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FOURTEEN INITIATIONS.

Trustees Elected at Last Meeting I. O. O. F. Encampment.

At the monthly meeting of Umatilla Encampment I. O. O. F. held Thursday night, a class of 14 candidates was initiated. The work consumed practically the entire night, the adjournment being taken about 5 a. m. Many outside members of the order were present from the various towns in the county, as this is the only place in the county having an encampment.

At the recent session trustees for the coming year were chosen as follows: B. E. Coon, Grant Blain and John Haulley, Jr.

Business College Men Here.

Prof. H. W. Behnke, of the Behnke-Walker Business college of Portland, and Professor Boserman of the Standard Commercial college of Spokane, are in the city today looking over the field here. While in the city they are the guests of Prof. C. W. Steel of Pendleton Business college.

The firing of a big gun causes hemorrhage in the ears of eight out of 94 soldiers.

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FOR '07 BALL TEAM

SHALL PENDLETON GET INTO THE GAME?

Proposed That Commercial Association Back Team for Benefit of the Gymnasium—With Right Management Would Be Profitable—O'Connor Wants Team Here This Year to Play With Walla Walla—Garden City Team Makes Money When Pendleton Plays—Lost Last Year.

Shall Pendleton play ball next summer or does the town again prefer to remain upon the sidelines while Walla Walla, La Grande, Athena and other places get into the game and draw the crowds? This is a question that is now being asked frequently and the question of a team for Pendleton is being seriously considered by local fans. That there should be a team by all means, provided grounds can be secured at proper rates, is the common judgment.

George D. O'Connor, who for two years past has been the moving spirit in Walla Walla fandom, was in the city several days ago and he expressed a strenuous hope that Pendleton have a team this year.

"This town is our best drawing card," said he. "Two years ago, when you had a team here the Walla Walla team finished the season with \$900 profit. Last year we lost \$600 and it is mainly because we could have no games with Pendleton. There is no reason why a Pendleton team will not pay and it would be a beneficial thing to the business interests as well as to the other towns having teams. I would like to see your Commercial association take hold of the matter and arrange for a creditable team. With proper management it cannot be a financial failure."

Gym Management Suggested. Others have also proposed that a team be organized under the management of the Commercial association, as was done two years ago. At that time the nine finished a season under the management of Carl Cooley with a creditable cash balance. It is said by those who know that with proper luck several hundred dollars could be easily made during the ball season. During the past it has been a constant struggle for the gymnasium committee to make the revenue derived from the gym meet the expenses connected therewith. It has been found absolutely necessary to raise money from outside sources in order to make up the deficit. To this end a local talent entertainment will be given early in February.

The proposition of backing the ball team has been already discussed by the gymnasium committee and by others in the Commercial association. At the January meeting of the committee the proposition will be formally presented. Should it be decided to take the matter up a suitable manager will be chosen and he will be given authority to proceed with the gathering of a team.

ADVERTISING PENDLETON.

Movement of Pendleton People Noted by Union Paper.

The following items concerning Pendleton people are taken from this week's issue of the Union Republican:

Cusick Bros. are over from Pendleton ready to spend the holidays.

The Pendleton academy is represented on the streets of Union this week. The institution is reported on a very prosperous basis.

W. H. Stafford and daughter, Ellen have been spending Christmas at Pendleton. Miss Stafford will probably remain several days yet.

Win Stafford, who has so acceptably filled a position with the Central railway during the past season, has returned and will accept a position with a horse firm in Pendleton. His business may call him to California.

Miss Olive Carpenter, a principal of Pendleton school, and her sister, Miss Nellie, who is a teacher at the Oregon Business college, are visiting in Union during the holidays. Mrs. Nellie Carpenter will be accompanied by W. T. Day, an engineer at the asylum who is enjoying his first visit to eastern Oregon.

STILLMAN & PRUITT.

New Law Firm Officing in the Association Building.

Stillman & Pruitt is the name of the latest legal firm in this city, and it was created this forenoon when A. D. Stillman and W. C. E. Pruitt entered into a partnership for the purpose of practicing law. The offices used by the new firm will be the same as those formerly occupied by Stillman & Pierce and of late by Mr. Stillman alone. Mr. Pruitt has vacated the quarters he has had in the Smith-Crawford building.

"It is my intention to continue Pendleton as my residence," said Mr. Stillman, when asked as to his personal plans for the future. "I have a number of interests here outside of my legal practice, especially in connection with the cold storage plant, and these, in addition to my legal work, will make it necessary for me to spend much of my time here. But I will also have to devote some time to the property I have purchased in Montana, though I do not expect to be absent more than I have been in the past."

Mr. Stillman is still the chief legal adviser for the order of Women of Woodcraft, and is likewise one of the head managers of the Woodmen of the World.

In the future Mr. Pruitt will give his entire time to legal work and will care for the regular business of the office. He has just entered upon the practice of his profession and academically is well prepared for practice having studied law for two years at the University of Iowa and for one year at the University of Oregon law school. He is one of the few local attorneys having the degree of bachelor of laws. In addition to this he has the advantage of much valuable experience by reason of his journalistic work.

GULON WAS FROM KANSAS.

Motorman Killed at Seattle Known Well in Pendleton.

The Seattle News says of William Gulon, who was killed in the collision on the Interurban near Tacoma Wednesday morning:

William D. Gulon was born at Leavenworth, Kas., in 1870, and was the eldest son of Frank M. Gulon of the firm of Frank M. Gulon & Co., Seattle. He came with his father to Seattle about 12 years ago from Kansas.

Mr. Gulon is survived by a widow and a daughter, and his father, mother, brother and a sister, Mrs. O. N. Haldsted, all of Seattle.

Prior to his coming here, Mr. Gulon was engaged in the business of railroading, holding a position as locomotive fireman, and, for five years was with the O. R. & N. company, with his home at Pendleton, Ore.

At the time of his death he was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.

For the past four years the deceased had been in the employ of the Puget Sound Electric Railway company.

The body will be taken to Seattle and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

BOUGHT UNION HOT SPRINGS.

Walter M. Pierce Pays \$8000 for the Craig Property.

Walter M. Pierce of Pendleton, La Grande, Hot Lake and Baker City, has just purchased the Craig hotel and hot springs at Union depot, on the O. R. & N., the purchase price being \$8000.

The tract on which the hot springs and hotel are located consists of 185 acres and adjoins the Hot Lake tract on the summit of the mountains and makes a valuable addition to the Hot Lake property.

The Craig ranch and hot springs are among the pioneer properties of Union. A. C. Craig, first sheriff of Union county having located the land about 40 years ago. He farmed the place until the O. R. & N. was built through Grand Ronde valley, when he sold most of the hay and grain land and retained the pasture and hot springs and built a large hotel and sanitarium at the O. R. & N. depot, which he conducted until his death several years ago. Since his death Mrs. Craig has conducted the place.

The springs are very hot and contain medicinal properties in large quantities.

Will Rent Meacham Church.

The rush of new settlers into Meacham has crowded the capacity of the living quarters available there to the limit and the trustees of the Presbyterian church in this city will rent H. C. Beeson the Presbyterian church building at Meacham for two or three months to be used as a dwelling while arrangements are suspended during the winter season. The church property at Meacham is under the jurisdiction of the trustees of the First Presbyterian church of this city.

Writes of Francis J. Henry.

Henry Beach Noedheim of California, writes a highly entertaining sketch of Francis J. Henry, the head fraud promoter of Oregon, for the January number of Success Magazine. While the article tells nothing new about Henry, it pictures his work and his character in a most fascinating light, and gives a never interest to his career of housecleaning in Oregon and California.

The Holiday Edition.

The East Oregonian is one of the best exchanges that reaches our office—fearless, full of news and always fighting for the right and best interests of the town and county it represents. Its special holiday edition of 24 pages reached our desk last week and is a credit to Pendleton and Umatilla county as well as to the publishers.

—Rural Spirit.

12 TEXT BOOK DEPOSITORIES

IN UMATILLA COUNTY ARE ANNOUNCED BELOW.

Will Be on Sale at Points Named for the Next Six Years—State's Publishing Contract Expires Next July—The Pendleton Board May Add to the List of Books Selections Made Independently of the State Commission.

In accordance with the requirements of the state law Souty Superintendent Frank K. Welles today forwarded to the state superintendent a list of the places in this county where school text book depositories will be required during the next six years. The towns designated are Adams, Athena, Echo, Freewater, Helix, Hermiston, Milton, Pendleton, Pilot Rock, Weston, Ukiah and Umatilla. Under the terms of the law it will be obligatory for the book concern supplying this state during the next six years to keep text books for sale at all those points.

The contract which the state commission now has with the American Book company expires in 1907. Consequently the commission will meet in Salem in July for the purpose of making selections for the next six years. At that time another contract will be made with the present company, or else with some other concern.

As Pendleton is a district of the first class, the local board may select other books in addition to those decided upon by the state commission. Should such be done the selections must be made at the same time the state commission makes its selections.

Donations by Weston Children.

Luella B. Cragen, teacher in the Weston public school, has reported to Superintendent Welles regarding the donations made by the children of that town to the Boys' & Girls' Aid society. Much provisions in the form of vegetables and fruit was donated, and a small amount of money. The articles were sent to Portland direct.

Looking for Timber Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird F. Lewis and Mrs. J. F. Phy of La Grande, came over this morning and left this forenoon by team for the Pilot Rock district in search of timber land to file upon. They will look over the country south of Pendleton thoroughly before returning home.

Moving to Pendleton.

John Mulally, who has resided near Vinson for the past 35 years, has sold out his interests there and moved to Pendleton, where he will make his home in future. Mr. Mulally is an old pioneer of Oregon, having come to the eastern Oregon mines in 1868. Since 1870 he has been engaged in the stock business near Vinson.

DIED SUDDENLY OF HEART DISEASE.

How frequently does a head line similar to the above greet us in the newspapers. The rash, push and strenuousness of the American people has a strong tendency to lead up to valvular and other affections of the heart, attended by irregular action, palpitation, dizziness, smothered sensations and other distressing symptoms.

Three of the prominent ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made are recommended by some of the leading writers on *Materia Medica* for the cure of just such cases. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the UNITED STATES DISPENSARY, a standard authority, "to impart tone and increased power to the heart's action." Numerous other leading authorities represent Golden Seal as an unsurpassed tonic for the muscular system in general, and as the heart is almost wholly composed of muscular tissue, it naturally follows that it must be greatly strengthened by this special general tonic. But probably the most important ingredient of "Golden Medical Discovery" so far as its marvellous cures of valvular and other affections of the heart are concerned, is *Stemona root*, or *Callimachos* root. Prof. V. H. Faxon, author of *Palmer's Pathology of the Heart*, says of its qualities: "Our cases had a patient who was so much oppressed with valvular disease of his heart that his breath was stifled in every inspiration. He, however, gradually recovered under the influence of Callimachos, a medicinal principle extracted from *Stemona*, and is now struggling to his business. Heretofore physicians knew of no remedy for the removal of so distressing and deadly a disease. This, however, it does all cases work, and it certainly was not alluded that death was near at hand. Callimachos' medicinal affords relief in such cases, and in most instances effects a cure."

Stemona root is also recommended by Drs. H. A. and H. B. Woodcock, of Chicago, for valvular and other diseases of the heart. The latter says: "It is a heart tonic of direct and permanent influence."

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