

BIG BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

The United Workmen Were Doing
Something at Their Hall Tues-
day Evening.

On Tuesday evening occurred the largest birthday party ever held in the city. An immense crowd of over eighty-five members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, gathered at their hall for a grand celebration of the nineteenth anniversary of the organization of Linkville Lodge No. 110. The Lodge was assisted in the celebration by Past Grand Master and State Deputy Ralph Feeney, of Portland, P. G. M. C. C. Hogue and M. G. Wilkins.

Linkville Lodge No. 110 is recognized throughout the state as the Banner A. O. U. W. lodge, having made the largest gains in membership and being in the most prosperous condition of any of the lodges. There are 130 Workman lodges in the state with over 6000 members, and when the Klamath Falls lodge is mentioned, they all know that this is the lodge which took in 54 members last December. On December 31, the last day of the year twenty-five men were initiated at one time, being the largest class ever taken into the lodge at one time in the state, if not in the United States.

Linkville Lodge was organized December 2, 1886 with 18 members. During the nineteen years of its existence

More About Phone Directors Elected.

Asklund, December 4, 1905.

Editor Republican:—In a late issue of your paper I saw an article by E. I. Applegate in regard to the Langell Valley Telephone Company, in answer to which I wish to say a few words.

In the first place there are 37 shares of the stock owned by the following gentlemen: F. Grohs, Wm. Deal, E. Johnson, Wm. Copeland, George Cline, F. Rogers, B. Abelson, J. Lundgren, L. Gierler, J. DeLand, S. McKendree and Albert Walker. These men are not members of the Water Users Association, and were the first ones to help the enterprise out, thereby benefiting the whole county. On the other hand there were men right on the line that would not do a thing towards constructing the line, who belong to the Water Users Association.

Now, by selling the Association a share as a company, it would give every person, who has signed one acre of land or less, free use of the line. I think if Mr. Applegate will look at it in the right light he will see that it would not be just and fair. I think the company wants the Association to use the line on any equitable terms that can be agreed upon.

Respectfully Yours,
F. D. Swingle, President L. V. T. Co.

Dairy, Ore., Dec. 3, 1905.

Klamath Republican.

The town here is very dull. Every body is busy gathering in their stock for feeding.

W. P. Selge, has opened a new store here and has a nice line of Dry goods, groceries and tinware.

G. G. Anderson the hotel man is doing a good business in both his hotel and feed stable.

Steve Collahan had his leg broken at Bonanza Friday by a horse throwing him and then dragged a short distance before his foot came from the stirrup. He was taken to his home Saturday.

Peter Peterstener left Saturday for a business trip to the Falls.

COUNCIL MEETING

Members in Favor
Voting on Sewer
Question

At the regular monthly meeting of the city Council Monday evening the petition of J. V. Houston for a liquor license for six months from December 26, was granted.

The petition of R. E. Dyer and others for a sidewalk from the south east corner of Seventh street and Klamath avenue along the westerly side of block 39, was disallowed as not being specific and a proper petition.

The petition of Silas Obenchain and others, asking for street lights on the corner of Fifth and Washington streets and the corner of Fifth and Jefferson streets, was allowed and the Marshal instructed to order the lights put in.

Another petition for sidewalks was allowed. This walk is to extend from Main street to Fairview addition, where the Catholic Church has been located and where many new residences have been erected the past summer. The route of the sidewalks is as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Eighth and Main streets; thence along the northerly side of Eighth street in a westerly direction to Pine street; thence westerly along Pine in a northerly direction to Ninth; thence in a westerly direction along the southerly side of Ninth to Washington; thence westerly along Washington in a northerly direction to Tenth; thence along the southerly side of Tenth in a westerly direction to Jefferson; thence in a northerly direction along westerly side of Jefferson to Upland; thence across Upland to its intersection with Worden avenue; thence along westerly side of Worden avenue in a northerly direction to block 5 in Fairview addition.

A bill of Mark L. Burns for \$5 with a communication attached was then read. Mr. Burns claimed that he had been tried on the charge of breaking a city ordinance, and that he had deposited with the Police Judge \$6 to insure the payment of the jury, which he asked for. As the jury found him not guilty he wanted his money back. The charter provides that in a trial for the violation of a city charter, the trial shall be without jury, provided, however, that the defendant may have a jury trial by depositing with the Police Judge a sufficient amount to pay the jurors. On motion the bill was disallowed. Bishop and Willis voting yes, and Humphrey, no.

J. V. Houston was present and asked permission to address the Council, which was granted. Mr. Houston stated he wished to call the attention of the Board to the pressing need of a sewer on Second street, and expressed the opinion that the Third street sewer should be extended down Main street to Second, and from there down Second to the lake. Members of the Council stated that they were not in favor of expending any more money on temporary sewers. They believed that the time had come for a serious consideration of the sewer question, and all the members expressed themselves as in favor of submitting the question to a vote of the people. In the opinion of the city engineer, the proper route for a main sewer would be down Klamath avenue, to which connections could be made from Main street and the higher property. From the expressions voiced at the Monday meeting it is probable that the people will be given a chance to vote on the sewer question at the coming spring election.

Directors Elected.

The Klamath County Agriculture Association held its regular annual meeting for the election of directors, Saturday afternoon at the office of the County Judge in the Court House. 249 shares out of the total of 416 were represented either in person or by proxy. The following directors were elected: Geo. T. Baldwin, Alex. Martin Jr., Louis Gerber, J. V. Houston, John S. Shook, Albert Walker and W. C. Dalton. At the directors meeting the following officers were elected: Geo. T. Baldwin, president; J. V. Houston, vice president; Alex. Martin Jr., treasurer. The office of secretary will be filled later.

The report of secretary Bishop, who was absent, showed the Association to have cleared \$265 on the last Fair and Races. This leaves the Association only \$200 in debt and is a great encouragement to the stockholders. The Association a few years ago started out heavily in debt, but this has been reduced each year, so that it has been demonstrated that as soon as this debt is removed, the Association will be able to support itself. After this is accomplished, the sailing will be easy and the profits can be used in giving the people a better program of races and attractions.

Eight shares were purchased at the meeting Saturday, and it is hoped to sell a number of others. In this way the debt could easily be removed and the Association would then be in shape to carry out their plans for one of the biggest Fairs ever attempted in the county for next year. The stock sells for only five dollars a share and every land owner should take interest enough to buy one or more shares. The Association will have at least \$600 next year to be used as premiums for agricultural products, and it is intended that this money shall all be distributed among the people of the county.

We have six cottages for sale.—Mason & Slough.

BONANZA RAPIDLY COMING TO FRONT

Plans are Being Made for Two Modern Brick Buildings. Other
News of Interest

Bonanza, Oregon, Dec. 4, 1905.

Editor Republican:—The town of Bonanza, which was visited by your Representative the past week, shows a wonderful growth during the past two years, and Bonanza is still growing rapidly. A visit to the business houses will show stocks in the General Merchandise stores to be about equal to those in Klamath Falls. The Hotels have been rebuilt and more rooms added, and yet it is stated that for the past three months, they have been unable to accommodate the traveling public with lodging, and in many instances lodging had to be secured at some of the residences of the town. This is not on account of not enough hotels, as Bonanza is much better supplied than most towns of its size, but rather because of the large number of strangers, who are coming to this vicinity to buy lands and on other business.

William Goss, first remodelled the New American Hotel, and afterwards during the past summer added a large addition, two stories in the nature of a (T) and the same is now conducted by Amos Simmons.

Geo. Morine has moved his building back from the street 40 feet for the purpose of building a new two story front for which the material is now being delivered on the ground. The Driscoll Mercantile Co., expect to erect in the early spring a new large and commodious Stone Store Building also H. F. Schallack has contracted for the building of a Stone building of two stories, the lower floor to be used as a Saloon building and the upper story to be fitted up for offices.

Wm. Goss is building one of the best feed barns in the County which is nearly completed, this adds greatly to supplying the wants of the public. Geo. Morine is not to be out done in this manner and has added more room to his barn and is at the present fixing to have water in the barn for the horses supplied from one of the numerous Springs which is the best water in Southern Oregon.

Bonanza has a neat and tidy M. E. Church building which has just been completed and is being used every Sunday. Rev. Allen from Asklund being installed as the Minister gave a very pleasing and interesting discourse on last Sunday eve.

Mrs. Jay Davis is having a new and nice house built for her own convenience the upper story is divided into a Photo Gallery and a front parlor.

J. H. Berry has built and is now occupying a neat and cozy Cottage on Main street.

Earl White is having a neat Cottage built on the corner of Clay and Mission streets. This looks rather suspicious for a young unmarried man to be building such a neat case, perhaps the County Clerk may get a job soon.

R. I. Kilgore is having a building moved onto Market street for the purpose of conducting a Butcher shop in the near future.

W. J. Brown had the first load of lumber delivered on the ground today for the erection of another butcher shop.

J. D. Hamaker happens to be in a lucky streak by having a good saw mill in the neighborhood of town and is furnishing

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There will be a regular meeting of Klamath Lodge No. 77 A. F. & A. M. at their hall next Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Election of Officers.

By Order of W. M. W. E. BOWDERS, Sec.

Gentlemen's clothes cleaned and pressed at the Steam Laundry.