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RAILROAD OFFICIAL COMING

Federal Manager O'Brien Will Take up Question of Depot Road.

J. P. O'Brien, Federal Manager of the O.W. R. & N. Co., will be in Weston within the next two weeks and will then take up with the Weston Commercial club the matter of the improvement of the depot road.

This information is contained in a recent letter received from Manager O'Brien by J. W. Porter, president of the club. Arrangements for meeting the visitor and for furnishing him with information will be among the important questions to be taken up at the club meeting next Monday evening, when an especially large attendance is requested by President Porter.

While but little business was done last Monday evening, the club meeting was of much interest. In response to a general request, First Lieutenant Curran McFadden, who was one year overseas, made a most informative talk. Lieutenant McFadden served as gas officer on the western front, and his description of this phase of warfare was especially instructive.

Resolutions were adopted commendatory of the work done at Weston by Evangelist Geo. W. Taylor and his son Paul.

A Worthy Cause

Miss Brenda Francklyn, official lecturer for The Fatherless Children of France, gave a strongly appealing and effective address last Monday afternoon at Weston High School auditorium while on a whirlwind tour of the county accompanied by Miss Nason, county librarian. It costs the donor in this country ten cents per day to help support a French child, and the French government appropriates a similar sum. One million children were left fatherless in France by the war, and the great movement for their support and education is spreading wide throughout the United States. This charity is of English origin and Miss Francklyn is an Englishwoman, daughter of the commissary general of the British army in India. Umatilla county is leading Oregon in adopting French orphans and Lincoln school in Pendleton alone has taken 35. A few pledges were signed at the meeting in Weston, and a committee to take charge of the local campaign will be appointed later by Miss Nason. For the present Clark Wood is acting as chairman, and is prepared to receive pledges.

The Amona Club

The girls' Sunday school class of the United Brethren Church met at the home of Miss Colvin and organized the Amona club. The following officers were elected: Hortense Baker, president; Irene Banister, vice president; Wilma Harbour, secretary; Gertrude Van Winkle, reporter. The Misses Edna Hollenbeck, Hazel Duncan and Ruth Proebstel entertained the gathering with their "ukes." Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Hollenbeck. The next meeting will be at the home of Miss Baker. The club meets once a month.

City Council Endorsed

At a recent meeting the Ministerial Association of Weston ordered the following resolution to be spread on the minutes and to be printed in the Leader:

Resolved, That we as an Association heartily endorse the action taken by the city council in regard to public dances, and appreciate their determination to give us a clean, safe Weston. We also take this opportunity to state that we will support them in all their endeavors to promote a good morale for Weston.

E. F. WRIGGLE, Secretary.

Stockholders' Meeting

The adjourned meeting of stockholders of the Weston Mercantile Co. of January 16 will be called to reconvene Saturday, March 22, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Masonic hall, Weston, Or., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and for transacting such other business as may come before the stockholders.

F. D. WATTS, President.
J. H. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

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Walla Walla - Washington

Notice of Final Account

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Jos. Anton Federer, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons whom it may concern that Lena Federer, administratrix of the estate of Jos. Anton 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 the 19th day of February, 1919.

WILL M. PETERSON
WILLIAM S. NASH
Attorneys for Administratrix.

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Spring Coats for Women

We are just in receipt of the first shipment of spring coats for women direct from the makers. The styles are of the very latest and the materials the most popular for the coming season. The colors are a strong feature this spring, from the dignified navy blues to the new "cloud" shades that must be seen to be appreciated. We invite you to our store to see for yourself this magnificent showing.

MILLINERY

Mrs. Rabb is prepared to show spring hats in all their beauty. On her recent trip to Portland she planned for her customers and is delighted to be able to show a line that will be in all respects the equal of any in the county. The first showing will be Saturday, and from then on you will find this department interesting to those in need of hats or to have trimming done, either for yourself, daughter or child.

LADIES' SHOES

are coming in all the time. New shipment this week makes our stock complete with the season's new styles in ladies' and children's wear.

MEN'S WEAR—In the men's section we are in receipt of much new merchandise—men's shirts, ties, socks, hats. In fact, the department is now filled with crisp new goods just received for spring needs—more "nobby" than for several seasons; better material than was possible during the war period, and the styles will please the most exacting. **"Make Your New Spring Suit a Born Suit."**

GROCERY DEPARTMENT—Place your orders for blue vitriol early. We can sell it to you for the wholesale price while the present supply lasts. Visit our grocery department and note the improvements. **Bring us your produce.**

Weston Mercantile Co.

BREVITIES

Expert dentistry—prices reasonable. Dr. Spongole, Athena.

Charley Nelson leaves Sunday for Riparia, Wash., to serve as relief section foreman there.

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Watts spent part of the week on a trip to Spokane and Coeur d'Alene.

Mrs. Frank Smith and baby son, Lawrence, were visiting in Weston Sunday from Walla Walla.

Sidney A. Barnes has brought suit for divorce from his wife, Edith Barnes. Desertion is alleged.

P. T. Harbour, manager of the Weston brickyard, was in Portland last week on a business trip. He also visited several intermediate points.

Jack Lutes, the veteran brickyarder, and his two sons have returned to Weston from Enterprise. Jack will be employed at the Weston yard during the summer.

Frank Nelson ran into 25-below-zero weather when he went to his ranch near Power, Montana, according to a letter to his brother Bud. He soon had a pair of frozen ears.

Crop prospects are especially promising in the region beyond Athena, according to J. N. Scott, who was here Tuesday from his Gerking Flat farm. There is no sign of any damage from freezing.

Dr. H. L. Hasbrouck passed away February 19 at his home in Hood River, Oregon. Dr. Hasbrouck was a dentist and practiced his profession some ten years ago in Weston, where he was highly regarded. He still had residence property here. Mrs. Hasbrouck survives him.

The Weston brickyard will start up the early part of April, according to present plans of the management. Common building brick has become rather a scarce article throughout the Inland Empire, and the prospects indicate a good season's run for this valuable Weston industry.

Mrs. J. W. Jones has arrived from Montana to assist her mother in caring for her father, W. H. Beathe, who has had the misfortune to become totally blind. Mr. Jones will arrive later and they will make their home permanently in Weston, where they have property interests.

Captain J. W. Ingram, with the army of occupation in Germany, has been promoted to be Major Ingram. He had command of a field hospital during the St. Mihiel drive and also in the battle of the Argonne, and is now at Coblenz on the Rhine. Major Ingram is a brother of Mrs. R. Proudft of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Reynaud entertained a party of young people at their home on the Heights Friday evening in observance of the 20th birthday anniversary of Mr. Gus Burgy. The evening was delightfully spent with games and music, and appetizing refreshments were served. The occasion was a complete surprise to the popular young guest of honor. Fifteen were present.

Iley Winn completed a deal Saturday for the purchase of 1120 acres in the Juniper country from H. L. Frazier of Milton for \$75 an acre, or \$84,000. According to the East Oregonian the same piece of ground was sold in 1908 for \$28,000, the present price being an advance of 300 percent in eleven years. The East Oregonian also says that Mr. Winn has figured in no less than five large land deals during the past year and is said to have sold more land in Umatilla county this year than any other two men.

Beautiful enlarged photograph in sepia has been done by Robert Proudft, local amateur. One especially fine picture portrays two baskets of Umatilla river trout, and is good enough to grace the den of a millionaire sportsman. Were we a millionaire sportsman it would grace our den, if "Bob" had the nerve to ask enough for it. Another shows a rainbow trout 22 inches long, lying in state. The photographs are seen at Watts & Rogers' store.

The reception given by the United Brethren Church to the new converts last Saturday evening proved to be an enjoyable affair. The program included chorus singing; two readings by Gail Williams and two cornet solos by Worth Watts. The ladies served plenty of sandwiches, cake and coffee, after which all found enjoyment in games and conversation.

Tomorrow, Saturday, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Secretary Barnes, Henry J. Taylor of Pendleton, president of the Umatilla County Pioneers association, will appoint committees for the forthcoming annual reunion. Business men and citizens of the Weston community are requested to meet with the association president.

Keep your eye on the steel mule. He's just rarin' to go. I'm going to turn him loose on Monday 17th in John Banister's field. If he doesn't get a case of azaturia there'll be somethin' doin'. Come and see him perform and let me know whether you want to buy one. Dr. S. L. Kennard, dealer.

W. A. Barnes lost his bay driving horse, Paddy, Tuesday evening, in a singular manner. While running down hill in the pasture the animal fell and broke its neck. Paddy was a prime favorite with his owner, who regrets the loss keenly.

The 37th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barnes was celebrated Wednesday by their children at the home of J. R. Barnes in Athena. Covers were laid for eleven at a bountiful dinner, and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nelson left Monday in their Chalmers on an automobile trip to California and return. Their residence here is being occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Orell McPherrin, who have moved over from Athena.

Jonh Ridenour is here for his annual greeting to the friends of his boyhood while on his way to Snake river to begin the shearing season. He followed carpenter work at Reedsport, Oregon, this winter.

Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching—\$1.50 per setting of 15; \$8.00 per 100. Mrs. A. A. Kees.