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SATURDAY, AUGUST 18, 1900.

FORAGE GRASSES.

John F. Robinson's Work for the Commercial Association.

At a meeting of Pendleton Commercial Association early last spring, John F. Robinson was appointed a committee of one to experiment with growing different kind of forage grasses to the end that the semi-arid land of Eastern Oregon might be made more valuable for grazing purpose, and that farmers might have an additional revenue besides that obtained from growing grain. Mr. Robinson had some of the results of his pains and labor displayed and labelled at the rooms of the association last evening, and they will remain there for the inspection of farmers and stockmen, as well as members.

His experiments in growing these grasses were made on high and dry land south of the water reservoir on the top of the hill southeast of the city. His specimens on exhibiton last evening were brome grass, tall mountain oats, block broom corn and soy bean. All these forage plants and grasses came in for favorable comment and Mr. Robinson was given credit for his ability and painstaking efforts in so creditably carrying out the idea intended by appointing the committee.

The brome grass and soy bean seemed to be the favorites of the specimens displayed. The brome grass is heavily rooted and gives one the impression that it is built to retain all the moisture that comes its way, and that it would thrive even on very dry soil, if it got but a little start. The soy bean is an exceptionally thrifty looking plant and very nutritious, if the opinions of those versed in the chemistry of plants can be believed.

Mr. Robinson says that during the coming fall and next spring he will make further experiments, on a larger scale, and will see that the ground is in better shape for growing the grasses. This is an excellent start along a line that in years to come will be of great financial value to the people generally, as the Inland Empire become more populous. He who makes two blades of grass grow where but one has grown before has done a good deed.

A Good Thing.

Our great-grand mothers' garrets contained the same herbs of all healing found in Karl's Clover Root Tea. They gave our ancestors strength, kept the blood pure, and will do the same for you if you say so. Price 25 cts and 50 cts. Tallman & Co., leading druggists.

Traveling Men Will Carry Off the Honors.

September 8 has been set aside for Traveling Men's day at the Elk's Carnival to be held in Portland, and it is a conceded fact that this will be the banner day of the carnival.

Judging from the program now arranged the procession will be nearly two miles long, beginning with a float representing the traveling man from the 15th century down to the present date. No program has ever been arranged in the Northwest as that arranged by the travelers for September 8.

The uniform for the travelers in line will be a white hat with a blue band, a linen duster and an umbrella. Those travelers representing the different centuries will be equipped with a costume to represent their different positions.

Every traveling man in the Northwest is lending his energies and support to this affair and they are all anticipating a visit from all their customers and friends in the Northwest on this date, and are preparing to give them a good time, which the boys are capable of doing when they get together.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Crushed to Death.

A fatal runaway accident occurred near Bridgeport, Union county, a few days ago, in which Aaron Bowen, an old timer, was killed. Deceased, who was 71 years old, was hauling wood, which consisted of good-sized logs, down the mountain, when from some cause the team became frightened and ran away. The wagon was upset and the logs fell on the old gentleman, killing him almost instantly.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutley cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Tallman & Co., Druggists, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

W. P. Crowe Dead.

W. P. Crowe, a pioneer of Umatilla county, died Thursday night at 10 o'clock at his home at Milton, after a short illness. The deceased was well known throughout Eastern Oregon. He leaves several children to mourn his loss. His son, Frank Crowe, a lawyer practicing in Walla Walla, is now at Lake Chelan. A daughter, Mrs. T. P. Gose, also resides in Walla Walla.

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UMATILLA COUNTY'S VALUATION.

A Decrease of $1,276,427.39 Under Valuation of Last Year.

County Assessor George Buzan has finished the assessment roll for 1900 and the footings are surprising in some instances. The board of equalization will change these totals slightly at its meeting on Monday, August 27, but not enough to destroy the comparison. The assessment this year is $1,276,427.39 less than that of last. The rate of assessment last year was 18 mills. To raise the necessary revenues this year it is estimated by those in a position to know that the rate will have to be at least 20 mills.

The greatest depreciation in value of any one heading is that of merchandise and stock in trade, which drops from $497,840 to $264,735. The principal reason for this is because there is so much less wheat and wool in the county to be assessed this year. The number of horses, mules and cattle remains practically the same, sheep are reduced in number from 157,696 to 132,190. Swine increase from 2727 to 3053. The amount of money in the county assessed is only $82,515. This sum, of course, is only the amount returned to the assessor. It is a reasonable presumption that there is really more money than that in the county, but that the owners thereof, through some oversight, neglected to have it on exhibition so the assessor could get a chance at it.

Following is the detailed assessment table:

Titlable land, 313,595 acres	$1,838,823 00
Non-titlable land, 461,727 acres	509,345 00
Improvements on deeded or patented lands	323,350 00
Town and city lots, 8,538	378,910 00
Improvements on same	497,888 00
Improvements on lands not deeded or patented	17,490 00
Miles of railroad bed, 211.31	816,085 00
Miles of telephone and telegraph lines, 377.50	14,928 75
Rolling stock	106,742 00
Steamboats, sailboats, manufacturing machinery, etc.	46,925 00
Merchandise and stock in trade	264,735 00
Farming implements, etc.	166,345 00
Money, notes and accounts	253,560 00
Shares of stock, 2,179	135,436 20
Household furniture, watches, etc.	129,975 00
Horses and mules, 12,719	212,256 00
Cattle, 74,566	181,867 00
Sheep, 132,190	165,242 00
Swine, 3053	6,747 00
Gross valuation	$6,068,020 95
Exemptions	442,848 00
Net taxable	$5,625,172 95

CLEAN UP THE TOWN.

Work Should Be Done Before the Street Fair Carnival.

Let's clean up Pendletonin preparation for the Street Fair and Harvest carnival. It is only one month from today until the opening of the fair on September 18. This is not too much, but it is enough time to put Pendleton in spick and span shape for the reception of the hundreds of visitors who will be here during the five days. Streets should be cleaned, private properties put in order, and everything done to improve the appearance of our home town.

Proper attention given to this will bring a very large return on the investment of time and effort. People visiting Pendleton at that time and observing the cleanliness and neatness existing on every side in the keeping of yards and streets, and back-yards, too, will remark it more quickly, perhaps, than any other one thing that might be done for their entertainment and reception. It should not be necessary to do any more than suggest to the people of Pendleton that they clean up for the street Fair and Harvest Carnival, September 18 to 22, and that everybody fall in line and work towards this end.

The city officials have already made a start in the matter and private citizens should fall in line. The streets are in shape to be made ready for the great event, and a little work is all that will be necessary to improve the already metropolitan appearance of Pendleton thoroughfares.

PENDLETON STREET FAIR.

None of the Towns Will Have a Better Display Than Pendleton.

The latest thing among the towns of Oregon is a street fair and carnival. It began at Portland and soon Astoria and Pendleton fell into line, says the Ukiah Sentinel. The Dalles, Baker City and several smaller towns are talking it up. We venture to say that none of them will make a better display than will Pendleton during the fair there in September. Umatilla county's products are the most varied of any county in the state, and everything we have is as good as the best. The grain, fruit, wool, butter, timber, minerals, thoroughbred horses cattle, sheep and hogs and many other things to be found within the borders of this county will compare favorably with those of any county in the Northwest, and, taken altogether will make a display worth going many miles to see.

Pendleton will have a grand Street Fair and Harvest Carnival in September, says the Arlington Independent, to continue from the 18 to the 22d. No pains are being spared to make the affair a success. The leading people of the city are at the head of the affair and are leaving nothing undone. The services of the Seventh Regiment band have been secured for the occasion. Pendleton knows how to do a thing well.

Brave Men Fall.

Victim to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaive, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is a run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than a new lease on life." Only 50 cents, at Tallman & Co.'s drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

MILTON HAS ANOTHER SCHOOL.

The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Will Conduct It.

The town of Milton has donated to the East Columbian conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, the Milton academy property located in the center of that pretty town, and the conference board now has a force of men busy at work repairing buildings, improving grounds and putting things in shape generally, for the first opening next month. There are two large buildings, one being three story and a basement containing 40 dormitory rooms besides library and recitation rooms. The other building contains a chapel seating 300 persons, and two recitation rooms. The buildings are being refitted in modern style with hot and cold water on each floor, and every convenience for students.

The campus is a beautiful plot of three acres on Main street adorned with trees and shrubbery, and is one of the prettiest spots of equal area in this section. The school will maintain three departments correlating with each other: grammar, preparatory and college. The college department consists of the usual literary, classical and scientific courses.

A faculty of four persons has already been engaged headed by Thomas C. Reese, a college man of 13 years experience in first class schools of the kind. One of the strong inducements held out by this school is the fact that it is located in a place where the moral atmosphere is clean and wholesome. There are no saloons in Milton. The pepole are quiet, orderly, progressive and religious.

The rates for school board and tuition are placed lower than is usual in such schools.

The Half Cent.

A movement is on foot to put a one-half cent coin in general use in the United States. Several suggestions have been made to the government, and a document was presented, signed by the heads of the big department stores in the various large cities throughout the country, showing the needs for this money in making change. Progress finds many methods of improvement, but for half a century past, in spite of many imitations, nothing has arisen to equal Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the greatest benefactor the human race has ever known. This medicine cures constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness and sleeplessness, also prevents malaria, fever and ague. Be sure to get the genuine with our private revenue stamp over the neck of the bottle.

ALMOST A WRECK.

O. R. & N Passenger Train Runs Into a Steel Rail on the Track.

The east bound passenger train Wednesday came near being wrecked at a point near the Hot Lake, says the Union Republican. It seems that in scattering the new rails along the track one of them had in some manner gotten partly across the track and when seen by the engineer it was too late to stop the train and the "cow-catcher" struck the rail and knocked it from the track. The "cowcatcher" was badly wrecked but its work of knocking the rail from the track no doubt prevented a bad wreck, as the train, which was behind time, was running at a high speed when the obstacle was observed. For a time it was thought the rail had been placed on the track by train wreckers and the sheriff was notified and an investigation made, but nothing was learned to indicate that any such crime was intended.

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Visiting Portland.

John Hughes, an old-time printer, well known, says the Oregonian, to all members of the craft in Portland and in Salem 25 years ago and more, but who has for a number of years been interested in prospecting and mining in Baker county, is in the city on a visit. His brother came out from the middle west to see him and this country, and so Mr. Hughes hitched up his team and they drove all the way across the state to The Dalles, and arrived here by boat last night. They are going down to the seaside, and will spend a week or two looking up old friends of Mr. Hughes. He has a promising mine in the Sumpter district, and things are coming his way now.

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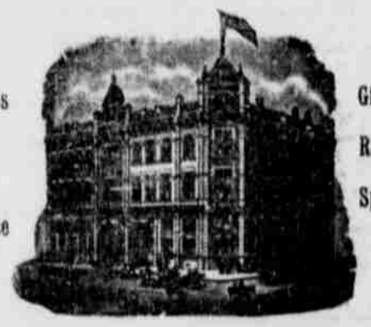

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