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Street Commissioner Matott Has Large Crew at Work on Streets.

The cross walks on Washington avenue are being replaced and new ones constructed. A crew of men has been at work under supervision of Street Commissioner Matott, and already several good improvements have been made. Cross walks are scarce on several of the streets, and the improvement is much needed.

Wesleyan Meeting.

Northport, Me., Aug. 24,-Northport's annual Wesleyan camp meetting opened today, with clergy and lay- PROMPTLY AND GUARANTEED AT Union Bottling Work I HEACOCK'S. men from all New England present. HEACOCK'S.

Fine Ranch Sold.

W. H. Gorham has sold his ranch or Wolf creek, 200 acres, all under cultivation, to David Lee, for \$9500, says the North Powder News. This is one of the finest ranches near North Pow der. The buildings and fences alone are estimated to be worth not less than \$6000. Mr. Lee is considered to have made a rare bargain. Mr. Gorham. who owns another tract of land in the the one sold, will move to Radium Springs for his wife's health and take charge of the ranch adjoining the sanitarium for the winter.

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A The Dalles Hunter Found Dend in Cemetery With Hole in Head.

The Dalles, Aug. 32.- Lying fint on its back, with a bullet hole in the forehead, the body of William Smith was found this morning at 4:30 near He will take that trunk to the depot the Catholic cametery, by Edward Burchtorf, an uncle of the dead man, who started out early this morning to search for Smith, who failed to return to his home last night, after going out on a hunting trip.

Mr. Smith left his home yesterday norming about 9:30 o'clock, taking with him a .25 caliber rifle. He told his mother that he was going hunting. It was not unusual for Smith to go hunting and his relatives thought nothing about such an act. However, when he failed to return to his home yesterday evening his folks became worried and as the night progressed and still he did not come, they became seriously alarmed, and anticipated the worst.

When near the cemetery Mr. Burchtorf saw tracks leading through the sand. Following these footsteps he came upon the body of his nephew, which was about 500 feet west of the

may answer this question satisfactori- the main road, at the edge of the scattering pines. The body was extended on the ground, face upwards, the head being slightly turned to one side, facing east. The arms were in fection, our food faultiess, and our their natural position, at either side service rapid and courteous. What of the body. A builet hole in the cenmore can we say, except that our ter of the forehead indicated how the prices are popular? We give a regu- death was affected. Smith's rifle was lying at his feet, the barrel pointing toward his face. The bullet hole in the forehead corresponded exactly to the bore of the rifle barrel. There was a slight powder burn around the wound. There is no doubt but what the shot which killed Smith came from his own gun, it being practically cortain that he did not meet with foul play. Coroner Burget says that the sody had been lifeless since yesterday afternoon.

IMMENSE FRUIT INCREASE.

Milton-Freewater District Will Ship 600 Carloads This Season.

That the Freewater-Milton section will ship out 600 carloads of fruit this season is predicted by Howard Evans of Milton, who has been here today, says the Pendleton East Oregonian. This will be approximately 100 carloads more than was shipped last year, the amount last year being 50 carloads greater than shipped from the Yakima valley, in Washington.

Heavy fruit shipments have been made by the different fruit companies of the east end ever since the strawberry season opened last spring.

At present apples, plums, and peaches are now being shipped and solx carloads went forth yesterday Most of the fruit goes to Montana, the Dakotas and other non-fruitraising sections of the west.

as the acreage being put to fruit is inof new orchard having been put out the past season alone. The Hudson Bay country is now undergoing a great change, a new irrigation company having been formed to place water on hundreds of acres now bar-

Enlarge Sheets Hotel.

A. F. Sheets is having the building material placed on the ground for the erection of a second story on the old part of the Sheets hotel. When this addition is completed it will add 12 more rooms to the hotel. Owing to increased business in the Joseph hotels Mr. Sheets is compelled to add the second story to take care of transient trade.-Joseph Herald.

Open Blds Tonight.

The street committee of the city council is planning on opening the bids received at the city offices for a stated amount of lumber. The time for bids closed Saturday at 4 o'clock, and they will be opened tonight, though the successful bidder will not likely be announced until the council meets again. Several bids have been

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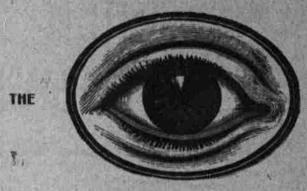
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