

Semi-Weekly Herald.

TUESDAY, JAN. 24, 1905.

Lee County Pioneer Living in Oregon.

George Williams, Mayor of Portland, Oregon, who is occupying a prominent place in the public attention, is a former Iowa having served as district judge of Lee county and Des Moines county and being appointed to carry the Iowa vote to Washington in 1852. Shortly afterward he was appointed, by President Pierce, chief justice of Oregon. Subsequently President Grant appointed him attorney-general in his cabinet. Williams formerly resided in Burlington and Keokuk and is well known to the old timers of South-Eastern Iowa. A correspondent of the Keokuk Constitution-Democrat tells of his arrival in Iowa:

George H. Williams came to Burlington, Iowa, in the late '40s, without money or friends. He was uncouth, awkward, badly clad, was tall, overgrown, had a long, cadaverous under jaw, broad forehead, long hair brushed back and was slightly stooped shouldered, but had plenty of energy, ambition, pluck and self-reliance and a good education. He applied to the Hon. Judge Mason, of Burlington, who was a kind-hearted man and who saw that there was something in the awkward young man and took him in and assisted him in many ways. Judge Mason was one of the most influential citizens, politically, financially, and in other ways, in the several counties composing the first congressional district of Iowa, and through the influence of Judge Mason he was taken into the office of the Hon. D. F. Miller, then a leading attorney in Fort Madison, who shortly afterward took Williams into partnership and soon afterward, through the influence of Judge Mason and Miller's help, he secured the nomination of the democratic party as judge of the first judicial district, which then included Burlington, and he was triumphantly elected.—Des Moines Register and Leader.

Bold Train Robbery in Portland.

Portland, Jan. 22.—While the "Spokane Flyer" was rushing through the darkness between East Portland station and Thirty-Fourth street shortly before 7 o'clock last night, masked bandits entered the rear door of the Walla Walla sleeper, the last car of the train, and at the point of a pistol compelled the occupants to deliver their valuables. The robbers then stopped the train by pulling the air cord, sprang off into the night and disappeared. They fired several shots as the train slowed down and thus frightened away pursuit.

The victims were Roger B. Sinnott, Edward Duffy, Dan J. Coman and Ben L. Norden, of this city; J. C. Nicholson, a traveling man from Chicago, and E. E. Atherton, also of this city. John Hayes, the well-known Pullman conductor, was also a victim. From these men the robbers obtained a draft of \$750, several watches and about \$150 in cash.

As soon as the robbery became known at police headquarters officers were notified to be on the alert, and a posse of policemen, detectives and railway officers left on an engine for the scene of the robbery. Officers guarded the bridges and the Vancouver Ferry. The posse spent the night looking for evidence at the scene of the robbery and in searching throughout the neighboring country.

Teachers' Examination.

Applicants for teachers' certificate are hereby notified that the regular semi-annual examination for state and county papers will be held in the court house in Coquille beginning at 9 a. m., Feb. 8, 1905, and continuing three days.

Dated this 23rd day of January, 1905. W. H. BENCH, County Supt.

Messrs. R. D. Jones and W. H. Smith, of Los Angeles, who have been identified with the Coquille Coal & Lumber Co., since its appearance here, have severed their connections from that institution and there are now two firms, both of which will have interests here. It is hoped and indications point that way, that the mill at this place will be started in the near future.

Soldiers Stand by Czar.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—The great strike of workmen which has been in progress for many days in this city, in common with other parts of the empire, culminated yesterday into one of the bloodiest scenes ever enacted in the history of Russia. Following out their previously declared intention, the strikers assembled at one of the entrances to the palace grounds with a petition which they desired to present to the Emperor in person. The officers, acting under orders, refused to give the strikers permission to proceed further. Then the trouble commenced. Led by Father Gopon, a priest, the red flag hoisted from their disorderly ranks and crying "Down with Monarch" the enraged strikers assaulted the soldiers. As sudden as the attack of the strikers was the resistance which they met, showing how well the government had prepared for the riot. The carnage that followed beggars description and today the streets of St. Petersburg are strewn with the mangled bodies of persons of both sexes and all ages.

Father Gopon was spared by the soldiers, but they bar his passage to the Czar, who has taken refuge in Peterhoff castle.

The Admiralty works at Sevastopol are on fire and burning furiously. The government has decided on the most stringent measures to check the uprising. Schools are closed and the water supply cut off. St. Petersburg is full of the wildest rumors. One is that the strikers, fifty thousand strong, will march against the Winter Palace and that the troops will be repelled with bombs. The municipal building was demolished by strikers.

Czar is Prostrated.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—Emperor Nicholas is completely prostrated with grief. He is reported to be almost in a state of collapse over the situation. In the meantime everything awaits his decision. Every window in Grand Duke Sergius' St. Petersburg palace was broken by a mob during the night. The estimates of the number of dead and wounded yesterday continue to vary greatly, as at least a majority of the killed and wounded were carried off by their comrades. Few of those taken to the hospitals have been reported. The official report of the rioting by no means indicates the total of killed and wounded.

From careful investigation it appears that the estimate of 500 cabled last night seems liberal.

Blizzard in the East.

New York, Jan. 25.—The Mid-Atlantic coast is in the grip of a blizzard today. Six inches of snow has fallen in this city and the temperature is falling rapidly. High winds prevail along the coast, and many wrecks are feared.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 25.—A blizzard is seriously impeding traffic in the Missouri valley and the Northwest. The thermometer is from 18 to 30 degrees below zero.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 25.—It is reported that three vessels are ashore at Sewells Point, but there has been no loss of life.

Atlantic City, Jan. 25.—A big steamer was blown ashore here during the gale this morning on the shoals.

Owing to the high wind and snow it is impossible for the life savers to render any assistance.

Cohasset, Mass., Jan. 25.—It is reported that a big steamer whose name is unknown, has been blown ashore in distress at Hull.

Portland, Maine, Jan. 25.—The schooner Parker went on the rocks in the harbor today and will be a total loss. The crew was saved.

Steamer Notes.

Steamer Elizabeth arrived Jan. 21st; sailed Jan. 23rd; incoming passengers: A. Simon, J. C. Snook; cargo, 110 tons mds; 75 tons machinery for wooden mill. Outgoing passengers: Albert Simon, E. M. Kay, G. L. Moore and wife, E. Kay, Mrs. Emma Moore, C. Hatfield, Virgie, Elsa and Gertrude Moore, Miss Florence Rosa, Miss Sadie Reid, Miss M. Lambert; 250 M. lumber, 40 cds woods, 50 tons mds.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—That John Hock, whom the police allege to be a modern Bluebeard, is an expert chemist and may possess knowledge of a secret poison, was the decision of Police Inspector Shippy today.

"This man is poisoning me," are the words Mrs. Wm. Steinbecker told the police today, that her mother-in-law said shortly before her death ten years ago. Mrs. Steinbecker told Inspector Shippy that after her mother-in-law's death property valued at \$4,000 was disposed of by Hock.

The police now assert they have evidence that Hock had 12 wives who are living, and at least four have died. The police also have information of three or four suspicious deaths.

Police Inspector Shippy declared tonight that Hock had married at least 13 women in the last ten years. Four of them died within a short time after their marriage. No trace of Hock has as yet been found. The police have no proof of murder against him, but declare they have a clear case of bigamy, on which charge they will arrest him as soon as possible.

Notice.

Coquille Ore., Jan. 26, 1905. I have sold my interest, resigned my position as vice-president, director and manager of the Coquille Coal & Lumber Company, and have severed all connection with said company.

I have not collected or appropriated one dollar or one cent of the funds belonging to the company, that I had not the right and authority to as manager, and I hold in my possession a letter, written and signed by J. O. Christie, secretary of the company, which reads as follows:

Coquille, Ore., Jan. 3, 1905. W. H. Smith, Esq.

I take pleasure in advising you that I have examined your books and find them correct.

Very truly yours, J. O. CHRISTIE, Sec'y. C. C. & L. Co.

In my short stay in Coquille, I have made many friends and acquaintances who have all treated me kindly and to whom I wish to convey my thanks and best wishes. W. H. SMITH.

Stump Puller.

Parties wishing stumps pulled should call on Thomas Heaton, of this city. He is prepared to pull stumps or furnish you with the Faultless puller that you may pull them yourself.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

M. A. Pierce wishes to announce that the Stevens Bros., have given notice of a great clearance sale, to close out stocks of suits, skirts, etc.

Ladies, call at the store and see samples, styles and prices. A wonderful array of bargains worthy the attention of careful buyers. M. A. PIERCE.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day filed his final account in the matter of the estate of Mary A. Vowell, deceased, and that the county court for Coos county, Oregon, has set Monday the 27th day of February, 1905, as the day for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement of said estate.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1905. W. W. GAGE, Administrator of the estate of Mary A. Vowell, deceased.

Farm for Rent.

160 acres 2 miles east of Norway, Coos county, Oregon, known as the J. H. Allen place. 2 small houses, hay barn, etc., small orchard, 12 to 15 acres plow land, 40 to 50 acres cleared for pasture, mostly fenced; unfailing supply of running water, 1 mile from good school, good country road by place. Will lease for a term of years to reliable parties. For further information address the owner, E. A. BARNETT, Riverside, Calif.

Stock Hogs for Sale.

Seven head nice thrifty O. I. C. shoats, that will weigh between 60 and 80 pounds a piece. Price 4c. C. A. PENDLETON, Coquille.

An agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect is produced by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Absolutely Harmless.

The fault of giving children medicine containing injurious substances, is sometimes more disastrous than the disease from which they are suffering. Every mother should know that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is perfectly safe for children to take. It contains nothing harmful and for coughs, colds and croup is unsurpassed. For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

Wanted.

Special Representative in this county and adjoining territories to represent and advertise an old-established business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21 weekly, with expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address Blew Bros. & Co., Dept. A, Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

A Grim Tragedy

is daily enacted, in thousands of homes as Death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntly, of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which cured her, and to-day she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and \$1.00 by R. S. Knowlton, druggist. Trial bottle free.

Notice.

We the undersigned want it understood that the tickets marked Dispatch and Favorite are not good on Str. Antelope, and that when such tickets are purchased from Capt. Panter they will not be honored. Signed: THOS. WHITE, JOHN C. MOOMAW.

Proposals Solicited.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the City of Coquille, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals for the building of the following side walk, to wit: one hundred (100) feet of side walk, with necessary trestle and railing, along South side of Lot 1, (1) Block Fourteen, (14) North Addition, the same being on the North side of Watkins street at the intersection of "B" street, Nosler's and North additions, City of Coquille, Oregon.

Proposals for said work to be filed with the city recorder on or before January 18th, A. D. 1905, at 4 o'clock p. m. of said day.

The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

E. G. D. HOLDEN, City Recorder.

Dated Jan. 3, 1904.

Sawmill Wanted.

Special inducements will be made by J. D. Myres of Matt Rink creek, to anyone wishing a site for a portable sawmill. Everything necessary right at hand for a business of this kind.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, November 26, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before James Watson, County Clerk at his office at Coquille, Oregon, on February 13, 1905, viz:

H. E. No. 9708, Hugh H. Hastings, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 28, T. 27 S., R. 12 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: C. A. Metlin, of Marshfield, Oregon; and F. R. Bullock, C. R. Phillips and G. W. Stevenson, all of Coquille, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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FRATERNAL ORDERS.

COQUILLE LODGE, NO. 53, I. O. O. F. Meets every Saturday night. Geo. H. BAXTER, N. G. J. S. LAWRENCE, Sec'y.

COQUILLE ENCAMPMENT, NO. 25, I. O. O. F. Meets the first and third Thursday nights in each month. J. J. STANLEY, C. P. I. HACKER, Scribe.

MAMIE REBEKAH LODGE, NO. 20. Meets the second and fourth Wednesday nights in each month. Mrs. MARVIN LYONS, N. G. Mrs. MAMIE SLAIGLE, Sec'y.

CHADWICK LODGE, NO. 68, A. F. & A. M. Meets the Saturday night on or before the full moon. J. H. CECIL W. M. J. J. LAMB, Sec'y.

BEULAH CHAPTER, NO. 6, O. E. S. Meets next Friday night. Mrs. KATHRYN SLAIGLE, W. M. Sec'y.

LYCURGUS LODGE, NO. 72, K. P. Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights each month in Odd Fellows' hall. A. F. LINDSEAR, C. C. V. R. WILSON, K. B. S.

COQUILLE LODGE, NO. 127, A. O. U. W. Meets the second and fourth Wednesday nights of each month in W. O. W. hall. R. E. NOSLER, W. M. O. F. ROHREK, Rec.

IMPERIAL LODGE, NO. 11, D. O. W. Meets the first and third Wednesday nights each month in Woodman hall. Miss GRACE SKEELS, C. H. Mrs. I. N. PLYLER, Rec.

MYRTLE CAMP, NO. 197, W. O. W. Meets the first and third Saturday nights of each month. W. H. MANSELL, C. C. J. G. SIMMONS, Clerk.

COQUILLE COUNCIL, NO. 398, F. A. A. Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month in Odd Fellows' hall. Dr. GEO. RUSSELL, Pres. Mrs. CHAR. HARRINGTON, Sec'y.

EVENING TIDE CIRCLE, NO. 214, W. O. W. Meets the second and fourth Saturday nights of each month. Mrs. W. H. MANSELL, G. N. JESSE C. SIMMONS, Clerk.

JUSTUS LODGE, NO. 35, RATHBONE SISTERS Meets the first and third Tuesday nights each month in Odd Fellows' hall. Mrs. ANNIE LAWRENCE, M. E. C. Mrs. LIZZIE CHASE, M. of R. S.

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