

WHITE SALMON WANTS US TO SIGN PETITION

The Commercial Club is in receipt of a communication from C. L. Colburn, principal of the White Salmon schools, accompanied by a petition which the residents of White Salmon are circulating and which will be forwarded to the officers and managers of the Portland and Seattle Railroad Company, asking them to locate a depot at White Salmon. That gentleman wants the club to circulate among the residents of Hood River for signers. The petition reads as follows: To the Officers and Managers of the Seattle and Portland Railroad, known as the "North-Bank" Road.

MOSIER.

Mrs. Green is suffering from a severe attack of influenza. G. C. Ireland and wife have moved to town for the winter, from their home on the mountain.

Irene Fisher, daughter of S. D. Fisher, is lying quite ill at her home with pneumonia.

John Gavin, an attorney of the Dalles, was a visitor in Mosier on Saturday of last week.

Having business in our town, F. B. Snyder, through the accommodation of the O. R. & N. Co.'s train service, was obliged to walk up from Hood River on Sunday last.

Had Young and family, moved to Hood River at which place they will reside through the winter months.

At the hall on Friday evening, a reception will be given Dr. Olmstead by the Artisans. Dr. Olmstead is state medical examiner of the Artisan lodge, and is an entertaining gentleman and a pleasing speaker. This being the case, a very pleasant evening is anticipated by the members of the lodge and their invited guests.

Mr. Fough has rented his place to a man who comes with his family from the upper country.

Rev. F. L. Johns, through the poor accommodation of the train service, was unavoidably detained in Mosier over Sunday night. In the event he pleased the people of the burg with good sermon in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

Amos Rook, a prosperous farmer of Mosier, has recently purchased a new grubbing machine, with which he expects to clear a nice tract of land for spring plowing.

George Haacke, a man who clearly foresees the great fruit future of Mosier, is rapidly putting his land, adjacent to town, into condition that he may in the near future become his industry in that line of industry, an industry which without doubt in a few years will carry the lead above all others in this vicinity, and unless Mosier is successful in being the one in coming in under the name of East Hood River, Hood River may feel prompted to annex itself to us as West Mosier. We are in love with Hood River, and we hope that the feeling is reciprocated.

Mr. Stradley and family, who have been living in the Liffler house, have rented Frank Ginger's place west of town.

On January 2 the Odd Fellows had a public installation of officers, after which a pleasant program was rendered, an interesting feature of which was a mock initiation, which was enjoyed by all. A banquet followed the entertainment, which, of course, was well received, as such things usually are. A number of visiting members were present from neighboring towns.

The Modern Woodmen and the Royal Neighbors held a joint installation of officers on Saturday evening, followed by a banquet, such as the Woodmen and Neighbors are capable of giving.

A social dance was given at the hall on Friday night. All those who participated report it to have been an unusually enjoyable affair.

Frank Middlemas is home on a visit from Bremerton, Wash. While here he is conducting a dancing school in the hall. Mr. Middlemas is a man of accomplishment, and all those who worship at the shrine of Terpsichore, should avail themselves of this rare opportunity of accomplishing the desires of their heart—a thing which we feel sure Frank is, in deed, capable of assisting you in accomplishing.

George Harrison's new cottage looks quite becoming in its fresh coat of paint. Mrs. Sam Stark of Waco is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stark.

D. M. Duval is moving into the residence of C. D. Morgan on his ranch east of town. Mr. Duval expects to remain throughout the winter that he may give his children the advantage of school.

Miss A. L. Gulerson takes pride in presenting the following roll of honor or publication for the school month ending January 1906. It shows the enthusiasm on the part of the pupils to attend school during the winter months despite the muddy roads and inclement weather. It would seem that when such interest is manifested on the part of the children that it should behoove the patrons of the school to provide more comfortable school accommodations for their children. The present school building is far too small and inconvenient to admit either teacher or pupils to labor to the best advantage, and while such eagerness is manifested on the part of children to attain a higher degree of knowledge, parents should awake from their lethargy and set about providing the children with a school room in which to attain this knowledge. Roll of honor for December as follows: Emily Husland, Georgia Waite, Ralph Smith, Willie Depee, Ora Waite, Willie Stewart, Mollie Hudson, Flora Stradley, Aldine Hudson, Annie Haacke, Edie Gorsack, Shelby Hudson, James Green, Alberta Haacke, Douglas Morgan, Leodica Haacke, Irene Morgan, Fronia Denny, Alice Mosier, Mary Morgan,

POLMATIER SISTERS WILL APPEAR HERE

The Polmatier Sisters Concert and Orchestra company will give an entertainment at the opera house January 13 under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias lodge. The company is under the management of J. Congrove, who is well and favorably known here, having given a similar entertainment here two years ago. The press notices of the company are most favorable, as are also several testimonials which the local lodge has received from organizations where the company has appeared very recently.

The Joplin, Mo., Daily Times of April 12, 1905, in speaking of the Polmatier Sisters' Orchestra company, says: "Should these talented and gifted musicians come to Joplin again it will be necessary to display the S. R. O. sign, as our largest public buildings are too small to entertain an audience that would turn out to hear them."

The K. of P.'s are receiving congratulations on every hand for their enterprise in securing for our city this high grade attraction, the Polmatier Sisters Orchestra company.—Anadarko Daily Democrat.

Waitsburg, Wash., Jan. 8, 1906. C. H. Jenkins, Hood River, Oregon. Dear Sir and Bro.: The Polmatier Sisters filled their engagement here Saturday night. While they had a fair house here, it was by no means as large as the attraction deserved, and I can say without hesitancy that it was the cleanest, smoothest entertainment of its kind that the people of this city ever saw. There is not a

poor number on the program, and lovers of high class music will not be disappointed. You can recommend it highly. E. S. Wheeler, K. of R. & S. Rosalia, Wash., Jan. 5, '06. C. H. Jenkins, Hood River, Oregon. Will say on behalf of Rosalia Lodge No. 115, K. of P. of Rosalia, Wash., that the Polmatier Sisters played here under the auspices of our lodge and gave the very best of satisfaction, and in fact was pronounced the best entertainment that we have had in our town for years, and we believe that they are nothing better of its kind on the coast. Yours fraternally, J. G. Hardesty, K. of R. & S.

Pullman, Wash., Jan. 5, '06. Mr. C. H. Jenkins, Hood River, Oregon. Dear Sir and Bro.: The company of which you speak played here the 2nd inst. I was not permitted to be there myself, but the boys all spoke very highly of the company. We think that you will miss nothing by having them. They played at Moscow also and were very satisfactory. Fraternally yours, Will M. Duncan, K. of R. & S.

Colfax, Wash., Jan. 5, 1906. The entertainment referred to was given at our Masonic Hall recently, and gave general satisfaction, so far as I have been able to learn, and I believe you would find it satisfactory. R. T. Banker, Sec'y.

The prices for this high class entertainment will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children. Tickets bought in advance can be exchanged for reserved seats at Clarke's drug store.

Electric "Sad Irons" For Domestic Use

We are now prepared to furnish Electric Flat Irons, which are a great relief from the over heated room when doing weekly ironing. Several in town have already adopted them. Our representative will call and leave a sample iron and explain its working.

Rates, 75 cents per month. Prices of Irons, \$5 and \$6. Call us up by phone 73, or visit our office in the Davidson building.

Price of Incandescent Lamps Reduced. Having made a new contract for lamps, hereafter the prices will be as follows:

4 to 6 c. p., 20c. Hylo 16 to 1, 60c. 32 and 50 c. p. clear, 35c. Genuine frosted, 32 c. p., 45c. For coloring and frosting lamps, 4 c. p., 2 1/2c. 16 to 50 c. p., 5c each.

The Hood River Electric Light, Power & Water Co. Hardware Stewart's Furniture

Picture Framing and Furniture Repairing. We have added to our force a first-class mechanic in these lines, and with him the newest in frames, mats and furnishings. Reducing our work to a system has reduced our costs. No city store could improve our style nor our price.

Clearing House for Stock Taking. Old pieces in China and Glass, carpet and matting remnants, high grade furniture, and some beautiful Morris chairs and rockers that arrived too late for the greatest Xmas sale known here, will be put to the knife to clear out before inventors. No duplicates. Don't wait, then blame us. Buy now.

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Alcorn's Meat Market. Now occupies the old Wood & Smith Bros. building. We are better located and better prepared in every way to supply the demands of our fast increasing trade. We have a full and complete line of everything carried in the modern meat market of today.

As for our meats, they are honest in every respect, and government inspected. Confid nt of your satisfaction, we merely ask you to give us a trial order. Our phone number is 961.

ALCORN'S CITY MARKET. A. D. MAINE & CO. White Salmon, Wash. General Contractors and Builders.

Estimates on all kinds of work cheerfully furnished and the best of workmanship guaranteed. We are doing the building of this section at present. Our work will speak for itself.

Monarch Malleable Ranges Awarded Highest Prize At the Lewis and Clark Exposition

REASONS WHY: Because the Monarch was the only range with a patent Duplex Shaft, which causes the fuel to burn evenly in the firebox. Because the Monarch was the only range shown with an emery polished top, requiring no blacking. Because Monarch Ranges have oven thermometers made especially for them, which tell the degree of heat required for roasts, bread or pastry. Because the Monarch Range bodies are made of the heaviest Wellsville blood steel, without enamel, and do not discolor.

For Sale by W. HAYNES

NEWS FROM COUNTY SEAT

At a special meeting of the common council held at The Dalles recently twenty applicants were granted licenses to sell liquor at \$400 a year. Four others were given license last June, which gives the county seat 24 saloons. A meeting of the druggists there was held to protest against the raising of their license to sell liquor.

William Robinson was arrested on Christmas day for hunting without a license. Before a jury in Justice Douthitt's court he was declared not guilty, although when taken into custody he had a game bag slung over his shoulder. Robinson claimed that he was only out "practicing."

Mr. George Bloom and Miss Isoto Kelsey came up from Hood River last evening to attend the Entre Nous party.

Hans Lage is up from Hood River today. He tells us Hood River is still "going some," and that the boundary of the next Cascade county will run north and south on Union street, taking in the court house—Chronicle.

Sheriff Sexton and Marshal Wood arrested the proprietor of the Popular saloon in this city and five others engaged in carrying on gambling devices at 3 o'clock Friday morning. It had been thought for some time that the proprietor had fitted a room in the basement for the purpose of gambling. The men were surprised when Sexton and Wood burst into their midst and placed them under arrest. One tried to crawl behind a barrel, another to hide himself in a corner of the room. This is the first arrest under the state law in this city of several years.

Mayor Seufest stopped gambling two years ago and it has not been carried on openly since.

I am carrying more accounts on my books than I can afford and earnestly request all persons owing me to call and settle as promptly as possible. Dr. Dumble.

We have decided to close out our entire line of Boys' Knee Pants Suits, as we are going to discontinue to carry them. They MUST GO and will be sold at Cost. It will pay you to buy NOW. VOGT BROS. Hood River, Oregon

A Basket Social & Entertainment. Will be given by the Uniformed Rank of the Woodmen of the World in the K. of P. Hall in the Opera House January 13th, 1906. Committee, A. Neal, A. Norder, A. D. Garner. YOU WILL BE SATISFIED WITH YOUR JOURNEY BECAUSE There are so many scenic attractions and points of interest along the line between Ogden and Denver that the trip never becomes tiresome. If you are going East, write for information and get a pretty book that will tell you all about it. W. C. McBRIDE, General Agent, 124 Third Street, PORTLAND, OREGON. HOOD RIVER Sanitarium MARY P. JOHNSON, M. D., Supt. Ideal Home for Invalids Climate and view unsurpassed in the United States.

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MOUNT HOOD HOTEL. The Home of the Farmer. Tourist and Traveling Man. CLARENCE F. GILBERT, Manager