

CONDONITES WED

United in marriage last evening.

ANDERSON - M'FARLAND

back heavily injured by Rev. Curran - Will also be in this city-Charivari received the full of friends. directly in office and it Miss Jo that his nose was fractured was reduced along nicely. Thursday 1909 at ceremony was over by Rev. E. Curran in the presence of only the relatives of the young couple. After the ceremony a number of their friends gave them a rousing charivari. The bride is a young lady of winning disposition and is eminently fitted for the position she has assumed. The groom is one of Condon's most industrious and upright young men. They will reside in the Duthie residence in this city. The Globe joins with their many friends in wishing them much joy and prosperity.

Mrs. D. H. Cottmire went to Portland yesterday to pack her household goods preparing to ship them to this city.

H. C. Winans was an outgoing passenger yesterday morning.

Mrs. W. S. Thompson and Miss Bertha Brown of Fossil passed through this city yesterday morning on their way to Salem where they will make their future home.

LAUGHRIDGE GETS APPOINTMENT AS CENSUS ENUMERATOR

C. N. Laughridge received notice this week that he had received the appointment of census enumerator for Condon precinct. He will start work on April 15 and has one month in which to finish. "Shang" is well known in this community and nothing need be said as to his ability to handle the work intrusted to him. If he gets all the chicken dinners he expects will probably finish the work considerably before the allotted time.

Congregational church services tomorrow and you are most cordially invited both morning and evening.

Cottmire & Fehrenbacher proprietors of The Palm, will add an up-to-date ice cream parlor, next week, to their already well equipped confectionery. Other improvements will be added to supply the trade of the summer months.

Elgin Myers has become a bona fide expert. Anyone wishing any information on this subject should ask him.

Don't forget the dance to-night given in the rink by the Athletic Club, music by The Wheat City Orchestra.

Wayne Conroy of Paper Sack has been in Condon for the past week under Dr. Wood's treatment.

Mrs. Wm. Farr returned Wednesday evening from a short visit to Blalock.

Lester Wade returned home Monday evening after spending a few days on the ranch at Rock Creek.

The wool clip of Oregon last year left \$2,500,000 in the pockets of the sheepmen. The mills of the state use about 30 percent of the entire clip.

Miss Lillian Brown who had been visiting her brother on Rock Creek a few days returned home Monday evening.

The victories won last week by Oregon's debating teams gave the state the championship over four western states.

Kenneth Welshons was up from Clem Tuesday.

Even the wise men are occasionally otherwise.

Fine line of spring straws at Wade & Veatch.

Pure silk and woolen suits at Wade & Veatch Co's.

Conductor Andrews who has been on the Inland Limited for the past week is telling one on himself. A young lady got on the train at Arlington a few days ago after kissing a tearful farewell to a dozen girls who were on the depot platform. She appeared to be worried about something and she took a live interest in the stations when the train stopped.

After the train had left Rock Creek she asked Conductor Andrews to please tell her when the train arrived at Clem. Claud, who is exceptionally considerate, for a railroad man, agreed to do so but there was a rush of business when the train got to Clem and he forgot his promise but thought of it when he saw the young lady after the train left the station. He stopped the train and went back to the girl and said: "This is Clem, shall we back the train to the depot for you?" The girl thanked him and said: "No, Mr. Andrews, I didn't want to get off at Clem. Mamma said I was to take another pill when I got to Clem and I was afraid I would forget. Thank you, Mr. Andrews."

John Cochran, formerly of the Oregonian staff, is in this city now with the intention of starting a real estate firm here.

Condon Oregon, March 28, 1910.

To The Editor of The Condon Globe,

In your paper of the 18th, of March you published an item to the effect that Graves & Weinke Company had been instrumental in selling my farm. I do not know who gave you this information but in order that the public may not be deceived in this particular and that I may not be misrepresented, I beg to advise you that this real estate firm had nothing whatever to do with the sale of my ranch. I gave them a contract to sell the land which expired on February 18, 1910, and I notified them in writing that the land was withdrawn from their agency. I made a sale to Mr. N. M. McDaniel without any aid or assistance of this concern and the only thing they had to do with the transaction was to attempt to make me pay them \$650.00 commission which I refused to do.

I hope you will give this letter the same prominent space in your paper that you gave to the former news item.

Frank Lewis

DEMONSTRATION TRAIN BIG SUCCESS

Estimated that over six hundred people witness experiments.

SIX CARS FILLED WITH VARIOUS INTERESTING EXHIBITS

Best demonstration train ever sent out - - Short addresses by experts - - Many samples of alfalfa and peas distributed among farmers.

It is needless to say that the demonstration train which was in this city Monday and Tuesday was highly appreciated by the people of Gilliam County. In spite of the cold, disagreeable weather, enthusiastic farmers from all sections of the county and several from Wheeler were present and all took great interest in the demonstrations shown by the experts in the various branches of agricultural work. It is said that this train was the best ever sent out by any railroad in the United States. It was made up of eight cars, six of which were filled with various exhibits. Twenty-five people, including experts representing all lines of agriculture, horticulture and stock raising, accompanied the train. Heretofore the principal features of demonstration trains have been lectures covering the different subjects. The only regrettable feature was that the allotted time of two hours was not long enough to satisfy those present. The dry farming car was in charge of Prof. H. D. Scudder and was devoted to exhibits of soils. The next car was filled with horticultural exhibits. The poultry car and the dry

farming machinery were very attractive to many but probably the most interesting feature was the dairy exhibit and the demonstration of the milking machine. A. A. Morse was with the train and made the people feel welcome. Dr. Withycomb delivered a brief address, also D. O. Lively, who spoke on the great advantages to be derived from raising stock for the market. The farmers who received seeds for experiments were Wm. Gampbell, L. G. Parman, F. M. Shannon, C. J. Quinn, A. Greiner, Cook Bros., John Couture, W. I. Ebbert, W. A. Campbell, R. Froman, W. J. Edwards, J. W. Dyer, J. A. Richmond, and John Magee. The seeds distributed were alfalfa and field peas.

At a meeting of the Fire Department Monday evening, J. B. White was elected chief, Wm. Dunlap captain and Harold Hunt Secretary. The Company now contains eighteen members, besides the officers who have realized the pressing need of a well drilled company and in the future they will have regular practice to familiarize themselves with the work.

GILLIAM COUNTY FARMERS SUBPOENAED

United States Court to be held at Pendleton.

Judge Bean and United States Attorney McCourt will begin a term of United States Court at Pendleton on Tuesday, April 5. Among the cases to be tried are a number of inheritance claims against the estates of polygamous Indians. In conformity with tribal regulations many Umatilla Indians have maintained more than one tepee in the past, and when death removed the "brave", the children of more than one squaw have come forward as heirs to the allotment of land awarded the Indian by the Government. Many of the estates are valuable.

A jury list of forty tax payers has been drawn from Eastern Oregon and among these are K. W. Cooke, Ralph Froman of this city, Luther Auston of Eight-Mile, F. D. Bunch of Blalock and J. W. Maidment of Lone Rock.

E. C. Rogers went to his Rock Creek ranch Monday. Mr. Rogers spends a good share of his time there in order to superintend the work. He reports the big plowing outfit to be doing fine work and expects to finish his 700 acres of spring plowing some time next week. Much interest in the big machine is manifested by the extensive farmers of the country.

Jay Bowerman left Wednesday morning for Portland.

BOOSTER CLUB EXPLAINS SITUATION

Instructs T. A. Weinke to write following letter.

To the Editor of the Globe: Owing to the breach in the ranks of those who on Wednesday night took it upon themselves to form a club for the purpose of advertising Gilliam county to the outside world, and the fact that I was one of those who withdrew from a committee to which I was assigned for duty, it becomes necessary for me to explain to the public what has caused this breach and why this step was taken.

The citizens of Gilliam County well knew that certain individuals, in co-operation with the Condon Globe, for several months advocated a booster club for our county, but no one came forward to lend their assistance toward this worthy cause, and which would have meant thousands of dollars to the farmers and merchants of Gilliam County. During the month of February last some of the progressive and enterprising citizens of our county took it upon themselves to cause such an organization to be formed. And this with a view that Gilliam County be advertised on a small scale, so that people could be provided with literature about Gilliam County which would not have the name of a real estate concern attached to it. But between the period that the club was formed and the day Mr. Wells came to Condon, Mr. G. E. Townsend came into

the office of Graves & Weinke Company and informed the writer of this article that the O. R. N. Co. got out a fine booklet for Mosier [a copy of which was handed to me at that time] and he thought the railroad company was furnishing several dollars for every one a community would put up. This information I conveyed to the directors of the Booster Club, who instructed me to write to the railroad company and see what they would do. Whereupon I received the replies which appeared in a recent issue of the Globe.

The Booster Club then made arrangements to meet with Mr. Wells at Arlington and Condon. On March the 22nd he gave an elegant address to the citizens of Arlington, outlining the plan of the railroad company, which was well attended by Arlington's enthusiastic, progressive and patriotic citizens. They immediately grasped the long looked for opportunity to advertise the county, under the plan suggested by Mr. Wells. The next morning Mr. Wells heard Walter Wade of Olex, who happened to be eating at the same breakfast table with Mr. Wells, that Condon was divided on the Gilliam County Booster Club. This made him approach me on the subject whereupon I gave him the history of the club. It then was his sincere desire that the trouble be patched up and the organization be made a harmonious one, and asked me if it could be accomplished. After this the directors of the Booster Club held a conference with Mr. Wells in an endeavor to find ways and means whereby the obstacles could be overcome. We finally agreed to take the matter up, and I was requested to bring the people of Condon together.

On Wednesday night after coming to Condon with Mr. Wells I escorted him to the post office and as we were leaving the place I took him into Mr. Reisacher's harness store to meet Mr. Reisacher. I then offered to take him to the office of Bowerman but to this Mr. Wells protested for the reason that he had not been feeling well for several days and begged for an hour's sleep to which arrangement I naturally consented. After supper that evening I returned to the hotel and found Mr. Wells and while there waiting Mr. Reisacher came in, and it was suggested that we go down to meet some of the business men, among them being J. Bowerman. After reaching Bowerman's office I laid before him the birth of Gilliam County Booster Club. He then and there said that he was not opposed to the movement

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W. W. Stiewer of Fossil passed through this city Wednesday morning on his pay to Portland.

R. E. Wright one of the prominent sheepmen in the vicinity of Spray is making experiments which if successful will save him hundreds of dollars each year. He is plowing 100 acres of the hill land on his ranch on Parish Creek and will sow it to spring wheat which he will cut for hay, bale and slide down a chute to his big barn on the creek. Mr. Wright spent \$1300 for feed last winter and if his crop is a success it will do away with that expense. It would also prove that such land now being used for range only can be converted into productive wheat farms.

COMMUNICATED

C. W. Martin Writes Explanatory Letter.

ON CONSERVATION MEETING

Explains Why It Should Be Held In This City On April 4th.

I am somewhat surprised to learn that there is some dissatisfaction as to the place of holding the meeting on April 4th relative to conservation dam on Rock Creek. I may have been a little hasty in calling meeting at Condon instead of Olex, so feel it my duty to offer explanation. In the first place in order to gather data we will have to have access to the Assessors Rolls and Co. Plats which can only be gained through an Attorney and our Water Codes with which Condon is supplied. I have talked this matter over with some of Condon's leading business men and Citizens and find them in hearty accord with the move and have the assurance of their help and support in the measure. Condon being the principal town and our county seat I deemed it for reasons already set forth, as the proper place for a meeting of this kind to be held and select solely upon my own judgement not from any selfish notions or influence from any source whatever.

So, now friends from far and near, let us lay aside any difference of opinion along this line and gather in Condon on April 4th, with the sole purpose and intent of bettering our conditions and the the County in general.

C. W. Martin.

LOCAL LODGE OF REBEKAHS PRACTICING FOR DRAMA

The local lodge of the Rebekahs are preparing a drama which will be put on in this city during the next two weeks. It is a three act comedy drama entitled "What's Next" and is full of fun from start to finish. There are ten or twelve characters in the cast and these are composed of Condon's best talent. Specialties will be given between acts.

It will come as a surprise to some, and as a sail-flattener to others, to know that an unemotional study of Government figures shows that the average grain yield of the Northwest is greater than that of Canada. And the average grain yields in what is commonly called the Inland Empire of the Northwest is considerably higher than that of the entire Northwest. For the five-year period, 1904-1908, the official average wheat yield per acre for Oregon was 20.2 bushels; the entire Northwest, 22.4 bushels. Official Canadian statistics show that for the same five-year period the average wheat yield per acre of Saskatchewan was 16.5 bushels; Alberta, 21.4 bushels; both provinces, 16.9 bushels. During the same period, the entire Northwest produced an average of 36.6 bushels of oats per acre; Saskatchewan, 31.4 bushels; and Alberta, 35.7 bushels. Also the Northwest produced an average of 36.4 of barley per acre; Saskatchewan, 19.3 bushels; and Alberta, 25.8 bushels. - April Pacific Monthly.