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### COUNCIL MEETING.

The Usual Monthly Routine of Business Transacted.

Monday night was regular meeting night for the Board of Aldermen, and all were present except councilman Kirk.

The liquor license petitions of Alexander McKay and Lew Shaw were granted and their bondsmen accepted.

The usual batch of bills were allowed, with the exception of one presented by Hansell & Maloney for paper, pens, ink, etc., that was a little over a year old, which was, on the motion of Cox, referred to the finance committee. The age tacked to it was no doubt the reason that it was consigned to the merciless scrutiny of the hard hearted finance committee.

The matter of the payment of \$50 to ex-treasurer, T. D. Taylor, was next brought up. This matter had been referred to the finance committee at a previous meeting, but when called on for their report had none to make. They were instructed to report at next regular meeting.

### A Good Rancher.

Louie La Brashe, the well known farmer, who resides up Wild Horse, and raises about everything that can be grown in Oregon soil, was in town Wednesday and gave the Press some figures. On May 1st he sowed 9 acres of barley, and on July 1st—exactly two months from the day it was sown, it was cut and bound. From this 9 acres Mr. La Brashe, received 273 sacks of plump, bright barley, which averaged 107 pounds to the sack. He raises almost everything out at his ranch, has a fine orchard, and will next year sow alfalfa and raise hogs for market.

### He Was Gay.

Last Saturday night a fellow who lives north of town, took on a supply of liquid refreshments. In other words he was drunk—or thought he was, and the way he yelled and used profanity, the citizens of the north part of the town came to the hasty conclusion that he was slightly intoxicated. The fellow was on horseback, leading another horse and doing the "boycow" act to perfection. He'll get it where the chicken got the ax next time, for the marshal is laying for him.

### For Sale.

One of the best residences in town. Will sell cheap or trade for cattle. For particulars apply at this office.

### Church Appointments.

Rev. W. H. Selleck, pastor of the Thompson street Methodist church in Pendleton, was appointed to the

## Local News.

What's the matter with the hose team?

J. Bloch and ye editor were in the country Monday.

The law says you may legitimately kill grouse now.

The Foss boys are erecting a barn of comfortable proportions this week.

Geo. Martin will commence a school soon in the Gallaher district, west of town.

Miss Leola Young returned yesterday from an extended visit to friends in Tacoma.

Jacob Osborn, who has been visiting at the Maloney home, left this week for Tacoma.

A sheep herder near La Grande was confronted by three cinnamon bear one morning this week.

Since the showers have occurred, the dust has vanished and the roads are in much better condition.

The Weston Normal school has opened and quite a number of students from this city are attending.

Rev. E. A. Leonard preached to a large congregation in the Christian church last Wednesday night.

Prof. Lewis' entertainment Tuesday evening is spoken very highly of by those who were in attendance.

Please don't forget that a competent and experienced druggist fills the prescriptions at Osburn's Drug store.

A new livery barn is going up on lower Main street. It will be under the management of Wm. Montague.

Our job department turned out some neat work this week. We are "up to date" in this line, and don't you forget it.

T. P. Page brought down from his Athena ranch Monday evening some fine fruit. The pears were of especially fine quality.

Henry Schmitt poured a little oil in our lamp this week, and the subscription date on his paper was consequently changed. Thanks.

Karl's Clover Root, the great Blood purifier gives freshness and clearness to the complexion, and cures Constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., \$1.00.

Shiloh's Cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose 25 cts., and \$1.00.

Max Lewin has leased the building next door to the Pioneer Drug Store, of Frank Beale and will remove his grocery stock about the first of the month.

There is no excuse for any man to appear in society with a grizzled beard since the introduction of Buckingham's Dye, which colors natural brown or black.

Louie La Brashe and family, Ed, La Fave and family, Hugh Robie and wife and others, will leave soon for the Wallowa country on a fishing and hunting expedition.

O. D. Crane, an old newspaper man from the Dalles, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Crane is a newspaper man of long experience and is in quest of a suitable location.

ATTENTION ALL.—Be sure and buy your harvest supplies in the line of groceries, at Max Lewin's Cash Grocery, as he sells cheaper than any one else in Athena. Call and get prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Last Sunday Frank Leavitt and Frank Amorse, of La Grande, saw five cattle lying in the bottom of a well 20 feet deep. They had been feeding along the edge of the well, when the earth crumbled and let them down in a heap.

A Milton man asked his wife "Why is a husband like dough?" He expected she would give it up, and was going to tell her it was "because a woman needs him," but she said it was because he was "hard to get off her hands."

Peter Christopher, who lives 6 miles north of Pendleton, lost about 60 sacks of wheat Tuesday morning about the hour of 1 o'clock. The men came in a wagon, loaded it and drove away, and then returned for more. Some one saw them when they came the second time, and frightened them away.

Tribune: W. G. Lynn, of the Producers' Warehouse company, at Helix, was in the city yesterday. He says that his company has 16,000 sacks of wheat in storage, and is hauling 1750 a day, most of which is No. 1. The Hamilton & Rourke company, the Farmers and others are also receiving large quantities.

The Pasco News correspondent at Umatilla claims that Private Anderson, Troop D, Fourth cavalry, the government bicycle courier, did not cover the entire distance between Walla Walla and Vancouver on his wheel. The private, it is asserted, rode on the cars from Umatilla to The Dalles, 99 miles.

Mrs. J. Brehm and children of this city, were on their way to Walla Walla yesterday, when the horse Mr. Brehm was driving became frightened and ran away. Mrs. Brehm and the children escaped uninjured, but the horse ran into a barb wire fence and was cut so badly that it had to be shot.

One of the Kansas papers contained the following "society" item the other day: "Maud Hasting was pretty busy while here last week. She broke John Sayre's colt to ride, raked alfalfa, pitched wheat and killed a snake. Come again, Maudie."

Mrs. Carden wishes to announce to the ladies of Athena and vicinity that her fall stock of millinery goods have arrived. The stock comprises the latest styles and novelties, and will be sold very cheap.

Chas. Pierce, cashier of the Weston Bank, and Miss Aura Lovelidge were married Sunday at the Methodist church, in Pendleton, Rev. W. W. Brannin officiating.

Geo. Dempsey, who is well known in Athena, who was matched Saturday night with Casey, in a fifteen-round glove contest for points was bested by Casey.

We extend thanks to Mrs. Reeder for a quantity of fine prunes. Mrs. Reeder has several hundred pounds for sale at one cent a pound.

A residence in La Grande was struck by lightning Sunday evening. The inmates were shocked, but not seriously.

John Kirk, a former resident of Umatilla county, but now living in the Willamette valley, was in the city Tuesday.

Dr. Richardson will be in Athena Tuesday next and stay three days doing dentistry work. Call and see him.

Chas. Fischer and Carl Lively took a spin to Walla Walla Sunday, returning Monday.

A. Schneabele, the proprietor of the Athena Bakery, this week assigned to Lake France.

Kirkland's Drug Store is a credit to the town, he is making improvements every day.

H. McArthur and Judge DePeatt were two Athenians, who visited Pendleton Monday.

Pendleton will have a bicycle track, and all the cranks down there are satisfied.

Kirkland keeps his still constantly running to supply the demand for pure water.

Louis Bergovin is afflicted with boils. He does not relish the affliction much.

Mrs. Chas. Willert and children visited friends in Athena Saturday and Sunday.

W. W. Brannin, well known in this city has moved to Portland to reside.

"Jinks" Dudley's father is here on a visit, from Lebanon, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johns are visiting out of town this week.

Lew Shaw was in Pendleton Wednesday.

### THE COUNTY COURT.

The September Term Was Opened Wednesday—Business Transacted.

The September term of county court was opened Wednesday. Judge Martin and Commissioners Gilliland and Adams were present.

Bids for furnishing supplies to the poor house was received and opened. Alexander & Hexter were the lowest bidders and were awarded the contract.

The contract for supplying wood was awarded to Light Bros. at \$3.47 a cord.

Unclaimed county warrants amounting to \$115.20, seven years old, were ordered cancelled.

John McDill, lessee of the John Day toll road, submitted his bi-monthly report. His receipts were \$116.50. His salary was \$100, leaving a balance of \$16.50.

Patients admitted to the county poor farm for treatment during the month of August were: Fred Hare, H. B. Blackwell, Charles L. Deehorn, Albert Marmont, John W. Clare, Ella Barton and James Smith.

### Chehalis, the Pacer.

Speaking of Chehalis, Frank Frazier's wonderful pacing stallion, the Oregonian says: Chehalis did not surprise local horsemen when he went a mile in 2:09. He won

a big five heat race by taking the last three. Pathmont took the first two. The Woodland track, according to good authority, never saw a prettier contest. There were numerous starters, but the race was between the Oregon entries from start to finish. Both Pathmont and Chehalis distinguished themselves in a marked degree. Chehalis, it is said took the last three heats with the greatest ease. Horsemen who saw the race say that he can go several seconds faster. He is not entered in any more races for the present season, but it is very probable that his owner and driver, Frank Frazier, of Pendleton, will start him in the great free-for-all race at Sacramento next week. Veterans of the turf in this city predict that Chehalis will get a very low mark if he starts in that race, and believe that he can beat any pacer on the coast.

### CAPTURED A COUNTERFEITER.

Clever Piece of Detective Work by Deputy Marshal Bentley.

By a piece of clever detective work, Deputy United States Marshal John M. Bentley yesterday captured W. H. Lane, who, the evidence at hand shows, has been engaged in the manufacture of counterfeit coins, and has been very diligent in giving the same the largest possible circulation. Lane, it is charge, has been doing a flourishing business, and, in his section, has almost driven Uncle Sam's coins out of the market.

Several months ago Mr. Bentley learned that counterfeiters were at work in this county, and upon investigation he concluded that Lane was the criminal. He procured a warrant for the arrest of that gentleman, but did not obtain sufficient evidence against him until Wednesday, when he set out for Pilot Rock with William McBride, expecting to find Lane at Cottrell's ranch, where some races were being given. But Lane did not materialize, and the officer had to drive to his home in the mountains, seven miles from Alba. At 4 o'clock yesterday morning, Mr. Bentley arose and at 8 o'clock he had his prisoner and was on his way back to Pendleton.

Lane was arranged before United States Commissioner Bean yesterday afternoon, and entered a plea of not guilty. His bail was fixed at \$500. He will have an examination in a day or two.

Mr. Bentley says that many spurious coins of Lane's manufacture have been circulated in Pendleton. The prisoner has apparently been in the business for some time, and seems to have worked alone. He is a married man and has one child.—Tribune.

### The Post's View.

In a long editorial the Salem Post supported the secretary of state in his position of opposition to the regents' demand for the appropriated money, and says that "Mr. Kincaid takes the sensible ground that he is bound by law to issue warrants to the persons who have performed service or furnished supplies, on properly verified vouchers, after and not before the amount have been due. And here the attorney general is in accord with the secretary of state. Already \$1,600 of the \$16,000 has been paid out, and the whole amount can thus be drawn as fast as it is needed. And this should satisfy any reasonable person, or any body of reasonable persons. But the fact is, the money is not wanted to run the school, but rather to put in a bank for the benefit and conveyance of private parties. But this was not the purpose of the appropriation. Neither was it the intention of the legislature."

### Oregon's Fruit Interests.

It is the intention of the state horticultural board, says the Portland Telegram, to compile and publish in the near future a sort of history or record of the fruit industry of Oregon. This will be a very interesting and valuable work, and one in which every prominent fruitgrower will have a place. The purpose is to give a description of the fruit farms in every part of the state, when the trees were set out the number and variety, by whom owned, etc. The record will be as complete as possible, and the data obtained from the most authentic sources. Secretary George I. Sargent will have charge of the general compilation of this history. It will involve a great amount of hard and careful labor.

### Rejected the Proposal.

Pendleton's city council at a recent meeting rejected Editor Jackson's proposition to lease that city's water system. The O. R. & N. was interested in the deal, and the proposition was to put in a gravity system, tapping the Umatilla river 14 miles above the town.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

### A BURGLAR SENTENCED.

James Henney, of Walla Walla, Sent to the Penitentiary.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 4.—James Henney, the man who broke into Stewart & Holmes' drug store several weeks ago, and was captured by the police, while carrying away the cash register, plead guilty to robbery before Judge Upton in the superior court this morning, and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

The police last night arrested E. White, charged with raising a bank bill. White went into a house of ill-repute this evening and attempted to pass a \$1 bill which had been raised to \$10. The police were notified and he was arrested. White claimed he did not know the bill had been raised. He is about 21 years old, and has been here about two days, coming from Rock Creek, Lincoln county.

While training a horse at the racetrack last evening, William Holbrook met with an accident which may prove fatal. The horse became frightened, jumped a fence and fell over on his rider. Holbrook was badly bruised about the head, his ribs crushed, and is thought to be injured internally.

Johnny Deimer, a farmer residing near this city, was adjudged insane and taken to the asylum today. He is about 62 years of age, and married. Two years ago he had a severe attack of sickness, and developed signs of insanity. Six months ago he was examined as to his sanity, but acted so rationally that he was discharged. Since then his dementia increased until he became very violent. Monday he deliberately placed one of his feet in the fire and burned it badly.

### FROM ANOTHER SOURCE.

He Also Thinks the Single Tax Would Help Us.

I note in a recent issue that you welcome Chicago people who are looking up the idea of establishing a beet-root factory in Eastern Oregon, and suggest that some of your townsmen ought to make them advantageous offers to establish their industry in your neighborhood. I know enough about the climate and soil of your section to be sure that its advantages are great, but there are other ways by which you can make it advantageous to business men to locate with you. For instance, there is the present unjust and foolish way assessors have of taxing industry; just as soon as a factory or industry, is erected they tax it, and practically place a fine on industry, while the law speculator (and their names is legion) gets off without any more tax at all, and furthermore he gets the benefit of the general advantage of the community without paying his share, reaping where he has not sown. Profit can not be earned by him without taking away from some one else.

If you were to adopt the single tax on land values you would attract industries to your state by that, more than any other way, and I urge the idea upon the consideration of your many readers.

HENRY G. SEAVER.

### Cholera in China.

The cholera increases in Peking and the deaths exceed 1500 daily. It also increases in Japan. The total number of cholera cases reported throughout Japan on August 19 was 771, and the deaths 429. The aggregate number of cases from the start is 25,000, of which 1230 occurred on transport, and the deaths number 16,278. There were 18 new cases in Tokio in the 24 hours ending at noon August 21, of which two died. A telegram from Mr. Chindas, Japanese consul at Shanghai, reports 263 deaths among Chinese and seven among foreigners in the British and American concessions between the 1st and 13th of August. Another case has occurred on the Italian cruiser Umbria, bringing up the total number of cases on the vessel to eight.

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