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The first of the wool harvest is in sight, and in a short time the clip will be coming into the warehouses.

Charles Cunningham has begun to shear his sheep, and has already finished a flock of 3,000 blooded Merino bucks near his Pilot Rock ranch. He is now at work on the ewes, and will shear all, or nearly all of them at this time.

Mr. Cunningham has followed the custom for several years of shearing most of his sheep at this time of the year. The fleeces on the bucks are now beginning to be heavy for them to carry, and the wool is getting so long that the sheep begin to have trouble to see. It has been found that the sheep do better if relieved of the load of fleece and especially in this true in the case of the bucks, which are strong and well able to stand the loss of their wool this early in the year.

With the ewes it is also well to shear this early, and relieve them of

the load before the lambing season. All of the ewes are now beginning to become heavy with young, and this, in addition to the heavy fleeces they are carrying, is hard on them. It has been found that if they have a warm place to stay for the first few days after being sheared until they have become used to the change, they do much better without their coats than with them. They do not have the long wool to carry, and pick up in flesh and strength.

In another way it has been found by the sheepman who studies the question that the system of early shearing is a good thing, and that is in the good to the lamb. All of the extra strength that the ewe can gain after having been sheared is given to the young, either born or unborn, and the result is stronger lambs and larger.

In the early shearing the condition of the sheep is taken into account, and those which are not strong enough to stand the sudden change from the warmth of the heavy fleece to the cold of the first few days after shearing, are left until later in the season, when the warm days of spring have come, and there is no danger of taking cold. But the plan has been found to be a good one and will be more generally adopted than it is at present. As soon as all of the early shearing has been finished, Mr. Cunningham will haul the clip to the warehouses, where it will be held until the spring wool sales.

Graduated Osteopath.

Dr. L. Frances Thompson, Osteopathic physician, graduate A. T. Still school, Kirksville, Mo., has opened offices at the home of Mrs. Ad Nye, 502 Water street, for the treatment of women and children. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Phone, Red 54. Consultation and examination free.

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SPECIAL MEETING

UNUSUAL ISSUE MADE
CONCERNING TEACHERS.

Question of Legal Eligibility to Hold Their Positions—Relations of Diplomas, Certificates and Permits to the Requirements of the Law Made and Provided.

The school board held a special meeting last night at which time the teacher muddle was gone over and a new phase sprung. It would seem from an opinion of the attorney-general that there are two teachers in the high school who are not legally able to hold their positions. The law provides that the teachers of a high school shall be graduates of the normal schools of the state, of some collegiate school or university or shall have a state certificate or diploma.

Miss Dewey, the principal at the high school who has recently come from the East to take the place is a graduate of a college, but it is out of this state and she has no certificate or diploma from this state. Whether or not this will disqualify her is not known to the board, but it is thought that a permit can be granted to her until such time as she can comply with the technicality of the law.

Roy Conklin on the other hand, is more up against it. He is not the graduate of an institution and has no state papers. What the action of the board will be in the matter will be determined by the answer which is returned by State Superintendent Ackerman. A letter was sent to the department this morning asking for advice by the board and its answer will be awaited with interest.

It was decided by the board at the meeting last night that if Mr. LeMasters, the head of the Sloyd work in the high school would take a private examination which County Superintendent Nowlin has promised to give him, that his work would be continued, otherwise the Sloyd department would be dropped for the rest of the year.

W. C. T. U. ORGANIZED.

Order Has Fifty Members and Elect Full Set of Officers.

Mrs. Helen D. Harford met with the ladies of the city yesterday afternoon and again in the evening, and a local W. C. T. U. organization was perfected with a membership of nearly 50 ladies.

Both of the meetings were well attended and the ladies present manifested great enthusiasm in regard to the work. A vigorous campaign will be carried out by the ladies for the temperance cause, and they have hopes of greatly improving conditions in the city.

Officers for the union were elected as follows: President, Mrs. M. A. Rader; corresponding secretary, Mrs. T. H. Thorn; recording secretary, Mrs. C. L. Baker.

The next meeting of the union will be held at the residence of Mrs. A. M. Raley, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which time the plan of work to be followed will be mapped out and the different committees will be appointed by the president.

This afternoon, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock, a reception was held in the parlors of the Hotel Bickers in honor of Mrs. Harford, and a great many ladies took this opportunity of meeting with the head of the W. C. T. U. work and learning of her plans and purposes.

PENDLETON ACADEMY.

Efforts Being Made to Collect on Building Pledges.

A meeting was held at Pendleton Academy last evening by the board of directors at which the future of the academy was discussed, and plans were made for the work of the future.

Today Rev. W. S. Holt, of Portland, and Rev. R. J. Diven were around ascertaining what the people of the city would do in helping the institution in a monetary way. There are still remaining on the books of the academy a number of pledges which were made by people of this city to help pay for the construction of the building. These have not been paid for various reasons: some of the people have left the city, some have been unable to raise the money, and the gentlemen today have been trying to raise funds to cover this deficiency. What success they have met with is not reported.

SUICIDE UNNERVES INDIANS.

They Cannot Understand Why a Man Will Take His Own Life While in Sound Mind.

Paul Show-away, the well known Umatilla Indian, in talking of the suicide of Jim Joshua yesterday evening, says that a suicide unnerves the Indians.

They can understand how a man can die of disease or old age, and how he can be killed by another or by accident, but by what mysterious incantation a man can be induced to take his own life, they cannot understand nor reconcile with any of their rules of reasoning.

It has a gruesome and unnatural surrounding which causes them to distrust everybody and everything. They naturally think some person has exercised undue power over the suicide and if it were not for the constant presence of the whites they would probably center the blame on

someone, and take revenge for the influence used to cause the tribesman to take his life.

They refuse to talk about the Joshua affair. It is the most extraordinary case in the memory of the oldest tribesmen, and they cannot understand why this sound, healthy, sober, intelligent Indian should wish to rush into the happy hunting ground before he died naturally.

All the Indians seen in the city today are downcast and refuse to discuss the affair. They are now secretly making inquiries as to the man who came between Joshua and his wife and there may be some interesting developments.

APPOINTED GUARDIAN.

Action Taken to Properly Conserve Children's Property Interests.

Mrs. Lina B. Sturgis was appointed guardian of her two minor children, James H. Sturgis, aged 14, and Cyrus C. Sturgis, aged 12, at the session of the probate court today.

The children are the heirs in the estate of their grandparents, William P. Sturgis and Susan M. Sturgis, late of Walla Walla county, and will inherit property from them to the value of about \$20,000.

The petition of Mrs. Sturgis was allowed and letters were ordered to issue to her on her furnishing a bond of \$30,000.

Suicide at Grangeville, Idaho.

William Howhouse, one of the most prominent merchants of Grangeville, Idaho, a member of the hardware firm of Howhouse and Hickerson, has committed suicide by shooting himself, with both barrels of a shotgun. He was well known to C. S. Haynes, O. R. & N. operator, at this place and also to Mr. Ackerman, of the Alexander department store. Financial troubles are assigned as the cause, he having heavily mortgaged his business and failed to meet obligations. He left a wife and two grown daughters who are prominent in society and highly respected. Mr. Haynes received a letter today giving details of the sad affair.

Returned From Portland.

A. D. Stillman has returned from Portland, where he went to attend the meeting of the democratic state central committee. He reports a very congenial meeting and harmonious, and is sanguine of good results later in the year. He also reports more rain in Portland than was agreeable to a man from the highlands of the state.

Council Meeting Tonight.

The council will meet this evening for the regular weekly session. The salary list for the month current will be allowed, and other routine business transacted. Unless the councilmen have some special measures to consider the meeting will be a quiet one, as there is nothing of importance to come before it.

New Harnessmaker.

C. R. Bonney, of Portland, is in the city and will perhaps remain here permanently. Mr. Bonney is a harnessmaker and wishes to open a harness shop provided he can secure a suitable location. He is an experienced man in the business and is well pleased with the prospects and opportunities of Pendleton.

Suit to Quiet Title.

A suit was filed this morning in the office of the county clerk by Nellie Weatherman and Fred Weatherman against Herman Butenschoe et al., asking that title to a certain parcel of land be quieted. S. E. King and Bean & Perry are the attorneys for the plaintiffs.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued last night to Fred Lyons and Miss Willie M. McGregor. The gentleman is from Portland, while the lady is a Pendleton girl.

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The police court was quiet today and was only disturbed by the intrusion of one lone Indian, who was arrested for being drunk, and was fined \$5, which he paid.

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"Holy Rollers" Winners.

The "Holy Rollers" defeated the Pendleton Bowling Club last night at Canty's amusement parlors. The Pendleton club has been practicing for months, and was apparently the only team in the city until the unexpected challenge of the "Holy Rollers" was presented last week. Two out of a series of three games will decide the championship. The next series will be played Friday night. The winning team will bowl Walla Walla in the near future. The score last night was: "Holy Rollers" 2505, Pendletons 2460. The members of the "Holy Rollers" are: Munick, Degnan, Baker, Coleman and Whitley. The Pendleton club members are: Anderson, Johnson, Hutchinson, Robinson and Yates.

Attention Woodmen.

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