

SHOE SALE

All This Week

Lee Teutsch's Dept. Store
Corner Main and Alta Streets

PROPERTY BREVITIES

U C Rader. Get sunny. Tonight at Music hall, St. Valentine's dance. Don't miss it. Always pleased are smokers who buy at Howard's cigar store. The St. George restaurant, open day and night. Mrs. Cooper, proprietress. Buyers and sellers are brought together by classified ads in the East Oregonian. St. Valentine's dance at Music hall tonight, under auspices of Women of Woodcraft. McMinn's orchestra. "Good Bye My Lady Love," "Teasing," "Good Bye Little Girl, Good Bye," and all the late music. Eller's music house, Court street. A classified ad goes into the homes of nearly all the people of Pendleton. If you have anything you wish to dispose of, tell the people.

SOLDIERS' HOME COMPLAINTS.
Investigation of Idaho Institution Prayed for. The following protest and petition to Governor Gooding has been filed with that official in relation to the management of the Idaho State Soldiers' home. All the signers are inmates of the home: First—That the home is and has been alive with bedbugs, and no effort has been made to eradicate them by the authorities of the home, and whatever effort has been made in that direction has been made by the inmates themselves and purely as a matter of self-protection. Second—Neither the commandant nor the matron (his wife) visits the hospital or sick ward more than once in three months. The sick inmates are neglected, no little delicacies, so much relished by sick men everywhere, are ever prepared for them, their beds are unmade unless the sick men make them themselves or his comrades, out of pure sympathy make them for him. Third—That it is an impossibility almost, for any one of the old soldiers to obtain a ride to and from town in the institution wagon, although the same is state property and taken care of by one of the inmates of the home. Cleanliness is not one of the virtues practiced by the authorities at the home and it is respectfully submitted that if the adjutant general of the state or a committee of either house of the legislature would visit the home at a time entirely unexpected by those in authority, that such inspectors would find a condition of things there existing which would call for prompt and efficient remedy. With kindest regards to your excellency, we remain, Your obedient servants, D. E. Jones, Ed M. Burrows, R. P. Innes, Daniel W. Bellow, John Brown, Jason F. Teyon, Thomas Goodwin, Edwin M. Mull, Thomas I. McGuire, Alex Nimlow, E. H. Jeanjacquet, Ben Swan, Charles N. Wiswall, Peter Dick, Albert Spalding, Thomas Wilson, John Robinson, Robert B. Kitchen, Frank Williams, C. W. Minthorn, C. W. Downs, Leander McGrew, H. S. McNorton, William Thomas, Austin Parks, J. H. Carter.

PERSONAL MENTION

Charles Snyder is here from Echo. Mayor W. F. Matlock is in Portland. D. L. Bowen is in the city from Heppner. J. A. Foss of Athens, is here upon a brief business trip. H. H. Gilbert, a farmer of Pilot Rock, is in the city on business. C. R. Smith came down on the evening train yesterday from Weston. Col. J. H. Raley left this morning for Portland, for a short business trip. Joseph N. Scott is in the city from Athens. He is a merchant of that place. Miss Eugenia McAllister of Salem, who is teaching school at Pilot Rock, is in the city. Roy Sawtelle was down from Athens and spent Sunday with friends here. W. A. Chatterton of Alameda, Cal., is in the city and registered at the Hotel Bickers. W. H. Albee, of Helix, leaves tonight for Connell, Wash., where he will remain for some time. C. C. Berkeley, who has been confined to his home with diphtheria for the past week, is improving. J. M. Jeannot of Hope, Idaho, is in the city for a short stay, and is stopping at the Hotel St. George. Joseph Mitchell, Charles Lookwise and John R. Sole are here from Jallisco, Mexico, and are at the Pendleton. O. E. Hooper, who is one of the men who are to establish the creamery here, is in the city from La Grande. A. L. Ayres, cousin of Thomas Ayera, is in town for a short time. He is a stockman of the Heppner country. Attorney Dan P. Smythe of Pendleton, was a business visitor in La Grande yesterday.—La Grande Observer. Miss Mattie E. Beck, who has been nursing her father, B. F. Beck, for the past week, left this morning for Walla Walla. J. W. Meade of Echo, came up on the evening train yesterday for a brief stay, and is registered at the Hotel Pendleton. Zoeth Houser, the well known mining man, and brother to the Houser brothers of this place, is in town for a short time. Mrs. Frank K. Welles is teaching Miss Parrott's grade in the public school today, and will probably do so until the latter's return. Dr. James W. Mullinax, of Walla Walla, is in town and is registered at the Bowman. He is one of the managers of the Walla Walla hospital. Art Zoellner, who was formerly employed here and has been living in La Grande lately has, moved to Provo, Utah, where he has a situation. Dr. W. L. Dick today received notice from the state medical board that he has successfully passed the required examination for this state. George Ferguson, president of the Retail Clerks' Union, who has been ill for several weeks, is again at his post in Lee Teutsch's department store. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Haynes leave today for Walla Walla, where Mr. Haynes has accepted a position as ticket clerk in the office of Robert Burns, agent of the O. R. & N. A. J. Hughes, of Welsler, Idaho, who has many acquaintances here, is at Hot Lake taking treatment for asthma, which has assumed its worst form. It is said he can survive but a few days.

ADOPT BERTILLON SYSTEM.

Multnomah County the First in the State to Adopt it. A simplified form of the Bertillon system of "photographing" criminals is to be installed in the office of Sheriff Word. The necessary mechanism is now being put in place, while the books, charts and instruments of measurement will be secured as soon as possible, says the Telegram. Multnomah county will be the first in the Northwest to make use of this famous system of measuring and identifying criminals. So great has been the demand for more definite identification that the introduction of the Bertillon system became necessary. By this system a criminal once "photographed" can never hide his identity, the measurements are kept on record and as the identification does not rely upon changeable features the figures can be relied upon years after they are first taken. The system is used in all the larger cities of the United States. This method is a series of measurements of the criminal. The head is measured from three different positions; ears, thumb and middle finger are recorded and length of forearm from elbow to tip of middle finger. The length of the spinal column is next recorded and of the bones of the lower leg and feet. All scars, and the appearance of the forehead are carefully noted. Thus no difference what changes the criminal may undergo identification remains a very simple matter. After each criminal has been measured by this system he is checked off on a card, preserved in filing cabinets. These cards are divided in classes with the measurement of the head, arms and spinal column designating the first divisions. Then subdivisions are made according to finger, toe and other measurements, so that by running through the card rack it is easy to locate any description in a certain subdivision.

Daughter Was Born.

At St. Anthony's hospital Sunday morning there was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hill, of Helix, a 10-pound daughter.

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THE PEOPLES WAREHOUSE

WHERE IT PAYS TO TRADE

DEATH OF A PIONEER.

James T. Despain Passes Away From Effects of a Cancer.

James T. Despain, a pioneer of Oregon, passed away in Spokane at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Robbins, on Saturday, February 11, at 4:15 o'clock.

He was born in Green county, Kentucky, September 9, 1825. At an early age, with his parents, he moved to Illinois, where he resided until 1852, then crossing the plains by ox team to Oregon, settling in Lane county. With his family he moved to Umatilla county in March, 1871.

In 1854 he was married to Miss Maycinda Skinner. There were born to them eight children, five of whom survive him: W. F. Despain, of Ritzville, Wash.; Mrs. G. N. Tuttle, of Walla Walla; J. B. Despain, of Pendleton; Mrs. W. W. Robbins, of Spokane, and C. A. Despain, of Ukiah. He was a good father and respected by all who knew him. His was a life of self-denial, with varied experiences, of great patience and humble submission to the will of God.

Mr. Despain was afflicted with a cancer in his mouth during the last months of his life, and owing to his advanced age he did not have vitality and nervous force adequate to resist its ravages and his death was due to it and old age.

The funeral was held today from the home of his son, J. B. Despain, at 301 East Webb street, and the interment was made in Olney cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. G. W. Rigby, his close personal friend during all the years he resided in Umatilla county.

Those from abroad attending the funeral were his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Robbins, of Spokane; Mrs. Violet Tuttle, of Walla Walla, and W. F. Despain, of Ritzville.

A large concourse of citizens of the city and county attended the funeral.

King Fined \$25.

In the recorder's court this afternoon Andy King was found guilty of the charge of assault and battery preferred by Charles Officer last Saturday. As a penalty for his offense, King was sentenced by Judge Fitzgerald to pay a fine of \$25, or to spend 12 days in the city jail. The former seemed preferable to the fighter, and the fine was paid.

A Superb Play.

The "Over Niagara Falls" company will arrive tomorrow morning by the 4:45 train, with their carload of special scenery and effects. The grandest spectacle of the play is the falls scene, and it is pronounced by all the critics to be the greatest effort of stage mechanism. Full orchestra, fine scenery, good play. Tomorrow, Tuesday night, at the Fraser theater.

Bill's Board Bill Bored Bill.

"Bill had a bill board," says an exchange. "Bill also had a board bill. The board bill bored Bill so that Bill sold the bill board to pay his board bill, then the board bill and bill board no longer bored Bill." Another suggests, in line with the tale of Bill's board bill and Bill's bill board, that "if Bill's bill board bored Bill as much as Bill's board bill bored Bill, why not 'board' Bill with a board from Bill's bill board and throw Bill's board bill and Bill's bill board overboard?"

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