

WHITMAN IN LEAD

Produces One-Third of Washington Wheat Crop.

LARGEST YIELD OF OATS KNOWN

Wheat Berries Are Uniformly Plump and Heavy, Even From Tracts That Have Only Ten or Fifteen Bushels to the Acre.

Whitman has fully regained from Lincoln her title "Banner Wheat County of Washington"...

COLIFAX, Wash., Aug. 26.—(Staff correspondence)—Rich and prosperous Whitman has again taken a good, strong hold on the title "Banner Wheat County of Washington."

Inspector Arrasmith's Estimate. TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 26.—State Grain Inspector Arrasmith returned yesterday, after spending several weeks in the fields of Eastern Washington...

CLACKAMAS ASSESSMENT DOUBLED. Southern Pacific Will Endeavor to Secure a Reduction.

Where Yields Are Best. The best yields in Whitman County, so far as heard from, are in the vicinity of Sunset, St. Johns, Thornton, Diamond and Eagle...

WASCO TEACHERS AT INSTITUTE. Ninety Come to Hood River and More Will Be There Today.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—The Wasco County Teachers' Institute convened in the Opera-House this morning promptly at 9 o'clock...

SALEM, Or., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—John Seymour, a trusty convict at the Oregon State Penitentiary, ran away this morning...

Const Telegraphic Notes. Martin Zedmer, convicted of the murder of George Heider, will be hanged in Montana Friday.

POISONOUS FUNGUS SPREAD ON THE MONTANA RANGES is killing the grasshoppers by the millions. The fungus was sent out by the Roseman State Agricultural College.

ROBBERD OF HIS PAY ROLL. Montana Railway Contractor Shows Fight, but is Overcome.

BOZEMAN, Mont., Aug. 26.—Hadley Morrison, a contractor on the Montana Railway, while on his way to this city from Lumbard, where his construction crew are at work, was held up by two highwaymen early this morning...

NAVAL GUESTS OF ARMY

VANCOUVER BARRACKS GARRISON GIVES RECEPTION.

Officers From the Cruiser Marblehead and Gunboat Concord Are Entertained at a Banquet.

GENERAL SUMMER AT SEATTLE. Veteran Officer Has Just Returned From the Philippines.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 26.—General Samuel S. Summer, recently promoted to be Major-General in the United States Army, arrived in Seattle today from the Philippines, where he has been for the last three years.



THE LATE MRS. JOSEPHINE A. STAPLETON, OF SALEM.

was served and toasts given. The officers were highly pleased with their cordial treatment. Most of them remained here during the night.

SOCKEYE RUN WAS VERY SHORT. Cannermen Desire a Closed Season to Insure Propagation.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 26.—The following self-explanatory message was sent the Minister of Fisheries today by the Fraser River Cannermen's Association...

CONGO FOR THE NEGROES. Southern Methodist Bishop's Solution for the Race Problem.

RUITE, Mont., Aug. 26.—A Miner special from Helena says: "When negroes quit ravishing, we'll quit lynching, and not before."

FLOOD DEATH LIST IS LARGE. Cloudburst Causes Torrents of Water to Rush Through the Foo.

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—The report of the sanitary committee this afternoon was the feature of the day's work. It was ordered printed.

PULITZER'S SON UNDER ARREST. Alleged to Have Killed a Mountain Sheep, Contrary to Law.

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—The arrest was made at Mondak, on the New York World, was arrested late this afternoon by State Game Warden W. F. Scott...

VANCOUVER POLICE CHECK WORK. Binding Link of Great Northern at Ours With Council.

LOG CRUSHES BOY'S SKULL. Swamper is Caught Unaware in a Clatskanie Camp.

ST. HELENA, Or., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—Henry Harms, aged about 15, was accidentally killed in George Howatson's logging camp this morning, near Clatskanie.

MCKEE WANTS A NEW LEASE. Contends with Proprietor for Possession of Olympian Hotel.

HOODOO ON ALASKA MINE

EMPLOYEES OF TREADWELL PROPERTY LEAVE IN NUMBERS.

Death of Several of Their Number by Various Accidents Works on Superstitious Fears.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 26.—Because of continued disasters resulting in loss of life, 100 men have quit work in the Treadwell mine on Douglas Island, Alaska.

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SENATORS BACK FROM ALASKA. Subcommittee of Committee of Territories Bring News From the North.

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SCOW WRECKS OLYMPIAN BRIDGE. Main Broken, and West-Siders Are Without Water.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—The West Fourth-street bridge, the only means of access to the city from West Olympia and the large agricultural district west of Olympia, was wrecked last night by a runaway scow of gravel.

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WHEN THE STOMACH IS DISSESSED there are bonds being worn every hour about the organs dependent on the stomach, heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, etc. The folly of mankind is to passively submit to the fastening of these bonds with no effort to escape until the pain they cause arouses fear.

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WHY do you suppose we take so much space to tell you about GORDON hats?

It is because we want you to know all about them.

How they are equal to \$5 hats in respect of style and quality. After a while we shall save a lot of money. We'll just say:

GORDON HATS Styles now ready, \$3

And you'll know what that means, viz., hat-excellence in style and price.

Suit has been filed in the Superior Court here by Mrs. Ida McKay to obtain possession of The Carlton, one of the two leading hotels of the city, of which she is the owner. The property was under a two-year lease to Joseph and C. R. McKee.

According to Mrs. McKay's contention, the lease expired Aug. 20, at which time the lessees were notified to vacate. The lessees claim they had the privilege of re-letting.

Defective Youth School Opens. VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—The Fall term of the State School for Defective Youth will open today. The instructors will remain about the same as last year, under the direction of Professor James Watson. The attendance bids fair to be up to the usual standard. Many students have arrived, and will be in attendance the opening day.

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We Are Always Willing to Wait for Our Fee Until Cure is Effected. Dr. W. Norton Davis. If we do not know from long experience just what our treatment will do in diseases of men, does it look reasonable that we would be willing to treat all diseases of which we make a specialty under a positive guarantee of cure or receive no pay? This, however, is just what we are willing to do and have been doing for many years.

Contracted Disorders. Improper treatment of contracted disorders can easily bring about general weakness, which is the very cause in a large portion of the cases of "weakness," lingering in the system, and in the prostate gland is sure to result in disordered functions, and the condition throughout the body is positive disease. Inflamed and swollen gland is restored to its normal state. We employ a cure known as our "Contracted Disease" which produces equally prompt and thorough cures.

Stricture. Our treatment for stricture removes the cause of the stricture, even in severe cases of long standing. No other physician employs our method of overcoming stricture. It is original and distinctive. Do not give up hope because others have failed. We have a positive cure. Our treatment dissolves the stricture, restores the prostate gland to its normal state, and restores health and tone to all organs affected by the disease.

Syphilis. The use of mineral poisons in this disease frequently results in the virus being carried into the system, where it attacks and destroys even the very bones of the body. We have a positive cure. Our treatment dissolves the stricture, restores the prostate gland to its normal state, and restores health and tone to all organs affected by the disease.

PILES. Quick Cures Certain Cures. We cure the worst cases of piles permanently without the use of ointments, without cutting or excising from business in from two to three treatments. Our treatment is locally new, and peculiar. Remember, no matter who has failed before in your case, we will cure you. We do not make a charge whatever for our services.

WE ARE ALWAYS WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL A CURE IS EFFECTED. Consultation Free at Office or by Mail. Feel free to call upon us for consultation and examination, for which no charge will be made. You will be under no obligation to place your case in our hands or to give us any money. Should it be impossible for you to call, write for our book and questionaire. We will charge and tell you whether we can treat you successfully by letter.

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