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GIRLS MEET WALLA WALLA 5 TONIGHT

Tonight will decide whether or not the Walla Walla high school girls basketball players can "come back" and retrieve the honors which they lost several weeks ago to the Pendleton co-eds on their own floor. They will arrive from the Garden City late this afternoon and tonight will meet Coach Ruth Wise's proteges in the armory hall. If they win, honors for the season will be even, but if they lose, the local girls may lay claim to champion qualities.

In the previous game between the two aggregations, the Pendleton maids came out victors by scoring 12 points to their opponents' 8 and they believe they can duplicate the trick tonight.

Prior to the game the boys of the high school will form in line and march down Court street and Main, winding up at the armory and they will enliven the way with yells and other evidences of school spirit, for they have not forgotten how loyally the girls have supported them in all of their games.

The following will be the high-school line-up tonight:

Centers, Ella Lazinka, Zella Thompson; forwards, Muriel Saling, Helen Johns; guards, Ila Sturdivant, Edna Couits; subs, Lillian Gulliford, Arline McMonte, Lola Hampton.

The game will commence promptly at 7:30 and will be over in time to allow the spectators to attend the Elks' minstrel show.

700 PLAINTIFFS IN ONE SUIT.

Case Between Labor Unions Sets Record in Montana.

Butte, Mont.—The record for the number of plaintiffs involved in a suit in the Montana courts has been broken in the filing here of an action of the Butte Millers and Smelters' Union to enjoin the Western Federation of Miners from revoking its charter. Seven hundred members of the union are named as plaintiffs in the suit, which is brought against the Western Federation of Miners, Chas. H. Moyer, president, and the Butte Miners' Union.

If nominated and defeated, would the Colonel start a revolution?

JUDGE HARTMAN IS HONORED BY WEST

Judge G. A. Hartman, former county, has been named by Governor West as one of the three men to investigate the affairs of the Multnomah county court but it is possible the judge will be unable to serve owing to the illness of Mrs. Hartman.

The following story of the appointment of the investigating board is from the Salem correspondent of the Oregon Journal:

Salem, Ore., Feb. 15.—Complying with the request of the East Side Business Men's club of Portland, Governor West today appointed the following committee to investigate the records of the Multnomah county court:

A. S. Miller, member of Multnomah grange; George A. Hartman, executive judge of Umatilla county; A. A. Cunningham, an expert accountant who participated in a similar investigation in Idaho; James M. Wiley, an expert accountant who has been employed by state railroad and tax commissions.

Soon after the January grand jury returned its final report, which severely criticized the methods in vogue in the county court, County Judge Cleeton spoke to the East Side club. He invited the club to name a committee to make a thorough investigation of the county court's records, saying the county would pay the expenses of such an investigation. The club accepted.

It has been charged that the county court has no system in keeping tab on the county affairs, that the contracts for the new courthouse have been carelessly let, that the purchase of furniture for the new county farm was made without asking for bids, and that the system in general is not up to date. The sale of a gravel pit by the county to Moss Bloch and later to Robert Shaw, clerk to the commissioners, has been criticized. The pit has been valued at \$10,000; Shaw paid \$3250 for it.

Judge Cleeton and the two commissioners went before the present grand jury and asked an investigation. Nothing has been done by that body. Judge Cleeton when informed of the governor's appointment said he was willing that the men begin at once with the investigation. He expressed confidence that the affairs of his court would be found in good shape. Many of the transactions of which complaint has been made were started when the old board was in office. The only member of the old board on the present board is W. L. Lightner. D. V. Hart is the third member.

CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATION HERE

With the exploding of thousands of fire crackers, the local Chinese will tonight celebrate the advent of a new year by their calendar, and, because they are in sympathy with the new Chinese republic, their celebration will probably take a more noisy form than is customary. Moan Lee, who is one of the leaders of the local celestials, has applied to the police for permission to shoot firecrackers in the street and, while formal permission has not been given, they will not be molested as long as their demonstration does not go beyond the shooting of the crackers.

For the most part, the local Chinese are progressives and, in keeping with the recent edict, have shorn themselves of their long queues. Both Moan Lee and Ung Gooey, the acknowledged leaders of the Pendleton colony, are among those clipping off their long braids.

ELKS' FIRST PERFORMANCE A ROARING SUCCESS

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would have done credit to a vaudeville circuit. Concluding the program was a collection of feature stunts which left a good taste in the mouths of the home goers. Jack Vincent, dressed as Topsy, made his feet dance a rat-a-tat on the floor while his legs writhed and twisted in a most eccentric manner and he was followed by "Old Mammy" Estes with a hilarious buck and wing. The quartet sang plantation melodies from the background while the Edminston brothers and Jack Vincent picked out sweet strains from their stringed instruments.

And while mention is being made of the big success of the whole performance, the orchestra which played throughout the evening must not be overlooked. It is doubtful if ever a professional troupe of blackface artists came through here who were accompanied by such a splendid orchestra as that which played with the Elks last night.

Tonight the second performance will be given with a new program and it is certain that it will be attended by a larger number who were present last night. New songs, new jokes and a bunch of new features are promised and those who were in the audience last night will testify that the whole will be presented without the delays and drag which usually attend a home talent production.

IDAHO WOMAN RUNNING HARD RACE WITH DEATH

Portland, Feb. 15.—Racing with death from Moscow, Idaho, Mrs. Campbell, wife of Doctor Frank Campbell of Grangeville, Idaho, arrived in Portland today en route to Monrovia, Calif., where a telegram says her husband is dying of tuberculosis. She got a telegram at Moscow, her parents' home, last night, but too late to catch a train. Using relays of horses she rushed to Colfax, Wash., where she grabbed a midnight train. Dr. Campbell owns a hospital at Grangeville.

Arkansas in 1910 raised agricultural products worth \$185,000,000.

Newsy Notes of Pendleton

Ritner Has Auto.

The Stoddard-Dayton auto recently purchased by Roy W. Ritner has arrived and the car will be used by Ritner in traveling to and from his reservation ranch.

Dr. Hill Sings in "Eljah."

Dr. Elmer Hill, formerly of Pendleton and well remembered here for his wonderful tenor voice, took one of the leading parts in the production of "Eljah" in Walla Walla last night.

U. of O. Grad Comes to Stanfield.

Frank D. Carruth, principal of the Stanfield schools, brings the news that a new teacher was secured for the high school in that town this week in the person of Miss Bess Galogly, a graduate of the University of Oregon, class of 1909. Miss Galogly is an accomplished young lady and is a valuable acquisition to the Stanfield teaching corps.

Allen Funeral in Morning.

The funeral of Mrs. Francis Allen, who died suddenly last Wednesday morning, will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the family residence, 1101 west Alta street and will be followed by interment in Olney cemetery. Rev. Cash of the Baptist church will conduct the obsequies.

Local Lot is Sold.

Jeanette Townsley of Pasco has sold her lot on Willow street between Webb and Alta to Henry Shultz for a consideration of \$1400 and the latter immediately transferred it to Margaret Shultz for a consideration of one dollar, love and affection. Both deeds were recorded today.

Deserted; Wants Divorce.

John Gaynor today commenced suit against Carrie Gaylor, who has been his wife since they were married in New York state in 1887. He alleges that in August, 1910, the defendant deserted him without reason and has ever since lived separate from him. There is one child by the union, Jesse B. Gaynor. James P. Neal is attorney for the plaintiff.

Indian Woman is Sued.

The Peoples Warehouse today commenced suit against Mary Thomas alias Mary Whitebull, an Indian woman, alleging that since the fall of 1907, she has become indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of \$507.35 and has only paid \$19 on account. The total sum asked for is \$629.25. Peterson and Wilson are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Farm Equipment Auctioned Off.

Quite a number of local people went out to the Tom Hampton ranch two miles north of the city this morning to attend the auction of the stock which formerly belonged to L. D. Eaton and which was purchased from him by S. D. Stouffer of Portland. The auction was conducted by Col. W. F. Yonga as auctioneer and E. L. Smith as clerk. Mr. Hampton will farm the land hereafter, Mr. Eaton having moved to the Willamette valley.

Trains Were Delayed.

Because one of the big Mallet engines used on the mountain division insisted on going off the track at Kamela last night, westbound trains number 9 and 5 were many hours behind time today. The mall train, No. 8, passed through the city at 11 o'clock and No. 5 was an hour or more behind that time. It was with much difficulty that the big Mallet engine was gotten back upon the track owing to the enormous size of the engine.

Mrs. Hartman Improving.

That his mother is now improving from the illness with which she has been afflicted is reported by George Hartman, Jr., who returned this morning from Portland after having been called there when the condition of his mother was considered critical. Mrs. Hartman's recent trouble is due to purpura. She was first affected last Friday and it was then that the Pendleton man was called to his mother's bedside. Another attack occurred Sunday evening. However Mrs. Hartman rallied from both attacks and is now doing very well though she is still far from well. She is still suffering considerably from the paralytic stroke which occurred not long ago.

New Grocery Opens Tomorrow.

Ed Marsh and Frank Downey, who recently announced that they would open a combined grocery and meat market in the Association building on north Main street, will open the doors of their establishment to the public tomorrow morning. They have installed their fixtures and have given

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Stream Closed to Fishermen.

Commencing on April 1, it will be unlawful for any fisherman to cast his line into Hilbert's Spring branch which empties into Camas creek, as that stream has been set aside by the state board of fish and game commissioners for the purpose of propagating, stocking and protecting game fish. An order closing the stream was filed with the county clerk today. The commissioners have been planting fry in that stream for more than two years and they have been doing exceptionally well, according to Chairman C. K. Cranston.

PUPILS DEVELOP THRIFT.

School Savings Bank Has \$35,000, All Children's Own.

San Francisco, Cal.—The school savings bank system of San Francisco has attained a greater success than in any city in the world, \$35,000 having been saved by pupils in the city schools during the last five months. Director James E. Power, to whom was delegated the task of installing the system in the school department, is enthusiastic concerning the possibilities of the plan. He believes that

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Hobo Killed; Enginemen Hurt.
Spokane, Wash., Feb. 15.—An unidentified hobo was killed and the enginemen and fireman hurt when the locomotive of a Northern Pacific train went into the ditch at Colohollala, 50 miles east of here today.

Husband Not Dying.
Pasadena, Feb. 15.—Dr. Campbell at Monrovia, is reported today in no immediate danger. He passed a restful night.



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