass lands, my legs were nearly always wet to the knees from the heavy dews.

"Further back from the valleys are bodies of timber sufficient for all demands for house building, fencing and fuel. At present there is fine range for the settlers' stock, but eventually it will be fenced up.

"The Curlew valley begins about three miles east of Republic, and runs north about 18 miles to the Kettle river. Six miles from Republic is the head of Curlew lake, a beautiful body of clear, cold water, five miles long and from a quarter to a half mile wide. It lies in the open valley, with no trees around it, and is fed by numerous mountain streams. The Curlew valley is a beautiful region, and its agricultural products will always command fancy prices in Republic and other adjacent mining camps. The mountains along the entire valley are well mineralized, as is evidenced by numerous workings.

"The largest body of available agricultural lands lies between Chesaw and Osoyoos lake, in Okanogan county. It is a bunch grass prairie, well watered, and promises to be excellent wheat land. It is also a very fine stock country, although stock must be fed in winter.

"The good land along the Columbia river is in patches. It is along the little streams that flow into the Columbia, and is generally timbered. In some places, however, there are bunch grass hills. The land here slopes to the east, and gives very early pasturage for stock. Last winter stock did well without any fodder, out the winter before they had to be fed about 10 weeks.

"The timber on the reservation is generally pine, fir and tamarack, and is well distributed. All the agricultural land is convenient to timber. There are some considerable bodies of good saw timber, but much of this is on unsurveyed lands."

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WASHINGTON JOURNALISM.

Spokane Paper Says Walla Walla Statesman Was Muzzled.

The Spokesman-Review correspondent at Walla Walla has the following relating to the Walla Walla Statesman and the Ankeny campaign:

"A neat political trick has been worked in this county and but few people have become aware of it, though the effect has been noticeable for some time. When the republicans were having the struggle over the state convention it was noticed that the Statesman of this city, though democratic, kept out of the fight altogether, and the republicans had nothing to fear from it. The reasons seems to have been that the owner of the Union, B. D. Crocker, had taken an option on the plant and business for $7500 from F. J. Parker, and while the opinion was effective the editorial policy of the paper could not very well be in opposition to Mr. Crocker's interests. Mr. Crocker had no idea of buying the paper but wanted to muzzle it while he made an effort to carry the primaries for Mr. Ankeny.

During the last few days Mr. Parker has been attempting to induce democrats to take stock in the new company which is to take charge of the Statesman, and one of the strong leverages used is the option taken by Mr. Crocker. The price made the democrats is the same as named in the option, and the paper has done service with several politicians who have given up coin to pay in on stock in the new democratic newspaper scheme."

Frederick R. Marvin, a well known newspaper man of the state of Washington has established a magazine, "The Constitution," at Dayton which is democratic in politics. The first number is out. Its object is thus stated in the editorial leader:

"The Constitution—this Constitution—this weekly magazine, enters the journalist field of the Pacific northwest hoping that it may in part be the means of bringing to the attention of the people the true state of affairs in the land at this time—the end and purposes of the two great parties. Republicanism standing for trusts, imperialism, expansion and colonial dependencies. Democracy standing for every sentence, phrase and word in the constitution in letter and in spirit." The leading article is a discussion of the Puerto Rican tariff question by Hon. Samuel W. McCall, congressman from Massachusetts. Hon. W. C. Jones of Spokane contributes an article on the Philippine policy and H. J. Mock, formerly a Spokane newspaper man, conducts a breezy page of political gossip from Washington.

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Rates are bound to come down on transcontinental roads, is the opinion of a New York railroad authority, who said in discussing it:

"The explanation of the steady decline in Pacific railroad stocks is simple. The roads are beginning to realize they must go through the same experience as other roads, and likewise the experience of a falling rate per ton mile. Competition is on the increase, and it is very plain that in the course of a year or two there will be two or three more transcontinental routes. This means an increase in competition and a lower rate. The transcontinental roads at present are making their handsome showings of earnings on practically a one cent per ton mile rate, while roads in the middle belt operate on a rate of five mills."

In railroad circles it appears to be practically settled that the Burlington will build to the coast. For a number of years the company has been credited with plans to that end, and now representatives of the road do not deny it. A Burlington man recently said to the East Oregonian in Pendleton:

"I am informed that our company will have a coast terminus before a year has passed. It may be a trifle longer than that, but at any rate the extension will be made to the coast very soon. I believe that of this there is no doubt."

It is rumored that the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific will extend its line to Portland, Or. Denver is the present Western terminus of this road. It is said the final survey has been finished between Denver and Ogden, and track laying on that part of the extension will begin this summer. A preliminary survey has been made between Ogden and Portland.

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