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LOST.

August 22d or 23d, a ring of keys. Finder please leave at this office and receive suitable reward. r2

Pricked His Own Bubble.

This story, found in Rev. Dr. Henry H. Jessup's book, "Fifty three Years in Syria," seems to indicate that religious vagaries are as short lived in the east as elsewhere.

"You are an American, I infer?" "Yes, I am," replied the queer looking man.

"And what are you doing here, if I may ask?"

"Ah, yes, I'm glad you asked. You see, I've come to preach the new doctrine, that there is to be no more death, if men will only accept it, we'll abolish death, and there'll be no more dying, nor graves, nor coffins, nor funerals. We shall just live right on."

"But," said Dr. Jessup's friend "supposing you should sicken and die, what then?"

"Oh," said the man, "that would bust the whole thing?"

"And it did. The poor delirious apostle died a few months later, and with him his "new doctrine."

Couldn't Think of It.

The handsome young plumber laid aside a piece of lead pipe and, approaching the beautiful kitchen maid, said:

"You look awful good to me."

"Go on; quit your kiddin'!" she replied.

"But I mean what I say."

"I ain't got any time to listen to you now. Can't you see I'm busy?"

"Yes, but what's the use workin' when a fellow wants to make love to you? Say, if I make this job last so I can come back tomorrow will you have your work out of the way so we can talk things over? You're the prettiest girl I ever seen."

"If you think you can make a fool of me by such silly talk you're mistaken."

"But I mean every word I say. I want you to try to learn to love me."

"If you want to make love to me come around this evening I'll be here."

"What! On my own time? What kind of a chump do you think I am?"

-Chicago Record Herald.

Feline Aristocrats.

The Siamese is said to be the most delicate and expensive of all cats. It is called the royal cat because it has long been bred in the family of the king of Siam. It is a short haired cat, which looks curiously like a dog. Its coat is pug dog color and very short, firm and silky more like a dog's than a cat's. It has black paws and nose and a twist in its tail.

NAMES TO BE ON PRIMARY BALLOTS

COMPLETE LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY OFFICES—FEW CONTESTS.

Thursday was the last day of filing petitions for the primary and the total number was not increased much except for committeemen.

There will be but three names for county commissioner on the primary ballots, L. Couch, S. C. Himmelwright and L. Olsen—all Republicans.

Only one name for sheriff, Edgar Marvin, and one name for clerk, W. C. Boatman—both Democrats up for re-election and no Republican candidate against them in this strong Republican county. Surely, a wonderful tribute to their efficiency and popularity.

For treasurer there are W. T. Bell and Fred A. Rachow, Republicans, and G. W. Franklin, Democrat.

No names for surveyor or coroner. Two justices of peace and one constable name on tickets, unopposed.

County central committeemen will be elected at the primary. L. Berand of Enterprise, Ira Hoskins of Divide, J. O. Kiddle of Lostine, D. G. Tucker of Prairie Creek, John Baker of Joseph, Harry Hoffing of Butte, are Republican anti-assembly candidates. George W. Hyatt of Enterprise, W. G. Bekk of Joseph and L. Knapper of Prairie Creek are opposing Republicans.

Last Day to Register.

Next Wednesday is the last day you can register if you want to vote at the primary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Sam Litch, James A. Funk and M. E. Hotchkiss doing business under the name of the L. F. & H. Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, M. E. Hotchkiss retiring.

Sam Litch and James A. Funk will continue business under the name of the L. F. & H. Co., pay all the firm obligations and collect all bills due the firm.

SAM LITCH, JAMES A. FUNK, M. E. HOTCHKISS.

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SPECIAL TRAIN OF SHEEP TO CHICAGO

W. H. Graves and J. H. Dobbin went to Elgin Thursday to superintend the loading of 23 carloads of sheep they are sending to Chicago. Mr. Graves will accompany the shipment to Chicago and sell them on the market. There are about 7,000 head in the lot.

Henry Weaver, Wayne Bay and C. M. Williams will also accompany the shipment to Chicago to help take care of the sheep en route.

Mr. Graves' little son Lawrence made the trip to Elgin, returning with Mr. Dobbin.

Diphtheria Scare

Abating In North

No More New Cases—All Exposed Placed Under Strictest Quarantine.

Grouse, Sept. 6.—There is quite an excitement in the neighborhood of Bartlett, owing to the spread of diphtheria. There were three new cases reported yesterday. Mrs. E. A. Hack and little three year old girl, and Mrs. Frank O'Neal.

It was thought yesterday that Mrs. McNeal could not survive through the night, but she is reported some better at this writing. Dr. Gilmore of Flora waited on the little boy of E. A. Hack's that died a few days ago and the doctor contracted the disease himself and has been confined to his home since.

E. A. Hack has been in a critical condition himself with the disease for several days and after Dr. Gilmore was confined to his home he phoned to Anstons for a doctor to come at once. The doctor arrived night before last and stayed till yesterday morning, and Mr. Hack is reported improving. Before the doctor got home he received a telephone to come back, but he had patients he was compelled to visit, so he refused the call and insisted that the board of health at Enterprise be informed at once and have the sick and all who had been exposed quarantined at once. A doctor has been called from Wallowa, and is expected to arrive this morning by 10 o'clock.

GRANDE RONDE FARMERS' DEFEAT IRRIGATION PLAN

Irrigation is lost to the Grande Ronde valley, as 129 owners of land in the proposed district have remonstrated to the county court against the proposed district and bonding scheme, only 23 favoring it. Walter Pierce and the other promoters of the project have given up the fight.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Church of Christ, Gifford Ernest, pastor; Bible school at 9:45; worship at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and preaching at 8 o'clock in the evening. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. week prayer and praise service Wednesday, topic, "Proud—of What?" Mid-week prayer and praise service Wednesday evening, topic, Your favorite verse from the 12th chapter of Romans.

FOREIGN NEWS BITS

The Austrian government has begun an investigation as to the causes of the great emigration especially from Hungary and the eastern provinces to the United States.

More than 1400 lives were lost in the recent Japanese floods according to official reports. In addition several hundred are missing.

Since the outbreak of the epidemic this year 133,601 cases of cholera, with 64,405 deaths in Russia, have been officially reported. The scourge, however, is lessening.

Following the promulgation of an ordinance prohibiting the eating of figs because of the cholera scare at Bari, Italy, a mob of 2000 persons attacked and wrecked the local sanitary office and beat the employees.

The Idealistic.

Never believe that your life is going to be better and stronger if you cut out all the dreams and aspirations. The people who never get beyond their immediate vocations do not do the best work in life. There are two paths in life, the materialistic and the idealistic, and it is for us to choose which we will walk in. A strong life, a true life, a noble life can never be lived by any man or woman without the presence of what fools have always called and always will call—the unreal—Henry Van Dyke.

PEOPLE REJOICE FOR TROY BRIDGE

IS BOON TO ALL RESIDENTS OF GROUSE AND GARDEN OF EDEN COUNTRIES.

Grouse, Sept. 6.—The people of the Grouse country on both sides of the state line between the Grande Ronde river and the Elbe Mountains are wonderfully pleased over the completion of the new steel bridge at Troy.

They say many congratulations are due the county commissioners for the interest they have taken in the welfare of our people, and a number of them met the honorable county court at Troy Saturday and served a nice picnic dinner which was enjoyed by all present.

The foreman of the party putting up the bridge is spoken of in the highest terms of respect. The bridge crew of nine men have made many friends here and are highly esteemed as gentlemen. We are sorry that two of the party were taken sick at the close of the work. The crew were all served a fine dinner at Grouse Sunday while en route to Lewiston.

The grist mill at Troy is nearing completion, and D. A. Silver has a new dwelling house well on the way.

Troy is a natural center from all points west and north of the river and will in the near future be a place of note. At present the public roads are not in a condition to warrant a rapid improvement. Like in all other new countries the first roads opened up are made for the quickest and cheapest route regardless of the steepness and other inconveniences.

The citizens of the Grouse country don't want to ask any more favors of the county court than are absolutely necessary, but under the circumstances we can't well avoid asking a new road to be laid out from Troy to the top of the hill near E. Richman's, as the present road is not safe for public travel. If a road can be established the most of the work should be done by subscription. The people are much more interested than ever before as the bridge is open for travel and the Troy mill will be in operation soon which will more than double the travel.

Visit From Boss Of Late Assembly

Candidate Bowerman, Makes Quiet Tour of Wallowa Valley Towns.

Assembly candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, Jay Bowerman, spent Thursday night at Joseph, Friday forenoon in Enterprise and the afternoon in Wallowa, going from here to Wallowa in an automobile, accompanied by his financial agent, Fred Steiwer of Pendleton, and by C. T. Hockett, local candidate for the legislature.

While here, Mr. Bowerman met many Republicans, and also held an "assembly" of a few of the chosen in a room at the court house where the great boon of an "assembly" was explained to the uninitiated.

Lafferty Tonight.

A. W. Lafferty, the anti-assembly candidate for congress, is speaking this afternoon to a large audience at Wallowa, and will deliver an address in the court room here tonight at 8 o'clock.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Will Church, whose father was so prominently identified with the early history of this county, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the legislature in Union county.

Grant Dimick, the anti-assembly candidate for governor, has been county judge of Clackamas county for several terms, and the people there say he is the best ever. Would probably be just as good a governor.

JORDAN LAND SOLD.

Jordan & Pace of the O. R. & I. company have sold 120 acres off the L. J. Jordan farm, two miles south of Enterprise, to Delbert Homan for a price said to be around \$75 an acre. Mr. Homan's city property on Residence street figured in the deal.

RESOLUTIONS.

September 9, 1910.

To Sister Price and family: Whereas, the Almighty God in his wise providence has called from this earth to a home beyond, the beloved husband of our sister, Mrs. Martha Price.

Be it resolved, that the heart-felt sympathy of Emerald Rebekah lodge be extended our sister and family in their sorrow and grief.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded our sister and a copy printed in the News Record. (Signed)

ALTA WEATHERS, EVA WILLGERODT, ORAN WAGNER, Committee on Resolutions.

Miller and Ames

Homesteads Sold

Two Planned Families to Leave Promise—Schools Open For Fall and Winter Terms.

Promise, Sept. 6.—T. C. Miller and J. N. Ames have sold their homesteads to Mr. Harden. The Promise postoffice and store is on the Miller place. Mr. Ames' ranch is on the lower bench just above the river. We will regret to have these pioneer settlers and fine families leave this community.

Mrs. Joe Carper was ill for a few days, lately.

The hunters who spent a few days above Elbow Canyon returned home Sunday and reported having seen a number of large bear tracks.

Some of the schools started yesterday. Promise with Miss Carrie VanPelt as teacher; Riverside with Mrs. F. G. Potter as teacher.

Mrs. Calloway and her daughter, Mrs. McClure, of Enterprise, were visiting Boyd Carper and other West Virginia relatives last week.

Some of the venturesome bucks of Promise who have been hunting without a license and trespassing on private property are getting a little measly.

Mrs. Tom Bennett is quite sick again.

HOMESTEAD PROOFS.

John Sloan and Quincy Trump of Grosman made final proof on their homesteads before U. S. Commissioner Lockwood, Wednesday. James Bankhead was here with them as a witness.

Prize to Cunday School Pupils.

Messrs. Corkins & Wagner have offered three prizes to young singers in the Sunday schools, the contest to take place Friday, September 30, at the annual County Fair in Enterprise. Any boy or girl under 12 years of age, member of any Sunday school in the county, may compete for these prizes and have the privilege of singing any song they prefer. The first prize is \$10.00, second \$5.00, and third \$2.50. All Sunday schools are urged to enter at least one competitor.

DETAILED COST OF NEW COURT HOUSE

OFFICIAL FIGURES SHOW TOTAL FOR BUILDING TO BE LESS THAN \$34,000.

The detailed cost of the new court house is shown by the following figures taken from the official records in the office of the county clerk:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Wallowa County Court House, Contract price paid to S. R. Haworth, Plans and specifications, Filling jail basement with rocks, etc.

Total for building... \$33,985 02

PAID FRANK McOTTE FOR SUPERINTENDING STONE WORK... \$355 00

Total for building... \$33,985 02 COUNTY COURT.

The county court met Wednesday, allowed bills, checked road supervisors' reports and did other routine work.

A Lostine delegation asked for a road up the South Fork to timber. The court went over the proposed route Friday.

Two vacant rooms and a vault in the northeast corner of the second floor of the court house was leased to Attorney D. W. Sheahan for \$25 a month.

WAS FIRST WHITE CHILD BORN IN PROMISE LAND

Miss Promise Phillips, who had been in Enterprise for several days taking an examination for a permit to teach, left for her home at Promise, Friday. She will teach in the Colpitt district this winter.

Miss Phillips is the first white child born in what is known as the Promise country, and her father, J. C. Phillips, erected the first log house for a home there. He and his family were residing in Portland until recently, when they moved back to Promise.

Miss Phillips was a guest in the home of County Assessor B. F. Miller, while in the city.

TO BEGIN NEW CHURCH.

The erection of the new Baptist church at East First and Grant streets will begin next week.

The building will not be let by contract. The building committee will oversee the work through a foreman.

Free Rest Room at Fair.

The ladies improvement league of Enterprise will conduct a free rest room at the fair.

We do good job printing. Try us.

Who's to Blame?

When you buy goods that you are afterwards dissatisfied with, you feel that the Quality was not there. Now when you are in need of an article and haven't good knowledge of the quality of the same, then you must leave it to the make. Get something that is standard and backed up by a good manufacturer. Here is where we come in.

We handle only reputable lines of Merchandise and stand back of every thing we sell to make it good if it goes wrong.

We cater to the people who want good goods at the lowest prices they can be sold at.

W. J. FUNK & CO.

THE QUALITY STORE

Always Up-to-date Never a minute behind

Real estate advertisement for W. E. TAGGART, The Pioneer Real Estate Man. Lists property for sale and insurance services.

Advertisement for WALLOWA NATIONAL BANK OF ENTERPRISE, OREGON. Details capital, surplus, and banking services.