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MONDAY EVE. NEXT

MASS MEETING AT THE
CIRCUIT COURT ROOM.

All the Present Issues of School Affairs Will Be Discussed With the Board, and Agreement Reached, if Possible—Issue Not So Much Expended, as Location—Miss Catherine Pooler the New Teacher.

The school board held a meeting last night in the office of Dr. C. J. Smith. The meeting was quite brief, and little business was done. Miss Catherine Pooler, of Salem, was elected to fill the vacancy in the public schools caused by the resignation of Mrs. Guy Wade, and will be given charge of the third grade.

It was decided that a call for a mass meeting be issued for Monday next, at the circuit court rooms, at which time all those interested in the question of the voting of bonds for a new school house be present, and talk the matter over with the board.

It is the desire of the board to do what the people wish in the voting of bonds, or in any other solution of the present congested state of the schools, and it is desired that all those who are interested make it a point to be present and express their ideas on the subject. All phases of the question will be brought up and discussed, and if possible, some conclusion will be arrived at from which

the board will be able to act in relation to the proposed bond issue.

The people who last year opposed the voting of bonds claim that it is the location, not the expense, about which they are making their fight. They know that the school district needs more buildings, that it is cramped in the handling of its pupils, but they do not wish to spend money for a permanent building on the site of the old academy buildings.

Some of these persons are in favor of erecting more than one building, and placing them at convenient intervals over the city, and when these are built, to then use the high school building for a high school proper, where only the highest grades will be taught. All of the larger pupils would have no trouble in walking to and from the building, which would be large enough to hold the higher grades.

Others wish to build a large building centrally located, and large enough to hold all of the present surplus. All plans will be thoroughly discussed at the meeting Monday night, and the board will act accordingly.

HEPPNER COURT.

P. H. Davis Will Be Temporary Court Stenographer.

P. K. Davis left this morning for Heppner, where he will act as court stenographer for the circuit court, which convenes there today. Mr. Davis will take the place of J. E. Beckwith, the regular stenographer, who was not able to attend.

The session of the court this time is of little importance, there being no cases of importance on the docket. The session will end by Saturday evening.

Perhaps it Will.

Have you seen the advertisement of the Peoples Warehouse in this issue? We think the ladies are particularly interested.

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M. B. GWINN REPORTS
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Mr. Gwinn is Secretary of the Idaho State Woolgrowers' Association—Wool Crop Will Be Heavy and of Excellent Quality—General Tendency is Toward Smaller Flock and Heavier Fleeces, With No Decrease of Profits.

M. B. Gwinn of Boise, Idaho, was in the city today visiting with his brother, James H. Gwinn. Mr. Gwinn is the secretary of the Idaho Woolgrowers' Association, and is interested largely in the sheep industry of the states, both of Idaho and Oregon, having large holdings in Malheur and Harney counties.

Mr. Gwinn reports the sheep situation in Idaho as being fully as bright as in this state, the conditions being, in fact, about the same as in this county. The flocks have gone through the winter with no other feed than the ranges, and have come out in the best of condition. The wool is heavier than last year, and will be of a better grade.

From advices received and from all other indications, the general market will be as eager, or more so, to buy this year than last, and will pay as much for the wool, if not a little more on account of the better grade of some of the product. The Eastern surplus is a great deal shorter this year than it was last, and for that reason alone, not counting the expected impetus to be given to the trade in woolsens by the war, the demand should be good and the prices as high as last year.

Idaho will not produce so much wool this year as last, because of the losses and the sales. The settlement of the state is driving the old-style sheep king out of business, and he is selling his sheep as fast as he can get rid of them without a loss. The farms are being reduced in size and the country settled so fast that it is driving the sheep man out of the country for want of range room. The result is that the sheepmen are decreasing their flocks and increasing the grades. This gives a less net amount of wool, but a better price for what is sold.

Mr. Gwinn will leave this evening for Portland, where he will remain on a business visit for some days. He was a former resident of this city and is well known here.

MISS GAITHERS RESIGNED.

Has Gone to Denver, and Will Reside in Kentucky.

Miss Mollie V. Gaithers, who for the past 11 years has been the assistant superintendent of the Agency school at the Umatilla reservation, has resigned her position and left last night for Denver, where she will be the guest of friends and relatives for a time. From that city she will go to her old home in Kentucky to reside.

Miss Gaithers has been for 10 years the head of the Agency school, and has had the management of the institution, and it is due to her efforts that the school has risen to the rank it holds among the Indian schools of the nation. Her absence will be greatly noted in this city and at the school.

Mr. Wilkins, the Indian agent, is now filling the place left vacant by Miss Gaithers, and will continue to do so until a successor is appointed by the department.

K. OF P. INSURANCE.

General Agent of the Endowment Rank in the City on a Business Visit.

Lloyd T. King, the genial general organizer of the Endowment Rank or insurance branch of the Knights of Pythias, is in the city today on business connected with his work.

Mr. King has charge of this important work in the states of Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho, Nevada, Washington and Oregon, and is now contemplating a trip to the Hawaiian islands, to organize a branch there, as there are about 700 Knights of Pythias on the islands.

He visited Adams yesterday and succeeded in interesting many of the members of the new lodge of the order there, in the insurance feature.

Mr. King makes his home in Salt Lake City, and while away from there—being a good Mormon—he fears the Smoot inquiry will interfere with his families.

Demorest Contest.

Miss Agnes Dunbar has been selected by the committee having in charge the Demorest medal contest, to drill the contestants in their selections. There are at present eight contestants, but some of these will not complete the preparation, it is thought.

Eastern Star Meeting.

The Eastern Star met last night, at which time Mrs. Helen P. Gatch of Salem, the worthy matron of the order, made her official visit of inspection. A large number of the local order were present, and after the meeting a very enjoyable social time was had.

Formerly of Pendleton.

Ula Slate of Baker City, was the guest of friends in Pendleton today, while on his way home from a visit to Colfax. Mr. Slate was formerly in the drug business here, owning the place now occupied by Koepfen brothers.

Pneumonia is epidemic in New York city to a very alarming and unusual extent. There are 300 cases in Bellevue hospital.

SPECIAL POLICEMAN GETS ELEVEN IN FOUR DAYS.

W. T. Shephard Rounded Three in One Box Car Last Night and Brought Them in—is Ridding the Railroad Yards of Tramps Rapidly—Chief Peo is Again in Disgrace and Jail.

Chief Peo, the head of the Umatillas, is again in the grasp of the law for having imbibed too much of the cheerful water of the pale face. He was picked up this morning by the marshal and given three days in the city jail, in default of the \$5 fine imposed upon him by the court.

James Campbell, George Merrick and John Welch were tried for vagrancy this morning and given three, four and five days respectively in the city jail. The men have been around town several days, and have been warned to leave, but failed to do so, and were given the sentences of different length in order that one would be able to get away ahead of the other.

They were arrested by Special Officer W. T. Shephard, who has in four days landed 11 vags in the city calaboose. Some time ago Mr. Shephard who is in the construction department of the O. R. & N., missed a suit of clothes, some underwear and various other things from a car in the construction train where he kept them, and coming to the marshal told him that he would serve as a special policeman without pay if he were appointed. The appointment was given, and that night Mr. Shephard brought in five men whom he found in the cars standing in the yards.

Last night he warned the three men jailed this morning to leave the yard, but they proceeded to get drunk and barricade themselves in one of the box cars in the yard. Mr. Shephard went in through the end window, subdued the men and brought them to the jail. He is making it hot for the hoboes, and is clearing the railroad yard of them.

Real Estate Transfers.

Charles G. Marcy and wife have sold to E. L. Smith for \$7,000, a tract of 326.84 acres in section 1, township 5, north of range 32 east, being in the vicinity of Vanucyle.

George Guitt and wife have sold to Peter H. Wilson for \$1,800, lot 2 of the northeast quarter, and lot 2 of the northwest quarter of section 14, in township 6, north of range 34, being a tract in the vicinity of the Hudson Bay ranch.

Porter Graham and wife have sold to James C. Turner for \$4,900, the south half of the northwest quarter of section 10, in township 4, north of range 35 east, being land a short distance to the north of Weston.

Andrew Jacobson Rahaia has sold to Isaac Christopher and James Christopher for \$16,000, the northeast quarter of section 11, and the northwest quarter of section 12, in township 3, north of range 33 east, being a piece of valuable wheat land to the north of Havana station.

The recent earthquake at Lima, Peru, is said to have done damage amounting to about \$500,000.

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WOMAN MAY SUICIDE.

J. H. Pace, Whose Wife Eloped Last Week, Says She Will Not Return Home.

"She will jump in the river, before she will return home, now," said J. H. Pace, the barber whose wife eloped, taking almost \$2,000 of his funds, last week, to the East Oregonian today.

"I know her disposition too well to believe that she will return home after taking this step, but I also know that she is so homesick by this time, to see her children, that I would not be surprised to hear of her suicide."

"I will keep my babies together and get along some way, but the loss of the money is a hard blow on a workman."

Piano Recital.

Prof. Henry Le Conte, formerly instructor in the Conservatory of Music in the University of Copenhagen, and for a long time an assistant of Padrewski, is in the city the guest of J. A. Owenhouse, and will, if possible, arrange for a piano recital here in the near future.

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