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FORTY-TWO YEARS

PIONEER OF 1861 TELLS OF SOME EXPERIENCES.

Very Mild Winter of 1861-2 Was Followed by a Winter of Great Severity—He is a Friend of the Indians, Who Learned to Fear Him Many Years Ago.

I. H. Stonebreaker, of McKay creek, was in the city today en route to Athena, where he will be the guest of relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr. Stonebreaker is one of the oldest inhabitants of this part of the state, having come here in 1861, and he has many interesting remembrances of the early days.

The first winter he spent in this county there was nothing but sunshine all the year. One morning only there was enough frost to slightly freeze the ground where it was damp, but the next winter was the worst in the history of the state. It snowed three times, each time a crust freezing on top of the snow in the interim until there were three separate layers of snow. After the fine snow fell for several days and drifted until the whole country was level. On Wild Horse creek it drifted over the tops of some of the trees and one man that year lost 1,300 head of cattle in one camp, the animals dying where they were herded together in a sheltered valley.

Mr. Stonebreaker is a great friend of the Indians, and has lived through the Indian troubles without ever having come in conflict with them. He attributes this to the fact that he once gave a chief a sound thrashing with a willow switch, on the present site of the Pendleton hotel. The Indian had run the sheriff into the house, and Mr. Stonebreaker whipped him for it. After that the Indians left him alone. The old pioneer is now living with his children on the old homestead that he took up in the early days.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Women's Clubs Adopt Resolutions of Condolence in Memory of Lenore Sheridan.

The Woman's club of Pendleton, wishing to express its sympathy with Mrs. Sheridan upon the death of her daughter, Lenore, offers these resolutions:

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has, in His wisdom, seen fit to call unto Himself the soul of this maiden, just entering the threshold of womanhood; be it:

"Resolved, That we remind the afflicted mother and sisters that life has quicksands, life has snares, care and age come unawares," which by the providence of God she has been spared, and we point them to the faith of our Christian religion, that she is not gone forever, but that there is a 'home' not made with hands' where all families shall be reunited and all tears shall be wiped away. Though there are a vacant chair and grief-stricken hearts, there are also sweet memories of the goodness, cheerfulness and helpfulness of her who has passed from our sight. May the sunshine of these memories brighten somewhat the gloom of sorrow, and the thought that in her innocence she is now the fit companion of angels, bring consolation in this hour of anguish.

"COMMITTEE."

Nov. 27, 1903.

NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

Echo Will Vote \$3,000 Bonds on December 12 for a Building.

Echo, Nov. 30.—A special school election will be held here on December 12 for the purpose of voting \$3,000 with which to build a new school house.

The bonds have been voted once, but a defect in the proceedings necessitated another election.

When the bonds were voted at first work was begun on the new building and the foundation is now complete. It will be hurried to completion as rapidly as possible and it is expected that the new building will be occupied by the first of the year.

RHEUMATIC BOY.

Bad Case From Athena Being Taken to Hot Lake for Treatment.

Hugh McLaine, of Athena, was in the city yesterday accompanied by his nephew, Hugh McLaine, who has been for some time afflicted with rheumatism. The sufferer, who is but a boy, has been troubled with the disease for over two years, and is now so bad that he can not walk. His uncle was on the way to Hot Lake with him in hopes that treatment there would overcome the malady.

In Charge of the Post.

Captain Jennie Bolles, of Baker City, and Cadet Pearl Robinson, of Portland, have been sent to this city to take charge of the Salvation Army station here, made vacant by the resignation of Major and Mrs. Howells.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. E. P. Marshall entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roosevelt and Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Halley at dinner on the evening of Saturday last, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Marshall.

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FOR NEW DISTRICT

MILTON PEOPLE WILL MAKE SECOND ATTEMPT.

Will Operate Under the Law of 1895—Many Favor the Measure Who Were Opposed to Such an Undertaking Last Summer—Election Board Has Been Appointed—Vote Will Be Taken December 21.

Milton is now attempting to organize another irrigation district under the law of 1895. Some time ago it was attempted to organize the Little Walla Walla Irrigation district, but the organization was defeated when the matter came to a vote.

The new organization is another attempt by some of the same people who were in favor of the old plan. For over a year there has been a corporation known as the Little Walla Walla Irrigation Union, and the people who are interested in this wish to merge into a district for the benefit of more people, hence they will make an attempt to organize.

When the question of organization of the district came up some time ago, it was defeated by a few of the residents of that part of the county who did not wish to join such a plan and did not see the benefit of it. Now some of these people have come to the conclusion that they made a mistake and these, with those who were originally in favor of organization have banded themselves together into a new body and will hold an election on the 21st of December, and at the same time put the question to a vote as to whether or not the district shall be formed.

The new district, or the Little Walla Walla River Irrigation District, as it will be called, is composed of the lands of those who are in favor of the plan and who see that it will be of advantage to them to organize. These men will meet on the day set in December at the house of W. L. Powell and at that time cast their ballot for or against the organization and at the same time vote for a board of directors and a list of officers for the district.

The following officers of election have been appointed by the county court, who will conduct the election and make their return to the court, and if the majority votes for the organization the court will recognize and authorize the organization:

Judges, William Lloyd, J. L. Roe, A. T. Brewer; clerks, J. C. Pritchett, Hattie Foraythe and A. S. Babcock.

G. A. Hobb has been nominated as assessor for the district, William Foraythe as collector, and Cauvel as treasurer. Those who will be nominated as the board of directors have not yet been announced. These officers will be voted for at the same time that the organization of the district comes up.

TRAY OF COIN STOLEN.

Important Loss From M. A. Rader's Numismatic Collection.

M. A. Rader is mourning the loss of a coin rack from the window of his store. The rack or card, was filled with rare coins, some dating back to the Roman empire, and it was kept in one of the show windows during the day, and at night was removed from the window and placed inside of the store, to be out of sight and the reach of a possible thief.

On Friday evening the card was taken out of the window as usual, and placed behind some furniture. Just when it was taken is not known as the loss was not discovered until the coins were looked for on the morning following. It is supposed that some one came into the store while the force were employed in the back part and made away with the case.

The card was found under the platform at the freight depot this morning, stripped of all of its ornaments. Mr. Rader values the collection stolen at \$150.

Following are some of the coins in the cabinet stolen:

Two or more Medio reals, of Guatemala, also two double medio's and one two-real piece, two silver Colombian half dollars of 1892, two silver trade dollars, two or three five franc pieces, one United States half dollar of 1828, one half dollar of 1834, old Roman silver piece, about size of a United States silver dime, no date, lettered "FLAC," with a hole in the edge; English copper piece, date 1701, one nickel without the word "cents" below the V, one nickel with the word "cents" below the V, but is much larger than the ordinary nickel, some Mexican and other foreign coins, silver and copper, and one silver franc.

PARALYSIS OF BOWELS.

Old Settler is at the Hospital With a Serious Indisposition.

Jerry Brosnan, of Upper Butter creek, is at the hospital suffering from paralysis of the bowels. Some time ago while hauling wheat Mr. Brosnan ate a large number of plums, and it resulted in causing the disease. He is in a critical condition.

Mr. Brosnan is one of the old pioneers of Morrow county, having been a resident of upper Butter creek when there was no Morrow county. He is one of the well known cattlemen of the eastern part of the state and his illness will be unpleasant news for a large circle of friends.

STILLMAN HIT 106.

High Shooting Record Made Yesterday With New Shotgun.

F. W. Walte, H. J. Stillman, J. V. Tallman, W. E. Gould, Shug Clark and M. A. Rader formed a party of local sportsmen who spent the afternoon on a shooting excursion to the grounds of the club yesterday, at

which time some good shooting was done by all of those present.

The primary object of the shoot was to try a new automatic shotgun that Mr. Stillman has just bought. This gun is one of the first that has ever been seen in this city, and is a beauty both in workmanship and in execution.

Yesterday Mr. Stillman broke 106 birds in succession, missing the 107, by a narrow margin. This is within eight of the record for the Pacific Coast, which stands at 114. Fred Walte got 83 straight, and others of the party made good records, even by comparison with those noted.

WOODMEN ELECTION.

Pendleton Camp Held Annual Election and Banquet Last Saturday Night.

One of the most enjoyable events of the year from a fraternal standpoint, was the annual election and banquet held by Pendleton camp No. 41, Woodmen of the World, last Saturday night.

About 145 members of the camp were present and the election was spirited, the main contest being between J. P. Walker and John E. Bean for the office of clerk.

The office of clerk of the camp carries a salary of about \$600 a year, being the only paid office in the order. J. P. Walker was elected clerk for the ensuing year, and J. A. Lawrey was reelected consul-commander.

After the election, a sumptuous banquet was spread in the banquet room adjoining the lodge room, and speech making was indulged in, as the banquet proceeded. Pendleton camp is one of the largest on the Pacific Coast, and is in a prosperous and thriving condition.

OVER SIXTY WITNESSES.

Large Cost Bill From Umatilla County in Thompson Case.

The interest in the Asa B. Thompson trial, which is to be called in the federal court at Portland in the morning, is attracting a great deal of attention among the people of this city, many of whom are the friends of one or another of the parties interested in the case.

This morning a large number of witnesses left for Portland, and tomorrow another crowd will leave for that city to give their testimony. In all, it is estimated that over 60 men have been subpoenaed to attend the trial from this city. Some left several days ago, but the majority will go today and tomorrow.

HIGH CLASS CONCERT TROUPE.

Possibility of a Visit to Pendleton of Such a Company.

H. Nelson is in the city from Portland in the interest of a high class concert troupe which he wishes to bring to this city for the evening of December 11. The company is composed of J. Adrian Eppinger, baritone; Miss Eva Taylor, soprano; Mrs. Sherman D. Brown, violinist; Mrs. C. L. Hughes, pianist, and Professor William Rasmus, dramatic reader.

The company is composed of some of the best talent to be found in Portland, and Mr. Nelson will in the next few days attempt to secure enough subscriptions to the concert to make up the necessary guaranty fund to induce the troupe to visit the city.

Jessie Shirley's Advance Agent.

John McGuire, advance manager for the Jessie Shirley company, which comes here next Monday for a three nights' engagement, is in the city today and will remain for several days, arranging for the productions which this company will give here. Mr. McGuire is an old theater man, and was in Pendleton 28 years ago with some of the first stars to come to the states of Oregon and Washington. He has made the trip from Umatilla Landing to Boise City by John Halley's stage several times, and is surprised to note the miraculous growth of Pendleton since his last visit.

The Echo News.

The Echo News has made its appearance, at the thriving town of Echo, and comes to the desk of the East Oregonian, knocking for a place on the exchange list. The News is edited and published by W. E. Brown, a practical printer, and is very well patronized.

Echo Public School.

The public school at Echo is making excellent progress under the able management of Miss Celestine Moorhouse, of this city, and Miss Duncan. There are two rooms and an attendance of about 75 scholars. It is expected to occupy the new school-house by the first of January.

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Big Dealers Have Bought Up Crop in Klamath County.

H. V. Mitchell, who was in from Klamath Falls, confirms the report that a serious condition of affairs confronts stockmen in Klamath county this season, says the Ashland Valley Record. A number of the big dealers have practically bought up the hay crop, and that article is held at \$15 per ton, and likely to go even higher. Hay has been at \$5 per ton in the past years. An unusually bad winter in Klamath county would cause the greatest loss of livestock in the history of the county. Mr. Mitchell reports that last week a bunch of thirty stock cattle sold at \$12 per head, and it was keeping everybody guessing just what figure was low enough to safely invest this winter.

COMING EVENTS.

Washington Teachers' association, Tacoma, Dec. 28-30.

National Livestock convention, Portland, January 12, 13, 14 and 15.

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