



Wants

MONEY TO LOAN

State Funds loaned, 6 per cent. John P. Rusk, Atty. State Land E'd. Joseph
Farm loans at 7 1/2 percent. Call or write First Bank of Joseph. 58b1f

WANTED.

Lumber. Anyone having lumber of any grade in any amount for sale, or who has timber he intends to saw soon, and wishes to contract the lumber, call on or address W. F. Rankin at Haney planer in Enterprise, Agent for W. R. Kivette. 26b4

Beginning February 1, I will pay for dry beef hides 18 1/2 per pound; sheep pelts, dry, 15c per pound; all other furs at fair prices. Over City Meat Market, Enterprise. Yours truly, Joe Allen. 22c4

FOR SALE.

40 acres of timber on Alder Slope. \$250.00. Terms, C. E. Vest. 69bm

Baffled.

Confidence Man—Why, how do you do, Mr. Wilson? I met you last—Westerner—See here, young fellow, my name ain't Wilson. My name's John Jones, alias Pete Rodney, alias Jim Hall, alias Joe Peters. So you better move on.—Western Times.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Wallowa County, Oregon, will receive sealed bids for furniture of Court House as set forth in the specifications on file in the office of the County Clerk, all bids being for the furniture set up, installed ready for use, and the same to be paid for in cash when accepted by the Court. All bids must be on file by 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, February 15, 1910; the bids to be opened at 2 p. m. of the same day when all bidders should be present in person or by representative. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

W. C. BOATMAN, County Clerk, Enterprise, Oregon.
By Order County Court of Wallowa County. 22c4

BIG CONVENTIONS MEET IN PORTLAND

NATIONAL GATHERINGS SCHEDULED FOR ROSE CITY—\$81.20 PAID FOR ONE HOG.

Portland, Jan. 18.—A big convention of the coming year for Portland is that of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. The annual gathering of the national body will be held here July 19-24, and it is thought the greatest meeting in the history of the order in America will occur at that time. There are 1400 accredited delegates who will be in attendance and in addition, many other members and their friends will make the trip to the Northwest. It is expected that no less than 30,000 visitors will be attracted to the North Pacific Coast by this convention.

Wool growers of the country will gather at Portland in 1911, bringing to this city a convention representative of a great industry. Delegates to the recent convention of the wool men at Ogden from the Pacific Northwest were a unit for Portland as the next meeting place and they captured the gathering without serious opposition. Ninety per cent of the wool growers of the country are members of the organization and the convention will bring thousands of visitors to Portland. The next meeting of the national body will be held in January, 1911.

Portland is entertaining today what is said to be the biggest excursion party ever organized in the Northwest and which includes 225 residents of Spokane, the Coeur d'Alene country, Walla Walla and the Palouse country and of the Canadian provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. The party occupies a special train of Pullmans and is bound for California.

It was organized by the Spokane Chamber of Commerce and the Walla Walla Commercial club in connection with the Harriman lines, it having become a custom to run a midwinter excursion to California each year.

An example of the big money in hog raising was given here during the past week when a single porker, weighing 680 pounds, brought \$81.20. This is the highest price that a single hog ever brought at the stockyards. The hog was raised by Henry Larkin, of Colfax, Wash. Hogs reached \$9.20 during the week.

Coos Bay seems to be in line for some real railroad building and both the Hill and Harriman systems are reported to be showing interest in that section. It is said work is about to be resumed on the Southern Pacific line from Drain and the Northern Pacific is said to be negotiating for big coal holdings, which lie close to Marshfield.

Japalac, varnish stains, linseed oil at Burnaugh & Mayfield's.

Vest Sells Home To Charles Funk

Former De Pue Residence Bought For \$3000 By Prominent Merchant.

C. E. Vest has sold his nice home property on Residence street to C. E. Funk for \$3000. Possession will be given February 1, when Mr. Funk and family will move to their new purchase.

The property was bought by Mr. Vest of F. A. DePue last spring and is one of the most desirable residence sites in the city. A river branch runs through the 16 1/2 which are well covered with shade and fruit trees and flowering plants.

Mr. Funk contemplates building two more residences on his old lots, he owning the entire block bounded by River, East First, North and Logan streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Vest will visit a few weeks before settling down again. She will visit her parents in Washington and at other points, while he will make a trip to Southern Oregon and possibly California.

Larger Loans Authorized.

Jno. P. Rusk, Attorney of State Land Board, has been advised that the state land board has increased the amount of state funds that can be loaned to any one person, from \$2000 to \$5000.

OSTEO-PATHY

JAN OPINION

E. H. Pratt A. M., M. D., L. L. D., a high medical authority, in a paper read before an assembly of his own profession says:

"Osteopathy is not a science based upon an accurate knowledge of regional anatomy, but an art to acquire which, requires an educated sense of touch, a thorough knowledge of action and reaction in the various forms of disease, and the courage of one's convictions."

"Osteopathy has the advantage of surgery in that it reduces minor luxations and dislocations, which more frequently than is commonly supposed are effective barriers to the recovery of health so long as they remain uncorrected; while, without examining a person from an osteopathic standpoint these luxations and dislocations would undoubtedly entirely escape observation. So Osteopathy must rank as one of the most important measures known for the relief of all forms of chronic ailments. As to the methods of applying principles in practice it is an effort of Osteopaths to reach sympathetic nerves centers at every available point."

BAKER CITY WINS.

In the debate between Cove, Ontario and Baker City schools Baker City was triumphant with both her teams, and will therefore be pitted against the winner of the La Grande-Elgin and Enterprise triangle. Their subject was "Resolved that life imprisonment with restricted power of pardon should be substituted for capital punishment in Oregon."

MADE FINAL PROOFS.

Mrs. Julia E. Eargant of Bette made final proof on her homestead before U. S. Commissioner Lockwood Tuesday.

Lewis O. Rognas of Mud Flat, Carl E. Haaland of near Wallowa and Le-man H. Russell of Imnaha made final homestead proofs before Commissioner Lockwood, Monday.

LONG WANTED MAN CAPTURES HIMSELF

PETE WILSON, ALLEGED HORSE-THIEF, WALKS INTO JAIL AND STAYS THERE.

Wanted by the sheriff of Wallowa county for several years on an old warrant, and wanted again on another warrant sworn out by Joe Wood in 1908, "Pete" Wilson very accommodatingly walked into Sheriff Marvin's North street sanitarium, Friday night, the key was turned, and Mr. "Pete" Wilson ceased to be a "wanted" man.

Pete is accused of appropriating to his own use horses the legal title of which is vested in other men. One Andy Heavern is also in Marvin's bastille under the same awful allegation. Andy didn't know Pete was wanted by anyone except himself and Andy did want "Pete" awful bad as a witness. Accordingly Andy's attorney wrote asking Pete to come, that Andy needed him; the attorney likewise being in the dark that anyone else than Andy needed Pete.

Pete arrived on Friday evening's train and made direct for the sheriff's office where he made his wants known. Mr. Marvin is nothing if not accommodating. Of course Pete could talk to Andy. Marvin stacked all his other business in the safe and hurried over to the jail with Pete. There in a few minutes he secured Pete's acknowledgment of identity, the big steel doors swung to, and now Pete and Andy can talk to their hearth's content, sure of no interruptions from without.

First Roller Rink In North Country

Skating in Clark's Hall at Flora—Local News of Paradise.

Paradise, Jan. 14—Last Saturday night the I. O. O. F. lodge at Flora installed officers. Odd Fellows and their families were present. Parties from Paradise were O. L. Berland and wife, Joe Beach and wife, Ren Lloyd and W. B. Applegate and wife.

Two nights in each week there is roller skating at the Clark hall in Flora. Something new for this part of the country.

Emiline Akin has rented her farm to Ollie Barnes for next year.

The weather has grown warmer. Joe Beach, Harve Hendrickson, Albert Wilson and W. C. Straley sent several loads of wheat to Enterprise Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Fisher and daughter are ill.

Joe Beach, Mrs. Emiline Akin and Ollie Barnes were doing business with the local notary last week.

Trains Blocked By Snow Drifts

Tuesday's Outgoing Branch Train Stalled Between Palmer Junction And Elgin.

The outgoing train, Tuesday, was stalled by huge snow drifts in the Grande Ronde canyon between Palmer Junction and Elgin. The incoming train came as close to the stalled train as possible and the passengers and mail were transferred off the stalled train to the other, which then returned to La Grande.

It is expected the stalled train will be released by today, Wednesday, noon, and on its arrival at La Grande the other train will start in, probably reaching Enterprise by 6 or 7 o'clock tonight with two days mail on it.

Station Agent Butner reports the main line clear and all the regular trains running.

The line between Walla Walla and Riparia is washed out.

DEBATE FRIDAY NIGHT.

Principal Shirk of the high school says the debate will take place Friday night. La Grande negative team will be here, while the W. C. H. S. negative team will be at Elgin.

Regular meals 25 cents at Piddcock's restaurant, 2nd door south of R. S. & Z. 64tf

DEATHS.

James M. Parker, father of Mrs. Julia Young of this city, who died New Years day near Lewiston, Idaho, was an Oregon pioneer, having crossed the plains in 1847, and settled in the Willamette Valley. He came to Grande Ronde and settled in Cove in an early day, moving later to La Grande, where he resided until a short time ago when he removed to Absakah, Ida., where he died at the age of 84 years. Four years ago he and his wife celebrated their golden wedding.

Funeral was held in La Grande, interment in the Peach cemetery near Island City. He leaves to mourn his death, his aged widow and ten children: Mrs. Emma Fee, of La Grande, Mrs. Julia Young of Enterprise, Mrs. Sarah Bloom of Absakah, Idaho, Mrs. Ida Benton of La Grande, Mrs. Stephen Cady of Baker City, and Abraham, John, James, Allen and Frank of La Grande.

He leaves also 31 grand children and 10 great grand children.

News Happenings In Promise Land

Death of Miss L. K. Mallory of East Grossman—Notes of Visitors.

Promise, Jan. 12—Joe Bennett who has been at home since Christmas went back to Wallowa to commence work again.

Arthur Stace is here from California visiting his brother, Wm. Stace.

Mr. and Mrs. Wray staid over night with Mr. and Mrs. Jones Trump Jan. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finley and John Finley from Wallowa were visiting friends the first of the week.

Johnnie Freshman is in Pleasant Valley in the employ of the railroad.

Obituary.

Miss Lavley Kate Mallory was born in Calloway county Kentucky in the year 1851. She joined the Christian Church in 1875. She moved with relatives to Oregon about six years ago. She had contracted a disease of the lungs several years before she came to this state and has suffered from it ever since, until the time of her death, Jan. 9, 1910. During the last six years she has lived with Mr. John Wray, her nephew, who resided near East Grossman until he removed to Wallowa where Miss Mallory was at the time of her death. The funeral services were held at the Grossman cemetery, conducted by Rev. Fred G. Potter. The many friends who came to the out door services on a cold day, Jan. 10, showed the high esteem in which she was held by her many friends of Promise and Grossman.

Mrs. Thornton Administratrix.

Mrs. C. L. Thornton was last week appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband, Architect Thornton, by the county court at La Grande.

Regular meals 25 cents at Piddcock's restaurant, 2nd door south of R. S. & Z. 64b1f

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that the undersigned guardian of Linnie Basim, an insane person, under and by virtue of an order of the County Court of Wallowa County State of Oregon made and entered on the 17th day of January, A. D. 1910, authorizing the undersigned as such guardian of said Linnie Basim, an insane person, to sell the hereinafter described lands belonging to said insane person, for the purpose of paying debts of said insane person and providing for her support, will on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1910, at Two o'clock p. m. at the County Court house door in Enterprise, Wallowa county Oregon, sell to the highest bidder therefor, for cash, the following described lands belonging to the said Linnie Basim an insane person, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty Three in Township Two South of Range Forty Four East of Willamette Meridian in Wallowa County, Oregon, with the water right connected therewith.

Dated this January 18th, 1910.

CARL WHITMORE, Guardian of Linnie Basim an insane person. 22c5

Piddcock & Gregory, the restaurant firm, have received a fine steel range ordered through G. I. Ratliff.

WILL COLLECT DELINQUENT TAXES

COURT DIRECTS ALL BACK DUES SEGREGATED—LATE COURT HOUSE NEWS.

The county court has directed Sheriff Marvin to check up all delinquent taxes from 1902 to 1908 inclusive, and put all delinquents in one roll that will be known as the delinquent roll. This is preliminary to an active campaign to be undertaken to collect delinquent taxes. Sheriff Marvin has proven to be an exceptionally good collector and the rolls are now in better shape in respect to being paid up than ever before. This new campaign is expected to bring in all the money that it is possible to get. It is a business-like move on the part of the court.

The checking and opening of the new roll makes a big lot of office work. Ex-Assessor S. F. Pace is assisting Mr. Marvin and Deputy Charles Crow.

The county court is spending the days and part of the nights selecting the furniture and fixtures for the new court house. Two salesmen eloquently set forth their wares, Tuesday.

New Suits Filed. Jan. 18—Louie Lee Long vs Rolla I. Long. Dis'orce.

Orders in Probate. Sale of personal property by W. H. Boyd, Sr., guardian of Geo. Boyd, Confirmed.

Carl Whitmore, guardian of Linnie Basim, authorized to sell real property at public sale. Guardian's sale bond fixed at \$2500.

Decree of final settlement in estate of Leonard Snell.

Circuit Court Orders. Time of filing bill of exceptions in case of W. J. Funk & Co. vs T. M. Butler et al, extended 30 days.

Time of filing bill of exceptions in case of State vs Tom Tucker, extended to Feb. 21, 1910.

Glucose at Funk's.

New Blacksmith Firm

Poulson & Prater

At the Red Front Stand
All kinds of Blacksmithing. — Horseshoeing a Specialty.

Enterprise, Oregon

Nearly Everybody Buys Bread at Riley & Riley's

The Best Baker Ever in Enterprise

Newest and Freshest Groceries Always Found Here

Low Prices On Shoes and Gloves

Cash and Highest Price Paid For Hides and Pelts and Everything the Farmer Has to Sell at

Riley AND Riley's

::: New ::: Resolutions

As the old year passed out and the new dawned upon us many of us made new resolutions, resolving that we would improve by looking at the errors of the past. Now, then, if you have not been trading with us the past year you do not know what you have missed in the way of saving money. Take our prices all through the year and you will find to your own satisfaction that we are as cheap, if not cheaper, than any house in the valley. The public knows that we have been all torn up repairing and enlarging our store. Many carpenters and workmen have been busy for the past ten weeks getting our building in good repair, so that trouble is about over, and we expect to give more of our attention to our many customers than we have been able to in the past. We have quite a large stock on hand that must be sold in order to get room for our spring stock, so come early and get our prices and we feel quite sure that you will be satisfied with our merchandise and also our prices.

Thanking you for past favors, we remain,
Yours Respectfully

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