

POLITICAL NEWS AND COMMENT

Carl L. Kelly, representative of A. W. Lafferty, the insurgent, Anti-Leslie candidate for Congress, was in Enterprise, Saturday, making arrangements for an address by Mr. Lafferty at the court house in this city Saturday night, September 19, at 8 o'clock. If possible, Mr. Lafferty will also speak in Wallowa the same afternoon.

J. P. Rusk, the primary candidate for the legislature, received a warm welcome in Union last week. The assemblymen seem scarier than hen's teeth.

Friends have prevailed on J. A. French, the popular ex-county clerk, to come out for the Democratic nomination for representative. Too late for petition, so they will write his name in.

J. T. McLain of Joseph will be the Democratic nominee for county commissioner.

Thursday is the last day petitions can be filed for county offices. September 3 was the last day for state offices.

SPECIAL MEETING OF IMPROVEMENT LEAGUE

The Improvement League met in regular session Monday night in A. C. Miller's office. Mrs. Rose of Elgin was present and made a proposition to the ladies to put on a light opera or comedy some time in October. The work at the Fair was discussed briefly, but as little interest seems to be taken in the proposed eating booth project, it will probably be abandoned.

A special meeting of the League will be held Thursday evening of this week in A. C. Miller's office. A full attendance is desired, as there is urgent business to come before the League.

Marriage Licenses.

Aug. 30—Reuben Walker and Lola Toney. Married same day by Justice A. C. Smith, of Enterprise.

Sept. 6—Tommy Williams, 29, Wallowa county, laborer; Izora Zumwalt, 26, Wallowa.

Fresh Fruits

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SUGAR BEET HARVEST BEGINS SEPTEMBER 26

F. S. Bramwell, manager of the La Grande sugar factory, who was here looking after the details of harvesting their big crop in this county, returned to La Grande, Wednesday.

Mr. Bramwell says the harvest will begin in here September 26 and will last 40 days. Japs will be brought in to do the hand work, but 100 span of horses will be required, and including the pullers and topers 200 men employed.

Mr. Bramwell says the record of the factory shows that the manufactured sugar is less than 10 per cent of the gross weight of the beets.

Diphtheria Cases In North Country

Little Boy Dies at Bartlett—Dr. Gilmore Stricken While On Duty.

Several cases of diphtheria of malignant type, the death of a little boy near Bartlett, and the illness of Dr. T. M. Gilmore at Flora, has caused considerable alarm and uneasiness in the North Country. Prompt quarantine measures were taken, however, and it is hoped the further spread of the disease will be prevented.

Diphtheria first attacked the family of Edward Hack near Bartlett, his little five-year-old son, Charles, lying Friday night. Mr. Hack is now ill of the same disease. A member of the O'Neal family living near is reported ill, and that family, the Hack home and the Lafayette Wilson home are all quarantined.

Dr. T. M. Gilmore of Flora was the attending physician at the Hack home, and he has been stricken with a mild form of the disease. He is under quarantine at his home in Flora. Word Wednesday noon is that he is getting along all right.

TEN CARS OF CATTLE SHIPPED ON TUESDAY

Ten cars of Innaha and Snake river cattle were shipped from this station, Monday morning to Portland and Seattle markets by Chandler & Walker.

The cattle were a fine lot and no doubt will top the market.

All the range stuff is in extra prime condition and the cattlemen rejoice.

HIS 16,000TH LECTURE.

Michael J. Fanning, a noted Irish temperance lecturer, spoke in the Christian church Tuesday evening to a good sized audience. He talked in favor of state-wide prohibition. This, he stated, was his 16,000th lecture, which he claims is the record for long time. He expects to deliver 4000 more speeches.

PROBATE COURT.

Sept. 2—S. F. Pace, A. C. Miller and C. M. Lockwood appointed appraisers of estates of Emera M. Kinnear and Belle R. Kinnear.

Aug. 27—Order final hearing and settlement in estate of Kate Malloy.

Aug. 19—Edwin Marvin appointed Admr. estate of John Williams, bond \$4000. Estimated value of estate \$2200. Henry Spence, J. P. Morelock, and R. McCrae appointed appraisers. Admr. authorized to operate the saw mill.

Geo. W. Hyatt and family returned last week from a trip to the seashore.

DEDICATE TROY BRIDGE TO PUBLIC

FORMALLY ACCEPTED BY COUNTY COURT FROM CONTRACTORS—PEOPLE REJOICE.

The fine bridge over the Grande Ronde river at Troy, 45 miles northwest of Enterprise, was received from the contractors and dedicated to the public by the county court, Saturday. There was a good-sized crowd of Grouse, Eden and Lost Prairie people present, and the crowd would have been much larger but for the diphtheria scare in Grouse.

Judge Gimsted and Commissioners Sam Litch and W. G. Locke were present, the two former accompanied by their wives. The exercises were informal, but the Judge made a little talk, in which he complimented Mr. Litch as the "building commissioner," whose name is associated with so many public works during his short term of office.

A picnic and basket dinner was given by the residents and the day was very much enjoyed by all. The members of the court were thoroughly impressed with the appreciation of the people of the new bridge.

The structure was found complete in every respect according to contract, and every one believes it an honest piece of work.

The same contractors had raised and straightened the wooden bridge over the Little Salmon, and it is now in first-class condition.

Lafferty Talks In Enterprise Saturday

Agarant Candidate for Congress Will Make Speech at the Courthouse.

A. W. Lafferty, of Portland, insurgent candidate for Congress from the Second Oregon district, will speak in the court house in Enterprise next Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. Lafferty is making an aggressive campaign and has sprung to the front in short order. He is the only Congressional candidate to visit Enterprise in this campaign, and is also the only one to make a systematic canvass of the whole district. When he returns to Portland four days before the primary election he will have spoken in every one of the seventeen county seats.

In his talk Lafferty will pay particular attention to the Government's discrimination against Oregon in its administration of public lands. He will explain the Reclamation Act and how the government took



A. W. LAFFERTY, Republican Insurgent Candidate for Congress.

\$5,360,000 rightfully due this state for irrigation projects. This was effected by repeal of Section 9 of the Reclamation Act, which was done by the Ways and Means Committee of the House, of which Congressman ERIS is a member. He will also show how the Interior Department has construed the Homestead and Timber Land laws off the statute books so that now a man's rights to take up government land are practically worthless. Lafferty is especially well versed in this subject and handles it in an interesting manner.

On National issues Lafferty is a progressive Republican and stands with Cummins, Dooliver, LaFollette, Murdock and Malloca, and against Aldrich, Cannon, Payne, Daizell and the other reactionaries. In local politics he opposes the assembly idea. He is a fighter and if he is sent to Congress he will get things for Oregon.

Lafferty's talk Saturday night will not be long. Everybody is invited. (Paid Advertising.)

INCREASED ENROLLMENT AT COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Wallowa County High School opened its fourth year Monday morning with an enrollment of 59, an increase of 18 over last year's opening.

Students from all parts of the county are present and there is every indication of a fine year's work.

The same efficient corps of instructors are on duty—Prof. H. K. Shirk, principal; Gene W. Hall, assistant; Mrs. Ivanhoe and Miss Bothwell.

TOM TUCKER PARDONED.

Tom Tucker sentenced to four years in the penitentiary from this county, has been conditionally pardoned by Acting Governor Bowerman, the condition being that he remains out of Oregon during the four years.

Tucker is reported as having located at Walla Walla.

Local Firm Sells Joseph Property

300+ Farm Sold To The Dalles Capitalists—Rancher Moves To Town.

Jordan & Pace, of the O. R. & N. company, negotiated some big real estate deals in Joseph and vicinity last week. They sold the John Jones place, two miles east of Joseph, owned by George Boner and Curtis Christy, to J. T. Peters and W. H. Ragdale of The Dalles, at a price very near \$60 an acre. There are 171 acres in the farm. The new owners were already heavy investors in Wallowa county land, which they believe has a great future.

George Boner bought a half interest in the Thompson livery barn at Joseph for \$2500.

Will Move to Enterprise.

James Steen, a well known rancher and stockman of the Zumwalt county, has bought a lot in the southeast part of Enterprise. The sale was made by W. E. Taggart. Mr. Steen will build a fine house on the lot and move his family to his city.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Sam Litch, James A. Funk and M. E. Hotchkiss doing business under the name of the L. F. & H. Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent, M. E. Hotchkiss retiring.

Sam Litch and James A. Funk will continue business under the name of the L. F. & H. Co., pay all the firm obligations and collect all bills due the firm.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

Church of Christ, Gifford Ernest, pastor; Bible school at 9:45; worship at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and preaching at 8 o'clock in the evening. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. week prayer and praise service Wednesday, topic, "Proud—of What?" Mid-week prayer and praise service Wednesday evening, topic, Your favorite verse from the 12th chapter of Romans.

The service of welcome and greeting for Rev. B. F. Meredith, the new pastor of the M. E. church of this city, will be postponed until Rev. Harris of the Presbyterian church returns, in order that he may participate in the service. The Christian church prefers not to rush the deserved welcome to Rev. Meredith until all may take part, since the same consideration was shown the present pastor of the Christian church by the other religious bodies of the city.

New Suits Filed.

Sept. 2—Edith Robinson vs. Mutual Fire Company of Portland, Oregon.

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