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31 Years Ago

February 7, 1896

The lark and the robin are with us.

Warm days have brought the pesky squirrel forth from his lair and our nimrods of the rifle may be seen going forth to slaughter them. Shooting squirrels is said to be fine sport, and a number of our business men are experts with the rifle, for which the farmer is duly thankful.

The municipal political pot is not simmering as has been its accustomed wont in the past. "Scab" and "ring" are words that have apparently sought the shades of all else departed, for we have not heard them mentioned so far. From all appearances, Athena's city election, which occurs on March 3, will be a rather tame affair, to say the least. But then, you cannot always tell which way the ball will roll, and mayhap there is fun in store for the boys yet.

Mrs. J. W. Maloney has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Pendleton.

Albert Bales, Philip Price and Ella Craigen attended teacher's examination at Pendleton, this week.

Tom Purdy has accepted a position as book keeper for a Pendleton firm. Frank Tharp and family and F. M. Kirkland departed Saturday for the Willamette valley. Mr. Kirkland went down with a car loaded with stock and household goods. The Tharps will locate in Corvallis.

Our horse team should begin to train for the tournament. The officers of the association will meet in Pendleton on the 15th to decide on a place where the tournament will take place.

Negotiations for the erection of a new opera house and lodge room are going right along with fair prospects of materializing.

The council and the city marshal came together again in regard to a bill. Mr. Gillis wanted \$36 for 12 days carpenter work. Councilman Kirk thought times were too hard to pay that amount, and thought \$2 per day reasonable. Mr. Gillis preferred if the bill was to be cut to have the number of days lessened and not the amount per day, as he did not wish to establish a precedent of working at his trade for \$2 per day. Mr. Kirk then made the motion to allow Gillis \$24 for 8 days carpenter work.

The Press is pleased to state that Prof. R. O. Hawks is now able to be out. The many friends of Mr. Hawks will be pleased to learn that he is regaining his health.

Born—In Athena, February 1, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hansell, a boy.

Mrs. Lowell Rogers and Mrs. Adam Knox were central figures in a runaway below town Sunday night. The buggy pole tore thro' the neck-yoke, and scared the team. The ladies were thrown to the ground and Mrs. Rogers severely hurt. The buggy is a wreck.

The funeral train conveying the remains of Sam P. Sturgis for interment at Walla Walla, passed through this city at 9:22 this morning. Many

friends of the deceased were at the depot together with the Masonic lodge of this city, who marched to the train in a body, and boarded the train for Walla Walla to take part in the funeral ceremony.

R. M. O'Brien is one farmer of this neighborhood whose foresight and faith have brought him reward. Mr. O'Brien has believed all along that the low price of wheat could not last. He thought and said that when such a staple remained lower than the cost of production, it was no time to sell; such a condition was unnatural, and could not endure forever. So he held on to his crops of 1894 and 1895 with the persistency of a book agent to a promising victim, and mortgaged his home place that he might be enabled to do so. His patience has at last been rewarded, much to the pleasure of himself and friends. Last Saturday he sold 5400 bushels, the purchasers being Stump & McCaw, of the Weston mills, and W. S. Byers, the big Pendleton miller. The price was 52 and 54 cents, and enabled Mr. O'Brien to free himself from his mortgage and all other obligations. He yet has 3000 bushels, which he is in no hurry to sell.

Sam P. Sturgis died at his home on Water and Johnson streets a few minutes after 9 o'clock Tuesday night. Hardly a second later the news of the death of Pendleton's most prominent and popular citizen got abroad and caused sorrow among those who knew him intimately and those who were chance acquaintances; all recognizing him as a true benefactor, a man of sterling integrity and a man of conservatism, truly beneficial to all communities, in fact, a man who had the interests of his adopted city at heart.

Ay, That's the Rub

The word "scrape," meaning a difficulty or some unfortunate predicament, has several synonyms, as "rub," a "squeeze," a "pinch," etc., all of which are younger than the term "scrape," and of slightly different interpretation. "Getting into a scrape" came from Scotland, and the expression is as old as the ancient and honorable game of golf. In Scotland a rabbit's hole or burrow is called a "scrape." When a player's ball rolled into one of these holes it was manifestly impossible to play it, and the rules of the game recognized this fact by naming but a slight penalty for the player. He merely "got into a scrape."—Chicago Journal.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.
In the Matter of the estate of Jacob Franklin Reno, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account and report in the above entitled matter and that the above entitled Court has fixed Saturday, the 5th day of March, 1927, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day, as the time, and the County Court room in the County Court house at Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place, for the hearing of said final account and report. Objections to said final account and report should be filed on or before that date.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 4th day of February, 1927.
S. F. SHARP,
Administrator with the Will Annexed of the Estate of Jacob Franklin Reno, Deceased.
Watts & Prestbye, Athena, Oregon,
Attorneys for Estate. F4M4.

Malen Burnett Pupils In Interesting Recital

The pupils of the Athena branch of Malen Burnett School of Music appeared in recital at high school auditorium, Wednesday evening of last week under direction of Miss Edna Hanna. The reading of Miss Mitchever was a feature of the program, which was as follows:

- Duet, Scarf Dance.....Chaminade
- Betty Eager and Marjorie Douglas
- Chimes and Bells.....Holst
- Daniel Reeder
- The Clock.....Ellsworth
- Happy Sailor.....Woodrow
- Going to Camp.....Adams
- Aaron Douglas
- Duet, The Bees Lullaby.....Terry
- Bernice Wilson and Marjorie Montague
- Bedtime Song.....Rogers
- Sleep Fairy.....Terry
- Jack O'Lanterns.....Paldi
- Nylene Dee Taylor

- Readings:
- Angelina.....Paul Lawrence Dunbar
- Little Brown Baby.....
-Paul Lawrence Dunbar
- Called Lady on the Telephone.....
-Anon
- Miss Mitchever
- Jack Tar.....Main
- Dance of the Marionettes.....Adams
- Moccasin Dance.....Terry
- Garth Pinkerton
- The Fairy.....Wing
- Minuet.....Rogers
- Elfin Revels.....Paldi
- Bernice Wilson
- The Pig.....Maixim
- Valse.....Rogers
- Howard Reeder
- Fairies in the Ring.....Branscombe
- Gypsy Dance.....Dutton
- A Jolly Party.....Grant Schaeffer
- Will o' the Wisp.....Grodich
- Marjorie Montague
- A Roving.....Silcher
- Myrtle Campbell
- Punch and Judy.....Lemont
- Tarantella.....MacDowell
- Marjorie Douglas
- March Mignonette.....Jansen
- Skating.....Kullak
- The Skylark.....Tachaikowsky
- Betty Eager
- White Moth.....Ware
- Gavotte.....Mowzey
- Kathleen Radtke
- Reading—Arrangement of "If I Were King".....McCarthy
- Miss Mitchever
- Romance.....Sibelius
- Edna DeFreece
- Prelude.....Barbour
- Fred Radtke
- Revel of Spring.....Friml
- Emma Thoeny
- Etude de Concert.....MacDowell
- Lois Johnson

A "Show Me" Boy

Bobby had his mother's best bread knife out in the yard, where he had been trying to cut bricks. His mother found him at the job and asked him:

"How in the world do you expect mother to cut bread with that knife when you get through?"
"I don't know, mother. Show me how," came back Bobby, who handed the knife back to the fond parent.—Columbus Dispatch.

Source of Quinine

Cinchona or chincona is the name of the tree from the bark of which is prepared the valuable medicine called quinine. The tree is a native of South America, growing best on the moist eastern slope of the Andes mountains, but it has been successfully introduced into India, Burma, Ceylon and the West Indies. The bark of this tree is called Peruvian bark, because it was in Peru that the Spaniards first learned of its medicinal properties. It is also known as cinchona bark, and from it quinine is obtained, which in the form of sulphate of quinine has a wide use in the practice of medicine.

No. 214
SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Umatilla.

E. C. Prestbye, Plaintiff,
vs.
Viola Butler Shafer, Defendant.
To Viola Butler Shafer the above named defendant: In the Name of the State of Oregon:
You are hereby notified that E. C. Prestbye is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 1984 issued on the 10th day of November, 1925, by the Sheriff and Tax Collector of the County of Umatilla, State of Oregon, for the amount of Thirteen and 88-100 (\$13.88) Dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1922, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said County and State, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1 and 2 in Block 5 of Kirk's Second Addition to the City of Athena, Umatilla County, Oregon.
You are further notified that said E. C. Prestbye has paid City Liens and has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

Year's Tax	Date Paid	Tax Rec'd Number	Am't	Rate	In't
1925	Nov 10, 1925	112-9	12.74	12	
1924	Nov 10, 1925	112-1	14.18	12	
City of Athena	Jan 1, 1926		263.05	12	
State	Apr 29, 1926	317	6.98	12	
1925	Nov 2, 1925	88-9	6.87	12	

Said Viola Butler Shafer, as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other persons above named are hereby further notified that E. C. Prestbye will apply to the Circuit Court of the County and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the first publication of the summons exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown together with costs and accrued interest and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named. This summons is published by order of the Honorable Gilbert W. Phelps Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Umatilla, and said order was made and dated the 6th day of December, 1926, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 24th day of December, 1926.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned residing within the State of Oregon, at the address hereafter mentioned.
Address, Athena, Oregon.
WATTS & PRESTBYE,
Attorneys for the Plaintiff.
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