

# Good Reading AT FERGUSON'S

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While the morning was gloomy, the afternoon is pleasant and prospects are for better weather tomorrow. The program of races this afternoon is excellent and the exhibits are larger and of a much better grade than ever before.

While there is much hustle and bustle the first day of a fair in putting the finishing touches on, visitors to the fair today seemed well pleased, and from present indications the crowd this week will be larger than during any previous fair week.

Every hotel, lodging and rooming house, and many private residences are filled with visitors to the fair, and many people are unable to find rooms, walking the streets. At 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon the hotels stopped taking guests, and there are many people who will not fare well in sleeping accommodations. The Commercial club is desirous of listing rooms and people having them should phone to the secretary.

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Within 20 days the construction of conveying lines from the Rock Creek project to Union, where they in turn are to connect with wires leading to the street and individual electric lights of this city, will be completed, according to Fred Housh, who is managing the construction work, and who is here today. Crews are working from both ends of the line, the one at Rock creek having completed the erection of poles and stringing of wires a distance of three miles, while the crew which is working out of Union has gone 12 miles up the canyon. The 14 miles remaining are through a country less obstructive to rapid work, and it is the belief of the manager that 20 days will close the work. Rain is interfering slightly with work at the other end, while yesterday the Union end experienced no rain whatever.

## RAIN HINDERS HARD WORK

FOOTBALL TEAM WORKING  
FOR BIG ATTENDANCE.

When Saturday Afternoon Arrives, Local Football Enthusiasts Hope for Good Weather—Hard Practice is Slightly Interfered With—First Game Within Gates.

Rain is interfering to a slight degree with heavy scrimmage work by the local football team in preparation for the game of its career next Saturday, when Baker City reaches here. It is hoped that weather will clear away and be pleasant on Saturday, and the management needs a good attendance to cover expenses. Though Manager Ingles is looking after proper exploitation of the event through the medium of posters, Coaches Wall and Mickleson are perfecting new plays that will mean yardage repeatedly against the Bakerites on Saturday afternoon.

For the first time in many years a football game will be played within a gate, and the serious problem of collecting admission money in the past will be alleviated this season, as the baseball park will be used.

Thanksgiving Game Likely. It appears at the present time, that the Thanksgiving game will be a "rubber" between the locals and Cove. This will be the big game for the championship of the county, to all appearances, and much interest centers on this contest. It is possible, however, that the game will be arranged prior to the Thanksgiving date.

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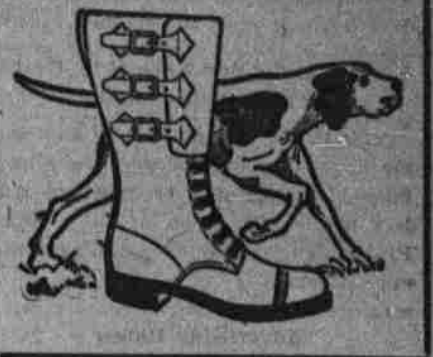
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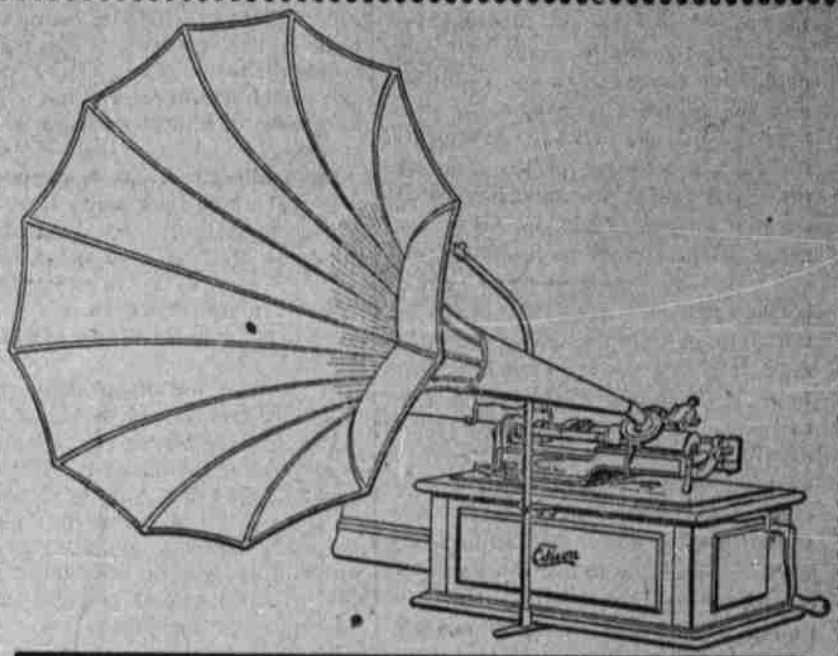
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## WILBUR MAY RUN PENDLETON WOOLEN MILL

By the arrival last night of John P. Wilbur, former manager of the woolen mill at Union, a new feature was added to the campaign for the retention of the woolen mill in this city, says the Pendleton East Oregonian.

This afternoon the committee having the movement in charge is meeting in the rooms of the Commercial association for the purpose of listening to a report from Mr. Wilbur and from others who have been in the woolen mill business.

Even since the movement for retaining the mill was started it was the desire of the committee to have the services of Mr. Wilbur. Yesterday it was learned that he was at Union and at the instance of G. M. Rice, the committee's chairman, he was induced to come to Pendleton. He arrived here on train No. 5 last night. After meeting this morning with Mr. Rice and other members of the committee, Mr. Wilbur and C. A. Shephard made an inspection of the machinery at the mill. The report of this inspection is being made known at the committee meeting this afternoon.

Mr. Wilbur returned from San Francisco but a few weeks ago and says that while in San Francisco he met J. Scheuerman, who told him he had made \$6000 from the Pendleton woolen mill during the year he operated the plant.

When questioned this morning regarding the matter, Mr. Wilbur declared positively his belief that the woolen mill business can be made to pay in this city if the mill be under proper management. He says that the general conditions throughout the whole country are favorable to the business.

As to whether or not he would take the management of the local plant Mr. Wilbur said he might find it possible to do so should a suitable proposition be presented to him.

## WALLA WALLA FAIR OPENS IN SPLENDOR

Walla Walla, Oct. 12.—Walla Walla county's big fair opened this morning and this afternoon thousands of people are on the grounds, intently watching the races and observing the varied products of the famed valley.