East Oregonian

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 1903.

COMMERCE - TRADE

WHEAT HAS ADVANCED TO SIXTY-TWO CENTS

Noticeable Advance in the Price of Livestock—Steers Worth 4½ Cents —Little Wheat Offered.

No. 1 club wheat is worth today from 61½ to 62 cents per bushel, and bluestem 70 cents per bushel. Barley brings today 92½ to 95 cents per 100 pounds.

The prices indicated below are those paid the farmers, with the single exception of pineapples, which are practically out of the market here, along with spring chickens. The most noticeable feature is the advance in the price of livestock. Cows, ready for beef, have advanced 25 cents per hundred for second grades and 35 cents per hundred for first grades. Live steers, also ready for beef, are worth today from 4 to 4¼ cents compared with a straight 3¾ cents per pound a week ago.

Pineapples, $7.80 a dozen.
Parsnips, 75c per sack.
Cabbage, 2c to 4½c per pound.
Cheese, per pound, 25c (to consumers.)
Onions, $1 per sack.
Beets, per pound, 1½c.
Potatoes, 65c to 75c per hundred.
Garlic, 15c per pound.

Pendleton Livestock and Poultry.

Chickens—Hens, 7c; springs, 7c; roosters, 4 to 6c.
Turkeys, per pound, 25c.
Geese, per dozen, $9.
Ducks, per dozen, $3.75.
Butter, 40c and 45c per roll.
Eggs, 30c in trade.

Choice Beef Cattle, Etc.

Cows, per hundred, $3.25@3.50.
Steers $4@4.25.
Hogs, live, $6.
Hogs, dressed, 7½c.
Veal, dressed, 8c.

Pendleton Retail Grocery Prices.

Coffee—Mocha and Java, best 40c per lb.; next grade, 35c per lb; lower grades coffee, 25c to 15c per lb.; package coffee, 15c per lb.
Rice—Best head rice, 12½c per lb.; next grade, 8 1-3c per lb.
Sugar—Cane granulated, best, $6.30 per sack; do, 13 pounds, $1.
Salt—Coarse, $1.25 per 100; table, $2.50 per 100.
Flour—B. B., $4.25 per barrel; Walters', $4.25 per barrel.

Wheat Market.

Portland, Jan. 15.—There have been a few unimportant transactions during the week, but not enough to cause any commotion in the wheat trade. Buyers are always in the market at quoted prices. Sellers are few, as wheat is scarce, and those having any stock on hand prefer to wait a while before letting go. It seems as if the market has reached the top, as no change for almost six weeks has been recorded for prices paid for wheat. Exporters have discounted the fact that wheat would be difficult to secure, and stocked up early and are not over-anxious to buy at prices away above the market value. European advices are not very encouraging, and the export trade is paying more attention to loading vessels than to buying grain. There is hardly an exporter in the trade that has not wheat for a number of ships and some have very heavy stocks to carry them through the balance of the season. About 1,000,000 bushels of wheat have gone on ships this month from both northern ports and if the balance of the month keeps up as lively as the fore part, January will have quite a record as an export month. Quotations range from 71c to 72c for club; bluestem, 80c; valley, 76@77c per bushel.

San Francisco, Jan. 15.—Markets here are dull. Exporters are lodging chartered tonnage slowly. Sellers are unwilling to part with their possessions, and exporters are compelled to pay fancy prices for wheat if they need the same. It will take a good rise in prices to dislodge the wheat from the holders' hands, as buyers and sellers are apart as to their views in the price of grain, hence no business is being done, and the market is dull, and prices for shipping are quoted at $1.40 and milling $1.42½@1.47½ per cental.

European Grain Markets.

London, Jan. 15.—Wheat—Cargoes on passage rather firmer; No. 1 standard California, 31s 6d; Walla Walla, 29s 6d. English markets firm.

Liverpool, Jan. 15.—Wheat, firm; No. 1 standard California, 6s 8½d; wheat and flour in Paris firm. French country markets, firm. Weather in England frosty.

Changes in Available Supply.

New York, Jan. 15.—Special telegraphic and cable communications received by Bradstreets show the following changes in available supplies as compared with last count:

Wheat, United States and Canada east of Rockies, increased 302,000 bushels.

Afloat and in Europe, decreased 3,900,000 bushels.

Total supply decreased, 3,598,000.

Corn, United States and Canada east of Rockies, increased, 484,000 bushels.

Oats, United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 172,000 bushels.

Wool Markets.

Boston, Jan. 15.—The wool market is generally quiet though the firm tone previously noticed is continued and even intensified. Territory wools are relatively more active than the remainder of the list. The demand is especially good for fine wools. Fine staples, territory, scoured basis, quotable at 55@57c, with fine, 53@55c. For the fine mediums, 50@53c is asked, medium being quoted at 46@47c.

There is a moderate demand for California wools on a scoured basis of 52@53c for Northern Spring, with middle counties at 48@50c.

Eastern Oregon is steady at 57@58c. Fleece wools are in good demand, especially for medium unwashed fleece. XX wools are quoted at 31@32c, with No. 1 clothing at about the same figure.

St. Louis, Jan. 15.—Wool—Unchanged.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops—Choice, 25½@26¼ per lb; prime to choice, 24½@25c; prime, 24c; medium, 22@23c per lb.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 15@15½c per lb.; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 12c; dry calf, No. 1 under 5 pounds, 10c; dry salted bulls and stags, one-third less than dry flint; salted hides, steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, 8@9c; 50 to 60 pounds, 7@8c; under 50 pounds and cows, 7c; stags and bulls, sound, 5@5½c; kip, sound, 15 to 20 pounds, 7c; veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 7c; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 8c; green (unsalted), 1c per lb. less; culls 1c per lb. less; horse hides, salted, each, $1.50@2; dry, each, $1@1.50; colts' hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora with wool on, each, 25c@$1.

Pelts—Bear skins, as to size, No. 1, each, $5@6.20; cubs, $2@5; badger, each, 10@40c; wildcat, 25@50c; house cat, 5@10c; fox, common gray, each, 30@50c; do red, each, $1.50@2; do cross, each, $5@6; do silver and black, each, $100@200; fisher, each, $5@6; lynx, each $2@3; mink, strictly No. 1, each, 50c@$1.50; marten, dark Northern, $6@12; marten, pale pine, according to size and color, $1.50@2; muskrats, large, each, 5@10c; otter, fox large prime skins, each, 30@50c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, each, $3.50@5; wolf, prairie, (coyote), without head, each, 30@35c; wolverine, each, $4@7; beaver, per skin, large, $5@6; do medium, $3@4; do small, $1@1.50; do kits, 50@75c.

Sheep skins—Shearing, 15@20; short wool, 25@35c; medium wool, 30@60c; long wool, 60@$1 each.

Tallow—Prime, per lb, 4@5c; No. 2 and grease, 2½@3c.

Wool—Valley, 12½@15c; Eastern Oregon, 8@14½c; mohair, 26@28c.

It Will Surprise You—Try It.

It is the medicine above all others for catarrh and is worth its weight in gold. Ely's Cream Balm does all that is claimed for it.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

My son was afflicted with catarrh. He used Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrh all left him.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

ANTI-CHILD LABOR

TEXT OF THE BILL ON THIS IMPORTANT SUBJECT.

Children Under 14 Cannot be Employed in Public Service—Children Under 16 Cannot be Caused to go to Work Before 6 A. M., Nor Work Later than seven in the Evening.

The anti-child labor bill which has been prepared and will be introduced in the state senate by Senator McGinn is as follows:

Section 1.—No child under 14 years of age shall be employed in any factory, store, work shop, in or about any mine or in the telegraph, telephone or public messenger service.

Section 2.—No such child shall be employed in any work or for wages or other compensation to whomsoever payable during the hours when the public schools of the town, district or city in which he or she resides are in session.

Section 3.—Attendance at school shall be compulsory upon a child under 14 years during the whole of the school term in the city or town in which the child resides. Attendance at school shall be compulsory upon child under 15 years of age who is not employed in any lawful work.

Section 4.—No child under 16 years of age shall be employed at any work before the hour of 6 in the morning or after the hour of 7 at night, nor employed for longer than 10 hours for any one day, nor more than six days in any week. And every child under 16 years of age shall be entitled to no less than 30 minutes for meal time noon, but such meal time shall not be included as part of the work hours of the day; and every employer shall post in a conspicuous place where such minors are employed printed notice stating the maximum work hours required in one week and every day of the week from such minors.

Section 6.—No person shall employ any minor under 16 years of age, and no parent, guardian or custodian shall permit to be employed any such minor under his control who cannot read at sight and write legibly simple sentences in the English language while a school is maintained in the town or city in which such minor resides.

Section 6.—It shall be the duty of every person or corporation employing a child under the age of 16 years to keep a register in which shall be recorded the name, age, date of birth, place of residence of every child under the age of 16 years employed. And it shall be unlawful for any person or corporation to employ any child under the age of 16 years unless there is first provided and placed on file in the factory, store, work shop or mine in which such child is employed an affidavit made by the parent, stating the name, date of birth and place of the school attended by such child. The register and affidavits herein provided for, shall, on demand, be produced and shown for inspection to whomsoever the enforcement of the labor law of this state may be delegated.

The person or persons to whom the enforcement of the labor laws of this state may be delegated shall have the power to demand certificate of physical fitness from some regularly licensed physician in the case of child under 16 who may seem practically unable to perform the labor at which such child may be employed, and no child under 16 shall be employed who cannot obtain such certificate.

Section 7.—Any person or corporation who shall employ a minor contrary to the provisions of this act or who shall violate any of the provisions thereof, shall upon conviction be fined in a sum not less than $10 nor more than $25 for the first offense; not less than $25 nor more than $50 for the second offense, and be imprisoned for not less than 10 nor more than 30 days for the third and each succeeding offense.

Section 8.—Any person or guardian who permits a child to be employed in violation of the provisions of this act shall upon conviction be fined not less than $5 nor more than $25.

COMPETENT JUDGES.

Beauty Doctors Endorse Herpicide.

Women who make a business of beautifying other women come pretty near knowing what will bring about the best results. Here are letters from two, concerning Herpicide:

"I can recommend Newbro's Herpicide, as it stopped my hair from falling out; and, as a dressing it has no superior.

"(Signed.) Bertha A. Trullinger, Complexion Specialist, "291½ Morrison St., Portland, Ore."

"After using one bottle of 'Herpicide' my hair has stopped falling out, and my scalp is entirely free from dandruff.

"(Signed.) Grace Dodge, "Beauty Doctor, "195 Sixth St., Portland, Ore."

Sold by F. W. Schmidt & Co. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

The Sugar Pine sash and door factory, one of Albany's leading industries, was burned down early Tuesday. The loss is over $20,000, with no insurance whatever.

COST OF THE PEN

SUPERINTENDENT LEE MAKES HIS REPORT.

Wants a Brace of Bloodhounds—Thinks Salaries Should be Raised Would Work Convicts on Public Roads State Should Operate its Own Electric Light Plant.

Salem, Ore., Jan. 15.—The biennial report of Superintendent J. D. Lee, of the Oregon penitentiary, shows that during the last two years the number of convicts in the penitentiary has increased from 278 to 300. The earnings of the institution have amounted to $28,370.92 for the 21 months ending September 30, 1902, and at the same rate the total will be over $32,400 for two years, as compared with $26,700 for the preceeding term. The report gives a full account of the management of the institution and of its needs. The only intimation that any friction has existed between the superintendent and any of his subordinates is contained in the closing paragraph, which says, among other things: "I wish to thank all officers and employes who have been in harmony with my policies and who have earnestly endeavored to carry them forward to a successful completion." The language shows that there have been some whose efforts were so out of harmony with the superintendent that he did not feel like thanking them.

The report recommends that more land be bought for agricultural and fuel-cutting purposes, that arrangement be made for establishing a lighting plant at the prison to furnish light for other institutions, that the convicts be employed on the public roads where practicable, that salaries be raised to correspond with the increase in the cost of living, that a brace of bloodhounds be procured, and that the superintendent, and not the warden be responsible for the safe-keeping of the prisoners.

Finances.

The financial statement follows:

Amounts expended in maintenance of convicts and general repairs, including road and new wing—

Salaries of officers and employes	$33,108.08
Meat	11,362.99
Flour and feed	4,646.66
Groceries, provisions and crockery	6,012.58
Dry good, cloth and blankets	4,520.80
Leather and findings	1,468.09
Drugs and medicine	2,162.15
Stationery, postage, telephone, telegraph and box rent	384.93
Paints, oils, glass, lime, etc.	142.16
Furniture and bedding	22.75
Hardware, agricultural implements, and engineers' supplies	1,547.53
Lumber	191.07
Fencing and fruit trees	38.60
Livestock	332.75
Rent of land	299.50
Lights and lamps	3,007.05
Relief of discharge convicts	434.69
Photographing convicts	287.50
Firewood	3,335.91
Expense not classified	1,924.52
Improvements and repairs—	
Paints, oils, glass, lime, etc.	2,948.34
Lumber	117.53
New wing and fire protection—	
Engineers' supplies	71.20
Hardware	44.71
Cement, sand, gravel, and labor	38.75
Drayage	3.00
Total for quarter	$70,353.84
Earnings	28,330.42

General Prison Account.

Unexpended appropriations, 1899-1900—	
Public roads	$ 749.83
New wing and fire protection	174.65
Total	$ 924.48
Appropriations 1901-1902—	
For payment of salaries of officers and employes, and for maintenance and general and contingent expenses of the Oregon state penitentiary	$84,000.00
For payment of expenses of general repairs, and improvements at Oregon state penitentiary	4,500.00
Total	$89,424.48

Disbursements.

Amount paid out as per report to secretary of state—

Quarter ending March 31, 1901	$41,251.64
Quarter ending June 30, 1901	9,280.28
Quarter ending September 30, 1901	13,602.54
Quarter ending December 31, 1901	9,986.96
Quarter ending March 31, 1901	12,191.31
Quarter ending June 30, 1902	9,102.04
Quarter ending September 30, 1902	13,939.07
Total expenditure	$79,353.84
Balance remaining unexpended—	
General expense	$ 7,869.69
Improvements and repairs	1,434.12
Public roads	749.83
New wing	16.99
Total	$10,070.64

NEW COUNTY FARM.

The Chapman Farm of 130 Acres on McKay Creek to be Purchased for $11,000.

The county court yesterday afternoon concluded to purchase a poor farm, the present quarters for the county's poor being wholly inadequate as well as expensive. The agreement is to purchase of Charles Chapman, his farm of 130 acres on McKay creek, two and a half miles from the city. It is said to be particularly well adapted to the purpose, being already under a high state of cultivation, and with many improvements that a little adaptation will render ready for the purposes for which the county invests in it. Eleven thousand dollars will be paid for the place, which is said to have nearly $2000 worth of personal property attached. Of course, the plan that will be adopted in the management of poor farms everywhere—of requiring the inmates to labor upon the place, each according to his or her strength, menial and physical, will be followed in the management of this farm. A hospital will be built upon the place in the near future, and steps taken to put the farm to the uses it is purchased for as rapidly as possible.

New Century Comfort.

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pains from burns, scalds, cuts, bruises; conquers ulcers and fever sores; cures eruptions, salt rheum, boils and felons; removes corns and warts. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25c at Tallman & Co.'s drug store.

A large number of new logging camps are being started up on the coast this winter and logging hands are now in great demand.

MANY VACCINATED.

Government Physician Kept Busy Looking After the Health of the Umatilla Indians.

Dr. Henderson, the contract physician and surgeon for the government, employed to look after the health of the reservation Indians, states that 100 Indian children in the agency school, 10 employes at the school, a dozen adult Indians not in the school and a half dozen of so white lease holders on the reservation have been vaccinated by him on the reservation since the present smallpox scare began.

Five hundred vaccine points are daily expected from the government supply at Washington, and immediately upon their arrival there will be a wholesale vaccination of the Indians and others on the reservation. Up to date there has been but one death on the reservation from smallpox—that of Annie Lyman, and that about a week ago. She was a full-blood.

At present there are but two cases of smallpox on the reservation—the wife of Wet Coyote, who lives at the head of the Tutuilla Creek, the other case being a full-blood who lives at the head of Thorn Hollow and is being treated by Dr. Plamodon, of Athena. Dr. Henderson states that the five who were vaccinated at Lyman's are all doing finely.

He requests that some effort be made to correct the impression that William Murray died of smallpox. In spite of the fact that the cause of Mr. Murray's death was published at the time, the doctor states that many adhere tenaciously to the belief that he died of smallpox, when he had no trace whatever of that disease, and died of pneumonia, to Dr. Henderson's personal knowledge. Mr. Murray was a half-breed.

NEWS OF MILTON

MAYOR S. A. MILLER DOWN WITH SMALLPOX.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Arrive Home—Juror Selling Out at Cost—No $25 Dancing License—New Hotel Spoken of in Freewater.

Milton, Jan. 14.—Miss Jennie Dykes went over to Walla Walla Monday evening and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. C. E. Berry returned home Tuesday from Walla Walla, where she has been visiting for the past week.

Mayor S. A. Miller is down with the smallpox and the city dads are without a head.

John Zell and A. Noblitt's families, who have been quarantined for smallpox for the past 35 days, were released last Tuesday.

Mr. Hull, the watch-maker, has moved in the room one door south of the postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Tassie Stewart went to Helix Wednesday to visit Mrs. Stewart's daughter, Mrs. Frank Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, who have been visiting friends and relatives in Missouri and attending to some business connected with Mr. Clarke's parents' estate, arrived home Tuesday.

We said in Tuesday's locals that J. W. Arnold's four grandchildren were down with smallpox. We should have said scarlet fever.

Miss Kate Fulton returned home Tuesday from Waitsburg, where she went a few days ago.

Mrs. Anna Forsythe, a sister of Mrs. Black of this city, will leave for an extended visit with relatives near Cambridge and Youngstown, O.

D. J. Phelps has been drawn as a juror at the spring term of court, and has marked everything in his store down 20 per cent since finding it out. Whether he has a graft on the county court, or marked them down in order to raise money to pay his expenses while there, is a question with his many friends here.

The report circulated in the neighboring towns of Washington and Oregon that Milton's council imposed a license of $25 for dancing inside the corporation is a false one and without foundation. The report was published in the Spokesman-Review by a gentleman who smuggled a case of scarlet fever through, for fear of being quarantined. It was done for an effect, and the cause has leaked out with the origin of the article. Come over and dance at the opera house Friday night, and we'll pay the license.

Bert Bolus called the doctor Monday evening to see his baby, who had the Friday before cut his chin on a tin can. The baby's chin got quite sore and a high fever set in and it was feared that blood poisoning would result. The doctor said that it had caught cold in the sore, but need not fear anything serious. The baby was resting easy Tuesday evening.

Freewater's correspondent to the Spokesman-Review is going to build a large hotel in the north end of Milton, near the depot, for the accommodation of the traveling public. It's intended as an enterprise for Freewater and a boom (?) for the town. Some time ago she surveyed about one-half of Milton, with an eye on adopting all of the part north of the school house, but only about one out of 10 of the inhabitants in the surveyed part would sign the petition, so that was dropped.

Then she wanted the Milton people to let her have that part of the corporation lying north of the railroad track, so that she could grade a street and have a road to the depot without driving a half mile around for her freight, but failed in that, too. Now, they are going to build a hotel and starve Milton's boarding houses out and compel her merchants to come to the sample room to meet the traveling men or buy direct from the wholesale houses.

Just what the outcome will be awaits further developments and Milton is silent.

Finds Way to Live Long.

The startling announcement of a discovery that will surely lengthen life, is made by Editor O. H. Downey, of Churubusco, Ind. "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for coughs, colds and grip. It's invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine, no one need dread pneumonia or consumption. Its relief is instant and cure certain." Tallman & Co. guarantee every 50c and $1 bottle, and give trial bottles free.

Sheep in Umatilla.

J. H. Gwinn, who is secretary of the State Woolgrowers' Association, states that the most accurate available figures give something over 250,000 as the number of sheep in Umatilla county, while the annual income from them is not less than $500,000. There are now about 3,000,000 sheep in Eastern Oregon.

There are now 1126 teachers and 55,000 pupils in the public schools of Porto Rico.

LOW RATES WEST

IMMIGRATION MOVEMENT BY HARRIMAN LINES.

Low Rates From the East to Oregon Will Result in Large Influx of Homeseekers—Umatilla County Points Named in the Rates.

The most extensive immigration and homeseeker movement that has ever been inaugurated by a western road is now being arranged bly the Harriman lines. This company is collecting the most elaborate exhibit of Oregon resources for its headquarters in Chicago, that has ever been grouped under one management.

The products of the coast are being gathered and classified in such a manner that they will show the name of the product, the place grown, name of producer and every detail relative to each individual exhibit.

Letters are constantly reaching the farmers of the West whose names appear upon these exhibits and the company takes pains to see that each one of the exhibitors has a proper credit in the permanent collection. It is interesting to note the local details of this elaborate homeseeker plan which applies to the entire West, but which especially applies to Umatilla county and the Inland Empire.

The homeseeker movement is scheduled to open February 15, and the low rates will be in effect to and including April 30. No return rate is offered, as it is not a tourist movement esentially, but is intended for settlers who will remain on the coast.

From Missouri river terminal points, except Sioux Falls, by way of Huntington to Umatilla, Spokane and all intermediate main and branch line points, the westbound rate is $22.50, west of Umatilla, not further than Portland, the rate is $25.00. To all points on the Southern Pacific in Oregon, to Ashland, the rate is $25, to Puget Sound by way of Spokane the rate is $25.00.

From Chicago to Umatilla and Spokane the rate is $30.00; west of Umatilla, including Heppner branch to Portland and Puget Sound, the rate is $33.00.

From St. Louis to Umatilla and Spokane, the rate is $27.50; west of Umatilla, including Heppner branch, to Portland, $30.00; to all points on the S. P., in Oregon, $30.00; to Puget Sound, $30.00.

Ten day stopover will be allowed at all points west of Pocatello, in order to permit homeseekers to look over the country and visit the different points of interest. Umatilla county literature cannot be circulated fast enough between now and the opening of this movement.

BREVITIES.

J. A. Howard, farm loans.

Shoe repairing; we do the best. Teutsch.

Red Burns, of Camas Prairie, is in town today.

Best quality Webster typewriter ribbons, 75c. Noll's.

L. Therkiesen has returned from a business trip to Arlington.

Robert Biszenger, the Cold Springs rancher, is in Pendleton today.

Hay for sale. Balled wheat or alfalfa. Leave orders at Hawley Bros.

J. H. Hubbard is in town today from Pendleton.—Wednesday's Walla Walla Statesman.

W. D. Humphrey has sold to E. T. Wade for $700, lot 5, block 11, in Livermore's addition.

J. H. Gwinn and William Slusher went to Portland this morning in the interests of the woolgrowers.

For Sale—Brick building with basement, 50x90, on Main street. Good property at a bargain. Easy terms. E. T. Wade.

J. M. Hogue and wife returned this morning from Heppner. They have been visiting their son, C. M. Hogue at this place for some time.

R. Livingstone has sold to E. D. Zimmerman the north half of section 6 township 4, range 35, the same lying west of Spofford a few miles.

Moses Taylor has filed an answer in the divorce suit instituted against him by his wife Isabella. His attorneys are William Peterson and Carter & Raley.

H. H. Horton has just completed an addition and other improvements in the way of carpentering, to Alfred Laing's residence property on East Webb street.

The American Mortgage Company has sold to Matt Mosgrove for $400, 160 acres in section 17, township 4, range 36, which lies about six miles east of Weston.

Agnes McCool, of Walla Walla, has sold to William P. Reser, of the same place, 3.20 acres of land in section 33, township 6, range 37. No consideration was named in the deed.

The Oregon Mortgage Company has sold to Matt Mosgrove 160 acres of land in section 17, township 4, range 36, for $400. The property lies six miles nearly east of Weston.

R. L. Vanwinkle has sold to J. A. Best, all the parties being residents of Weston, a small tract of land in section 6, township 3, range 36, which lies six miles east of Weston.

Mike Urbons has sold to Eugene Corley, of Gurdane, for $400, lots 6 and 7 and the east half of the southwest quarter of section 6, township 3, range 30, the tract comprising 159 acres.

Lewis Winters, of College Place, Wash., is in Pendleton on business, and renewing old friendships. He was once a resident of the Walla Walla valley and is acquainted with many people here.

The invoice for the 500 vaccine points ordered from the government for use on the Umatilla reservation has arrived, and the points themselves are expected by almost any train from the East.

A. S. Ferguson of Freewater, was in town last evening in the interests of the opposition to the scheme to vacate a portion of the town of Freewater, or, more accurately speaking, an addition to the old town.

Mary L. Maybee, of Weston, has sold to Lillian J. Best, of the same place, the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and lots 19 and 20 of section 32, township 4, range 37, which property lies about 18 miles northeast of Weston.

Dr. Henderson states that there are only two cases of smallpox on the reservation now, which is the same number as several days ago. There is absolutely no increase of the epidemic, and the two patients mentioned are doing finely.

The Northern Counties Investment Trust Company has sold to J. A. Best for $300, the east half of the northwest quarter and lot 1, all in section 31, township 4, range 36. The property lies four miles northeast of Weston.

The Farmers' Bank of Weston has sold to J. A. Best, also of that place, the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 31, township 4, range 36. The property adjoins Weston on the east. No consideration was named in the transfer.

J. T. Hinkle has a force of men at work grading his lots in Railey's addition on West Court street. The work is being done preparatory to building a residence upon the lots next spring, after which the ground wil be seeded down with lawn grasses and trees planted.

M. C. Shelton has sold to J. H. Shelton for $1015, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the west half of the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 18, township 4, range 36, comprising 160 acres. The place lies three miles east and a little north of Weston.

A LABOR MEASURE.

Provides That All State Printing Shall Bear the Imprint of the Union Label.

Salem, Jan. 15.—Bailey, of Multnomah, had the honor of introducing the first labor union bill of the session. Its title is "A bill for an act regulating the use of trade union labels upon printed matter furnished by or for the State of Oregon." It provides that all printing done by or for the state shall bear the imprint of the Allied Printing Trades Council label, save and except certificates of appointment and election to office, and that no state officer shall accept any printing except that hereinbefore excepted, which does not bear the union label. Violation of this law is to be punished by a fine of not les sthan $100 nor more than $500.

A BIG RABBIT DRIVE

SETTLERS OF ECHO WILL MEET SUNDAY, JANUARY 18

Rabbit Pest Continues to Threaten Crops and Gardens—Repeated Slaughters Have Not Diminished the Number—Good Crowd Expected.

Following a custom that has been established for some years in the sage brush short grass districts of Eastern Oregon, the people of Echo and vicinity have arranged to have another rabbit drive.

The strenuous efforts made toward exterminating these pests, do not seem to have resulted in any visible decrease of their numbers or their ravages.

In the farming districts of Echo and Butter Creek, they are a serious menace to crops and year after year the residents of these localities have held drives and slaughters in hopes of relieving the situation.

The following letter is self-explanatory:

Echo, Jan. 14.—(To the Editor.)—Will you kindly let it be known through the columns of your excellent paper, that a big rabbit drive will take place at my farm, "The Old Allen place," three miles west of Echo, on Sunday, January 18. Everybody invited. Expect to have a good time. "Manufacturers and agents welcome; nobody barred."

CHARLES BARTHOLEMEW.

Local sportsmen will take advantage of the opportunity to enjoy a day's sport, and the event promises to be well attended from this city.

INTRODUCED BY UMATILLA.

Bills Presented in the Legislature by Members of Umatilla County Delegation.

The following bills had been presented by the members of Umatilla county's delegation up to Wednesday evening:

Senate bill No. 2, by C. J. Smith, to provide for special tax for building roads.

Senate bill No. 4, by Pierce, to amend Secs. 3360 and 3374 of the code, relating to school tax.

Senate bill No. 17, by Pierce, to abolish the office of recorder of conveyances in Union county.

Senate bill No. 18, by Pierce, to abolish the office of recorder of conveyances in Umatilla county.

Senate bill No. 19, by C. J. Smith, to relate to liens upon the property of railroad companies.

Senate bill No. 22, by Pierce, to amend the law relating to the election of prosecuting attorney and to fix compensation.

House bill No. 44, by Blakley, to amend the code relative to stock.

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N. W. Ayer & Son, the Philadelphia advertising agents, who have a national reputation for "keeping everlastingly at it," believe in sticking to a good thing when they have one. For instance, their calendar for 1903 follows the design used for several years past, but with new coloring. And in truth it would be hard to improve upon their design; the dates are plainly readable at 50 feet, yet the calendar is not unpleasantly conspicuous; it is artistic, simple and useful and it is not surprising that it has become so popular an adjunct to business offices that the supply never equals the demand. While they last, one will be mailed to any address for 25 cents, which barely covers cost and postage.

For Sale—23 sections of grazing and farming lands in Umatilla and Morrow counties. Good buildings. Ranch will feed 15,000 to 16,000 sheep. All under fence but two sections. Plenty of water. Also between 11,000 and 12,000 head of sheep, 130 head of cattle, 30 horses, wagons, harness, plows, seeders and other farming supplies. Address Joseph Vey, Pendleton.

Ten Dollars Reward.

Lost—Last May, one bay horse; weight about 1200 pounds, branded 65 on left shoulder, mane roached last spring. Will pay above reward for return of same to Purl Bowman.

More players have been signed by President Garrett, of the Spokane baseball team, according to the Spokane Press, which states that Garrett announces he has Charles Donahue, who was with the team last year.

ST. JOE STORE.

We are making Big Cut Prices in All Departments of Our Store, and will continue to do this until February 1st.

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COLD STORAGE DEPOT.

Ross Ice and Cold Storage Company to Build a Plant on the Cite of the O. R. & N. Freight Depot.

A. D. Stillman is in San Francisco negotiating with the Oakland Iron Works for material to go into the construction of the new cold storage depot and ice plant which is to be erected on the site of the warehouse which was destroyed by fire, opposite the O. R. & N. freight depot. The company which will build this warehouse has incorporated as the Ross Ice & Cold Storage Co., with a capital of $18,000. It is proposed to proceed with the erection of the building and installation of the plant as rapidly as material can be gotten on the ground after the contract is let. The incorporators are J. F. Ross, Ida Ross and Miss Anna Markham. Mr. Ross is president of the company and Miss Markham secretary-treasurer. The plant will be when completed, actually as large as the largest in the Northwest including any in any of the coast towns. It will have a capacity of 15 tons of ice per day and of five cold storage tons. It will be equipped with nine cold storage rooms.

AN EXTENSION TO PENDLETON.

Forty-Acre Tract North of Jackson Street to Be Platted and Sold—May Contain a City Park.

Immediately upon the return of County Surveyor Kimball to the city, work will be begun upon the survey and platting into blocks and lots of the 40-acre tract lying north of Jackson street and west of Blaine street. It can be also further described as lying directly west of Livermore addition and north of Houser's addition.

The tract belongs to W. E. McAllister and will be put upon the market immediately after the recording of the plat. Senator Pierce has prepared and will introduce a bill providing for the incorporation of the tract, or more properly speaking, for the extension of the city limits to include it.

This tract is very desirably located and is more level than very much of the lands contiguous to town on the north side. Every foot of it is said to be very good soil also. A report is in circulation which is currently believed, that within the limits of the tract will be laid out a park.

DIDN'T LIKE THE JOB.

Trial of Rev. C. D. Nickelson, of Colfax, Promises to Be Sensational.

Walla Walla, Jan. 15.—Rev. C. E. Gibson, of Moscow, Idaho, presiding elder of Walla Walla district of the Methodist Episcopal church, will not preside at the trial of Rev. C. D. Nickelson, of Colfax, on the charge of conduct unbecoming a minister.

Mr. Gibson was asked to accept this position, as Dr. Henry Brown, presiding elder of this district, had signified a desire to have the chair filled by some one other than himself. It now transpires, however, that it would be inconvenient for Mr. Gibson to take up this task and might compel him to neglect work in his own district. Mr. Gibson declines to preside.

Dr. Henry Brown, therefore, will be the presiding officer. The trail will take place Tuesday evening, January 20, at the First M. E. church in this city.

ONE OF THE ARGONAUTS.

Came to Oregon With Joaquin Miller in 1862.

Michael Roe, a well known pioneer died Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock at St. Elizabeth hospital of pneumonia. Mr. Roe was taken sick Sunday and being 75 years old, easily succumbed to the disease.

Mr. Roe came to California with the argonauts in 1849, and in 1862 came to Oregon in the company of Joaquin Miller, "the poet of the Sierras," stopping in Canyon City. Since then he has been engaged in mining and prospecting. So far as known, Mr. Roe leaves no relatives.—Baker Democrat.

Officers Installed.

Daphne Circle, Women of Woodcraft, celebrated the installation of their newly elected officers with a dance last evening followed by a supper. The officers installed were as follows: Mrs. Ellen G. Bond, grand guardian; Margaret Cronin, advisor; Eva A. Walker, banker; Johanna Berlerman, clerk; Ella Beddow, magician; Alice O'Daniel attendant; Martha Greulich, captain of guards; Agnes Nelson, inner sentinel; Mary Konasck, outer sentinel; V. Stroble, manager; Lavina Hale, musician.

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Died of Scarlet Fever.

Letha L., the infant daughter of L. H. Lee and wife, of 811 Railroad street, died early this morning of scarlet fever, aged 2 years, 8 months and 17 days. The funeral will be held at the grave in Olney cemetery, conducted by Rev. Rigby. The body will be taken from the house at 2:30, the funeral being held immediately upon reaching the cemetery. The Lee home is still under quarantine, the 8-year-old son being afflicted with the same disease.

Injured on Trapeze.

Joe Ell received a letter from Portland yesterday evening, stating that his nephew, Antone Weber, a student of the Portland University, fell from a trapeze in the gymnasium on Tuesday and sustained a broken leg. The young man is well known in this city, having visited Mr. Ell, his uncle, quite often in the past, and his many friends here regret to hear of his misfortune.

Succeeds R. B. Wolfe.

J. McLaughlin, formerly in the office of J. B. Glover, O. R. & N. freight agent at Portland, has been transferred to this city where he will occupy the bill clerk's desk, in Agent F. F. Wamsley's office, which position was formerly held by B. R. Wolfe, who succeeds Mr. Hallock as ticket agent. Mr. McLaughlin is accompanied by his wife, and will reside permanently in this city.

Prominent Railroad Man Here.

Charles J. Gray, of Portland, traveling freight and passenger agent of the Northwestern railroad is in Pendleton today on business connected with his department. Mr. Gray's territory extends from Snake river points to Ashland, Oregon. He anticipates the greatest homeseeker movement in the history of the West, the coming spring. He reports traffic very heavy throughout the Northw