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MANY SHEEP KILLED

Herder of Crook County Sheep Bound and 1000 of His Flock Killed

Antelope, Ore., August 25-Twenty horsemen with blackened faces rode up to a flock of thoroughbred steep belonging to Morrow & Keenan of Will w Creek, Crook county, on Little Sammit ; rairie, 40 miles east of Prineville, last Friday, and when night came o 1000 dead animals were stretched out on the range

Young Kennan telephoned the news to his father as soon as he dared move from his hiding place

A single herder watching his flock late in the afternoon was covered with the rifles of men on horseback. His hands and feet were tied and a gunny sack pulled down over his head. Then the shepherd was thrown b-hind a tree for protection fr m bullets. A rapid fusilade of shots brought young Kennan to the scene. Fut the boy, although armed with an automatic rapid fire pistol, did not dare show himself. Concealed in a small thicket he watched the work of destruction. When all was quiet and the sheep were all dead or counded, the boy released the herder,

who was nearly suffocated. Morrow & Keenan are representative sheepmen of Crook county. Their loss will amount to reveral thousand dollars,

ALL STOCKMEN ALARMED

Great anxiety is now felt all over this section, for this outrage upon "home flocks" has not been looked for. Animosity has hitherto been shown by cattlemen only to wandering bands of shee - brought in by outsiders. An agreem ont had recently been arrived at between sheep and cattle owners and everything was believed to have been satisfactorily arranged Now, however, the worst is expected. Anonymous letters with bunches of matches en-

There are eight churches in Pendleton, yet the inmates of the county jal have been obliged to make an appeal through the columns of the East Oregonian, asking that ministers visit them. At least once a week the 16 prisoners at the county jail, say they would like to have some one preach to

Prisoners Want Sermons

closed bave recently been received by rattlemen, who promptly insured their winter supply of hay.

them. Their letter follows: "Editor East Oregonian: Dear Sir-We, the inmates of the ounty jail, beg to inform, through your paper, the preachers of this city, that we desire to hear the word of God preached to us once a week "

The enrollment at the jail is larger than it has been for months. Many of the prisoners are young men and have

formed a sort of glee club. The long, menotonous hours of the day are whiled away with sorgs. There has been no trouble of any sort with the men for a long time.

Formerly the Salvation Army held meetings at the jail every week, but for several months past, this work has been abandoned and with the exception of the occasional visit of a minister when sent for by a prisoner, the in-mates have seen but little of "the cloth."-E O.

Important Decision

San Francisco, Calif, August 25.-A temporary injunction granted the Ne vada stables sgainst the stablemens' union, restraining the latter from pick eting the stables, was made permanent this morning. In this case the status permitting picketing and the mainten-ance of a boycott, is declared unconstitutional.

PRESIDENT IS TALKING POLITICS

Oyster Bay, August 25.-President Roossvelt and Lieutenant Governor Woodruff of New York, are talking over empire state politics today. They incidentally mentioned the candidacy of a prominent New Yorker for the place of assistant secretary of agriculture which is being discussed. Chairman Cortelyon of the national ommittee, will come in on the after

noon train and remain over night.

Brother and Sister Are Reunited · After Years by a Newspaper ervations in New Mexico and Arizona Advertisement.

MANY

Vancouver B C'Aug. 25-Throu ;a bis newspaper, a brother and sister the mountains and surrounded by prehave loo wid one another after a set a cipitous blaffs hundreds of feet high ration of 57 years. William MacKen- where they dely attack. sie left Toro-to in 1881 and orossed t's plains with Gold Commissioner Tu :stall of Kamloops. Until last year . e heard nothing from his relatives, Then he found out that one brother had joined the Union army and been slain in buttle. Of his uster he could get no word.

The other day however she, now a Mrs Sbannon of Chicago, atvertind ing from Brenton's reef lightship. or him and Mr Tunstall saw the u.s. ice. He has communicated with MacKensie, who is mining in the Yukon and also heard from Mrs Shan oon's son who is a lawyer in Chicago The facts mentioned by the latter conclusivery show the relationship between n MacKensie and Mrs Shaunon.

Fifty Families Homeless. New York Aug 25-Fifty families were made homeless in a tenemost house fire at Willin sburg this moraing. Many of the occupants were rea-

A HEAVY BLOW

Chicago Aug. 25-Members of the teamster's union who have been on a

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strike in an effort to aid the striking butchers, held a protracted meeting tonight to determine, whether to withdraw from the strike. It was finally decided that the teamsters as a body YEARS

APACHE RENEGADES TAKE TO THE HILLS El Paso Tezas Aug. 25-A bind o renegade Apsobe Indians, believed to have escaped from United States res-

bave taken refuge in the Sierra Madre mountains and are committing depredations on the cattle of Mormon colonists. The Indians are congregated in

n advertisement in a British Coluni- , what is known as "the Hole" deep in

Secures Cup

Newport, Aug. 25-The schooner Atlastic won the race for Benton's reef oup, given by James Gordon Bennest. Spe came in at 3:30 this morning, the Atlantic, Resolute and Indymion having started on Manday morn-

Band Concert

DEALT STRIKERS ind stock are arranging to me ke an ex-hibit at the Wallows county fair.

WHITES **ARE NOT** ALLOWED

Indian Agent Issues Or-Off the Umitilla Reservation.

Pendleton Aug 15,-Whites must keep off the Umatilla reservation when business or necessity does not call them there, is the fiat that has gone forth from the agency. Under orders of acting Superintendent McNichols, Indian pofice are today posting the following notices, "No fishing, hunting or pleasure

camping allowed on this reservation under penalty. conves B McNi hols, special agent in charge." mr Nichols in explanation said, "I have no desire to be severe with persons coming on the reservation but by terms of the treaty with Umati-ias no white person has in reality and the fire was caused by spontaneous combustion. right on the reservation without a pass, The regulation regarding camping, hunting and fishing has been generally disregarded and the e have been a great many complaints from the Indians. They declare that white men come on their allotments and shoot among the stork. When asked to leave by the Indians many times the intruder grows insolent, There is no doubt however, that the Indian himself has an exaggerated idea of his own rights, "Then, too, there is complaint of liquor being brought on the reservation by campers, I am aiming at the

pleasure campe s. If a personia passing through the reservation and night overtakes him he has a perfect right to make camp, and he will not be motest

whisky on the reservation in spite of rhs officers, but that he will prevent whits from doing so, if possible. Complaints have been coming to me ever since I took shargs of the agency'

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RUSSIAN HEIR IS CHRIS ENED

St Petersburg, Aug. 25-The Chris-tening of the heir to the Russian throne took place this morning at the Church of Feterhof palace with impos-ing eremonies. A process on of Gilded ders for Whites to Keep Coaches accompanied the infant prince from Alexandria villa to the church. After the metropolitan of St Petera-burg had administered the sacrament to the heir the emperor invested the latter with the insignin of the order of St Andrew. The ringing of church bells and firing a salute of 100 guns announced the completion of the ceremonies. The empress left her bed ves-terday for the firs, time since the birth of her son. Both she and the infant are in excellent health. The heir weighs about 10% pounds.

Glue Plant Burns

Chicago, Aug. 24-The Armour Pair

Fiddler Contest

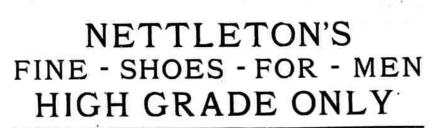
One of the attractions at the Wallowa County Fair, to be held at Enterprise during the week beginning October 3rd will be a tournament for country fiddlers The Fair Associan is offering \$100 in each prizes for this tournament Wallows county is largely settled by people from Missouri, Arkansas, Ken-tucky, Tennessee and other southern sintes where to play the fiddle is the earliest ambition developed in the youngster's mind. The county is there fore full of fiddlers and from the nu mber of inquiries already received it is the expectation that the number of entres in this unique contest will be large.

FS Murphy, manager of the Grande Rondo Lumber Co., and family are onthat the Indians themselves take Beach.

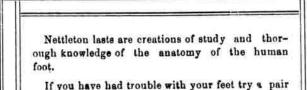


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