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[BR]IGHT OUTLOOK FOR THUNDER MOUNTAIN

[MI]NES OF THE BIG MINERAL DISTRICT ATTRACTING ATTENTION IN THE EAST.

...Wordenhoff, one of the ...of the Thunder Mountain ...arrived in the city Sunday ...from New York City. Mr. ...hoff went east last fall, and ...booming Idaho and Idaho ...properties in the nation's ...le.

...Wordenhoff has made several ...during his absence, and organ... ...panies who will develop min... ...perties of Thunder Mountain ...extensive scale.

...Wordenhoff states that Idaho ...attracting a great deal of ...at this time, and Thunder ...is coming in for its share, ...well with investors. He ...that a number of prominent mine investors of New York City will be in Weiser shortly, en route to Thunder Mountain. Mr. Wordenhoff states that there will be a great rush to Thunder Mountain this summer, that they will be men of means who are going into the camp to invest their money and develop their holdings. The route via Weiser is recognized as the only practicable one to the camp.

Mr. Wordenhoff put in many years of hard labor in the camp, and now, in his declining years, has secured a completency that will keep wolf from the door. He returned to the camp Tuesday morning, and will remain during the summer, looking after the properties in which he is interested.

[NE]W BUILDING FOR THE SIGNAL

[Wi]ll Move Into a $6,000 Home in September.

...Weiser Signal this week signed ...contract with Al Hopkins, ...pioneer contractor, for a ...new office building which ...$6,000. The building to be ...by September 15th. The ...will be 42x110 feet and ...finished inside and out. ...10 rooms of various ...a 7-foot hallway. There ...business office 17½x17½; ...room 18x16½; editorial ...; newspaper room ...press room 37x23½; storage ...; job room 21½x16; stock ...; chamber 10½x10; office ...which has been [re]nted ...Harvey for his ...completed this will be one of ...and conveniently arranged ...offices in the state. ...structure is designed for the ...of a second story at some ...time, which will cost between ...and $5,000 more.

...Signal has ordered a slug ...machine which will be ...the new quarters and the ...will then be prepared to ...a far better publica... ...same old price and handle ...to better advantage, and ...with the growth of the ...land which it has been ...in bringing to the ...of advancement.

...will be in a position to ...kind of a paper the busi... ...of Weiser show by their ...that they want, even to a ...daily, but the best evidence ...in the future of Weiser ...patronage in the coming ...the improvements it ...to make. The Signal has ...signal to the world of ...Empire, and if at any ...not received its due in ...has felt that changing ...will ultimately bring about ...substantial backing.

Disposed of His Horses.

M. C. Fuller of Mineral, was in the city Monday, looking after the horse deal by which he transferred the entire band belonging to the firm of Fuller & Rucker to John Nusllee, of this city. The price paid for the band was $2400. The horses will arrive in Weiser between the 12th and 15th. They are said to be one of the best bands of horses on the range in this county.

Mr. Fuller will leave shortly for Eagle Valley, Ore., where he will purchase horses and bring them to Idaho and place them on the range near Mineral. Mr. Fuller had about concluded to go to Oregon to locate permanently, but changed his mind and will stay with Idaho. Washington county can ill afford to loose a good citizen like Mike Fuller.

Farewell Reception.

The young friends of Miss Lena Pritchett will give her a farewell reception tomorrow evening. It will be held on the court house grounds, which will be lighted with Chinese lanterns. There will be music, games and luncheon. Mr. W. W. Pritchett and family will leave about the 8th of this month for Portland where they will reside in the future. Miss Lena will attend a business college in that city. About eighty invitations have been issued.

W. of W. Election

The semi-annual election of officers of Weiser Valley Camp No. 333, Woodmen of the World took place last Thursdao evening. Following are those elected: Counsul Commander, E. A. Dasch; L. L., Roy Burley; Escort, L. B. Harris; Watchman, Frank Call; Sentry, Ed. A. Wentworth; manager, A. E. Emerick, clerk W. J. Stuart; banker, W. D. Anderson.

Weiser Cottage for Sale.

Well built house with 1½ lots, 5 blocks from postoffice in good location to be sold at once. Cheap. Enquire, box 895 or Bell Phone 261 n. Boise, Idaho. 84-tf

Nicely furnished rooms for sleeping or house keeping.
86-tf Mrs. Maud R. Wheeler.

DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

Council, Idaho, July 4.

When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for some people to disolve the political bonds which connect them with others, and to assume among the powers of the State of Idaho the separate and equal rights to which the people of the county and state do not now entitle us, a decent respect for the citizens of the northern end of Washington county requires that we should declaim the causes which impel us to the separation from the north end of the county.

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men in the northern part of Washington County are created equal to those who by chance reside in the southern end. That we are endowed with certain established rights, that among these are the right to live, to take things easy, and to pursue the frisky coyote for his scalp. That to secure these rights the Fourth of July was inaugurated among our citizens, deriving their just powers from the game law passed by the last legislature.

Than when any form of referendum becomes destructive to the devision of the county it is the right of our people to adjourn and go fishing for votes for the purpose of instituting a new county, laying its foundation on the two mile limit law, and organizing the powers in such form as to us shall seem most likely to effect the safety and happiness of those who have not paid their dollar license.

Prudence indeed will dictate that the determination to form a new county should not be changed for light and trivial causes, and accordingly all experience hath shown that mankind is more disposed to "kick" than to look smiling.

But when a long train of abuses and usurpations in office, persuing invariably the same policy of keeping us out of office, it is our fight, our duty to strike the south end in the solar plexus. Such has been our patient suffering and such is now the necessity which constrains us to alter the boundry line and inaugurate a new deal. The history of the present county is a history that will warrant the proposed division and all the citizens of the north end have a direct object, the establishment of absolute and amicable relations with the south end.

To prove this, let the facts be submitted to our candid citizens.

They have forbidden to give the middle-of-the-road party a chance to pass laws of immediate and pressing importance, unless suspended in their operation by a lack of votes to elect them to office, and when so suspended they have utterly failed to cause them to be appointed to remunerative positions.

They have failed to suggest other laws that might be beneficial to a to a large class of our citizens, implying that we should relinquish the right to run for the legislature.

They have called together political conventions outside of the town of Council, and distant from the depository of the archives of our city council for the sole purpose of compelling us to change our "drinks."

They have advocated the construction of a steel bridge across Snake river, and utterly failed to instruct our representatives to tack on to the tail of that bill an appropriation to build a like structure across the Weiser at this place.

They have fed us on coal oil of only seventy two degrees fire test in open violation of the pure food law.

They have failed to proclaim their approval of a clause that might have been added to the game law, granting an open season, giving the right of our fellow citizens to kill each other.

They have solicited subscriptions from the citizens of Oregon for the construction of the Weiser bridge, and charge them twenty-five dollars for killing snipes in the Weiser swamps.

They have played "foul" in securing our baseball team to help them celebrate our natal day with the inadequate guarantee that our boys are not to receive more than three broken fingers and one black eye.

They have ignored the principals of justice in their implied opposition to our citizens who pay the dollar license to catch fish, of returning the money if no fish are caught.

They have repeatedly insisted that Weiser was the gateway to the central Idaho mines, totally ignoring the fact that Council is the door to that region.

They have "tooted their own horns" to such an extent that the popularity and glory of Council has become partially eclipsed.

In every stage of these oppressions we have petitioned for a division of the county in the most humble terms; our repeated petitions have been answered only by repeated refusals to grant assent.

Nor have we been wanting in our attention to our southern bretheren. We have warned them from time to time of our purpose to stop their jurisdiction over us. We have reminded them of our hard struggle with bacon and beans during our immigration and settlement here. We have appealed to their native justice and magnanimity that if they continued to ... at "stud poker" it will impel our separation. They have been deaf to the voice of these demands. We must therefore acquiesce in the necessity of dividing the county and hold them as we hold the rest of the state —friends in war, in peace, brothers.

We, therefore the representatives of the proposed new county, in precinct meeting assembled, appealing to the great "umpire" for the rectitude of our intentions, do, in the name and authority of the people north of the proposed division line, are, and of right ought to be a free and independent county, this will be absolved from all allegiance to Weiser as the county seat, and that all county authority now existing between us and the seat of county authority be dissolved and as a free and independent county we have full power to hunt ground hogs, kill snakes contract debts, establish peanut stands and to do all acts and things which any other county might by right do.

And we propose to support this declaration with a firm reliance in the rules of so-lo-sixty, we mutally pledge each other that we will not exceed our socialistic proclivaties in gobbling everything in sight.

John Kanrawk,
Chairman.

WEISER'S FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

WILL BE THE GRANDEST EVER HELD IN THE STATE--IMMENSE CROWDS WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE.

The committee having in charge the Fourth of July celebration, met at the office of O. M. Harvey Monday evening. Each committee reported favorable progress, and the opinion was that it would be the greatest celebration ever held in Washington county.

The dance committee have contracted with Al Hopkins for the erection of a pavilion 40x100 feet, which will be used for the delivery of the oration by the Hon. James H. Hawley, of Boise, reading of the Declaration of Independence, and musical exercises. It will also be used for dancing in the afternoon and evening. The pavilion will be located in the open space between Ashby's store and McKinney's real estate office.

The parade will form on Main street, at the Opera House, at 9:15 a. m. on the morning of the Fourth, and traverse the following route:

March from the Opera House west on Perrault street to Second street; south on Second to Commercial; east on Commercial to First; north on First to Eoff; west on Eoff to Second; south on second to Commercial; east on Commercial to the pavilion, where the parade will disband.

Immediately following the parade will be the balloon ascension, by Prof. Sackett in his monster balloon, who at the height of more than 2000 feet, will leap from the balloon to the earth, supported only by a small parachute. This will take place on the old base ball ground on Wallington street.

The bicycle race, horse races and baseball game will take place at the old race track, in the eastern part of the city. The minor sports will be held after the above events on Second and Eoff streets, in the business portion of the city.

Every merchant is earnestly requested to have a float in the parade representing his business. In the parade will be firemen, plug ugly's, hayseed band, car of state, and secret societies.

The special trains run on the P. & I. N., will bring an immense crowd.

Everybody turn out and make this the grandest celebration ever held in Idaho.

Construction to Resume.

J. S. Stark of Ontario, is in the city on business connected with the Malheur Butte Ditch Co. Mr. Stark states that a small force is employed on the reservoirs being built by the company on Willow Creek. He states that arrangements are nearly perfected whereby work will be started again shortly on the Dead Ox flat ditch.

A. B. Hannan, representing the Capital News of Boise, is in the city in the interest of that journal.

Frank Townley who has been at Whitebird for the past two years in cattle business, has sold out and returned to Weiser land.

A Monster Trout.

Harry Wolff received from Meadows Monday a monster trout caught in the Little Salmon in this county, by H. C. Lewis, of Meadows. It was 20 inches long and weighed three pounds and one ounce. An affidavit from Mr. Lewis accompanied the fish, in which affiant states that he caught the fish, June 27, 1903, in the Little Salmon river, within the boundaries of Washington county, that he was more than half an hour landing the fish. Mr. Lewis stated that he was in the contest for the rod and reel offered by Haas Bros., for the largest trout caugh, this season.

This almost doubles the weight of any previous one caught, and will probably capture the prize.

Notice.

All barber shops will remain open until 12 o'clock Friday evening, July 3rd, and will close at 1 p. m. on Saturday the Fourth. Conduct yourself accordingly. 85 3t

Pickled pigs feet, pickled tripe and boneless salmon for lunches, at Kopps meat market. 87-1t

Wedding at Meadows.

Wednesday of last week, at Meadows, occured the wedding of Miss May Freeman, daughter of Mrs. S. V. Freeman, and Gustave E. Meyer. The ceremony was performed by Judge Roger T. Mayo, of Meadows. The couple are well and favorably known in the northern part of the country. Mrs. Meyer is a printer, and was at one time an employee of the Signal. We extend congratulations.

This is indeed a progressive age. The business man who would achieve success must be continually on the alert. He must be constantly introducing new kinds of wares and advancing new ideas, in matters of general business. The show business does not differ in this from mercantile or other pursuits and the most successful showmen of the present, are those who have the most original ideas, and introduce the most novel performances. To a thorough understanding of this no doubt due the wonderful success and growth of Norris & Rowe's shows which are to exhibit here soon. This institution is conducted by two young energetic business men, who are thoroughly alive to the fact that the people continually want something new in the line of amusement as well as in anything else, and they sustain their enviable reputation for having an up to date show, by adding countless novelties and scores of new and original acts each year. They have been here several times and this same period of progressiveness is always visible. The result is that they do a more prosperous business each time they come. The date of the show's appearance is Friday July 10.

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Bill Jinkins' Sayings.

SAGE CREEK, June 22d, 1903.
To Editor Signal:

"The trusts are the dad-blamedest socialists in existence," says Bill Jinkins this morning. "The only way they have of making money is by dividing other people's earnings. They stand in the doorway of the workingmen's prosperity, and not only bar the entrance but make them pay toll for passing by. Their constant cry is 'divide! divide!' and not a pauper by escapes. They never produce anything but panics and high prices. They do not so much as raise a pig for home consumption. Their wives toil not neither do they spin. Their sons have never produced a hill of potatoes. And the girls? Not a father's daughter of them could knit a pair of socks to save her from social ostracism. Nothing goes but business. Even matrimony is a business venture. Husbands or wives are sold to the highest bidder. Afterward finding no love on either side, they begin to realize that a human animal has been purchased at a high price. They then prepare to devote their time to the vices most fashionable at the time, and seeing less of each other than any one else they get along admirably. They constitute a goodly part of the 'upper class,' like the 'skimmings' on cane molasses, they owe their position to their specific gravity or their utter uselessness to their fellow beings. But much unlike skimmings in ability to harm. In this they are more like leeches, or rather like cannibals who live on the flesh of their fellow men.

Their knowledge of arithmetic only reaches to division but they know all the short cuts. If a workman produces fifteen hundred a year he's lucky to get five hundred—when they divide with him. If he wishes to consume any of the things which he has produced he has to divide what he has left with half a dozen who have handled the article since he made it. When he is removed from the consuming class, if he has ...

... that gets his money, as other people's labor and necessities makes that much extra labor for me. We have to work hard every day in the week to support a lot of idlers who have never made the world richer by so much as a pint of beans.

While we wield the shovel and the axe they ride in horseless carriages with noiseless tires on dustless roads, indulging in brainless gossip and practicing a Christless christianity, expecting us to work on a foodless stomach, wear clothless clothes and pay our bills from a moneyless purse.

We are doing all we can in our small way to down the trusts. We are breaking the Standard Oil Co. by burning a twisted rag in a saucer of lard, and if it wasn't for the lard we'd drop the meat trust. While the children go barefooted we can look on the leather trust with a smile of triumph. We've given the wool trust the cold shoulder by wearing overalls and calico. Can we hold out? It's Hobson's choice. If I could move to a moonshine district in a tobacco raising country I'd boycott the tobacco and whisky trusts. But I'll have to wait till the wave of prosperity subsides. But if those 'divvy up' socialists go unhung two months longer we'll have another hard winter.—JIM JOHNSON.

Dancing vs. Religion.

Caldwell Tribune.

Things have come to a pretty pass in Brigham City, Utah. It is religion vs. dancing and dancing is away in the lead. From press reports the squabble started when Christianson Brothers, the musicians of Brigham City, announced their intention of opening an open air dancing pavilion. The church authorities went to the young men advising them to desist in their undertaking, saying that the church already had an opera house, which was sufficient for all needs. However, the pavilion was built, and a grand ball announced. Immediately the authorities announced a dance in the opera house on the same evening and threatened excommunication from the church of all who attended the open-air dance. Notwithstanding this there were about 300 couples at the pavilion and ... at the opera house. The young people have not ...

An Animal Story For Little Folks
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JOHN MAURER, W. M.
E. H. VARIAN, Secretary.

LOYAUTE CHAPTER No. 19, O. E. S. regular meetings the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Members in good standing of sister chapters are always welcome.
MRS. A. W. WATERS, W. M.
MRS. W. L. ANDERSON, Sec.

MYRTLE Lodge No. 31, Knights of Pythias, meets every Monday evening at 7:30 in K. of P. hall. Visiting brothers always welcome.
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