

PREPARE EXHIBIT MANUAL TRAINING

Hood River public schools will have the proud distinction of exhibiting at the Lewis and Clark exposition the only manual training work from Wasco county. It will possibly be a surprise to many to learn that the young men of Hood River high school have been doing manual training work since the first of the year. The boys have a work shop in the school building on the hill. Several of the students have had some experience in this work in Eastern schools. While Hood River does not expect to make the showing that can be made by schools from the larger cities where they have greater facilities for work of this kind, yet the exhibit from this city will be a credit to the school and to the students.

The cabinets in which the exhibits of work from the Hood River school will be built by the students in the manual training department. These cabinets if bought elsewhere would cost \$15 or \$18.

A meeting of the special committee of Wasco county teachers who have in charge the arrangements for the educational display at the Portland fair, met last Saturday in The Dalles. Instructions as to the manner of collecting the exhibits from the several schools of the county will be printed in pamphlet form and distributed to the teachers.

It was arranged that the schools of The Dalles and Hood River should make their exhibits by grades. That is, the work of one grade will be exhibited as such, while from other schools, the work of the school will be placed together with no distinction as to the grades who executed the work.

Professor Wiley believes the schools of Hood River and the valley will be able to prepare a very creditable exhibit. Hood River is so well known among Eastern people, that those who visit the fair next summer will be desirous of learning something about the schools of this country and what the pupils can do. The teachers are now at work collecting material.

Good Land Yet to be Had.

"There is plenty of good land yet to be had in the Minnoka country," remarked L. C. Haynes, who recently returned from his claim on the Snake river. "Eighty acres is all one man is permitted to take up. When the government ditch is completed in 1907, each land owner will be given 80 inches of water. He will pay for this at the rate of \$2 an acre until paid for. The total payment cannot be determined until the government work is completed, but it is not to exceed \$25 an acre. Some believe it will not go over \$14. Thus a land owner will have 80 acres and a perpetual water right, all secured in moderate payments."

Mr. Haynes says there are many people there from Chicago and even New York city. Thousands of people are crowding into Minnoka. Work is plentiful, though wages are not so very high. The railroad construction superintendent is paying \$2.25 per day for laborers. Workmen on the big dam get 20 cents an hour, but it is given out that 400 men will be put to work in the spring with an increase in the wage scale. Bored with a bank can be secured at \$5 a week.

"The land is not difficult to clear," continued Mr. Haynes. "One man can chop off 3/4 of an acre sage brush in a day. The brush will burn at any time of the year. While very little can be raised on the land until the water is brought out, a squatter can get his place in fine shape for planting by the time the ditch is completed, and he can make a living working in the morning. The Minnoka country no doubt has a great future."

"In addition to big irrigating schemes the government is arranging to sink wells every three miles over the country."

Hear the Noted Humorist.

Cyrus Brownlee Newton, the California humorist and entertainer, will appear at the opera house, Friday night, February 3. Reserved seats are now on sale at Clarke's drug store.

Cyrus Brownlee Newton was born 46 years ago in California. After completing his college course in his native state, he sought education in a number of leading educational institutions in the interior of the state, and later accepted the position of professor of elocution with the St. Ignace college of San Francisco. His splendid humorous entertainments attracted wide attention in his native state. He has appeared over 50 times in San Francisco alone, before clubs, lodges, churches, etc. He is without doubt the most finished entertainer this state has produced. He has toured extensively in every state in the Union with the exception of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont. He has made a successful tour of the Hawaiian Islands, New Zealand, Australia and Canada, appearing in most of the large cities. Among the pleasing features of his entertainments are simplicity and naturalness of humor, his refined personality, remarkably melodious voice and great versatility. "As an entertainer he has no superior and few equals."

Evansville, A Saloon-Free Town.

The following is published at the request of the W. C. T. U.: Evansville, Wis. is a thriving little city in Rock county, and has never had a licensed saloon. Eighty per cent of the people who live there own their own homes. The two banks have \$20,000 on deposit, and the homes are kept in splendid shape, all nicely painted and repaired.

It owns its own water and lighting plants, and has a total bonded indebtedness of less than \$60,000, at four per cent interest. Not a man in this city favors the establishment of saloons—Fredericktown (O.) Free Press.

Evansville, Wis., July 7, 1904.—Geo. T. Prather, Hood River, Or.—Dear Sir: The statements on slips are not in the least overdrawn. Our banks probably have more than \$100,000 on deposit now. Yes, we occasionally have a blind pig, but we have never failed to get rid of them in short time. The worst thing we have to handle is the practice of a few of the boozers who pool their coin and send some one to Jayville to buy a dozen or so plates of whisky, but no respectable drinker would club with such parties and the aforesaid boozers seldom have money enough for more than one drunk so that there is not much damage done. There is considerable beer shipped in to private parties who take it home and use it in a rational manner. Would rather have all the boot-leggers, blind pigs, et al, that ever have been here and all working their hardest to get the money out of me, than a travelling man for some years, doing business in several states, had no reality of my own at that time, and picked

out this place for a home, and a residence for 17 years has proven the wisdom of my choice.

In the whole 17 years I have not seen a dozen persons drink and reel on the streets. Our druggists are clean men and try to keep their sales of liquor confined to medicinal purposes. No doubt they are lied to and deceived at times, but we think but few confirmed drinkers can get liquor on any pretence whatever.

We have a store building that cannot be beaten in the state, costing in the neighborhood of \$25,000, covers nearly a half-acre of ground; yearly sales will probably go to \$200,000 this year. Another just as nice, though not quite so large, is now going up. You will find on the back of this something more of our city. I send you some papers in separate enclosures. Respectfully yours, M. J. FISHER.

What an Outsider Saw.

Gilmer, Wash., Jan. 25.—Editor Glacier: On our way home from Eastern Washington we stopped yesterday at Mosier to pay a visit to friends at that burg. We were introduced to a nice old couple from Hood River and being somewhat interested in the welfare of that city and its people, we were much surprised to learn from the old lady that Hood River people, including the mayor, city council and marshal, were up in arms, and prepared to do some cutting loose. Leslie Butler, E. L. Smith and Lou Morse, so it was stated (we expected the latter would) had gone to Portland to get some big knives and a grind stone, to enable them to do the cutting. They propose to begin at Mosier and to cut south, but don't know just how far south, but hoped they would not cut Mount Hood. When The Dalles people heard about the conspiracy they forthwith sent the sheriff to arrest everyone in Hood River.

The not-fellers, though, got wind of it, and quickly sent for Captain Cook and Bill Overbaugh of White Salmon, and when they came they saw the sheriff at the hotel, but did not know what was up until told. Well, these two, and Bill Jordan (Bill Ash being out of town) were to take the sheriff out near Mount Hood and there turn him loose in the wilderness without anything to eat. But Captain Cook thought this would be too bad, and ran down to a milliner shop to get five cents worth of crackers. But when the hotel was reached they found the sheriff had lit out, and all were looking for his tracks in the light snow. But it is thought the sheriff took it with him and is glad of it. J. E. JONES.

Startling But True.

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of Chicago theatre in which nearly 600 people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had reason to fear pneumonia have ward off it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia." W. D. Wilcox, Logan, New York. Sold at Williams' Pharmacy.

Welcome Rev. W. C. Gilmore.

The reception at the Congregational parsonage last Friday night extended to Rev. Gilmore's family by the members of the congregation and friends of the church, was largely attended. The evening was very pleasantly spent in conversation and later refreshments were served. There was a recitation by Miss Frances Bragg, and some excellent music by little Florence Brosius. The recitation and music were much appreciated.

Rev. Mr. Gilmore, although a resident of the city but a few months, has already endeared himself to the people, and his earnest efforts for the upbuilding of the community have made him a factor among the citizens. Himself and family are delighted with the town and valley. The expressions of welcome on behalf of the members and friends of the congregation were very cordial.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making an attempt to sell imitations of Dr. King's Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit through the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's or Bowlin's remedies, as all others are mere imitations. H. E. Baxter & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada. Medicines sold at C. N. Clarke's drug store.

Railroad to Mount Hood.

Portland capitalists have organized a company for the construction of a railroad to Troutdale, 18 miles this side of Portland. The road then continues up the Sandy river to the base of Mount Hood. The incorporators are: Seneca Smith, Napoleon Davis, Guy Willis, A. L. Stone, George L. Story and A. W. Lambert. Capitalization authorized at present is only \$10,000, but the amount will be increased in the immediate future as soon as the necessity arises for broadening the operations of the corporation to carry out the plans now formed.

The effort will be made to have it ready for use during the Lewis and Clark exposition, and immense travel is expected as a result of the large number of people who will Oregon visit this summer.

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Will Move to Oregon.

Percy Laraway tells us he is going soon to Oregon. He has the scoters' lever and will go to Hood River where his two sisters, Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Gove are now living. Preparatory to this move he will hold a public sale at his place west of town January 27.—(Glenwood (Pa.) Tribune.)

The fruitgrowers of Union, Oregon, and vicinity are preparing to organize for the purpose of more systematic growth and marketing of their products. About 150 cars of fruit are shipped from that point each season.

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