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Secret Societies.

Masonic.
Bonnors Ferry Lodge, No. 21, A. F. & A. M., holds stated meetings on the last Wednesday evening of the month on or before a full moon. Visiting Master Masons qualified are fraternally invited to visit. HENRY MELDOR, Secretary.

Odd Fellows.
Utopia Lodge, No. 26, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers fraternally invited. S. M. BARNUM, N. G. Wm. VanGasken, Secretary.

Rebekah Degree. I. O. O. F.
Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 42, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Rebekahs cordially invited. Miss MABEL McNEAR, N. G. Mrs. S. D. TAYLOR, Secretary.

Knights of Pythias.
Acme Lodge, No. 1, K. of P., meets in Pythian Hall every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Knights always welcome. L. F. BOYER, C. C. E. L. LITTLE, K. of P. & S.

Rathbone Sisters.
Present Temple No. 10, meets every other Friday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Visiting members invited. Mrs. LITTLE, M. E. C. Miss Phoebe KILMER, M. of E. and C.

Encampment I. O. O. F.
Kootenai Camp No. 25, I. O. O. F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month at 8 o'clock. Visiting patriots cordially invited. H. L. McNEAR, C. P. W. S. CURTIS, Scribe.

Knights of the Macabees.
Kootenai Tent, No. 24, K. of T. M., meets every alternate Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Knights always welcome. C. C. CABOT, Commander. B. H. WALKER, R. K.

Ladies of the Macabees.
North Star Hive, No. 16, L. O. T. M., meets every alternate Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Ladies always cordially invited. MRS. MARY TAYLOR, Secretary.

Modern Woodmen of America.
North Star Camp, No. 609, M. W. A., meets in Woodmen Hall every Monday evening. Visiting Woodmen always welcome. W. W. FARRINGTON, V. C. E. L. LITTLE, C. S.

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Office opens at 8 a. m., and closes at 5 p. m., except Sunday. Open Sunday from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. Resubmit mail closes at 12:30 p. m. Westbound mail closes at 2:40 p. m. and 5 p. m. Copeland and Payroll mail closes at 7 a. m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

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MILLION DOLLARS THE STAKES

Big Contest is on at Land Office between Government and N. P. Railway Company.

One million dollars at the least estimate is the value of the land which the Northern Pacific will lose if the contest case which has just been heard at Coeur d'Alene city, Idaho, is decided in the favor of the government, according to the estimate of F. M. Goodwin, special agent of the general land office. For the past week and a half five men have been sitting around a rough table in the ante-room of the receiver's office at Coeur d'Alene city, spitting tobacco in a common box and playing for these tremendous stakes with as little concern as the corner grocery shows in declaring war on England. M. T. Saunders of St. Paul, assisted by Thomas Cooney, who has made a personal examination of the lands in dispute, is opposed in this great game by G. B. Gardner, attorney for the government, assisted by A. J. Collier, government geologist, and F. M. Goodwin. Twenty-eight witnesses were produced by the government to offset the evidence of a half dozen called by the Northern Pacific. If these men succeed in convincing the secretary of the interior, to whom the case will ultimately go, that the land in question is non-mineral in character, the Northern Pacific will be \$1,000,000 richer.

F. M. Goodwin said yesterday: "By the grant of land to the North-

Must Live on Homestead Land.

"The law is the same as it always was, but it is now being strictly interpreted. Formerly a claimant went before the general commissioner to make final proof of his land after having been there only once in six months. 'Have you made continuous residence there?' the commissioner would ask. 'I have never been absent for six months,' the claimant would answer. 'Well, then,' said the commissioner, 'that is continuous residence.' But that is not continuous residence now. For the past year special agents of the department have had supervision of final proof, and they are in a position to know more about the lands than the commissioner, and can cross-examine a claimant in any manner they wish.

"A man must actually prove that he has made his home on the land for five years before he will be allowed to make final proof. If a man has a family in Spokane, or has sufficient residence here to vote, and goes to his homestead once in a while, his residence is in Spokane and no amount of juggling with facts will make him a resident of the homestead.

"The only effect filing on land and building a house there has is to keep some one else from taking it up; it will not give a man the right to make final proof and get title to the land, which he must do in seven years. No one will get land now unless he is a bona fide settler. It is not fair to a man who goes out and develops a country to have a man from town, who comes out once in six months, get just as good property as he does."

—F. M. Goodwin, special agent of the Interior Department.

—An epidemic of typhoid is prevalent in and around Sandpoint at the present time. Dr. Page reports four cases at the new brick yard at the Great Northern, being Mr. Mery and his daughter, Mrs. Pease, Fred Matson and William Anderson. Charles Hutson of the Hunt brick yard is also ill with the malady, as is Nellie Mathews, four miles west of town, a Frederickson girl at Colburn, Mike McKenna of Milltown and Mr. Miller of Coccolalla. Dr. Slusser has three new typhoid patients at the Sandpoint hospital, Antoine Larson, W. J. Anderson and Mr. Mattson.—North-Idaho News.

home trustee for four years.

Grand Master J. L. Chapman filled the appointive office as follows: William VanGasken, Bonners Ferry, grand marshal; Harvey Sutton, Middleton, grand conductor; S. G. Isaman, Lewiston, grand guardian; E. J. Phelps, Boise, grand herald; Rev. Eugene Walker, Rathdrum, grand chaplain. The officers were regularly installed.

Wm. Van Gasken, Wm. Elder-

ton, W. H. Emery, S. D. Taylor and Mrs. S. D. Taylor, Mrs. H. L. Medbury and Miss Lizzie McLaughlin were in attendance from Bonners Ferry.

REBEKAHS.

Mrs. Agnes Swinnerton, Wardner, president; Mrs. Sarah J. Hardy, Caldwell, vice president; Mrs. Emma Taylor, Bonners Ferry, warden; Mrs. Emma M. Edwards, Lewiston, secretary; Mrs. Mary George, Bellevue, treasurer; Mrs. Lillian Warren, Sandpoint, district deputy and president of north; Mrs. Cynthia Spokesberry, Meridian, district deputy for the south; Mrs. Martha Bruner, Hailley, trustee for three years.

In the Rebekah state assembly

Mrs. Agnes Swinnerton, president, announced the following appointments: Mrs. Della R. Willis, Lewiston, marshal; Mrs. Anna Hite, Wardner, conductor; Mrs. Rotta Holman, Moscow, chaplain; Mrs. Ada Merritt, Salmon, inside guardian; Mrs. Ada Wilson, Boise, outside guardian.

Moscow is to have the honor

of entertaining the Idaho State Press Association this week, and it will have guests worthy of the best it can give. The editors of Idaho, judging from the papers they send out, are an exceptionally able lot of fellows.—Spokesman-Review.

—Miss Ethel Rickard of Bon-

ners Ferry, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Myrtle Rickard of Grand Forks, North Dakota, are in the city this week the guests of H. S. Lee and family. They are en route home from Spokane where they had been the past week visiting friends, says the Northern Idaho News.

Kootenai Valley Vegetables.

It becomes every day more evident that in the line of vegetable raising with some care and industry a great deal can be accomplished in this valley and the adjacent territory. Only this week George Schofield fetched in some garden produce that was not in any way inferior to the same varieties raised elsewhere. Splendid, ripe Hubbard squashes and ears of corn were a sight to see. The corn ears measured in average about one foot a piece, and the Hubbard squashes were of the largest. The main feature was that the seeds were only planted in Mother Earth as late as July 1. The Herald is obliged to Mr. Schofield for specimens of his industry.

Closing of Spokane Fair.

Last Sunday was the closing day of the Spokane fair, and all concerned seem to be satisfied with the results. It is claimed that the fair was better than any fair held before from every standpoint. In a financial way the fair was very successful, as a handsome profit was left after paying all expenses for a nucleus for future events. Spokane praises the manager, R. H. Cosgrove, highly for the success. As years roll by such an institution if properly managed ought to be something that Spokane and the great surrounding empire needs.

—Snaps! Snaps! Bargains! Bar-

gains! Ask to see them! Manufacturers' line of sample vests, blankets, hosiery and gloves. We are selling these samples at less than actual wholesale price. Hollinger's.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts of any nature whatever contracted by my wife, Kate Markham.

A. W. MARKHAM.

Dated at Bonners Ferry, Idaho, October 7, 1905.

North Side News.

Mrs. Belle Shields returned to her home in Hillyard Tuesday.

Miss Mathilda Wray, a former resident of the North Side, came in Monday from Spokane. She has been employed to teach the Hooker school.

Mrs. William Leslie and sister, Miss Sophia Grace, attended the fair in Spokane last week.

T. McCall has returned from a visit to his former home in Nebraska.

Mrs. Eliza Moore, who has for several weeks been visiting at her brother's, W. T. McNear, returned to Spokane last week.

The 20 months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Aldrich was very ill Wednesday night. The little one has whooping cough, which is quite prevalent among the children at present.

L. P. Hurd, of Newport, Wash., B. F. Irish, of Fergus Falls, Minn., and A. H. Irish, of St. Paul, Minn., nephews of Mrs. M. A. Lord, and cousins of Mrs. S. Covert and Mrs. C. D. Rowell, visited here this week. The two latter gentlemen were on their way home from the Coast cities.

Opening of Hotel Dining Room.

The dining room in the Casey Hotel was re-opened Thursday morning, after having received a thorough renovation in every particular. The culinary section of the hotel will henceforth be conducted under the name of "The Elite Cafe", under the personal management of A. H. Hay, who is its proprietor. Bonners Ferry needs a first class resort of this kind and, if properly conducted, will not lack patronage.

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an extensive line to choose from. You cannot beat our prices any where. Besides our shoes are world-beaters for wear, and a complete line to choose from. Call in at Hollinger's, the big shoe sellers.

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Lots in Riverside Addition.

For 20 days I will sell 20 lots in Riverside Addition at \$60 each on the installment plan, \$10 down, and \$10 per month. These lots are within ONE BLOCK of the Depot grounds of the Spokane & International Railway. Don't overlook a good chance to get yourself a home.

Here is a Bargain.

8 room house and 10 acres of ground, sold on the installment plan, \$50 cash and \$15 per month. 1 1/2 mile from saw mill. Would make good boarding house.

Good Home Cheap.

Will sell you 1/2 acre tracts or larger on installment plan, \$10 down, balance in monthly payments.

Here is a Bargain.

17 acres of best meadow land in Kootenai Valley; all fenced; good house and barn; will cut 120 tons hay; one mile from station and railroad. Price \$2500.

A Good Hay Ranch.

120 acres first class hay meadow, will cut 100 tons of hay, one mile from Railroad and Station. Improved. Price \$2500.

A Bargain.

200 acres land covered with Yellow Pine, Tamarack and Fir. Saw Mill, Planer, Edger, 40 H. P. Engine. Price \$2500.

For Sale.

General Merchandise Business, Store 20x50 with basement, one acre ground, \$2000 stock on hand, good location on R. R. Price \$5000.

Stock Farm Cheap.

200 acres improved land, all enclosed with good board fence. Big Barn 70x100. Part meadow land, will cut 200 tons hay, part Timothy. Good Orchard and good range for cattle. One half cash. Price \$6000.

4 Bargains on Main Street.

For Sale or Rent good Store Building for \$2000. 2 good business locations with buildings and three lots. Price \$1500 cash. Two buildings and three lots, one half interest for \$500 cash.

I have several good relinquishments on hand that will be sold cheap. Call and look them over, also remember, I will advertise your property free, if you list it with me. I will charge you 5 per cent commission on a sale.

A. J. KENT, Real Estate,

Deputy Mineral Recorder, and Justice of the Peace.

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