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IT IS A SURE GO

The Contracts Have Been let for two Large Buildings

BE IN OPERATION BY AUG. 15

It Will be a Great Industry for the Town as it Will Give Employment to Between 25 and 50 Men.

The contract for building in this place the International Manufacturing Co's buildings was let this week to G. H. Van Wyngarden. There will be two buildings, one 40x140 feet, and the other 40x100, both one story, sheet iron roof, plastered and ceiled, with two handsomely appointed office rooms. The buildings are to be completed and ready for occupancy by August 1, 1904.

The Company will manufacture wool mattresses: washboards, brushes, mops, egg cases and fillers, brooms, etc.

Machinery has been sent for and will be placed by the middle of August, when the plant is expected to begin operations. The factory will constantly employ from 25 to 50 men and boys.

Contracts have already been obtained for the planting of 700 acres of broom corn, the greater portion of which is already planted.

The International Manufacturing Co. is a Caldwell institution and is capitalized at \$10,000, all the stock being subscribed. The directors are Dr. W. C. Stalker, Wm. O. Howard, J. H. Merritt, J. F. Groome, and A. K. Steunenberg, and is officered as follows: J. H. Merritt, President; A. K. Steunenberg, treasurer; J. W. Johnson, secretary, and W. O. Howard manager.

Old Settlers to Organize.

Mr. Jake Horn was appointed a committee of one to make special arrangements for the old settlers on the Fourth of July. He reports satisfactory progress. The old timers are becoming interested and it is safe to say that nearly all of them will be in Caldwell on that day. Appropriate souvenirs will be given to the two oldest settlers. One for the oldest man and one for the oldest woman. Editor A. E. Gipson has been designated historian and he will prepare an article for the occasion. This article will give a brief history of this section with such reminiscences as the old timers can furnish. During the day a Canyon County Pioneer Society will be organized. Special arrangements for the entertainment of the old people will be made.

Changes in Business.

Last week a deal was consummated whereby Mr. H. D. Blatchley retires from active business. Messrs. Stone and Porter of Salt Lake purchased the entire drug stock and business. Mr. Blatchley has been in business in Caldwell for a number of years and built up an extensive business. He was always considered one of our most progressive and substantial business men. The TRIBUNE is pleased to say that Mr. and Mrs. Blatchley will remain in Caldwell. Messrs. Porter and Stone are experienced business men and affable gentlemen to meet and do business with. They will continue the business. We are pleased to have them locate in Caldwell, and feel sure that they will be well pleased with their location.

Mr. Nate Rosenbaum, of the Herr Clothing Co., was in the city Thursday and became so favorably impressed with the situation that he is convinced, as Mr. Herr has been, that the thing to do is to put up a brick block and do business proper. Both Mr. Herr and Mr. Rosenbaum

expressed themselves as practically determined on that line, and before long we may expect to see the enterprise take substantial form. Caldwell is always pleased to have men of sound judgment and good business ability look upon it with favor, and has determined not to fail of coming up to their expectations.

Report of Pumper.

During the month of May, according to the factories estimate of the City's pumps, there were 2,152,800 gallons of water pumped at a total cost of \$109, or a little more than 5 cents per 1000 gallons.

Total amount of gasoline used, 220 gallons;

Total cost per day, \$3.63½;

Total value of water used, at meter rate, \$1,076.40.

Total amount of water used per day, 71,660 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. FULLER,
Pumper.

THE CANYON COUNTY FAIR

The Fair Association is getting ready for the fair to be held in Caldwell next October. It is the intention this year to have the largest and best fair ever held. The committee is now at work on the premium list, while other committees are at work making other preparations. By getting an early start and pushing the work, it will be possible to more thoroughly advertise, to make more elaborate preparations, in short to have a better fair. The directors have decided to reduce the admission price from 50 cents to 25 cents. This, it is thought, will bring out a much larger crowd each day. While the price of seeing the fair is reduced, the attractions, premiums and exhibits will be greatly increased.

The following is the program for Commencement week at the College of Idaho:

Sunday, at 3 p. m. at Assembly Hall, Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Geo. Runciman, singing by Miss Nellie Corser of Chicago.

Wednesday, June 15, 8 p. m. Assembly hall, 12th annual declamation contest.

Thursday, June 16, 3 p. m. Library, annual meeting of Board of Trustees.

Thursday, June 16, 8 p. m. Commencement Exercises of the Class of 1904. Dr. McKinlay will speak.

Friday, June 17, 8 p. m. Dormitory, Annual meeting of Alumni.

Miss Mary Jenkins, clerk in the Caldwell postoffice, received a telegram Friday morning conveying the news of the death of her brother, John Jenkins. Deceased was in Salt Lake City to undergo an operation for appendicitis, and his death occurring at the time it did leaves the inference that he died under the surgeons knife or very soon after the operation was performed. Miss Jenkins went to Malad Friday evening to attend the funeral. She and her father are the sole survivors of a family of six or seven. John Jenkins was a promising young man about 24 years of age.

The officers for the Idaho State Sunday convention for the ensuing year are:

President, W. H. Bowler, of Shoshone.

Secretary, J. M. Mills, of Boise.

Treasurer, Fred French, of New Plymouth.

The convention closed its labors Thursday evening. It was one of the most successful conventions ever held in this State.

The streets are in good condition in front of Van Housen's Feed Stable opposite the Central Lumber Yards.

A GRAND AFFAIR

His Odd Fellow Royally Greeted The Grand Sire at Boise

CALDWELL TAKES THE CAKE

Our Brass Band Creates Favorable Impression—The Parade was 27 Blocks Long—Thousands in it.

About 30 of the Caldwell Odd Fellows were at Boise last Saturday to do honor to the Grand Sire, who is making a tour of the Western States, visiting the respective grand lodges. He was the guest of the Grand Lodge of Idaho, and visiting delegations from nearly every lodge in Southern Idaho was in attendance.

In the afternoon a grand parade was had, when over 2,000 Odd Fellows and Rebekahs were in the line of march, with seven brass bands, and several floats representing the many lessons of Odd Fellowship—27 blocks long. The principal streets of Boise were traversed, the procession finally breaking ranks at Riverside Park, where a delightful program of music and speeches was rendered.

In the evening a reception was held at the Natatorium, where visiting brothers and invited guests enjoyed themselves till a late hour.

The Caldwell boys with their linen dusters and military hats, and headed by our splendid band was a distinctive feature of the parade. They were the talk of the procession, and won the plaudits of all. The band, too, added many laurels to their fame, being the best in the line of march. M. B. Gwinn looked out for the welfare of the visiting brothers, and was indefatigable in his exertions in their behalf.

Those having the reception in charge did their work nobly and well.

It was a great day for Odd Fellowship in the State of Idaho.

Editor CALDWELL TRIBUNE: On behalf of and at the request of Hugh Wilson Post No. 21, Dept. of Idaho, G. A. R., I wish through your paper to thank the citizens of Caldwell and vicinity for their kindly assistance and encouragement on Decoration Day. Especially are our thanks due Rev. Helman who so ably organized the entertainment at the opera house, and for the memorial sermon on the Sabbath previous. It was extremely eloquent and patriotic as well as sympathetic. Rev. Helman is a veteran's son and a truly loyal man who will probably do more than any other to perpetuate these services in our section. Thanks also are due to the Caldwell Band for several patriotic selections, to the quartette and Mrs. Dille for beautiful music, to Hon. J. W. Huston for his elegant patriotic address, to Rev. Clemens and Dr. Isham, to the W. R. C. for their untiring aid in providing flowers, &c.

An organization has been perfected whereby these services may be perpetuated in Caldwell, for

soon it will be left for the citizens and younger generation to take the initiatory in these remembrances. It is pleasing to note that annually the custom of decorating the graves of the departed is being more and more observed. It is but a small sacrifice of the living and due the dead. The matter will be carried to every town and city in Idaho, through the delegates recently convened at Emmett—and, by the way, the people of that beautiful city are the most generous entertainers we have ever met with. There will be Committees on Decoration in Caldwell next year. We hope all citizens will assist them with a view of perpetuating Memorial Day.

GEORGE LITTLE.

Work Progressing

The work on the sewer system is progressing rapidly. Already the work has been completed up to First avenue west. Messrs. Fahy and Coppo have about 25 men at work. The plan is to practically complete the work as they go along. In many places the trenches were over 10 feet deep. Hard pan was found in some places. It was very slow work getting through this kind of material, as it had to be blasted. It is thought that the worst of the hard pan is through and the work will go on more rapidly. The system is being installed in a thoroughly workman like manner.

Officers Elected.

At the G. A. R. meeting which closed at Emmett Friday, the following new officers were elected:

Department commander—C. F. Drake, Weiser.

Senior vice-commander—George Gardener, Emmett.

Junior vice-commander—George Little, Caldwell.

Adjutant and Quarter-master General—James J. Whittier, Boise.

Chaplain—Hugh Lamont, Emmett.

The W. R. C. elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing year.

Department president—Mrs. Mary C. Delaven, Coeur d'Alene.

Senior vice-president—Josephine Waring, Emmett.

Junior vice president—Aileen Bruce, Weiser.

Secretary—Lillian Nesbit, Coeur d'Alene.

Treasurer—Ella Varnum, Coeur d'Alene.

Chaplain—Emmergene C. Moore, Caldwell.

The next meeting will be held at Coeur d'Alene.

The Tribune's hearty congratulations to Caldwell (Idaho) people on the prospects of their getting a million dollar beet-sugar plant. That amount of money ought to give them as good a factory as there is in the country. And as the climate and soil thereabout are especially well adapted to beet culture, the industry will no doubt become a great and profitable employment for that pleasant Idaho community.—Salt Lake Tribune.

Van Housen has first class feed and reasonable prices, give him a call when in town. Pioneer Corral.

Mrs. E. B. Smith and daughter are visiting friends at Parma this week.

SOCIETY EVENTS

An Extraordinarily Brilliant Week in The Social World

THE ANDANTINOS ENTERTAIN

Receptions and Parties Without Number—Mr. and Mrs. Aven, and Mrs. C. A. Oakes Receive.

Friday evening the young ladies of the Andantio Club entertained a number of Caldwell young men at the Saratoga. At half past nine the young men accompanied by their fair escorts arrived at the parlors of the hotel. Progressive high five was played until 12 o'clock. At these games Miss Mattie Keller won the lady's prize and Mr. Truitt the gentleman's. The merry party repaired to the dining room and were refreshed amidst a profusion of flowers, with a dainty and delicious luncheon. The young ladies gracefully and charmingly entertained, giving the young men an idea of how to do things right. Those present were: Mrs. Nellie J. Williams, Misses Fritzie Schnable, Edna Jones, Mattie Keller, Esther Wilkins, Stacia Kelleher, Martha Gilgan, Anna Christenson, Estella Cupp, Mary Cupp, Maysel Cooper, Elva Baxter, Birdie Baxter, Minnie Dempsey, Ella Horn, Georgia Myers, Mae Platt, Gipsy Stevenson; and Messrs. E. Boone, J. F. Boone, J. D. Kelleher, Will Kelleher, John Flynn, Truitt, H. J. Zeh, Sam Van Hyming, J. B. Coppo, A. W. Gipson, J. L. Davis, Albert Christenson, Alex. Ballantyne, L. W. Botkin, Otto Schenkley, Archie Graves, John Plowhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace B. Aven entertained a party of friends in honor of Mrs. Getts, last Friday evening. The house was beautifully decorated with roses. Progressive High Five was in order the first of the evening. Mrs. Kenton Callaway winning the ladies' first prize—a beautiful medallion. Mr. Ed. E. Hedden carried off first gentleman's prize—a handsome leather bill book. The ladies consolation prize—a bottle of catsup—fell to Mrs. Goldsmith, and a box of shoe polish to Mr. Cook, with the very appropriate remark, "If you can't shine at the head you may perhaps shine at the foot." English walnuts were past and on being opened much amusement was caused by finding they contained half of a tiny picture. When the other half was found you had your partner for supper. A most dainty lunch was served and all spent a delightful evening.

Mrs. Chas. Oakes entertained the ladies of the Chataquan Club Thursday afternoon. The house was beautifully decorated with a profusion of flowers. After a most enjoyable social time, dainty refreshments were served. The ladies voted Mrs. Oakes an ideal hostess.

Mrs. D. R. McNair, assisted by Mrs. Sheshee of Boise entertained the ladies of the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. D. Blatchley entertained the graduating class of the College Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Roy Getts returned to Denver Saturday, after spending the winter in Caldwell.

Democratic Convention

The Democratic county convention was held in Caldwell a week ago yesterday. It was very quiet and harmonious so we are informed. Chairman J. J. Walling called the

convention to order. The call was read by Secretary J. P. Johnson. Mr. Swain Beaty was elected temporary chairman and G. W. Lamson secretary.

The following delegates were elected to the Weiser convention:

S. Dempsey, George Murray, Swain Beaty, J. H. Hart, G. W. Lamson, J. H. Murray, J. J. Walling, A. M. De France, C. P. Bilderback, J. Cave, L. Wachter, J. M. Bowman, J. B. Smith, M. A. Eates.

Resolutions adopted were as follows:

Resolved, That we, the Democracy of Canyon County, in convention assembled, renew our allegiance to the principles of Democracy as enunciated in the platform of 1900, and pledge ourselves to work harmoniously and unitedly for the success of democratic principles, believing that the best interests of the people will be subserved thereby.

Resolved, That we favor an un-instructed delegation to the national convention at St. Louis.

An amendment to the resolutions instructing for Hearst was voted down by a large majority.

Alumni Meeting

Miss Ruth Gipson of the reception committee, desires us to announce that all graduates of the College of Idaho are cordially invited to attend the annual reunion of the Alumni. No written invitations have been sent out as this was thought unnecessary.

Mrs. Ella Crawford of this city spent several days the latter part of last week and the first of this, at Boise in the interest of temperance work. Her labors at the capital city were arduous and indefatigable. She addressed the people of Boise at the Salvation Army hall Saturday evening; the prisoners at the penitentiary Sunday morning, and in the afternoon addressed the Y. M. C. A. in their splendid building on 8th street. On Monday evening, another address was made by her at the Congregational church. Tuesday afternoon she addressed the State Sunday School convention. Her work was very successful.

R. L. Morrow, Dr. W. C. Stalker, Mrs. Ida Foley, Mrs. Clements, Misses Hesse Ward, Georgia McFarland, Mary Isham and Florence Phillips of this city were among the delegates in attendance on the State Sunday School convention at Boise this week.

At the Baptist church Sunday the services will be as follows: Sunday school 10:30; Preaching 11:30 followed by the administration of the ordinance of baptism. Preaching again at 8:15.

W. G. AGE.

Miss Clara Maxey, clerk in the Caldwell post office, has been quite sick the past few days, but is now improving. She has been missed from her window by her many friends and all patrons of the post office.

Ex. U. S. Marshal, Jos. Pinkham has been in the city some days on private business. He declares that he doesn't know any thing about politics, except that he does know that things are brewing.

G. H. Van Wyngarden is building a handsome cottage at the corner of Third street south and Third avenue east, the property of Mr. H. D. Andrews, manager of the Central Lumber Co.

U. S. Marshal R. Rounds is mentioned as a candidate for Governor. The Idaho Falls Times that was for Morrison has swung to Rounds.

Mr. Newman is preparing his lots in the Straborn addition and will soon erect a modern residence on the same.

It is said that the Ballantyne-Dee Mer. Co. has sold its business at Parma to G. M. Kirkpatrick Co.

Wm. Plummer is having constructed on Washington Heights a handsome cottage.

CALDWELL BAND PROGRAM

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 17.

March "Cavaletta".....Jewell
March, "Springtime".....Carlton
Grand Medley, "Superba".....Dalby
A concert number, "Dance of the Eagles".....Dalby
Grand concert waltzes, "Danube Waves".....Ivanovici
Medley selection, "Coontown Capers".....Chattaway
A Yankee ditty, "Town Talk".....Dalby
Galop (finale), "Youthful Fire".....Herman

—Finale—