

Pacific Slopers.

The people of Walla Walla are not generally in good health.

L. Vidito, of Dayton, W. T., wants to find his brother James.

Walla Walla's Sunday ordinance is being tested in the courts by a saloon keeper.

John Hamer, an old and well-known citizen of Salt Lake, was accidentally drowned in the Jordan river, June 26th.

The residence of Cyrus Davis, three miles east of Walla Walla, was burned down on Monday of last week. The cause of fire was unknown.

James Thompson, of Walla Walla, hypothecated his friend's watch for \$8 the other day and now lingers in jail for want of \$42 more to pay his fine.

Grasshoppers are making sad havoc with the hay harvest in Montana. It is estimated that ranches yielding 100 tons last year will not yield ten tons this.

The first session of the Eastern Oregon and Washington Annual Conference of the M. E. Church begins at Walla Walla on Thursday of the present week.

If anybody knows anything about Charles Fox who used to keep a livery stable at Boise City, they will confer a favor by writing to the Idaho Statesman office at that place.

Another victim of the business of kindling fires with coal oil is Miss Emma Smith, of Helena, Montana, who was so badly burned on July 10th that she died on the 12th.

Repairs are being vigorously prosecuted at the military post near Port Townsend, and vessels are busily engaged in the transportation of freight, troops, etc., hither from San Juan.

The judgment of the District Court, condemning Michael Hartigan, of Vancouver, to suffer death for the murder of Mr. Vohwinkel, has been affirmed by the supreme Court of Washington Territory.

There are nine towns and 25,000 people in Cache valley, the present terminus of the U. N. R. R. The company has fifty miles of iron at Franklin, and will properly complete the road over to Snake river this year.

A little Indian girl captured by Gen. Crook, in the Indian war in Idaho six years ago, died at Boise City about a week ago. She was about 13 years of age, and lived in the family of Cy. Jacobs since her capture, and was kindly treated, but would never talk until about a week before her death.

The Bozeman Courier is credibly informed that rich river mines have been discovered on the Missouri, opposite Nave's, and about eight miles from Radersburg; 25 cents to the pan have been obtained. The river prospects well from the Three Forks to Nave's, and the greatest excitement prevails in the settlements contiguous to the river.

The potato bug, which has been so destructive to crops in Colorado the past few years, has made its appearance in the Yellowstone valley and destroyed the crops of several settlers. Should they get into the Gallatin valley this season, between them and grasshoppers, they would leave but a small share of this favorite esculent for the people.

Pendletonians can live on wild game now, it is so abundant in that

Gov. Grover has appointed Mr. Curtis T. Frenchard, of Westport, Notary Public for Clatsop county.

A Salem man set fire to a load of hay the other day because the driver of the team hauling it refused to turn out of the road.

The second number of the Baker City Journal has reached us. One side only white; the other, an attempt had been made to print.

Independence is to have a newspaper. It will be a local paper, devoted to the interest of the Independence and vicinity, success to it.

The people at Dallas do their own wood-sawing and wash their own linen. They have not a Chinaman in the town. Portland could spare them a few.

Miss Shreve, a young lady and two children were thrown from a buggy by a runaway horse, near Dallas last week, but fortunately no serious damage was done.

A Summerville astronomer announces, for the benefit of those that did not get to see the comet, during its recent visit to the earth, that it will appear again in 2157.

The Farmers of Polk county can scarcely get hands enough to run their threshers and headers this year. There is work for a great many hands just now. Wages are \$1 50 per day.

A Mr. Hobson and his son, of Sublimity, Marion county, were both somewhat damaged by trying to stop a runaway team last week. The son was run over and the father badly bruised.

A little daughter of W. Bilger, of Willow Springs, Jackson county, while playing with a knife a few days ago, hurt one of her eyes very severely, and it is thought she will lose the sight of it.

A young man named Leverton got into a fracas at Weston last week, and when the constable went to arrest him Leverton beat him over the head, put spurs to his horse and made good his escape.

If there is one thing more than another that Polk county needs, that one thing is good bridges. Nearly every bridge in the county is either in need of some slight repairs or is actually unsafe to travel over at all.

In Polk County the farmers are all busily engaged putting up their hay. The timothy crop is not very heavy, but made up for by the wild oats of which nearly every farmer has an abundance and it is liked nearly as well as timothy. Hay is selling from \$4 to \$6 per ton in the field. Grain is fast ripening this warm weather. Fall grain will be ready for the headers by the first week in August. All cereals give an appearance of a heavy yield, oats being especially heavy.

The camp-meeting held near the Milton Mills, on the Touchet, by the Cumberland Presbyterians, continued for two weeks closing on Sabbath before last. The attendance was good throughout the meetings and very large on the Sabbaths. The campfolders fed and lodged gratuitously, all who did not come prepared to take care of themselves, and pasturage and feed was furnished for their horses. This is the custom of Cumberland campmeetings. The order of the people was never better in any part of the world.

A return emigrant wagon passed through Cedar Falls, Iowa, last week, bearing the expressive and euphonious label, "D—n the grass."

Mr. McNaught has just returned to Seattle from Washington City, where he had been for the purpose of lobbying through Congress a bill authorizing certain counties to issue bonds to aid in the construction of the Seattle and Walla Walla railroad. The bill failed, but Mr. M. is confident of its passage on the re-assembling of Congress. Should the necessary authority be obtained from Congress, the intention of the projectors of the enterprise is to bond Walla Walla county for \$250,000; Seattle, \$100,000; Yakima county, \$150,000, and King county, \$250,000.

Steilacoom prospers. The steamers arriving there bring full cargoes for merchants, which certainly indicates that better times are approaching. The farmers have shipped an enormous quantity of wool, and received the cash, and their hop crops will be larger than ever before.

Byron Barlow, cut a stalk of wheat he found growing on the gravelly prairie back from Tacoma that bore 32 full heads, containing each about 100 kernels of grain, all of course, from a single seed. An increase of 320,000 per cent. is almost beyond comprehension.

S. N. Wilkins, of Corvallis, who has been such a fruitful source of "accident" items fell off a load of hay last Saturday, striking on his head and inflicting serious injury.

It is reported that Mr. Garfield has gone to Washington to secure the appointment of Governor of our neighbor on the other side of the Columbia.

The ladies of the Congregational church at Olympia, ran an ice cream saloon last week and cleared over \$100.

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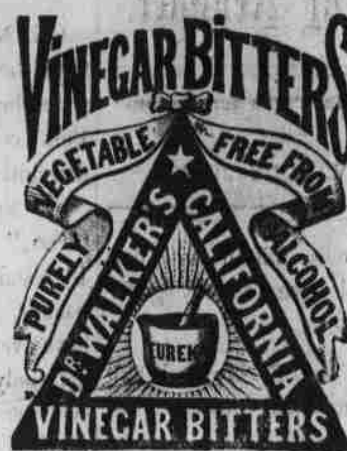
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