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Umatilla county has always meant well, but has gotten past that state of mind wherein it expected to pave its roads with good intentions.

Our friend Strain really deserved an automobile, and just look what Pendleton went and handed him!

As to Cottonwood, it really wouldn't, but we just reckon it will have to.

The World is still throwing fits over national prohibition but nobody cares, as it is only the New York World.

Looks as though Congress had tried to cut off the country's nose to spite Wilson's face.

Weston thought it would be leading the county when it found it had voted seven to one for road bonds, but it was only somewhere in the middle of the procession.

We do not feel justified in assuming from an ordinance published elsewhere that the city fathers seek to make of public dancing a source of public revenue.

Appropriate is not the word to describe the action—or inaction—of Congress.

The total vote in Umatilla county on the road bond issue was 3884 yes, 484 no, or a majority of 3400 in favor of the bonds. This was approximately eight to one—an overwhelming victory. Weston's vote of 215 for and 31 against was about seven to one—or in line with the county average outside of Pendleton. Pendleton gave better than a ten to one vote for the bonds. The result exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine bond supporters, and shows plainly that the county's good people were only

waiting for a comprehensive plan to go on record for road improvement. No one figured on more than a three to one vote in Weston for the bonds.

We are beginning to wonder how badly frightened Commissioner Thompson was when he phoned up to Weston election day to "get out the vote"—that the road bonds were in danger. Probably about as much as a doughboy at a doughnut girl.

If Weston doesn't pave its streets on either side of the new highway, it will be in the fix of a country girl with a new ribbon but an old bonnet.

Speaking of Congress, it will be quite a relief for awhile just to not have to read about what it isn't doing.

Whoever dances in Weston hereafter will have more than the fiddler to pay.

The Townley gang is making of North Dakota a haven for all except the taxpayer.

Paradoxically enough, the road bonds were easily carried, although not without a Strain.

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Notice of Final Account

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jacob Federer, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons whom it may concern that Lena Federer, administratrix of the estate of Jacob Federer, deceased, has filed her final account and report in the administration of the estate; that the County Judge, by order made and entered, has appointed Monday the 24th day of March, 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon as the time, and the County Court House at Pendleton, Oregon, as the place where all objections and exceptions to the said Final Account and Report will be heard and a settlement thereof made.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1919.

LENA FEDERER, Administratrix.
WILL M. PETERSON
WILLIAM S. NASH
Attorneys for Administratrix.

ONE HUNDRED CONVERTED DURING THE BIG REVIVAL

Evangelist Taylor Labors to Good Purpose in Weston Vineyard.

The biggest revival ever held in Weston closed Monday night with a round hundred of conversions.

The meeting Monday night was the largest and most successful of a decidedly successful series. The congregation was estimated at 450, including some 60 singers in the choir and counting the preachers, of course. More people—34 in number—came forward than at any prior meeting, and the invitational singing was continued until nearly midnight.

The total collections throughout the series of meetings, which continued three weeks, were \$704.13. Of this amount the evangelist received \$368.98 and his son \$145.95, the remainder going for expenses.

They came to Weston without asking a cent of guarantee and were delighted, they said, at the generosity of the town's people. Rev. Geo. W. Taylor was entertained at the home of Mrs. R. Lieullen and Mr. Paul B. Taylor at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Watts. They were guests at the family tables in many other households.

Part of the time Monday night was occupied with a sort of love feast, votes of thanks and mutual felicitation. It was plain that the visitors and the community had formed a strong mutual attachment and parted with regret. Mr. Taylor goes to Port Angeles, Wash., where he will be joined by his younger son in conducting a series of meetings. Paul joins another evangelist at Salem, Oregon.

The meetings were held under auspices of the Weston Ministerial Association, representing the Methodists, United Brethren, Baptists and the Church of the Brethren. The use of Saling's hall was donated by R. G. Saling.

A college man and a trained theologian, Mr. Taylor made a strongly favorable impression on his hearers throughout. His lecture Saturday afternoon on the League of Nations was especially appreciated.

Paul delighted the people with his work as soloist and chorus director. Mrs. Watts served capably accompanist. Mrs. R. G. Saling appeared occasionally in beautiful soprano solos and also assisted the song service as one of a quartet whose other members were Miss Lois Porter, Mr. Fitzpatrick and Mr. Paul Taylor.

Ninety of those who came forward expressed church preference as follows: United Brethren, 40; M. E. Church, South, 30; Baptist, 15; Christian, three; Episcopal, two.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church of the Brethren—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. C. W. S. at 6:30 p. m. Bible Study, Life of Christ, at 7:30 p. m. J. H. Gordon, elder.

Methodist Church—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. S. E. Powell, pastor.

United Brethren Church—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Junior C. E. at 2:30 p. m. C. E. meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. E. F. Wriggle, pastor.

Baptist Church—The Church with a cordial welcome for all. Sunday school at ten o'clock, preaching at eleven. Also preaching at eight o'clock in the evening. W. R. Storms, pastor.

The "You Go, I Go" Club

A number of girls gathered at the home of Gertrude Van Winkle Tuesday evening and organized the "You Go, I Go" Club. Anna Lavender presided as chairman of the meeting and officers were elected as follows: Vira Morrison, president; Hortense Baker, vice president; Jessie Davis, secretary; Irene Banister, treasurer; Hazel Duncan, reporter.

An enjoyable evening was spent in forming plans for the club. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Irene Banister. The next meeting will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Hortense Baker.

The club roster includes the names of Rena Banister, Anna Lavender, Hazel Duncan, Eva Lundell, Vira Morrison, Esther Williams, Esther Davis, Jessie Davis, Vida Greer, Helen Keller, Lola Key, Ruth Proebstel, Hortense Baker, Lela Powell, Gertrude Van Winkle.

TERMS CASH—At Leader shop.

37 Senators Against League of Nations
Washington.—Thirty-seven of the 49 republican members of the senate in the next congress, which will act on the peace treaty, have served notice on the president and the peace conference that they cannot support the League of Nations constitution in its present form. A resolution which was offered in the senate by Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, declared that the league constitution as submitted by President Wilson "should not be accepted by the United States" and called upon the peace conference to conclude peace at once with the enemy and reserve the peace league plan for later "careful and serious consideration."

German Chancellor Scheidemann Out
London.—A news agency dispatch received from German sources by way of Holland reported that Chancellor Scheidemann had resigned.

Clemenceau Returns to Peace Table
Paris.—Premier Clemenceau resumed his usual work and appeared to be completely restored to health.

MILITARY TERMS OF TREATY SUBMITTED

Paris.—Marshal Foch presented to the council of the great powers the military terms to be incorporated in the peace treaty.

The military terms provide for the disarmament of Germany down to 20 divisions of 10,000 men each, including 15 divisions of infantry and five of cavalry. Severe restrictions are placed on the manufacture of all classes of war materials, and the commercial use of the airplane is limited to the minimum.

The naval terms now before the council provide not only for the complete suppression of Germany's submarine equipment, but also for the termination of all submarine warfare by all nations throughout the world, thus ending the use of the submarine in naval warfare.

The proposal for the destruction of the large German warships is approved in the report by the British and American naval authorities, but the French still make reservations against the destruction of these ships.

GERMANS ATTACK POLES

Resumption of Hostilities in Posen Violates Armistice Conditions.

Posen.—The Germans after three days of comparative quiet, resumed attacks all along the line upon the Poles Sunday, according to reports from the Polish-German frontier.

Germany has violated the terms of the armistice granted by the entente allies in the new attack on the Poles in the east.

One of the specific conditions laid down by General Foch and accepted by the German armistice delegates was cessation of activities in Posen pending the outcome of the peace conference. German government officials at the assembly at Weimar, however, denounced this stipulation and defied the allies, as also did the German troops in Posen.

Wilson and Taft Confer

New York.—During President Wilson's visit of less than four hours in New York Tuesday, he spoke on the League of Nations to 5000 persons at the Metropolitan opera house, held a short private conference with former President William H. Taft, and received a delegation of 20 Irishmen who requested him to present the subject of self-determination for Ireland at the peace conference, and then boarded the steamer George Washington, which sailed Wednesday for France.

Government Will Retain Railroads

Washington.—Director General of Railroads Hines announced that with the approval of President Wilson the railroads would not be relinquished from government control until there has been an opportunity to see whether a constructive permanent program of legislation was likely to be adopted "within a reasonable time."

As the boys come back they will find the girls they left behind are 100 per cent loyal.

When the commissioned man reports to his old job will the boss do the saluting?

The former soldier must miss being stared at when he gets back into his civilian clothes.

There would not be half the fun in life were there no struggle to make both ends meet.

But for summer resorts and colleges more young women would marry the hometown admirer.

A man broke his leg kicking a mule. Another reason for treating the animals with kindness.

The fellow who gets married to obtain home cooking takes his wife downtown for Sunday dinner.

WESTON SCHOOLS

Wednesday was visiting day in the eighth grade room. This gave the parents an opportunity to meet the teacher and see the splendid work the pupils are doing.

A delightful surprise party was given in Miss Tipton's room Friday afternoon, the occasion being Mildred King's birthday. Paul Taylor sang, after which the children gave an impromptu program of song which proved to be very entertaining to the visitors. While the delicious home made candy and popcorn were being served Olan Mills amused the children by telling riddles. The party was a surprise to all, for which the children are grateful to Mrs. King.

Miss Love—Who appoints the federal judges?
Pupil—The President just points his finger at someone and says, "You will be a good one."

Mr. Staggs and Mr. Banister were visitors last Friday in Mrs. Pinkerton's room.

The children in the third grade are making an effort to keep the attendance banner which they have had since the beginning of school.

Eva Lundell was absent from High School part of this week because of a severe cold.

Russell Gilliland is a new pupil in the first grade.

Gail Williams was stricken with a severe attack of cold when he attempted to snap a picture of one of the instructors in High School.

The Physical Geography class is making a study of rocks and minerals. It is hoped that during the spring they will be able to make a few field trips to procure rock specimens.

Next week is quiz week in High School. Everybody come.

Ruth Vanderpool was absent part of this week because of illness.

Superintendent Fitzpatrick went to La Grande Friday evening to attend a meeting of the principals and superintendents of Eastern Oregon. He reports a splendid meeting, with a large attendance. State Superintendent J. A. Churchill addressed the meeting.

Professor O'Reilly of the Oregon Agricultural College was a visitor last Friday. He says he is pleased with our school.

During the muddy, stormy weather the grades are having indoor recesses.

The Bookkeeping and Typing classes are now doing real work and lots of it.

GOV. WITHYCOMBE OF OREGON DIES

Salem, Or.—James Withycombe, fifteen governor of Oregon, passed away peacefully at his home, 595 Chemekeeta street, this city, at 8:45 o'clock tonight. He was 64 years old. His death was due to a general breaking down in health that had been coming on him for months and he had visibly weakened since the strain of war work had fallen away from him, leaving in its place a decided reaction.

His death came peacefully after a day which had been spent in the service of the state as far as his weakened condition would allow. He passed on a number of bills and vetoed one.

With the death of Governor Withycombe, Ben W. Olcott, secretary of state, automatically becomes governor and remains also as secretary of state.

IDAHO AMENDS PRIMARY

County Offices Only Are to Be Filled By Old Plan

Boise, Idaho.—After ten years of experiments the state of Idaho gave up the direct primary system of nominations and returned to the convention plan. Governor Davis signed the amended new election law which repeals the direct primary.

Hereafter only candidates for county offices and precinct committeemen will be nominated at the primary. County conventions will nominate delegates to the state conventions of the different political parties and at the state conventions all candidates for state and congressional offices will be nominated.

Money talks, but the high cost of living acts.

America has few idle rich. Even the janitors work a little.

Also war brides now are making the acquaintance of their husbands.

Philosophy is a mental crutch to make walking with soleless shoes the easiest.

It is suggested that barbers wear flu masks and the barbers ought to insist on it.

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