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IMPROVEMENT.—Wardmoth & McMullin are having a handsome front built to the city drugstore. They will move in as soon as completed.

SCIT DISMISSED.—In the United States Court yesterday, the suit of H. C. Page against Wells, Fargo & Co. was dismissed. Standard 12th inst.

DIVINE SERVICES.—Rev. Thomas Smith, of the Cove, will hold services in the Episcopal church of this place on next Sunday at the hours of 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

REBEL CITY.—A. L. Coffey, Esq. has just completed a survey of the addition to the addition to Jacobs' addition to the town of Pendleton. He has named the streets thereof Lee, Stonewall Jackson, Longstreet, Beauregard, Jeff Davis and Jim Turner.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. C. S. Jackson, the trunk elinger of the U. I. & O. Stage Co., met with an accident the other day, which, while not serious is very painful. He got one of his thumbs caught under a trunk and tore the nail entirely off, together with a portion of the ball of the thumb.

SHEEP LOST.—S. Brown, who has charge of a band of 4,000 head of sheep belonging to Mr. Chas. H. Seelye, of Oregon, reports a loss of between 400 and 500 head.—W. W. Union.

This being all news to Charley, he started out on Tuesday last to inquire into the matter.

SNOW YOUR COLOR.—Where is that fighting editor with his 150 pounds? The public has been led to expect great things of him, and we know of no better proof he can give of his valor and prowess than to approach within gunshot of the W. 3/4 of Lots 18 and 14 of Block 19 in Arnold & Raley's addition to the town of Pendleton. It is rather an ill omen, however, that he should have lost his artillery in his first engagement.

STOPPED HIS MAD CAREER.—L. Everts, Esq. left us some days ago to go to Salem on professional business before the Supreme Court. When he reached Butter Creek, however, he stopped to look after his ranch there and while so engaged had his feet badly frozen. We hope nothing serious will result from the Squire's misfortune which he will soon be able to proceed on his journey. He is now at Johnny Vinton's.

ENTREPRENEUR.—Messrs. J. C. Shainwald and C. S. Jackson have inaugurated a circulating library, which is a thing much to be desired in Pendleton. They have purchased a handsome and expensive book case and have already quite a stock of books of the most approved literary cut, to which they will make rapid and judicious additions from time to time. The management of the library is in Mr. Jackson's hands with headquarters at the U. I. & O. State Office.

SPRING, GENTLE SPRING.—Temperatures—only a few days ago and we were bound in the icy embrace of an arctic winter, then came a flood of waters upon us, and now as we look around we see the hills and prairies covered with their spring coat of green while the trees and shrubs will doubtless soon begin to bud and blossom forth. The careful husbandman is busy preparing his garden—and in fact it looks as though spring had come. As we write a fire is a matter of superfluity by day or night.

REPAIRS.—With commendable enterprise and industry our townsmen applied themselves to the work of securing the town against future rises in the river, commencing as soon as the late high waters had subsided. A substantial levee has been constructed along the water's course in the lower end of town, while a breakwater has been built and the channel changed to its old bed above Jacobs' addition, so that it is thought it will require but little more work to render the town secure from high water in the future.

PENDLETON, Feb. 23d 1881. ED. E. O.—Dear Sir:—For the benefit of the afflicted I desire to state through the columns of your paper that Dr. Anoula (better known as "Dr. John") will be in Pendleton for about one month longer, and judging from what he has done and is doing for my little boy, I feel safe in saying that he will do fully as much, if not more, than he will at first promise, for those whom he may undertake to treat.

He has now been treating my little boy about five weeks. When he commenced the boy could scarcely take a step without his brace or crutches—the knee joint being entirely stiff and the lower part of leg gradually slipping away, there being seemingly no circulation below the knee. Now there seems to be good circulation from the knee to the hip, the knee joint is beginning to work nicely and the boy runs every where without the use of cane, crutch, or apparatus.

Those wishing to know of "Dr. John's" mode of treatment would do well to see Andy Johnson of Pendleton, also Mr. Stevens of the same place—the latter having known the Doctor for some ten or twelve years. I believe the Doctor claims to cure the worst cases of rheumatism and also paralysis. A. W. Nye.

"Dr. John" desires us to inform the public that he will remain in Pendleton until about the last of March or first of April. He will then return to Grand Rapids Valley and locate permanently at Union, where he will so establish himself as to be able to treat any number of patients.—Ed.]

IMPORTANT IF TRUE. From the Oregonian of the 15th inst. we clip the following dispatch: CHICAGO, Feb. 15th.—Mr. J. W. Morse, general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, has just returned from New York, where he and other officials of the road, have been making arrangements for the construction of a new line from Granger Utah, a station on the Union Pacific, to Baker City, Or., where connection is to be made with the Oregon railway now in course of construction to Portland and other points in Oregon. It is the intention of the Union Pacific to get ahead of the Northern Pacific in reaching Oregon points, and here a competing line that is claimed will be 300 miles shorter to Portland, Or., taking Chicago as a common point, than the Northern Pacific. The new line will start from Granger station and run north-west to Baker City, where it will connect with the Union Pacific. The Utah Northern might have used all the way from Ogden, but by building the new line from Granger, north-west, 250 miles in length, the route is shortened 150 miles. In the building of this connecting link, a tunnel 3,000 feet long has to be constructed, and work on this has already been commenced. Work on the new line will be commenced at once and it is expected to be ready for business to Baker City in one year.

CAPTURED.—The third swash who got away with Somerville's fire-water last Christmas and made good his escape has been apprehended and assigned to duty while at Fort Lapwai. L. T. Dist. Atty. Bailey has applied for a requisition and will soon have the pleasure of making the gentleman's acquaintance.

DIED. Gault.—On the 16th inst. at Pilot Rock Oregon, after a lingering illness Amanda C. Gault, wife of D. M. Gault, aged 35 years.

HEPPEK, February 20, 1881. ED. E. O.—Sometimes I have my feelings worked up to such a degree that I am almost inclined to hate the whole human race, myself included. But I suppose there never was a town, hamlet, village or city that wasn't affected with one person at least—"whose hand was against every man and every man's hand against him;" but I feel perfectly safe in saying that we have the means of the whole class right here in Heppner. He has been allowed to go on and do all the little mean things imaginable and nothing has been said, publicly, about it, but it is a terribly long lane that has no turn. This follows actions are becoming terribly monotonous. The people in general are getting extremely tired of it, and I am going to give him this for a warning, and if this does not suffice we shall be obliged to publish his name in full (with editor's consent) and the party will lay himself liable to a good "raking." The meanest we refer to is that of sneaking around when other people are trying to make a bargain and trying to break it up; in case some one conceals an enterprise, he uses his influence to break it up and is not willing for anything to be done unless he has a hand in it. I will give you an example of one of the latest exploits of this necessary evil in human form of the male persuasion, aged about twenty-seven, who makes some pretensions as a stone mason.

The Heppner Amateurs thinking the city was in need of something in the amusement line, organized themselves into a company, their aim being to furnish to the citizens, at such times as they thought would meet with the approval of the people's dramatic entertainments, dances, etc. This act met with the approval of nearly every one and they expressed themselves as glad that there was at last some one to go ahead and take the lead in such business. They have already given three entertainments with splendid success and had advertised a ball for the 22nd. This was more than Mr. Middlemore could stand—remarked that he was going to see whether they were to run everything in town, and, forthwith, aided by a certain Dublinite, proceeded to make arrangements for an opposition ball on the 22nd. We hope he will succeed, for we know who would patronize any undertaking with him at the head and feel satisfied the Amateurs would say "good riddance to bad rubbish."

We feel it our duty to say to those who exert themselves for the purpose of injuring any worthy enterprise need a showing up.

Snow has nearly all disappeared again and grass is growing rapidly.

I. G. Hewson, proprietor of Heppner Flouring Mills, who has spent the principal part of the winter in Portland, returned last night looking none the worse for the trip.

A son of Mr. Wescott of this city aged about six years had the misfortune to break his thigh the other day while wrestling with another youngster about the same age.

Mr. Koper, agent for the E. O., is among us.

Our debating society is flourishing. We expect a roaring time next Thursday; subject: "Resolved that the Chinese must go." E. R. Bishop and Homer H. Hallock are to champion the question. H. H. will no doubt do his best, but he has much to learn yet before he can successfully meet Ed. in debate.

Chinook blowing nicely to-night—plenty of mud—ages 40s doz.—whiskey brisk—and—I am done. MONITOR.

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