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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER

Wants

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

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

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GROUSE MAN KILLS BUNCH OF COUGARS

M. K. GABRIEL SHOT 3 SATURDAY AND ANOTHER SUNDAY - TWO ARE LEFT.

Grouse, Jan. 25.—The roads are in bad condition, owing to the thaw which continued for four days; then followed a sudden freeze, while the roads were in a slush of water and snow. The Menatchee road is blocked—caused by a large rock slide in from above the road.

M. K. Gabriel had a combat with a bunch of cougars, Saturday. He succeeded in killing three. He shot one down and saw another go into a bunch of thick brush. He went into the brush and while in pursuit heard a noise behind him; looking around he saw the third one within six feet of him. He threw his gun on the animal and shot it dead. Soon the one he was pursuing walked out of the brush and he played the same game on it.

The next morning Gabriel very reluctantly went back to his battle ground and on approaching the spot he saw the fourth one, which he instantly shot—making four in all. It is said there are two more visiting the carcass of a horse at the same place, and last night it is said they were making frightful yells in various directions on the foothills. Several parties are preparing for the remainder of the gang, but with no hopes of such success as Mr. Gabriel had.

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WEDDED IN WALLOWA.

From La Grande Star. Mrs. W. M. Wilman, Mrs. Eugene Lorton, Misses E. Copeland and L. McKean, and Mr. W. C. Marsh, all of Wallowa, passed through La Grande Monday on their way to the home of Mr. Hector McDonald, a wealthy farmer of Wallowa, where Miss Jessie McDonald, daughter of Mr. Murdo McDonald, of Wallowa, is to marry W. C. Marsh of Wallowa, a well known young business man of that city. The wedding will take place tomorrow at the home of Mr. Hector McDonald, uncle of the bride to be, in Wallowa City.

Big Acreage of Beets this Year

Over 1000 Acres Will Be Planted Here—Preparing For Spring Work.

F. S. Bramwell, superintendent of the La Grande sugar factory, and Samuel Story, general field foreman for both Union and Wallowa counties, were in Enterprise, Wednesday, closing up contracts for land and looking over things in general preparatory to spring work.

Mr. Bramwell reports matters in this valley in most satisfactory condition. The total acreage to be planted in this valley will be between 1000 and 1400 acres. The results last season were highly pleasing to the company.

T. W. Workman, the overseer for this county, is busy every day getting things ready for an early start to put the ground in condition. Like all other farmers who have lots of plowing to do, he is hoping for an early spring. If a long, hard winter is any sign, the spring should certainly break records in previousness.

COMET "A" VIEWED FROM ENTERPRISE

CELESTIAL WANDERER PLAINLY VISIBLE IN WESTERN SKY IN EARLY EVENING.

Comet A-1910 is an object of great interest in the western sky these evenings. Nearly everybody in Enterprise was out viewing it Friday evening. It shines as a rather dim star but its tail spreads upward over about four degrees of celestial longitude in a long, brilliant sweep.

Some people have confused this celestial visitor with Halley's comet that is expected to be visible to the naked eye in a couple of months. They are entirely different breeds of comets, however. Halley's comet is a regular—has been making trips around the sun every 76 or 77 years since people began to notice and record such doings. Its periodicity is known and calculated by astronomers to a day—barring the influence of certain big bodies, like Jupiter and Saturn, in retarding or accelerating the comet's speed.

Comet A-1910 on the other hand is an interloper, a casual visitor, just dropped in for a little warming up trip around our sun. It is a big fellow though and if it had substance equal to its size there would be something doing. As it is, only a great mass of burning gas, when it has completed its little detour around Old Sol, off it will go into the immensity of space and never be seen again by any one on earth. So you had better look at it now—it is your first, last and only chance.

Fielder Jones To Coach O. A. C. Team

Well Known Big League Star Stirrs Interest in Baseball at Corvallis.

The schedule for the Oregon Agricultural College debating team has recently been announced. Two debates have been scheduled with the Washington State College, one to be held in Pullman and the other in Corvallis. The Pacific University has also accepted a challenge for a debate. The girls have shown exceptional activity and interest this year, and will debate in the Girl's State League composed of McMinnville College, Albany College and O. A. C. The large number of students who are trying for positions on the teams and the enthusiasm which has been aroused seems to promise a very successful year.

J. G. Arbuthnot who is now superintending the physical education extension work of the Portland Y. M. C. A. has been added to the faculty list of the Oregon Agricultural College as assistant to Director Angell. Mr. Arbuthnot is a graduate of the Kansas State Agricultural College and has had several years of practical experience in teaching physical education. He is considered an authority in the art of boxing and wrestling.

Fielder Jones, the well known White Sox star of the American League will coach the O. A. C. base ball team during the coming season. This announcement has caused great excitement among the students. It will mean a big year in base ball for O. A. C.

COWBOY OR SHEEPHERDER?

The Tragedy of the Wyoming Range. Wyoming cattlemen have seen the handwriting on the wall. Sheep is to be king of the open range, and the annual wool clip will be a golden fleece. For the days of the cow country are numbered; where once the despotic outfit boss ruled his domain grandly, the flock-master, by right of invasion, has proclaimed sovereignty and sway until he shall in turn be driven out by homesteaders and immigrant farmers.

There was more than murder and arson in the celebrated Spring Creek raid in the Tensleep country April 2, 1909, when seven armed cattlemen rode in the night, down on a sleeping sheep camp and began a battle which ended with the death of three defenders of the camp, the cremation of two bodies in a burned wagon, and destruction of hundreds of frightened sheep.

It was the law of the range, for the flocks were over the dead line mark-

ing division of the country for sheep and cattle, and the conflict was in accordance with the ethics of the open But heavy-handed legislative mandate, reached over and above the law of the cattle kings, and sought to punish where, hitherto, complacent communities had condoned and ignored. The state penitentiary at Rawlins today holds five of the seven raiders, one serving a life sentence, two with penalties of twenty years each, and two whose imprisonment will be but three years each, sentenced after confessed participation in that dreadful night's orgy of massacre and destruction.—George C. Morris in the February Pacific Monthly.

Odd Fellows Have Banquet at Joseph

Enterprise Team Puts on Degree Work And Assists in Installation.

A bobsled load of members of Enterprise lodge, No. 153, I. O. O. F., were guests of Silver Lake lodge, No. 84, at their installation meeting and the fine banquet which followed. Two candidates, Editor S. P. Shutt and John Baker, were put through the mysteries of the first degree, the work being done by the Enterprise team.

District Deputy Grand Master J. D. Woodell was in charge of the installation ceremonies. The following officers were installed: Ross Leslie, N. G.; G. W. Endicott, V. G.; Arthur Collingsworth, R. S.; Ed Leffel, F. S.; Alex Donnelly, Treas.; Walter Belth, Ward; R. M. Erwin, Cond.; Louise Frauenfelte, Chap.; John Blevins, I. G.; Harry Carpenter, O. G.; J. M. Rankin, R. S. N. G.; Ed Berland, L. S. N. G.; S. K. Warnock, R. S. V. G.; Frank Stevenson, L. S. V. G.

Members of the Enterprise lodge present were: J. D. Woodell, Chas. Boswell, G. Bauer, Cris Bauer, Curtis Sanford, Estus Ward, W. F. Rankin, J. W. Rodgers, E. E. Rodgers, Edgar Marvin.

FINDS FINE PEARL.

Mrs. Clara Purdin of Alder Slope recently found a fine pearl of good size in a cove oyster, and still more remarkable it is unimpaired in brilliancy. Her husband, L. W. Purdin, has had it set as a solitaire in a pretty gold ring, which Mrs. Purdin will highly prize, both for its beauty and the strange way she got it.

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BAKER CITY FIRE IS LOSS \$300,000

TWO BIG DEPARTMENT STORES BURNED—ONE-THIRD COVERED BY INSURANCE.

Baker City had a \$300,000 fire early Thursday morning, the greatest fire loss that city has ever known. The fire started in the furnace room of the Baer Mercantile company building, and burned out the Baer store, the Wiel store, the Superior bakery and every office above. Only about one-third of the loss is covered by insurance.

The fire was discovered about 1 o'clock a. m., by the linotype operator on the Morning Democrat and the fire department was on the ground almost immediately, but the fire was already beyond control. A number of families occupied rooms above the Baer store and all escaped uninjured. It is said that 100 people are out of work because of the fire. That the entire business portion of the city was not destroyed was perhaps fine to the thick blanket of snow which protected the roofs.

ANNUAL MEETING OF COMMERCIAL CLUB

The annual meeting of Enterprise Commercial club will be held Monday evening, Jan. 31, 1910, for the election of officers and the transaction of other important business. All members are urged to be present. L. E. JORDAN, Sec.

Harriet Jane Clinghan died at her home south of Lostine, Saturday, Jan. 22, 1910, in her 75th year. She was the mother of the Cook men, all seven of whom live south of Lostine. She was born in Illinois and came west 35 years ago. Her first husband is buried in the old cemetery in Middle Valley. Her second husband also preceded her in death; also one daughter, Mrs. Lutz Ham-mack.

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