

## BUSINESS MEN MEET

### Preliminary Arrangements for a Commercial Club.

The Organization Will Look to the Betterment of Colfax—A Much Needed Institution.

A large number of Colfax business men met at the office of Harry Cornwell last Friday afternoon and preliminary arrangements were made for the organization of a Commercial Club. Chas. L. Mackenzie was elected temporary chairman and Geo. H. Lennox temporary secretary. A committee which was appointed to solicit membership has been meeting with considerable success and everything points toward a splendid organization. It was decided that the monthly dues for membership should be \$1, until such time as the club shall be in good running condition, after which they will be reduced.

A resolution was passed which has the sense of the meeting that Colfax should give a free Fourth of July celebration this year and that the same should be held at the fair grounds. Colfax has not given a celebration for several years and those present considered that no efforts should be spared to give the people a grand time on that day.

Several temporary committees were appointed and they will probably make their reports at a meeting which is to be held at the office of Harry Cornwell this (Friday) afternoon. At this afternoon's meeting it is also the intention to elect permanent officers and complete the organization.

This is a move in the right direction upon the part of the business men of Colfax. Care should be taken in the selection of a president, for much of the success of the club will depend upon the ambition and manner in which the presiding officer goes about his duties. A representative business man should be placed at the head; a man who will have the very best interest of the city at heart and one who will be tireless in his efforts to make the club the success it should be.

### THE SOCIAL SIDE.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leforce entertained a number of friends at their home in South Colfax last Friday evening. Finch was the principal amusement and everyone present testify to a delightful time. Mrs. Leforce was assisted in entertaining and serving refreshments by her sisters, Misses Sallie and Martha Carter.

Mrs. J. J. Miller gave a very pleasant surprise party at her beautiful home on Mill street, Thursday evening, January 7, in honor of Miss Lucy Morey. The evening was spent with music and finch, after which the hostess served refreshments. Twelve couples were entertained.

A delightful afternoon was spent by a large party of ladies Monday, when Mrs. J. N. Poocek and daughters, Mrs. E. E. Bellinger and Mrs. L. E. Allen, entertained at the home of the latter. Mrs. Joseph Sessions of Davenport was the guest of honor, and five hundred was played, in which game Mrs. H. I. Willis received the prize for having the best score. Elaborate refreshments were served late in the afternoon.

### COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Wm. A. Brady's production of "Way Down East" will be presented at The Ridgeway, Wednesday evening, Jan. 20. The story is of homely country life in New England and is full of dramatic intensity and genuine heart interest. Prices \$1.50, \$1.00, 75 and 50 cents; children 25 cents.

"Human Hearts," under the management of W. E. Nankeville, will be presented at The Ridgeway, Friday evening, Jan. 22. This is a beautiful story of life among the hills of Arkansas and is provided with splendid scenic settings. The company is a strong one. Prices \$1.00, 75 and 50 cents; children 25 cents.

The home talent minstrels are holding regular rehearsals and much ability is being developed and displayed by some of the people who will take part. This performance will be given during the latter part of the month for the benefit of the Colfax Military Band.

### W. H. ENOS.

W. H. Enos, who died at his home on Spring Flat, Jan. 7, 1904, was born in Pipestone, Mich., Sept. 13, 1843, and was married to Miss Josephine A. Foster of Sodus, Mich., Dec. 1, 1869. In the spring of 1877 he moved with his family to Oregon, and in 1880 came to Colfax. He had resided on his Spring Flat farm since Nov. 2, 1887. He left a wife and six children, E. C. Enos, Ardie E. Hill, F. A. Enos, Claud M. Enos, Cora M. Enos and Fred T. Enos.

### Committed to Asylum.

Deputy Sheriff Steward and Nessler arrested John Pierce, who lives between Oakesdale and Farmington, Wednesday, upon complaint of his neighbors that he is an insane and dangerous person. The medical examination was held at the court house yesterday and Pierce was committed to the Medical Lake asylum, where he has served two previous terms. He has a wife and two small children.

### Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Auditor Wheeler during the past week: Joseph H. Bicker of West Lake, Idaho and Katie Kinzer of Uniontown; J. F. Lightfoot and Dora Sals, both of Colfax; David E. Foster and Carrie Tomlinson, both of Palouse.

Mrs. A. A. Kaminsky, proprietor of The Chicago Millinery store, left Thursday, Jan. 14th, for a five weeks' visit to Chicago, for the purpose of selecting her millinery goods for the coming spring season.

Hairdressing, shampooing, manicuring, scalp and facial treatment a specialty. Mrs. C. A. Myers, rooms at Mrs. J. W. Snyder's, Mill and Upton streets. Phone Red 64.

### For Sale.

At M. G. Barger's residence opposite Hotel Whitman, household furniture and house plants; also large refrigerator.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

E. M. and F. A. Woodin were transacting business in Spokane Monday.

Attorney Thos. Neill was in Pullman Friday on legal business.

P. F. Chadwick is confined to his home this week with a severe attack of laryngitis.

Mrs. A. A. Kaminsky left Thursday for Chicago, to be absent about five weeks.

C. A. Cress of Tacoma, arrived in the city last Friday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. H. Barger.

T. J. Maynard of Colton, was a Saturday visitor in Colfax.

Bayard Byrns of Moscow, was in the city Sunday, en route with a delegation to Portland to attend the meeting of the National Live Stock Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Kuhn of Spokane were in Colfax Wednesday, en route to California.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Coffey of Portland are visiting in Colfax this week, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Wilson Johnston.

Attorney J. N. Pickrell was in Spokane Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Fred M. Coleman of Boise, Idaho, is visiting her many friends in Colfax this week.

Chas. Miller of Genesee, Mich., was in Colfax Monday, en route to Salem, Oregon. Mr. Miller is a brother of Miles M. Miller of Genesee, Idaho, who was here to meet him.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Spurgeon of Pullman visited several days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Irwin in this city.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

All parents who have children to enter the Colfax schools this spring for the first time, will please take notice that next Monday, January 18, is the date set for the entering class this year. After February 1 no more beginners will be allowed to enter school until next September. There will be no admission to beginners or the second primary later in the spring this year. There are to be but two admissions to beginners each school year, one at the beginning of each of the two terms.

The final examinations are being held the last three days of this week. The second semester of this year will begin next Monday.

The Adelphic Literary Society will hold its fourth meeting next Friday evening. Admittance will be by ticket.

Mr. Dykes went to Moscow last Friday evening to judge a debate between the Moscow and Pullman preparatory schools. The High school will debate against Moscow on the second Saturday in March on the question: "Resolved, that the United States was not justified in recognizing the republic of Panama." In conformity with the rules they had the choice of a side and we submitted the negative side. They have chosen the negative side.

On Thursday, January 28, the athletic association of the High school will give an entertainment. Admission 25 cents.

### Banks Elects Officers.

The First National Bank has selected all its directors and officers. The directors are: Levi Ankeny, Julius Lippitt, E. T. Conan, R. L. Mcroskey and William Huntley. The officers are as follows: Levi Ankeny, president; Julius Lippitt, vice president; E. T. Conan, cashier; H. G. DePledge, assistant cashier.

The Second National Bank has elected its directors and officers. The directors are: A. Coolidge, A. F. McLaine, A. Kuhn, C. E. Scriber, Greenville Holbrook and Chas. W. and Edw. Johnson. The officers are: A. Coolidge, president; A. F. McLaine, vice president; C. E. Scriber, cashier; D. C. Woodward, assistant cashier.

We guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for a gripe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. Elk Drug Store.

### BORN.

Davenport, December 29, 1903, to Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Daughters, a son.

### MARRIED.

Otis Elmer Faught of Oakesdale and Miss Lillian Letta Dickens of this city were married Wednesday, January 6, at the home of Mrs. Levi Withe, 1817 Garner avenue, Spokane. The young couple will be at home after February 1, at Oakesdale. Both young people are well and favorably known in Colfax, both having held positions with the Colfax Commoner. Their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous married life.

Ernest Hunton and Miss Josephine Cairns, both of Colfax, were married at San Francisco recently. Their marriage was somewhat of a surprise to the many friends of the couple, who join in wishing them much joy through life. The bride is the eldest daughter of Councilman J. W. Cairns of this city and is a graduate of the Colfax high school.

### Welcome as Sunshine.

After a long storm is a feeling of relief when an obstinate, pitiless cold has been driven away by Allen's Lung Balsam. Only people who have been cured of throat ache and sore lungs by this remedy can quite realize what the feeling is. There is no opium in the Balsam; its good effect is radical and lasting. Take a bottle home today.

### Guns Missing.

Four Kragg-Jorgensen rifles, the property of the U. S. government, are missing from the armory of Company L, Colfax. Anyone knowing where these guns are will confer a great favor upon the officers of the company by giving to Second Lieutenant J. O. Housekeeper the information and will be liberally rewarded.

### Settlement Requested.

Having sold my millinery store, all persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle not later than February 1, 1904. Mrs. J. BRATTON.

A lecture on Christian Science will be given at The Ridgeway, Thursday evening, Jan. 21, by Judge Septimus J. Hanna, of Colorado Springs, Colo. All are cordially invited. Admission free.

### For Sale or Rent.

Good house of eight rooms in North Colfax. J. G. Elliot, Colfax, Wash.

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### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Deputy Sheriff Steward took Harry Eubanks to the penitentiary at Walla Walla Sunday, the supreme court having affirmed the decision of the lower court. Eubanks has been in the county jail one year and seven months, which time will be credited to his five year sentence received for horsestealing.

The Davis Implement Company has increased its capital stock from \$10,000 to \$25,000. The new stockholders are J. A. Hampton, John Dingle and O. G. Fehler. The annual election will occur Saturday evening.

Lawrence Duchemin, the 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Duchemin, who was so seriously injured in a coasting accident a week ago, is improving at the hospital as rapidly as could be expected. Physicians consider that he is now out of danger.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church was held Wednesday evening. After the election of officers, a musical program was rendered and refreshments served. Rev. J. H. Bainton was retained as pastor for another year.

John P. Buckley, an old and indigent person, suffering with enlargement of the veins, was brought to the county jail this week from Tekoa, later being removed to the hospital. He is without money or friends and is in a bad condition physically.

### WITHIN THE COUNTY.

The people of Palouse City have been enjoying sleighing for a week, while other towns in the county have been experiencing mud.

Mayor D. F. Staley of Pullman has appointed J. B. Holt to be marshal in the arbutus city the coming year.

Palouse has an organization known as the Palouse Business Men's Association which is doing much good work for the upbuilding of that city.

Pullman postoffice receipts for the last quarter of 1903 were \$2035.09. This is \$266.95 greater than the receipts of the last quarter of 1902 and \$481.63 more than the same period two years ago.

A lively campaign is on in St. John over the incorporation proposition. Little doubt is expressed, however, but that the incorporators will win.

Captain Edward Kimmel contributed a splendid article recently to The Evergreen, published by students of the Agricultural College at Pullman, upon the subject of "Philippine Forestry."

### Domestic Troubles.

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you, but cure, 25c, at Elk Drug Store.

### Reward.

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### COUNTY CULLINGS.

Oscar Samuelson, a printer, has filed on 160 acres of improved land near Uniontown which persons living on an adjoining ranch, it is said, had in some way got on the tax rolls in their name without ever having filed thereon. Mr. Samuelson has refused \$4000 cash for the land.

Rosalie has laid over the electric lighting proposition for that city until spring. It seems that the petitioners for the franchise cannot thoroughly satisfy the city council regarding rates to be charged.

Arrangements are being made for the establishment of a hospital at Palouse. Dr. E. T. Hein of that city has the plans under consideration.

The new officers of the Pullman State Bank are J. J. Staley, president; W. V. Windus, vice president; D. F. Staley, cashier; J. A. Perkins, John Squires, L. C. Staley, A. T. Farris, W. V. Windus and D. F. Staley, board of directors.

A shipment of five large boxes of grasses and grains has been made recently from the agricultural department of the W. A. C. at Pullman. The display will go to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis.

The public schools of Tekoa have become so crowded that the board found it necessary to employ another teacher and Miss Martha Hale of Colfax has accepted the position. The enrollment has reached the 300 mark and six rooms are being used.

The blacksmith shop of Quesville & Newman at Palouse was closed by Deputy Sheriff Nessler Saturday afternoon, on an attachment proceeding brought by William Chaloner on notes and accounts to the amount of \$1200.

A. Bowman has installed a chop and feed mill at Farmington and is contemplating putting in a stock of lumber.

A number of cayuse ponies which have been overrunning Farmington were sold by the marshal Saturday, and brought prices ranging from 15 cents to \$2.50.

The condition of Thos. J. Turnbow of Garfield, who was shot last summer by J. E. Brown, is still puzzling the physicians. He seems to be sinking slowly, but is very hopeful of recovery.

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not gripe or have any unpleasant effect." For sale by Elk Drug Store.

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- 75c Dark Red Cashmere at, a yard 45c
- \$1.25 Dark Red Corded Dress Goods at, a yard 90c
- \$1.65 Dark Red Flannel at, a yard \$1.20
- \$1.25 Red Crepe at, a yard 90c
- \$1.15 Heavy Suitings at, a yard 82c
- \$2.50 Black Broadcloth at, a yard \$2.00
- \$1.25 Satin Soleil at, a yard 90c
- \$1.00 Brilliantine at, a yard 81c

## Shoes

- \$3.50 Royal Blue Line of Men's Vics, Box Calf, Valour Calf and Armour Calf at, a pair \$3.00
- \$2.50 Men's Magnet Calf, a pair 1.80
- \$5.00 Men's Patent Calf 4.00
- \$1.50 Men's Work Shoe, at 1.20
- \$4.00 Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes at 3.00
- \$3.50 Ladies' Fine Shoes at 2.70
- \$1.75 Ladies' Shoes at 1.20
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