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to	to	to
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COMING TO THE PEN

SPOKANE COUNTY WOMAN WHO COMMITTED ARSON.

Created Sympathy During Trial and Excitement After Sentence By Skipping.

Walla Walla, Dec. 7.—Word has been received at the penitentiary that Dr. Mary Latham, of Spokane, is awaiting transportation to the penitentiary to serve her sentence. She was convicted of arson, committed near Mend, and was sentenced to a term in the penitentiary. During the trial she managed to create a great deal of sympathy for herself, by alleging that the confinement was telling on her and that she was not in good health.

About half the time she had to be brought into court on a stretcher and everybody sympathized with her. At the time she was sentenced she was carried into court, looking wan and pale, and when sentence was pronounced everyone thought it was cruel. She seemed so bad that, by order of the court she was allowed to stay at a friend's home for a few days to recuperate. She went out driving one day and bit for the Idaho line as fast as the horse could go. For two weeks all the sheriffs in northern Idaho were hunting her, and she seemed to have completely disappeared. Finally a sheriff found her in the woods in the northern part of Idaho, and staying with a family. To the sheriff she said she had merely gone there to rest. She was taken back to Spokane and put in jail, as the officers wanted her for a witness in another case that was to be tried last fall, and rather than have to transport her both ways they kept her in the county jail until the other trial was over.

NEW TROOPS AT FORT.

Four Troops of Fourteenth Cavalry Reached Garrison Wednesday. The first detachment of the Fourteenth Cavalry, under command of Colonel E. H. Goodwin, arrived in Walla Walla early Wednesday morning. It was composed of troops A, B, C and D and the headquarters band. They came in a special train from San Francisco and immediately upon

arrival marched to the fort where they took quarters in the old barracks. The troops consist of 260 men and are commanded by 14 officers.

At 10 o'clock Wednesday night Troop D under command of Captain Winans left for San Francisco where they will sail on the first transport for the Philippine islands.

BOYCOTT GROWING WORSE.

Captain Baker Returns From Orient and Talks of Situation There.

Captain Baker of the cruiser Raleigh who has been detached for several months to study conditions in China, is enroute to Washington where he will lay the result of his investigation before the president. Captain Baker says it is all nonsense to talk of the boycott dying out. The situation in China is controlled by 71 guilds who have given orders not to handle American goods. The warehouses in Canton, he says, are full of American flour.

In the mean time the Australians are rushing in an inferior flour to take advantage of our difficulty. The Chinese merchants admit our flour is superior but are prepared to make the sacrifice for principle.

Baker states the boycott is just now reaching the interior, and if declared off now, it would take a year for the news to reach the provinces up the river. Captain Baker goes on to say not only the Australians, but the Japanese are taking advantage of the boycott. The Japanese are establishing cotton mills in China and with cheap labor are in a position to drive us out of the field. He expects our vast kerosene and steel business to be taken over by the Japanese as well. The only thing will be to rescind the Chinese exclusion laws and this he says will not be done. Captain Baker concludes, "the boycott is getting worse every day."

A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible tortures of piles. "I can truthfully say" writes Harry Colton of Masonville Ia., "that for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at Mc-Bride's.

The Grace Johnson Company.

The Grace Johnson company, which recently arrived from the East, has been booked for a three nights' engagement at the Athena opera house, commencing Monday, Dec. 11. The company has been highly recommended to the theatre going people by eastern theatres. The company numbers some 14 people, and have a large

repertoire. Three of the best plays have been selected for the engagement at the opera house; plays that require the full strength of the company. The opening play will be the great Eastern success, "An Artist's Wife." This play had a long run at the American Theatre in New York and enjoyed a successful run on the road for two seasons. New, refined and up to date specialties are introduced between acts, making a continuous performance.

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Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of, an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Umatilla, and to me directed and delivered upon a judgment rendered and entered in said court on the 14th day of October, 1895, in favor of C. S. Jackson, as Receiver of the National Bank of Pendleton, plaintiff, and against Robert Walker, defendant, for the sum of \$285.00, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 14th day of October, 1895, the further sum of \$19.00 Attorney's fees and the further sum of \$28.50 costs; I did upon the 21st day of November, 1905, levy upon all right, title and interest of said defendant, Robert Walker, of, in and to the following described real property, to-wit: SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 24 Tp 4 N. R. 34 E. W. M. I will on the 23rd day of December, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, sell all right, title and interest the said defendant had in and to the above described property on the 14th day of October, 1895, or since then has had, or now has, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the proceeds to be applied in the satisfaction of said execution and all costs. Dated this 21st day of November, 1905. T. D. TAYLOR, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Ore. By A. C. FUNK, Deputy.

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ARRIVE Daily.	TIME SCHEDULES	DEPART Daily.
	ATHENA, ORE.	
4:53 p. m.	Fast Mail for Pendleton, LaGrande, Baker City, and all points east via Huntington, Ore. Also for Umatilla, Heppner, The Dalles, Portland, Astoria, Willamette Valley Points, California, Tacoma, Seattle, all Sound Points.	4:53 p. m.
9:42 a. m.	Walla Walla, Dayton, Pomeroy, Lewiston, Colfax, Pullman, Moscow, the Donner d'Aiense district, Spokane and all points north.	9:42 a. m.
8:03 a. m.	Special daily walla walla to Pendleton intermediate points	8:03 a. m.
6:25 p. m.	Special daily from Pendleton to Walla Walla & Int. points	6:25 p. m.

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