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Baseball Dope

In the ball game last Sunday at Ione, Colville defeated the Calispell aggregation by a score of 7 to 1. The game was played on a wet ground and several innings in a drenching rain. The battery for Ione was Kookie and Bryan, with DeGreif and Phillips for Colville. DeGreif was in good form and held the Ione boys down to three hits, striking out seven men, while Bryan struck out six. Gilson featured himself by a clean three-bagger, scoring Tremblay from first. Ione will play the return game on the Colville diamond on July 11.

The most hazardous trip ever taken by the Colville ball team was the one last Sunday to Ione. The boys started from Colville in two big touring cars at 5:30 Sunday morning, by the way of the Pend Oreille lakes, where they spent some time in hard-luck fishing, Gilson landing the only fish caught, a 6 1/2-inch trout. The trip from the lakes to Ione was over an almost impassible road down steep, rocky mountain sides through heavy timber and swamps, arriving in Ione at 2:30. After the game it was considered impossible to return that evening and the team was obliged to remain until next morning, when the return trip was made by way of Cronin, arriving in Colville at 1:30 Monday afternoon.

The ball games with Rosland this afternoon and to-morrow will undoubtedly be two of the fastest games ever witnessed on the Colville diamond. Ed Doty, a well known 1914 leaguer of Vancouver, will be on the mound in one of these games for the visitors. Curly Coen who is also tinted with professionalism, as a shortstop will play against Joe Rogers.

A most remarkable game was played on the Colville diamond last Sunday between the high school team and an aggregation from Lake City, Echo and Bruce Creek. The battery for the high school team was McKern and Laird while Nyholm did the twirling for the visitors. The game resulted in a tie score of 1 to 1 and was called off in the ninth inning on account of rain. On account of no publicity but very few witnessed this game which was the lowest score played on the local grounds this season. Although no official record was kept, it is said that hits and errors were few and far between.

Card of Thanks

To the friends, the Neighbors of Tamarack Circle No. 221 Women of Woodcraft, Colville Camp No. 277 Woodmen of the World, Colville Lodge No. 50 F. & A. M., Colville Chapter 57 O. E. S., The Methodist church choir, Mrs. Rose Ferrandini, Rev. M. L. Sanders and C. J. Rhode, whose presence at the last rites for our beloved wife and sister, gave us assistance and sympathy, we extend our heart-felt thanks. Especially do we wish to extend our thanks to those that braved the storm to administer the rites at the grave.—H. C. F. Hansen, O. C. A. Hansen.

NEWS IN COLVILLE

The marriage of Miss Arlene Van Wornner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Van Wornner of Park Rapids, and Walter H. Clinton, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clinton of this city, was solemnized Thursday noon at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. G. H. Rice of Rosalia officiating. The groom is located on his father's farm, six miles south of Kettle Falls, where the couple will make their home. Both young people are graduates of the Colville high school, and have a host of friends here who wish them a bright and happy destiny.

Langdon Wingham, a graduate with this year's class of the Colville high school, is assisting at the Bank of Colville.

V. L. Ballard of the Colville Coffee House has installed a new four-hole Bon Ami range, which is a great improvement over the wood stove for his business.

A. F. Perkins will attend the state encampment G. A. R. at Centralia June 22-25.

"The Spy of Gettysburg," by C. Townsend, will be given July 2, at the opera-house, for the benefit of the old soldiers' relief fund, under the direction of Miss Marian Grant. "The Spy of Gettysburg" is one of the best war dramas ever published. The characters are all first-class. Solomon the negro is one of the most laughable darky characters ever seen. The play depicts the adventures of the hero while acting as a scout for General Meade at Gettysburg.

Jesse Casey returned home Wednesday evening from Pullman, where he finished his first year at the state college. He will spend the summer in his father's store (The Leader). The last two weeks he spent visiting the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco, making the round trip with the Pullman cadets. He reports they had a splendid trip, barring the first couple of days going and coming, when sea sickness caused them to miss a few meals. Other Colville boys among the cadets were Oliver Kildow and Dean Clark, both having finished their second year at the college. They are expected home in a few days.

A party of picnickers composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Riel, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Maurer, John Myer of Peone, Prarie, and Rudolph Kennel and S. S. Long of Ohio enjoyed a pleasant day at Kettle Falls Wednesday.

The 12th annual meeting of the Stevens County Pioneer Association will be held in Colville June 30. This is the regular date for the meeting, and it is the desire of the president, B. F. Goodman, that all old timers be present, and bring a well-filled basket. If it is a fair day, the meeting will be held as an out-door event, but if the rain should make this impracticable a suitable auditorium will be used. All persons residents of Stevens county prior to 1895 will be eligible to membership.

Sidney Barnes is nursing a sprained wrist which he sustained this week while on a fishing trip at Twin lakes.

Mrs. Clara Ostrum of Spokane is visiting this week with her son, C. F. R. Ostrum, who is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from his duties at the Bank of Colville. On Thursday Mr. Ostrum and his mother and Mrs. M. Boyd and daughter, Miss Daisy Neely, spent the day picnicking at Kettle Falls.

Charles Rogers, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rogers, returned Wednesday from Seattle, where he finished his second year's work at the State University.

Mrs. Maud Bell and S. H. Bender, both of Meyers Falls, were married here Wednesday forenoon by Rev. John J. Donovan of that place. The groom is a lumberman. Witnesses to the ceremony were Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. F. E. Mark.

H. M. Dorman, Wm. P. Townsend, D. J. Burk and Fred Hanna went to Molson Friday on a short business visit. The trip was made in Mr. Burk's Overland.

To Sleep Well in Summer. Slight inflammation of the bronchial tubes causes a distressing cough and makes sleep impossible. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound stops that annoying tickling and relieves the racking, tiring cough. Good for all coughs, colds, croup and bronchial affections. Carroll's Pharmacy.—Adv.

Mrs. H. M. Dexter is storing her furniture preparatory to leaving Colville for the summer months, as she is planning to spend the summer with relatives in Ontario.

A Mistake Made by Many. When you suffer pains and aches by day and sleep disturbing bladder weakness by night, feel tired, nervous and run down, the kidneys and bladder should be restored to healthy, strong and regular action. It is a mistake to postpone treatment. Foley Kidney Pills put the kidneys in sound, healthy condition and keep them active and strong. Carroll's Pharmacy.—Adv.

Wedded in Spokane

Louis G. Keller of the Stannus-Keller Hardware Company and Mrs. Anna Young, also of this city, were married last Saturday evening in the state rooms of the Davenport hotel by Superior Judge Henry L. Kennan. Editor and Mrs. J. C. Harrigan were the only witnesses. Mr. Keller took his car to Spokane, and Sunday and Monday were spent touring the surrounding country, the party returning to Colville Monday night. A 7 o'clock dinner at the Yale hotel at Chewelah enabled friends to attach a cowbell to the car as a first welcome home Tuesday night the Colville band serenaded them at their home in northwest Colville.

Mr. Keller is one of the well known business men of Stevens county. He is a university and a law school graduate, and during his eight years residence here has been most active in local business affairs, Chamber of Commerce work, and in the state good roads organization of which he has been an officer for some years. Mrs. Keller is sister of Mrs. W. F. Diefenbacher, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Helberg, for many years residents of Spokane, now living at American Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Keller have been the recipients of the heartiest congratulations from their many friends. Only a few were previously aware of the coming event, the announcement in the Sunday Review coming to Colville as a pleasing surprise.

Mrs. J. G. Rogers of Spokane, sister of W. R. and C. L. Baker of this city, who died in Spokane on the 8th, was buried at Waterville, Minn., this week. Mr. Rogers and W. R. Baker accompanied the body to Waterville.

Attorney H. T. Wentz was operated for appendicitis Thursday at the Colville sanitarium, and is reported doing nicely.

Rural route No. 3 was established Thursday, George W. Kildow acting as temporary carrier. The route goes to Pike's bridge, then down the Little Pend Oreille river and back to Colville by way of Arden and Orin. The distance covered is nearly 26 miles.

The following were among the visitors in Colville the past week: G. A. Fowlston, A. Olston, Thomas McLaughlin, A. Fredrickson, Northport; Mrs. I. L. McLaren, Mrs. Wm. Cartwright, Park Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Campbell, Mrs. A. C. Wetterer, Mrs. Sofa, Marcus; J. B. Bishop, Hunters; C. W. Hartbauer, Boundary; Albert Kulzer, Joe B. Meyers, Chewelah; C. O. Finch and family, Mrs. C. F. Ige, Orient; T. E. Irish, Wm. Critze, Deer Park; R. N. Bounds, Dan Corkey, Threeforks; Mrs. J. L. Curl, Bossburg; A. E. Blakeley, A. M. Orchard, Harry Pappas, Kettle Falls; Mrs. G. A. Schumann, Curlew; C. M. Ayers, Republic; John F. Wolf, Springdale; Geo. Haines, Newport; M. W. Teepie, Geo. Reed, Meyers Falls; Mrs. J. L. Combs, Aladdin.

Walter Paxton and family of Meyers Falls were shopping in Colville Thursday.

A. S. Randolph, a prominent sheep owner of the Yakima valley, who has been pasturing large flocks of sheep on the government range west of the Columbia, desires to purchase 500 to 1000 tons of alfalfa or grain hay for next winter in order that he may not be obliged to drive the sheep back to Yakima for the winter feeding. At present he has 2500 sheep on the range, and it took two months to drive them there. He wants to put on many thousand more, and winter feed them here. He has found difficulty in securing enough hay, and will welcome any offerings in large quantities. He has been in and around Colville for the last two weeks, and is enthusiastic over this part of the country for sheep raising—except the matter of winter feed.

The case of Johnny Francois, Indian, was tried in the federal court at Spokane Tuesday and Wednesday. Francois was charged with the murder of his cousin, Johnny Augusta, near Northport March 26. The evidence showed that the killing followed a drunken quarrel and that Augusta, from whom a gun had previously been taken, was armed with a large knife. The jury, after a short deliberation, rendered a verdict of "not guilty." Attorney W. Lon Johnson of this city defended Francois.

Last week Wednesday evening as everybody at the F. C. Hoy home, a couple of miles north of town, was absent, the house was raided and a lady's gold watch and a pair of men's shoes were secured by the thief. It was evident from appearances that the burglar had helped himself to the cupboard and spread himself a lunch as unceremoniously as though he were at home, but before he had time to appreciate the meal the family returned and the intruder made a quick getaway. On Saturday a suspect giving his name as Fred Bennett was arrested at Orient by Deputy Sheriff W. W. Bryant. Later a watch in Bennett's possession was identified as the one taken from the Hoy home. Bennett is 39 years old.

William Buckley is making preparations to operate an ice cream and confectionery stand at Inchelium during the big Fourth celebration.

IN THE CHURCHES

Christian Science Society.—Chapel cor. Cedar and 1st. Service Sunday at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m. Midweek meeting Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. The Sunday subject. Is the universe, including man, evolved by atomic force?

There will be a short Children's Day program in connection with the Sunday school at the M. E. church on Sunday morning at 10. The subject of the morning sermon will be "After High School, What?" Epworth League at 7. Evening preaching service at 8. You will find a cordial welcome. Strangers made welcome. M. L. Sanders, pastor.

All members and friends of the Colville Christian church, take notice. The seventh anniversary of the church will be celebrated Sunday, June 20. There will be an all day session. A basket dinner at noon. Roll call and business meeting will follow the dinner. The Congregational people will join us in the Endeavor and evening service. Special music for the day. Everybody cordially invited to all services, and any who wish to bring a basket dinner and join us will be thrice welcome. It will be Bro. Counts' last Sunday with us until the first of September.

The Free Methodist Young People's Society has adopted a graded series of lessons on the bible to be studied Sunday evenings. The lessons lead to commencement exercises and a diploma. Meetings start at 7. All young people are invited. Subject of lesson for Sunday, June 20, "Old Testament History by Characters."

The subject at the Congregational church next Sunday morning will be "Our Indebtedness and the Cost of Living." Special music by a large choir. Sunday school at 10 a. m. The Sunday school is planning a picnic for the children and everybody expecting to go are requested to be at the Sunday school to learn of the arrangements. A union meeting of the Congregational and Christian churches in the evening. Both Endeavor societies hold union meeting at the Christian church at 7 p. m. Geo. H. Hull, pastor.

Large audiences were in attendance Sunday evening at the lectures of Dr. J. W. Henderson at the M. E. church and Dr. I. S. Clark at the Congregational church. Dr. Henderson used as his subject "A Model Health Law," and Dr. Clark "The Prevention of Contagious Diseases." Both gentlemen handled their subjects admirably and were accorded appreciative attention. The object of the lectures was to stimulate public interest in the model health law as proposed by the United States commission. The object of such a law is the prevention of communicable diseases by proper health and sanitary regulations. An all-time health officer, who is not a busy doctor doing the health work as a side line, and who gets and holds his position because of qualifications and not politics, is answerable to the state board of health and not the district in which he serves. Our probable district would include Stevens, Pend Oreille and Ferry counties, half of the expense to be paid by the state and the other half by the district served. Our proportion would be between \$1000 and \$1500, which would require very little, if any, increase in taxes. The cost of caring for indigents whose dependence is the result, either directly or indirectly, of some communicable disease would exceed the cost of carrying out the provisions of this model health law. Under this system our rural schools would get the much-needed medical inspection. In an interview, Dr. Henderson stated that he will be satisfied if they can create as much interest in the conservation of human health and life as the fruit growers did two years ago when the horticultural interests of the state were threatened by blight, scale and other tree diseases, or as much interest as was displayed when the foot and mouth disease made its appearance in Spokane about a year ago among a shipment of dairy cows. The quality of our citizenship is the best criterion by which to judge our future prosperity. Let us be satisfied with nothing short of the best.

Prof. and Mrs. W. M. Meyer of Geneese, Idaho, are visiting this week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Olson, living north of town a few miles. They made the trip in their car and are on their way home from attending the rose carnival at Portland. Mr. Meyer was bandmaster in Colville last year, and Mrs. Meyer was formerly Miss Freda Olson, milliner at Mrs. J. F. Leighton's.

A. May wants 4 tie cutters. —adv.



The Wilson-Bryan incident has been the leading topic of conversation among those politically interested. Democrats say little. Republicans are of course with Wilson and down on Bryan. In fact, they have been fighting Bryan so many years it comes natural to enthuse over anybody who disagrees with Bryan. It is evident that the administration is greatly strengthened as a result of the Bryan resignation under the particular circumstances, for Wilson has the popular and human nature side of the argument—peace if possible, but a determined stand when necessary. It would seem that if Wilson and Bryan had put their heads together to play politics, they couldn't have devised anything which would strengthen Wilson more than this one incident, in the way it has been brought up. And you will have to show me that it is not an approved plan to permit Bryan to drop out of the cabinet. It is known that he never cared for the office, and his supposed break with Wilson shows no sign of a dissolution of his continued friendship and support of the president.

These are the times when the man with the penchant for office hears the call of his country, and his country does not have to crawl to the top of the barn to make itself heard. Really, the man seems to twitch with wonderful fortitude under the sting of the ever insinuating political microbe. This particular specimen can be readily identified by his demeanor. He will in a confidential manner inform you that his name has been mentioned in connection with such and such an office, and will, in a deprecatory sort of a way, scout any intention of being drawn into the political whirl. But, of course he will be guided along in his future perambulations by his friends "in whose hands he is in." This man, I have observed, constitutes one of the most virulent forms of political itch and will endeavor to inoculate his helpless victim with the impression that the people can always be counted upon in any extremity to do the right thing—always meaning his own case.

I have discovered the dog poisoner, and I almost dropped dead, knowing how hard it is to catch such a fiend. But I have actually discovered this individual who peddles along the main street of town little bits of steak or sausage doped with the poison which sends gloom into the home of the owner. This discovery may not have anything to do with the political outlook next year, but it may be that I can furnish some good home politics before the dog season is over—and I want to reserve plenty of space.

Guess I started something last week in my observations on the water works and the \$6000 a year that comes dripping into Colville from the neighboring hills. I met a fellow on the street the next day who brought up the subject, and asked a lot of questions. He wanted to know what was the matter with the water system, anyway. I told him I didn't really know, but that I had heard it mentioned that there was some trouble with nepotism. He held his breath a minute, and I explained the situation as it had been told me; then, with considerable relief, he declared that it took the water works out of politics, anyway, but with the city it had always been different. "Do you know," he declared, "it used to be the worst case of graft, this city business, that you ever heard of. If a storekeeper, or anybody, was on the council, or mayor, or anything like a city officer, and you owed him anything, and he couldn't get his pay, he would have his brother fired to give you a job so you could pay him, and you could work as long as you owed him anything. Then after a while it got to be a matter of relatives, and—." I saw that he had more time than I, so I quickly agreed with him, told him I would see him again, and wiked down to see if Frank Goetter had any late news from the war.

Mrs. Lena Rellings and daughters of the Mission leave today for Montana to make their home with the former's brothers, who own about three sections of land near Great Falls.

Barmans are conducting another large sale, which lasts until the Fourth. The feature of the sale is the cut in the price of Alfred Benjamin and Collegian suits. These suits sell regularly as high as \$35, but endeavoring to make this sale the most popular of the season, the management has placed them on sale at \$15.75.

POLITICAL DOPE

By The Interested Observer

ORGANIZING CHAUTAUQUANS

THE GUARANTEE signers for the proposed Chautauqua in Colville in July, 1915, met in the court room Tuesday evening and formed the Stevens County Chautauqua Association. H. R. Spedden was chosen as temporary chairman and Levi Clark temporary secretary.

On permanent organization the following officers were selected: President, F. Leo Grinstead; Treasurer, George W. Seal; Resident vice president, B. W. Emery; Secretary, W. W. Campbell.

Non-resident vice presidents were selected as follows: J. M. Williams, Kettle Falls; R. D. McRae, Hunters; S. C. Sturman, Gifford; Charles Summers, Daisy; Gray Newark, Marcus; J. P. Case, Northport; M. W. Teepie, Meyers Falls; Al Weatherman, Ady; J. C. Rigg, Chewelah; M. Kulzer, Valley; Jerry Cooney, Springdale; H. R. Pope, Loon Lake.

The president was authorized to appoint the following committees: Grounds and construction, advertising, season ticket sale, talent, automobile parade.

The following committees were appointed: Grounds and construction—C. T. Winslow, Clair Hunt, Rolla Willett, C. O. Smith, D. H. Kimple. Season ticket sale—Levi Clark, W. L. Sax, M. McParland, Hugh Waddell, H. O. Blair, H. R. Williams, W. R. Baker, Mrs. F. B. Goetter, Mrs. W. C. Diefenbacher, George W. Seal. Advertising—J. D. Casey, C. A. Buchanan, W. W. Campbell, L. G. Keller, L. Richardson.

The Chautauqua is the biggest, best and cheapest educational and entertainment feature ever brought to Stevens county. The promoters have guaranteed the sale of \$1,000 worth of season tickets at the following prices: Adults, \$2.50; high school students, \$1.50; children 6 to 14 years, \$1. Six days, or seventeen numbers, \$11. The names of the promoters are as follows: W. L. Sax, W. Lon Johnson, W. L. Biggar, Hugh Waddell, W. F. Vilvoeck, A. L. Rogers, L. M. McParland, L. C. Joseph, S. S. Beggs, Willett Bros., H. H. Pordy, J. C. Williams & Son, W. W. Campbell, H. R. Spedden, Clair Hunt, W. R. Baker, R. S. Wells, B. W. Emery, Levi Clark, S. Monarrat, H. R. Williams, F. Leo Grinstead, Irving D. Sill, R. B. Thomas, George W. Seal, G. W. Kildow, W. C. Diefenbacher, C. H. Carroll, S. E. Rosenthal, C. A. Buchanan, J. A. Rice, Bert Nicol, H. A. Day, L. C. Richardson, Stan Vinson, L. A. Mantz, Leo Gordon, C. T. Winslow, H. O. Blair, E. E. Joseph, B. Dingle, Long Melville Doty, G. E. Thomas, C. D. Jarchow, I. S. Clark.

BIDS FOR THE Copper King mine near Chewelah, were opened Saturday afternoon at Chewelah by Charles Adams, receiver for the Copper King company. Only two tenders were submitted, and Receiver Adams has taken these under advisement until Tuesday, when he will announce acceptance or rejection. J. W. Douglas of Oroville bid \$225,000 and Danson, Williams & Danson, Spokane attorneys, bid \$75,000. It is the general belief at Chewelah that the tender of Mr. Douglas will be accepted. In which event the property, regarded as the second in importance in the Chewelah district, will be extensively developed, together with the Copper Queen and the Juno-Echo groups, adjoining.

WALTER BICE, who has been held in the county jail for several weeks on a charge of attempted assault, pleaded guilty Saturday and was sentenced to serve a term at the penitentiary for from one to ten years. He is but a young fellow but this is the fourth one within the past few years that has been in the county jail.

RANKING STUDENTS in the May examinations in Stevens county: First, Mildred Campbell, 92 7-9, Colville; second, Rose Roderick, 92 6-8, Colville; third, Donald Sherwood, 92 4-9, Colville; number diplomas issued, 107.

A. J. MONTGOMERY has moved his home from Oak to Elm street and will erect a \$2,000 home on the old Oak street site.

NOTICE. In the superior court of the state of Washington, in and for the county of Stevens. I, the Colville Leader, an insolvent corporation. Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of June, 1915, by an order duly made and entered in said aforesaid court, the undersigned was appointed receiver of the Colville Leader, an insolvent corporation; that all persons having or claiming to have any claims or claims against the said Colville Leader, an insolvent corporation, or who claim to be creditors of said Colville Leader, are hereby notified to file their sworn verified statement of said claim or claims with the undersigned, at his address, at Colville, Washington, within ninety (90) days from and after the 19th day of June, 1915, to-wit: Within ninety (90) days after the said 19th day of June, 1915, the date of the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred. O. N. BELL, Receiver of the Colville Leader, an Insolvent Corporation.

WHITE LAKE ITEMS. Allen Skiles returned Wednesday from the Colville General hospital, convalescing from the effects of a broken leg.

Walter Magee, formerly of this community, now living in Nebraska, is ill from blood poisoning, which was caused by being cut with a knife. The last report received by his sister, Mrs. Frank Choen, states that he is recovering.

Thomas McNicholas, Albert Knapp and Glen Skiles left Thursday for the harvest fields at Kahlots. Mr. McNicholas is owner of a ranch at that place.

Pimples, Skin Blemishes, Eczema Cured. No odds how serious, how long standing your case, there's help for you in every article of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. It wipes out all trace of your ailment, and leaves your skin clean and soft as a child's. Hundreds of users have sent voluntary letters of thanks. Just try one box. It will mean freedom from suffering and embarrassment.—Adv.