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Mrs. Wilcox Here Tomorrow.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox will not be able to stop in Pendleton on her way East. She has been in very poor health of late, which has disarranged many of her plans, and makes a longer stay in the West impossible.

Arrived From Missouri.

J. C. Jost, of Osceola, and J. H. Wilfert, of Millersville, Mo., have arrived in the city and will locate permanently in Umatilla county.

Leave for Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woolsey left this morning for their home at Minneapolis. They have been visiting for a week with C. J. Wilson, who is Mrs. Woolsey's brother.

Pendleton Pioneer.

W. J. Snodgrass, of La Grande, is in the city today. He will go from here north into British Columbia via Spokane. He has mining and timber interests in British Columbia.

Ordered to California.

George Stocker, the cattleman from Camas Prairie, and formerly a business man of this place, has gone to California on the advice of his physicians, his lungs and stomach being seriously affected.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

H. L. Swaggart went to Athena this morning.

Ed Stove started last evening for Montana.

Mrs. E. Y. Judd will join her husband here about May 1.

Dr. J. R. Sponagle, of Athena, was in the city yesterday and today.

Elmer Hansen left this morning for Montana, expecting to locate there.

Mrs. C. E. Roosevelt went to Walla Walla this morning to visit with friends.

W. B. Jenkins says the use of his name for city marshal is wholly unauthorized.

C. S. Wheeler is recovering from tonsillitis. He has been very ill for over a week.

Daniel Taylor, son of Matthew Taylor, arrived from Portland yesterday for a visit of a week.

H. Connell, of Umatilla, O. R. & N. roadmaster, is in the city, the guest of the Hotel St. George.

H. J. Stillman expects to attend the Harrington shooting tournament. Others may attend from here.

C. E. Troutman has moved to Macson street, between Jackson and Washington, on the north side.

John Allen, formerly an O. R. & N. engineer between La Grande and Umatilla, is now located at Sumpter.

H. James and wife, of Pendleton, have returned from a month's visit with Mrs. J. H. Bryant, who live near Wallula.

Miss Adnah Raley's health has improved so much that the services of the trained nurse have been dispensed with.

Miss Lydia Fletcher and Miss Mary Fletcher, of Baker City, are the guests of Mrs. J. T. Hinkle. They arrived this morning.

G. W. Harris is convalescing after his five weeks' siege with the pneumonia. He is not yet able to go to work, however.

C. E. Troutman is in Athena today overseeing the beginning of the new Methodist church there, of which he is the architect.

Will Peterson, Athena's genial attorney, came down on business yesterday evening, returning home on the 8:15 train today.

Martin King, a well-known miner and engineer of La Grande, will organize a party and spend the season at Thunder Mountain.

J. W. Becker returned this morning from the northern part of the county, where he has been in the interests of the Therkelsen Music House.

E. Y. Judd, president of the Woolen Mill Company and of the Scouring Mill Company, arrived from the East Saturday and will spend the summer here.

D. C. Sullivan, the operator for the Coe Commission Company in this place for the past two or three months, left last night for Hot Springs, Ark.

G. W. Jones has returned from Heppner. He has decided to return to Heppner and probably locate there after the coal mines in that neighborhood have been developed.

Mackay Stocker was in the city yesterday and took back with him to Camas Prairie several thousand pounds of stock feed. He will run the Camas Prairie ranch during his father's absence in California.

F. F. Wamsley and wife left this morning for Portland. Mrs. Wamsley will spend some time in Portland. Mr. Wamsley will tour California during a portion of the time he is on his vacation.

C. A. Tenney and wife, of London-derry, N. H., arrived this morning and will remain West probably for the summer at least. Mrs. Tenney is a sister of Robert Clark, the sheepman, who lives about eight miles from the city.

Carl Stocker went to Switzer's Island yesterday to take charge of the Stockers' 500 head of cattle there until in May, when they will be driven into the mountains. The cattle mentioned are not on Switzer's Island, but in that vicinity.

R. L. Dutcher, the threshing machine expert, is in the city, arriving here yesterday. His headquarters will be Pendleton for the season, but he will divide his time between different points, as he has also the Palouse country to look after for his firm.

W. H. Reeder, of Athena, was in the city yesterday. He reports all crops, and the wheat especially, as being in fine condition. Mr. Reeder is the wealthy farmer whose dona-

FAVORED CONTESTANTS.

tions to the building of the new Christian churches at Athena and Pendleton have been noted.

INTERESTING DECISION MADE BY LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE YESTERDAY—SEVERAL PENDLETON PEOPLE INTERESTED.

Three very interesting decisions were made by the United States land office at La Grande yesterday morning, involving the interests of several Pendleton people. They were made in contest cases brought as follows:

Fred Thomas vs. L. M. Hawley, for 160 acres in section 13, town 4, range 30. Mansfield Thomas vs. W. H. Hawley, for 160 acres also in section 13, town 4, range 30. J. W. Thomas vs. W. H. Roasculp, also for 160 acres in section 13, town 4, range 30. These tracts of land all lie in the same section, and 18 miles northwest of Pendleton.

H. E. Collier in each case represented the contestant or plaintiff. The decisions were all in favor of the contestants. In general terms the contests were brought on the grounds of non-residence, or at least insufficient residence to meet the requirements of the law. The evidence in these cases was all taken before Special Commissioner Joe H. Parkes last week.

A novelty in the proceedings was the expeditious way in which a decision was reached, only a week or less intervening between the taking of the testimony and the rendering of the decisions. Usually several weeks, and in most cases several months elapse before decisions are rendered in such cases.

WILL BEGIN IMPROVEMENTS. O. R. & N. Track Department Preparing to Gravel on Mountain Division.

The O. R. & N. Company will experiment in screening some of the gravel they intend to use on the track east of La Grande this season. The gravel pit in the bed of Grande Ronde River, near Oro Dell, from which the company expects to get its gravel, is filled with large boulders which cannot be used on the track. As the company is very desirous of using that pit on account of its convenience, they will experiment with a few trainloads, to see if the boulders can be screened out at a profit.

Contracts for screening some of the gravel were let to local parties at La Grande, but they have failed to begin work, and the company will put a force of men there to make a trial of the experiment.

One work train is now out with a large force of men cleaning out ditches and extensive track repairs will begin soon.

ANNIVERSARY OF WOODCRAFT. At Christian Church Friday Evening, April 17—Public Invited.

The Woodmen of the World and Women of Woodcraft are cordially invited to the anniversary of Woodcraft to be held at the Christian church Friday evening, April 17. A program of two hours' duration will be given.

To the public is cordially extended the same invitation, assuring them a pleasant entertainment.

After the exercises the members of the order, with their wives, husbands or sweethearts, will adjourn to Hendricks' hall where a banquet will be held. Toasts by prominent members of Woodcraft, and by prominent strangers.

THE EASTER "ILAKAWINN." Most Beautiful Number of High School Journal Yet Issued.

The April, or Easter number of the high school journal is the most beautiful and artistic number yet issued. The pupils and teachers of the public schools deserve great encouragement in the management of this journal. They have shown excellent journalistic tastes in selecting reading matter and designs for their publication, and are to be complimented upon the success of their undertaking.

Vestrymen Elected. The parish meeting of the Church of the Redeemer last evening elected a board of vestrymen for the ensuing year. They are R. J. Slater, F. B. Clopton, J. T. Lambeth, J. F. Robinson, T. G. Halley and W. E. Garretson. Following the parish meeting a reception was given to the communicants of a week ago.

Anti-Alcohol Congress. Berlin, April 14.—Social reformers throughout Europe will follow with considerable interest the proceedings of the International Anti-Alcohol Congress, which opened today at Bremen. It is the first time that such a gathering has been held in Germany. Mrs. Mary Hunt, of Boston, and Lady Henry Somerset are among the participants. Others include leading medical men, educators and social reformers of France, England, Sweden, Germany and other countries. Scientific temperance education in the public schools is one of the principal topics to be discussed.

Negro Hanged. Media, Pa., April 14.—Albert West, colored, who murdered Policeman Allen, was hanged this morning.

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AS TO SHEEP DIPPING

A RECENT RULING OF DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

J. H. Gwinn, Secretary of Woolgrowers' Association, Thinks Sheep Raisers Should Comply Strictly With Instructions.

The attention of sheep men is called to a recent ruling of the department of agriculture, bureau of animal industry. The ruling and corresponding instructions are issued from the office of George Hickox, secretary, Salt Lake City.

J. H. Gwinn, secretary of the County and State Woolgrowers' Associations, is very anxious that the sheep raisers comply strictly with the instructions—for the double reason of the reputation of the sheep belt being conserved by compliance, and the interests of the individual growers being equally if not more at stake. Non-compliance with the instructions is liable to prove extremely expensive withal.

These instructions are issued directly to the inspectors, and when it comes to enforcing compliance with them and of enforcing the penalties for violation the inspectors of course have no choice. The following are quotations from the instructions:

"No attention should be paid to dipping of sheep unless superintended by federal inspectors, and should such sheep be offered for shipment no certificate can be issued unless at least 21 days have elapsed from date of last shipment. The dipping must be once for immediate slaughter; if for feeding in yards or on the range twice, within 10 days intervening."

In other words, if a sheepowner dips on his own responsibility he must wait 21 days before he can ship and before shipment the animals must be inspected by the government inspector. The further interpretation being that if a sheepowner wishes to ship immediately he must of necessity have the sheep dipped by the government inspector, because in that event it is impossible for 21 days to elapse at the end of which time the government official inspects.

Dr. M. S. Lantz, the government veterinarian inspector at this place, is anxious that the requirements of the department be observed as closely as possible voluntarily, and Mr. Gwinn feels about the matter just the same as Dr. Lantz. The attention of the papers throughout the sheep district is called to this subject.

JOURNAL'S PRESS ARRIVES

Two Fifty-ton Cars Necessary to Haul the Great Load.

Portland, April 14.—The machinery for the new printing plant of the Journal arrived yesterday morning over the Union Pacific railroad, and is on board of two cars at the general freight yards of this city. Saturday morning by steamer, two new linotypes, consigned to the Journal, were delivered at the O. R. & N. depot.

The printing press weighs 33,380 pounds and will require two weeks to set up on its foundation in the Journal press room. With it is a full set of supplementary machinery, stereotyping plant, routers, metal saws, miter machines and electric motors.

The press will be driven by an individual motor that is to be set in a pit at the back of the machine. The motor will develop 50 horse power. There are two other motors, one of 15 horse power and another of five horse power.

Later in the week there will be a full set of type cases for the new dress of type, the bulk of which has already arrived at Portland. The entire appearance of the Journal will be changed and the paper made the equal of any paper on the Coast.

Visits Mrs. Vanderbilt.

Asheville, N. C., April 14.—Alice Roosevelt arrived this morning from Washington. She will be the guest of Mrs. George Vanderbilt for a few days.

Jim—it seems to me that the lawyer who is defending your case is using some pretty extravagant language. Jam—You'd think it was much more extravagant if you knew how much he was charging me for his services.—Baltimore Herald.

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