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Meets every Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. R. English, C. C. Clark, Wood, K. of H. & S.

WESTON LODGE NO. 65, A. F. & A. M.
Meets every second and fourth Saturday in each month. Richard Morrison, W. M. L. B. Davis, Sec.

WESTON LODGE NO. 58, I. O. O. F.
Meets every Thursday evening, 7 o'clock. N. G. A. Kees, Rec. Sec.; E. O. DeMoss, Fin. Sec.

WESTON CAMP NO. 112, W. O. W.
Meets the first and third Saturdays of each month. Monroe Turner, C. C.; J. J. Beeler, Clerk.

ROBEKA ASSEMBLY NO. 24, U. N. I.
Meets the first and third Mondays in each month. Nellie Mayhew, M. A.; Frances C. Wood, Secretary.

STEPHANIE TEMPLE NO. 34, P. Y.
Meets the second and fourth Mondays in each month. Anna O'Hara, M. E. C.; Alice F. Price, M. of R. & C.

HIAWATHA REBEKAH LODGE NO. 88
Meets the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Anna O'Hara, N. G.; Odessa Kirkpatrick, Rec. Sec.; Lottie Brandt, Fin. Sec.

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Shrapnel, so called after their inventor, the British General Shrapnel, are thin cases of tough steel containing a large number of bullets—in the British artillery 203 and in the French and German 300—with a small bursting charge at the base of the projectile. The bursting charge breaks the thin steel case, when the bullets sweep forward with the velocity imparted to the projectile by the gun. Shrapnel are regarded as good "man killers," but they are quite ineffective against buildings, where shells are deadly. For the attack of field guns and buildings and for action against troops in trenches most efficient employ howitzers, which are short, squat guns that use their projectiles high in the air, high angle fire.
In the British army every division has fifty-four field guns and eighteen howitzers. These howitzers are of 4.5 inch caliber, firing a shell 4.5 inch in diameter and weighing thirty-five pounds. They have a range of 7,200 yards, which is 1,800 yards greater than the range of the British field gun. The defect of the howitzer is that its shell is very heavy, and consequently much fewer rounds can be carried than with the field gun. There is no security that a single howitzer shell will do twice the damage of an ordinary field gun shell, though it weighs twice as much.
The French do not employ a howitzer in their field artillery. The Germans use a heavy pattern of six inch caliber, firing a shell of about thirty pounds, and a lighter pattern of 4.2 inch caliber.—New York Sun.

THE RED CROSS.
Its Real Origin Dates to Napoleon's Italian Campaign of 1859.
The Red Cross owes its real origin to the great and terrible campaign of 1859, when Napoleon made it his boast that he would free Italy "from the Alps to the Adriatic." At the great battle of Magenta 10,000 Austrians and some 5,000 French soldiers were left dead and dying on the fields.
A Swiss gentleman, named M. Henri Dunant, made a pilgrimage to that battlefield and was an involuntary eyewitness of the awful carnage of the battle of Solferino, a battle which lasted some sixteen hours and left some 30,000 dead and wounded. Henri Dunant realized that the medical service of what was probably the greatest army in the world was absolutely inadequate to cope with the casualties, and he was at once compelled to take some action to rectify the matter.
The result was that he wrote a small book for private circulation, entitled "Un Souvenir de Solferino," and this, with his private appeal, resulted in Napoleon III. commanding Dunant to his presence, where, with the great Marshal MacMahon, they seriously talked matters over.
The result of this was a conference of the powers, called together by the Swiss federal government, at which Henri Dunant placed his proposals. Out of this Geneva conference of 1864 resulted the Geneva convention, under which all medical supplies and personnel in war time are protected.

A Prehistoric Lake.
One of the most interesting remnants of a prehistoric lake in the United States is that now known as Estancia valley, which lies south of Santa Fe and east of Albuquerque, N. M. From examination of the deposits in this section geologists are of the opinion that this lake existed at the same time as Lake Bonneville, in Utah, and other ancient lakes of the arid west during the cold, humid glacial period. The theory of the existence of an ancient lake in the valley is based on the presence of shore features and lake sediments. Sea cliffs, terraces, beaches, beach ridges, spits and bars are found on all sides of the lake flat at altitudes between 8,100 and 6,200 feet above sea level.—Argonaut.

Modern Uhlans.
The uhlan is a distinctive corps. The name is by no means distinctly German. A body of uhlan was formed for the French army by Marshal Saxe. They were introduced into the Prussian service in 1740, and forty years later the Austrians also had a corps of uhlan—light cavalry armed with lance. The modern uhlan may be classed with the heavy cavalry.—London Opinion.

Unanimous View.
A popular novelist was talking in Chicago about genius.
"There are a hundred different opinions as to what a genius is," said he, "but all authorities are agreed that it is absolutely useless to lend him money."
—Chicago Herald.

City on a Steep Hill.
The town of Simla, India, is built on the side of a steep hill and the roof of one house is often on a level with the foundation of one on the next terrace.

Hardened Him.
Madge—You shouldn't say he's a confirmed bachelor unless you know. Marjorie—But I do know. I confirmed him.—New York Times.

Two Systems.
When wifey is on the warpath some pin their faith on Dutch courage; others prefer French leave.—Kansas City Journal.

Skill is the united force of experience, intellect and passion in their operation on manual labor.—John Ruskin.

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BREVITIES
Fifteen game chickens to sell or trade. E. E. Zehm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price were visiting relatives at Walla Walla during the week.

C. L. McGinnis was conveyed Saturday to St. Anthony's hospital at Pendleton for treatment for a serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. O'Hara were at Walla Walla Monday and saw the celebrated actor, David Warfield, in "The Auctioneer."

Mr. and Mrs. Painter and daughter of Walla Walla, were recent guests of the R. W. Browns at the Brown ranch near Weston.

Miss Cecile Boyd of Athena began her work this week as instructor in physical culture and playground exercises in the Pendleton school.

Miss Zella Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gould of this city and a graduate of Weston High school, left Saturday for Cheney, Wash., to attend the normal school there.

At Ontario, Oregon, recently, a mad dog bit 19 other dogs and all were at once destroyed. Rabies has spread to such an extent in that neighborhood as to greatly alarm the countryside.

William Oliver, residing at the Meyer place on Reed and Hawley mountain is nursing a couple of broken ribs sustained in a bad fall. Dr. Smith was called Monday to attend him.

Ram Nelson, agent of the O.-W. R. & N. Co. at Adams and a former Weston boy, was lately taken to Portland for treatment, having suffered a very painful attack of neuritis of the eye. He is under a specialist's care.

Mrs. Etta Downer, who has been the guest of her brother, Mr. G. DeGraw, returned Monday to her home in Portland. Accompanied by her brother, she visited with Mrs. Andrew Larson at Walla Walla Friday and Saturday.

Summersville, Union county, was shocked and frightened Sunday by what its residents say was unmistakably an earthquake. The tremor was felt over a large area and set barns and houses to rocking, while horses were driven frantic in the fields.

Alonso Power, the 14-year-old son of Philip Power, residing on Wild Horse creek southeast of Weston, was operated upon at Pendleton recently for the excision of a rugosa appendix, six by the Dr. Hayden, assisted by Dr. C. H. Smith of this city. His condition is very serious.

R. F. Edwards, a substantial farmer and stockman of Glax, Virginia, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. York near Weston. He was accompanied by his wife and daughter and they were en route to San Francisco to attend the exposition. Mrs. Edwards is a cousin of Mr. York.

Max Hongland, alias James McPaul, leader of the trio of young burglars who broke jail at Walla Walla and afterward robbed stores in Milton and Portland, was arrested last week in Portland and sentenced at Walla Walla Saturday to from one to fifteen years in the Monroe reformatory.

Hon. William R. Ellis former judge and congressman, died suddenly at Portland Monday of hemorrhage of the brain. Until he moved to Portland about a year ago Mr. Ellis was a resident of Pendleton, and he lived at Heppner in early years. He was among the best beloved of Eastern Oregon's public men.

Charles Crawford, who has grown to be a confirmed Miltonian, exchanged greetings Sunday with friends at Weston. He also performed an important duty in the renewal of his Leader subscription. Charles reports a growing fondness for Milton, where he conducts a meat market for the Van Slyke brothers; and really, that hopeful burg has some very good points about it.

Rev. and Mrs. George Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stamper returned Monday from a week's stay in the Holdman neighborhood, where Mr. Chapman has been conducting a revival. The meetings were well attended and aroused much interest. Mr. Stamper reports a bright outlook for another prosperous year in the Holdman country. Frank and Ora Holdman, pioneers in the district, are farming about 3000 acres.

Farmer Smith, of the O.-W. R. & N. Co., has made a careful survey of farm prospects for 1915 and estimates that all indications point toward a most unusual demand this year for all classes of cereals, probably in excess of the supply. He suggests that farmers who have not already planted as large an acreage as possible to winter wheat should be careful to retain sufficient seed to make liberal sowings in the spring. He especially recommends that farmers plant as much corn as possible as it will make more stock feed than any other crop and with properly selected seed can be grown successfully in all parts of the northwest.

You and your children are safe if you wear Dr. Lowe and Turner's glasses—eyes safe and price safe—they cost no more than the ordinary kind and you have the benefit of their skill and many years' experience as exclusive eye and nerve specialists. Dr. Turner is recognized as one of the leading ophthalmologists of the northwest. Consult them at the Marshall House, naxions Monday, January 25th, until 3 p. m. only. They do not come from house to house. One charge covers entire cost of examination. Glasses and frames are fully guaranteed whether they cost \$2 or more. Cross eyes straightened in children. (Adv.)

The waterworks dam above Weston has now been completed, and Contractor C. F. Carls has pulled out with his outfit after finishing the required 4500 cubic yards of fill. J. R. English, the supervising engineer, left Wednesday for his home on Weston mountain. Just a little work remains to be done in the way of plastering and rip-rapping, but this may be finished by the city at its convenience. There is the dam's "factor of safety" in engineering parlance, which means that it is built to withstand three times the weight of water that it will ever be required to carry. Mr. English has promised The Leader some facts and figures concerning the improvement, for publication at an early date.

Professor C. F. Hodge of the Department of Social Biology, University of Oregon, will deliver an illustrated lecture on the subject of "Education for Civic Advance," on Saturday evening, February 6th, at the High School auditorium. Dr. Hodge is coming under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' association. It is hoped that every one who is interested in educational matters will make it a point to hear Dr. Hodge. The lecture will be entirely free, being put on by the extension department of the State University. Coming such a distance as he does to deliver this lecture, Dr. Hodge naturally desires to face a representative audience, and Weston has an opportunity to display some of the interest in educational affairs of which we had a good deal to say during the Pampaing last fall. Dr. Hodge will bring lantern and slides to illustrate his lecture.

Be sure and call at the Marshall House, Weston, Monday, January 25th, and let Drs. Lowe and Turner, the well known eye specialists of Portland, show you the Kryptok double vision glasses, which have no unsightly lines or seams to catch dirt, strain the eyes or come apart. One light, solid piece of glass, which looks like a single pair, yet answers the purpose of two, enabling you to read or do close work and see distant objects perfectly. Be sure and see them. Free demonstration; satisfaction guaranteed. Drs. Lowe and Turner have been located in Portland for 28 years. They do not go from house to house. They have no agents. (Adv.)

William M. Scott, formerly a prominent farmer of Helix, died Monday in Portland at the home of his son-in-law, Dr. E. A. Mann. Mr. Scott crossed the plains to California in 1869 and came to Oregon a year later, settling near McMinnville. He located in Umatilla county on a homestead near Helix in 1878. He was an honored member of the Umatilla County Pioneer's association, and a regular attendant at its Weston reunions. He was 77 years old, and is survived by two sons and two daughters.

Honors were even in the double header basketball game Friday evening between Milton and Weston high schools. The local boys lost, 34 to 21, but the local girls won, 14 to 5, thus bringing a medley of grief and joy to the Weston fans. The boys were at least equal to their opponents in speed and team play, but were outclassed in avoidrupois. They fought a plucky losing battle, and the game was a "thriller." The Weston girls clearly outplayed their visitors.

The following officers of Weston Lodge No. 58, I. O. O. F., were installed at a recent meeting by A. A. Kees, D. D. G. M.; W. H. Gould, N. G.; Geo. W. Maybee, V. G.; E. O. DeMoss, Fin. Sec.; A. A. Kees, Rec. Sec.; E. A.

Auction Sale
At Jarman's Department Store
We will sell the following merchandise at auction on
Saturday, Jan. 23
from 2 to 4 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m., and every day thereafter at the same hours:
Hats, Caps, Gloves, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Ladies' and Misses' Coats; Men's, Ladies' and Children's Sweaters, and other goods too numerous to mention.
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F. G. LUCAS, Auctioneer.

Barnes, Treas.: Roy Read, Chaplain.
Slim Barnes sits at the treasurer's desk for the 32d successive term—whereat the Leader will vouchsafe no comment beyond saying that it is glad the lodge's funds are still intact.

The chairs of Hiawatha Rebekah Lodge No. 88 will be occupied during the first six months of 1915 by Anna O'Hara, N. G.; Ruby James, V. G.; Odessa Kirkpatrick, Rec. Sec.; Lottie Brandt, Fin. Sec.; Mary Mackenzie, Treas.; Doris Barnes, Warden; Chelcy Duncan, Chaplain; Mabel Graham, Cond.; Maud Standfield, I. G.; Maggie O'Hara, O. G. They were lately installed by Miss Doris Barnes, acting as district deputy.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Farnsworth are preparing to leave in a few days for Pendleton, where the doctor has decided to locate for the practice of dentistry. Friends and patrons at Weston will be advised through The Leader's columns as to Dr. Farnsworth's office address in that city. Meanwhile, those desiring immediate dental work should consult him at once.

Industry has been humming at Milton lately with a force of 60 men and teams employed on the city's pipe line to make room for the new barrel flume, which will replace 1700 feet of the old flume. Completion of the new flume is now in progress, and Manager L. E. Coyle hopes to have the municipal plant in operation again in a week or two.

Sixteen hundred acre Adams county wheat ranch, all cultivated and improved, one-third of crop delivered to warehouse free. Owner's income 1914 was \$4500. Price including 1915 crop, \$25 per acre. Chas. S. Bassett, Washtucna, Wash.

J. B. Farness, who comes from North Milton, is now conducting the Corner pool and billiard hall, which he lately purchased from D. R. Wood. Mr. Farness' family will probably move to Weston in the spring.

Again this week the Weston country is in the grip of a "cold snap," while every tree and shrub has been re-touched in white by Jack Frost's magic brush and stands forth a silent spectre.

Christian Science meetings are held each Sunday at 3:30 p. m. at the residence of G. DeGraw, and all are invited to attend. "Truth" is the subject of next Sunday's lesson.

Mrs. Josephine Duncan, formerly of Weston, was here on a business visit this week from Foley, Wash., where she has purchased sixteen acres of irrigated land.

Mrs. Lillian Fredericks has gone to Burley, Idaho, for a visit with her brother, L. C. Proebstel.

Depot cab fare reduced to 25 cents for the round trip. E. M. Weeks.

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Hardware and Implements

See E. E. Zehm at the Weston bakery if you want neat workmanship in shoe and harness repairing.

Miss Hattie Edwards and Oscar Edwards of Heppner, Ore., were recent guests at the James Kirkpatrick residence.

Mrs. Julia E. Hastings is visiting her son, Arthur, at Tillamook, Oregon. Mrs. Atkins has charge of the Marshall House during her absence.

The last local basketball game of the high school series has been announced for this (Friday) evening at Weston opera house. It will be a double header between Weston and Vincent.

The Pendleton, Adams, Athena and Weston auto stage leaves Weston twice daily for Pendleton at 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. Round trip, \$1.75. Headquarters at Goodwin's drug store. A. M. Boyden, proprietor.

The O.-W. R. & N. Co.'s "mixed trains" running out of Weston, Nos. 51 and 52, have been annulled on Sunday mornings and evenings. Weston people who prefer to do their traveling Sunday should govern themselves accordingly.

I offer 1450 acres near Enterprise, Oregon; 180 acres in fall wheat, 120 acres ready for spring; well watered; good black soil; a fine stock and grain ranch. Will make good price for quick sale, with or without stock and machinery. Chas. S. Bassett, Washtucna, Wash.

Hersey Durkin, a 19-year-old high school boy of Freewater, has been confined in the county jail on the charge of robbing a store where he was employed mornings and evenings. It is said that he took \$255 from the safe, and when confronted with the crime returned all of the money except 90 cents.

Reports filtered down Saturday from the mountains, following last week's timely storm, to the effect that the snow around the Blue Mountain sawmill, 12 miles east of town, had grown to a depth of five feet. There had previously been but fifteen inches of snow at the mill, or less than half the normal depth.

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FATHER OF PHRENOLOGY.
Dr. Gall at One Time Had the Whole of Europe in a Furor.
The first public notice of the "Father of Phrenology" appeared in Weiland's "Dutch Mercury" on Aug. 14, 1798.
Gall was a practicing physician of Vienna, and early in his career he became a firm believer in the idea that the talents and disposition of men are dependent upon the functions of the brain and, furthermore, that they may be inferred with perfect exactitude and precision from the external appearances of the skull.
Gall was an able man. He set forth his theory in a graphic, unctuous manner, and in a very brief period he had all Europe at the top notch of excitement. The idea spread like wildfire, and in all grades of society people were discussing "the greatest of all discoveries." The new theory had to meet the customary opposition from the custodians of truth and the preservers of morality, but the opposition only increased the popularity of the theory, and Gall's celebrity increased by leaps and bounds. His lectures were interdicted, and he was threatened with the direst penalties unless he ceased his "immoral and atheistical" teachings, but he kept on with his propaganda, visiting all the large towns of Germany and the continent, and by 1805 all of Europe was interested in the Vienna doctor.
In 1828, the year of Gall's death, phrenology was in vogue everywhere. But after a great and glorious flood-tide of popularity it began to wane, and today it is but seldom heard of.—New York American.

Woe to the ruler who founds his hope of sway on the weakness or corruption of the people.—Washington Irving.

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