East Oregonian

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1903.

Showing Age.

Some people begin to show age before they reach the meridian of life. Others reached, or they have lived out half their days. They are prematurely gray, haggard and sickly, and seldom free from an ache or pain of some description.

Backache, chilly sensations, stiffness in muscles and joints, weak stomach and poor digestion, lack of energy, and drowsiness, nervousness, etc., show that old age has been reached ahead of time. Bad blood and weak circulation more often produce these miserable feelings and signs of decay than anything else. An inherited taint or poison of some description is at work in the system, impeding circulation and a general healthy condition of the blood; and this, and not the weight of years, is dragging you down to an untimely old age and making life a protracted torture.

For purifying the blood and toning up the circulation nothing is equal to S. S. S. It removes from the system all the waste matter that has been accumulating for years, makes the blood rich and pure, strengthens the appetite and digestion, and invigorates the entire body.

S. S. S. is a purely vegetable remedy, and the best purifier and tonic for old people, and those who are beginning to show the effects of the run down condition of the blood. With such pure blood there is no reason why old people should not retain the happy disposition and buoyant spirits of youth.

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It is worth considerable to any reader to know the value of and use of a medicine, for if there is no occasion to employ it in the meantime, frail humanity is subject to many influences and unforseen contingencies that the wisest are totally unable to gauge the future. Know, then, that Doan's Ointment will cure any case of Hemorrhoides, commonly known as piles, or any disease of the cuticle or skin, generally termed eczema. One application convinces — continuation cures. Read the proof:

T. H. Thomas, attorney, of 500 East Bennett avenue, Cripple Creek, says: "I just as emphatically endorse Doan's Ointment today as I did in the month of June, 1889. At that time I went to the drug store for a box which I used for itching hemorrhoides. A few applications gave wonderful relief, and a short continuation of the treatment cured me. There have been symptoms of a recurrence since, but a few applications of the remedy never fails to bring positive relief. My opinion of Doan's Ointment, then expressed is the same today as it was when it was first brought to my notice."

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no substitute.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County, sitting in probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Brown, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that E. D. Boyd, as executor of the last Will and Testament of William Brown, deceased, has filed with the clerk of the above entitled court his final account and report, and said court has appointed 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, the 9th day of March, 1903, being a day of the next regular term of said court, to be held in March, 1903, as the time and the County Court room in the County Court House in the city of Pendleton, Umatilla County, State of Oregon, as the place when and where all persons having any objections or exceptions to the said final account and report, or desiring to make any exceptions thereto, or to any matter or thing done by said Executor during his administration, must present the same, and the said final account and report shall then and there be acted upon and settled.

This notice is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable George A. Hartman, Judge of the above entitled Court, made this 5th day of February, 1903. E. D. BOYD, Executor of the last Will and Testament of William Brown, deceased.

Attest: W. D. CHAMBERLAIN, County Clerk.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

Elsie B. Richardson, Plaintiff, vs. David W. Richardson, Defendant.

To David W. Richardson, defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you February 26, 1903, in the above entitled court and suit on or before Monday, March 23rd, 1903:

And you will take notice that if you fail to appear, answer or otherwise plead within said time, the plaintiff for want thereof, will apply to the above entitled court, in said suit, for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint, viz: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between Elsie B. Richardson, the plaintiff, and you, David W. Richardson, the defendant; and for the care, custody and control of the minor children to be awarded to plaintiff.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable W. R. Ellis, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Umatilla County, to be published for six consecutive weeks in the East Oregonian, a newspaper published in the county wherein said suit has been commenced, the first publication thereof being Friday, February 6th, 1903, and the last March 20th, 1903.

Made and dated at Pendleton, in Umatilla County, State of Oregon, this 6th day of February, 1903. PETER WEST, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice of Sale for Agister's Lien.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the statutes of the State of Oregon, the undersigned, J. D. Ingram, has and claims a lien upon one certain gelding, bay color, branded with an Indian brand, the personal property of Oscar Stanley for departuring and feeding said gelding 5½ months, of the reasonable value of $11; and that I will on the 7th day of March, 1903, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the house on the farm of the undersigned on Birch Creek, about five miles southwest from Pendleton, in McKay Precinct, in Umatilla County, Oregon, sell the above described gelding, at public auction to the highest bidder to satisfy said lien, for said charges, $11, and the cost of keeping and selling said gelding, said charges having been due and unpaid for more than three months.

J. D. INGRAM.

Dated, February 10th, 1903.

A STORAGE PLANT

A. D. STILLMAN WILL LET FOR $13,000 BUILDING.

Will Begin Work on Structure Soon Nas Spring Opens—Latest Improved Methods to be Installed.

A. D. Stillman has returned from San Francisco, where he let the contract for the iron work of the Ross Cold Storage Plant to the Oakland Iron Works for $13,000. The buildings for the plant will cost between six and eight thousand dollars, and the contract wil be let very soon. The ground for the buildings will be broken immediately after the contract is let, and the building put up as fast as the material can be gotten here, so the plant will be installed and in operation by the middle of May, the time set for the first harvest of artificial ice.

The capacity of the ice-making machine will be 15 tons per day. The plant will refrigerate 25,000 cubic feet of goods, besides the ice storage rooms, which will have a capacity of 10,000 feet. The ice storage rooms will have an average temperature of 28 degrees—four degrees below freezing. There will be eight storage rooms, six of which will be kept at the freezing point, and two at 20 degrees or 11 degrees below freezing.

The two coldest chambers will be used for the storage of fish, butter and other stuff peculiarly sensitive to odors, and which are always kept frozen solid on that account—to render them perfectly impervious to contamination. This plant will be fitted up with strictly the most up-to-date apparatus, and will differ from the largest plants in the United States only in capacity.

In the making of ice will be used the "direct expansion" system, which has been proven to be the best for the combined purposes of refrigeration and congealation. While in San Francisco Mr. Stillman visited the United States battleship New York, which carries an ice making machine with a capacity of 600 pounds per day.

RIDGE AND VICINITY.

Many People Looking for Timber Claims at Alba and Ukiah—Grass Coming on Nicely—Cattle Doing Well.

Ridge, Feb. 23.—P. E. Fletcher and W. E. Baker purchased hay from J. J. Spear, of Nye, last week. Mr. Spear is reported to have 40 tons of good wheat had for sale at $11 per ton. Several others are almost out of feed, yet grass is coming on nicely. No stock, to amount to anything have died as yet.

Professor A. M. Crozier, of Gurdane, is still on a vacation owing to the scarlet fever.

Mr. Crozier is visiting in the vicinity of Pilot Rock and Pendleton at present.

C. H. Horseman has arrived from the East and is visiting in Gurdane locality.

M. J. Carney, of Pendleton, drove out five men to look up timber claims in the vicinity of Alba and Ukiah last week.

Our free mail delivery system gives the stage drivers and mail carriers plenty of extra work, so it seems.

H. E. Sturdevant reports a great number of timber land seekers as passengers; sometimes as many as five at one time.

F. Fletcher and his sister, Miss Nellie, of Nye, were visiting here this week.

G. B. Taylor transacted business in the city of Pendleton last week.

Miss Susan Ogle, who has been visiting in this part, has returned to her home in Athena.

William and Arthur Fulton, of Ukiah, are spending the spring in this part.

A. Sloane, of Makay, has returned from his John Day ranch. He is feeding 100 head of beef in Hudson Bay vicinity.

J. T. Houston, of Ukiah, passed down to Pendleton this week, on a business trip.

W. E. Baker was visiting and transacting business in Gurdane this week.

We are having some warm, rainy weather this week and some spring birds have arrived.

Tallman & Co., druggists, guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of its contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia.

HELIX HAPPENINGS.

K. of P. Dance Friday Was a Great Success—Personal Notes.

Helix, Feb. 23.—Grandpa Kern, who has been dangerously ill, is no better.

D. B. Richardson was absent from the city most of last week.

Mr. Len D. Smith will leave this morning for Pendleton to help remove his father to his home in Ione.

The K. P. Dance given here on last Friday evening was an all around success. Excellent music was furnished by Huson's orchestra, assisted by C. C. Sharp, of Pendleton. About 75 couples were in attendance.

Helix was well represented at the masquerade ball given at the German hall Saturday evening.

F. G. Montgomery and wife, and Miss Florence McNett, and Mr. Walter Smith came out from Pendleton to attend the K. of P. dance.

Miss Pearle and Lissie Brannon are here from Milton on a visit to their sister, Miss Anna Brannon.

Miss Bessie and Jessie Raymond, who are attending school in Pendleton are here on a visit to their parents.

Several Helixites attended the basket social given at Adams Saturday evening last.

Rev. Huguet was unable to fill his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday on account of illness.

Mrs. Rena Walker, of Spokane, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Whiteman, left for her home at Spokane last Friday.

Moki Tea positively cures sick Headache, indigestion and constipation. A delightful herb drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, producing a perfect complexion or money refunded. 25c and 50c. Write to us for free sample. W. H. Hooker & Co., Buffalo, N. Y. F. W. Schmidt & Co., druggist.

W. H. Ambrose Dead.

W. H. Ambrose, of Ritter, was buried Monday at that place. Mr. Ambrose was sent to the Portland hospital to be operated upon for a swelling on the neck and breast, of the nature of goitre, and died from the operation last Saturday. He leaves a wife and two small children.

Acker's Blood Elixir positively cures chronic blood poisoning and all scrofulous affections. At all times a matchless system tonic and purifier. Money refunded if you are not satisfied. 50c and $1.00. F. W. Schmidt & Co., druggists.

FEEDING BEET PULP.

Well-Known Stockman of Baker City, Using This Feed to Make Beef.

Thomas N. Proffit, the most extensive stock buyer and shipper of Baker county, is feeding from 800 to 1,000 head of beef cattle on sugar beet pulp at La Grande this winter.

The stock have done very well on this feed during the bad feeding weather, which has prevailed to a large extent during the winter. The feed lots have been very muddy, owing to excessive rains, which hindered the process of fattening.

For several seasons a number of cattle have been fed on this pulp, under adverse conditions. The pulp is exposed to the weather, which has a tendency to drench it and gradually wash away the substance.

The most satisfactory results are gained from this feed during freezing weather, and as the past two winters have been unfavorable to a thorough test, its actual value is still a matter of conjecture.

It is the intention of the sugar factory people to extend their sheds and arrange to protect this substance in future, so the feeders who take advantage of it may be able to use it in its highest degree of strength.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Cyrus Bryant Gets Caught in Machinery.

While oiling a separator which was in motion at the Hunt machine shops a few days ago, Cyrus Bryant came near losing his right arm and as it is will have to carry that member in a sling for some time as a result of the little experience he went through, says the Walla Walla Statesman. In some unaccountable manner his coat sleeve caught in the cylinder and his arm was swiftly drawn into the machinery. By a herculean effort he wrenched his hand from the perilous position, but not before the teeth had bruised and mangled the flesh severely. It was a close call from losing his entire arm and Mr. Bryant is thanking his lucky star that it was no worse.

Homeseekers Coming.

F. L. Sherwood, the secretary and manager of an emigration society which has headquarters at Missouri Valley, Iowa, has arrived from the north and is expecting to meet here this evening a large party of Easterners who are coming into the Northwest via Salt Lake. Those of the party who will stop here for the purpose of buying land will be C. A. Vanderholm, William Robinson, Oscar Peterson, Paul Kinney and Ed Carter, all of Missouri Valley, Iowa. All the parties mentioned wish to buy farming land, and come West with the intention of locating. Mr. Sherwood will leave Omaha March 17, with a party of 25 or 30 land seekers for this locality.

Missourians to Locate Here.

C. L. Bowers and wife, of Windsor, Mo., accompanied by their son, J. T. Bowers, arrived this morning with the intention of making their future home in this county. They will buy land and locate definitely later on. Others who are coming to this county from the same locality in Missouri are James Barnett and family, Thomas Wise and family, John Wise and family, Howard Hudson and family, and still others from Windsor, Arthur Sedden and family, of Greenwich, Mo., will come later on.

To Stop Horse Stealing.

Sheriff Taylor and Prosecuting Attorney Hailey went to Colfax this morning to be a witness in the case of the State of Washington vs. Walling, charged with receiving stolen property. It is possible that evidence may be developed in this case that will establish a train of evidence leading to the complete breaking up of horse stealing in this part of Oregon and adjacent parts of Washington.

ROAD FOR MINES

A. B. FRAME TO OPERATE LARGE ELECTRIC PLANT.

Will Run Electric Cars, Supply Mines and Mills With Power and Do Business on an Extensive Scale.

Baker City, Feb. 24.—A. B. Frame, general manager of the electrical power enterprise located on Eagle creek, 20 miles east of Baker City, says that he will run a line to Sumpter this summer, and furnish power and light for the city, if desired, and power to the operating mines hereabout.

The present week Mr. Frame was in Sumpter. He has been given free rein here, and says that in June work will commence on the Sumpter line.

Poles have been distributed for the Baker City line, and work on this is to be taken up early in the spring, says the manager. Work will also be resumed at the power plant on Eagle Creek when the weather permits.

Surveys have not been made for the route to Sumpter, but no effort will be made to cross the Elkhorn divide, owing to the deep snows. The Auburn roads are to be followed, that repair and construction may be made easier.

Mr. Frame further said that he had already entered into a contract to furnish the Columbia mine with electrical energy. The amount contracted for there is not divulged, nor the rate, but the electrical man said that the figure was such as to make it a great inducement to consume electrical energy in preference to burning fuel.

Regarding the Cove, Mr. Frame said that if he could get a contract to furnish 500 horse power there, he would extend his line that far, and even further where there was a motive.

In Sumpter he stated that a day current for manufacturing purposes would be maintained, as that would have to be furnished the mines taking electricity. This day current would be made to conform to the requirements of any concerns doing business in this city.

The franchise granted Mr. Frame's company has time limitations for commencement of work and completion thereof. Mr. Frame says that he will begin erecting the pole line to this city in June or thereabout, dependent upon weather conditions, and will not delay the work thereafter.

While There is Life There is Hope.

I was afflicted with catarrh; could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus G. Shautz, Rahway, N. J.

Cream Balm reached me safely and the effect is surprising. My son says the first application gave decided relief. Respectfully, Mrs. Franklin Freeman, Dover, N. H.

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

Pacific Coast traffic managers held their third annual session at Ashland Monday.

M. F. HOOKER DEAD

OLD TIME ENGINEER, WELL KNOWN ON O. R. & N.

Was Injured in a Wreck at Perry and Never Recovered From the Effects—One of the Old "Q" Strikers of 1888.

M. F. Hooker, an old engineer on the O. R. & N. railway, in the early days of that road, died at Salem Tuesday, from the lingering effects of a wreck, which occurred on January 16, 1890, near Perry, on the La Grande-Umatilla division.

Mr. Hooker has not followed the occupation of railroading since this wreck occurred, as he was severely injured and unable to work at his calling.

The wreck in which Mr. Hooker was injured, was the derailment of two large helper engines, at a curve near Perry. Engines 161 and 162 had been assigned to the snow bucking service on the Blue Mountains and were returning to La Grande, with a single caboose, when the head engine, on which Engineer Hooker and Fireman Fred Wellman were working, suddenly jumped the track, on striking some ice and snow on the rail.

Engineer Pierce, who was on the second engine, saw the lead engine leave the rail and he immediately reversed the second engine, which broke the coupling between the two and the head engine leaped into the Grande Ronde River, turning over completely, catching the fireman underneath, killing him instantly.

Engineer Hooker was horribly crushed about the breast, and Conductor Fisher had one of his legs entirely severed. The other members of the crews escaped uninjured.

Mr. Hooker was so severely injured that he never fully recovered.

He removed to Salem several years ago, where he has been engaged in business.

He was still a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and also of the G. A. R.

He has many friends on the mountain division of the O. R. & N. who will regret his loss.

Mr. Hooker came to Oregon from Iowa in 1889, with a large number of railroad men who quit the C. B. & Q. during the memorable strike of 1888. Among the well-known engineers of the O. R. & N. who came here during that period who knew Mr. Hooker on the C. B. & Q., are the following: F. R. Swaney, I. T. Mayfield, T. F. Patty (deceased), J. W. Van Fleet, J. H. Aikne, Henry Henson, George Hanson, — Kimball and — Salisbury (deceased.)

WEDNESDAY'S LOCALS.

Henry Rosenberg was in town yesterday.

Carl and William Kupers, of Helix, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. Alice Dobbins returned today to Athena from her visit to Portland.

E. O. Noren and family went through town yesterday en route to Portland from Helix.

William and H. E. Battin, brothers, from South Dakota, are here prospecting for farming land.

J. T. Daley and wife, of Sumpter, who have been in town several days, went this morning to Weston.

C. R. Crusow and John Mittfield, both of Casey, Meagher county, Minnesota, are here prospecting for land.

J. N. Scott, of Athena is purchasing spring stock in this city. Mr. Scott is a merchant of that place.—Oregon Daily Journal.

Henry Lorenzen, whose ankle was broken about five weeks ago in a scuffle with a horse, is in town today on crutches.

Arthur Ransom and C. L. Peters, of Reels, Iowa, are here looking for land, and are quite likely to locate in Umatilla county.

J. W. Luhrs, of Stewart Creek, is in the city on business today. He reports stock in excellent condition in that vicinity. No spring plowing has yet been done.

George L. Smith and family, of Sheridan, Wyo., are here visiting with Mr. Smith's brother, James T. Smith, who lives on the Reeder ranch, 12 miles north of the city.

Frank Brown, of Upper Cold Springs, has begun operations on his new barn, which is to be 50x60 feet in size, with a basement the full size of the building over it.

G. W. Bentley, of Adams, was in town today making extensive purchases for the new confectionery store which he and his son have recently opened at Adams.

E. J. Wilbur, of North Fork station, is in the city today on business. He says the snow is gone from the foothills except in drifts. Grass is beginning to grow and stock is in fair condition.

W. A. Waldron, of Santon Bros. & Waldron, of Butter Creek, was in town yesterday. He reports that the long season of feeding sheep pretty well cleaned up the forage, but that the sheep are in good condition.

L. B. Reeder has returned from the western part of the state, where he went in the capacity of grand sachem in the interests of the Improved Order of Red Men. He reports that the order, the state over, is in excellent shape financially.

Miss Minnie Ise, who has been teaching near Pilot Rock, started yesterday for Concordia, Kan., on a visit. Miss Ise came West in hopes that this climate would benefit her health, and it has, very much. She will probably return to Umatilla county.

J. Clove, of the Rigby-Clove Combined Harvester Company, returned this morning from San Francisco, where he ordered the machinery for the foundry plant in this place. The machinery will be placed in a few days, or immediately upon its arrival.

M. J. Logan, of Sprague, Wash., is in the city. He owns land near Combs Canyon, which he is trying to dispose of before returning to Washington. Mr. Logan owns a fine farm near Sprague, and has been greatly prospered since going to Washington. He was formerly a brakeman on the W. & C. R. with a run out of this place.

William Kirk, aged about 50 years, died at his home in Richland, Idaho, Saturday last, of inflammation of the bowels. Mr. Kirk leaves a wife, four sons and one daughter. He was at one time engaged in the harness business in Pendleton, and afterward moved to Heppner, where he resided several years prior to his removal to Richland.

J. B. Kennedy, of Myrick, states that there is about the usual amount of wheat in that neighborhood. He will not say that it looks well, but states that it is hardly in sight at all, not having started to grow, the ground being frozen yet. At the same time he does not believe the wheat has been injured by the alternating freezes and thaws. There is no sickness among the people in that civinity.

TO BECOME LAWS

BATCH OF BILLS NOW ON GOVERNOR'S DESK.

Legislators Rush Through Many of the Most Important Measures on the Last Day—List of Eleventh Hour Laws.

Following Bills are now in the hands of Goevrnor Chamberlain for consideration. They were passed during the last day of the session.

Their titles are as appended:

Eastern Oregon experimental station.

To protect salmon industry.

Regulating licensing and storing grain.

To prohibit deception in procuring employes.

Charter of La Fayette.

Raising salary superintendent public instruction.

Amending section 2342 code, relating to garnishment of salaries of state officers.

Charter of Albany.

Incorporating Independence.

Duties of employers to employes.

Creating eighth judicial district.

To re-apportion the state.

Fixing boundaries of Washington county.

Bridge across Willamette river.

Salaries in Coos county.

Raising salaries of superintendent in Multnomah county.

Organizing Southern Oregon agricultural society.

Creating betterment fund for prison.

Protection of trout.

Appropriation for state board of agriculture.

General appropriation bill.

Compensation of county commissioners.

Protection of birds.

Terms of supreme court.

Limiting expenditures of counties.

Election of state printer.

General enabling act for location of county seats.

Apportionment of state taxes.

Creating board of veterinary examiners.

For clerk of state land agent.

Licensing plumbers.

Location of cemeteries.

Regulating mutual insurance companies.

Creating bureau of mines.

Exemption from execution.

Seal of state of Oregon.

Relief of Union county.

Prohibiting sale of liquors.

Amending clerkship law.

Incorporation of societies.

Raising price of school lands.

Open theaters on Sunday.

Salary of deputy sheriffs in Clatsop county.

Prohibting fish wheels in Necanicum.

Making terms of assessors four years.

Duties of district attorneys.

Manner of organizing corporations.

Initiative and referendum.

Licensing sailor boarding houses.

Issuance of bonds for Port of Portland.

Expenses of superintendent of Linn county.

Compensation of Indian war veterans.

County commissioner in Multnomah county.

Ferry at Sellwood.

Sale of stock in corporations.

Special appropriation bill.

Purchase of paper for state printer.

Protecting sub-contractors, etc.

Making appointment of county road master optional.

District attorney fees in fifth judicial district.

Governing surety companies.

New ferry at Portland.

Pure food law.

Punishment for assault.

Reorganizing port of Portland.

Protecting growers.

Copies of supreme court decisions.

Salary of county treasurers.

Recording of assignments of certificates of sale.

Assessment of bank stock.

Registration of land titles.

Exemptions from taxation.

Extending Australian ballot law.

Special appropriation bill.

Bureau of labor statistics.

Sureties for administrators.

Deputies for horticultural commissioner.

Redividing first judicial district.

Abolishing deficiency judgments.

Running at large of stock in Multnomah county.

Taxes payable in fall.

Salaries in Yamhill county.

Taxes for school purposes.

Fish way at Oregon City.

Bonds for refunding warrants.

Payment of costs in suits.

Compensation of county commissioners.

Qualifications of executors.

For general denials in pleadings.

Fees for fishery licenses.

Protection of salmon industry.

General road law.

Salary of county clerk in Yamhill county.

PRES. MARTINDALE'S FUNERAL.

Pendleton Friends Return From Weston—Beautiful Floral Tributes.

R. Alexander, in reply to an inquiry by the reporter stated that the funeral of President Martindale was very impressive, and was attended by an immense concourse of people. The floral decorations were beautiful and included tributes from the I. O. O. F. of Weston, private parties in Weston whose names could not be learned, and from K. Van Dran and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander. Mr. Alexander states that the wreath presented by Mr. and Mrs. Van Dran was one of the most beautiful ever used at any obsequies in the county. It had been ordered from Portland by telegraph, regardless of expense, and was greatly admired by everybody. Mr. and Mrs. Van Dran are old friends of the Martindales. At Weston Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Van Dran were entertained by Vice-President Peebles and wife.

Horses Taken Up.

Came to my place at Nye, Oregon, three head of work horses, one white, lame horse, about 10 years old, weight about 1300 pounds, two bay horses, each about 8 years old, weight of each about 1300 pounds. Owner of above described animals can secure same by paying charges.

FRANCIS ROUMAJOUX, Nye, Oregon.

To Start Shearing Machines.

N. H. Cottrell left this morning for Weiser and other Idaho points. He goes to look after the sheep shearing plant belonging to H. S. Scales, of this city. Mr. Cottrell will be absent several days. There will be between 250,000 and 300,000 sheep shorn by machines in the vicinity of Weiser, this season. Idaho sheep men are now using machines almost exclusively.

Stock Shipment.

Twelve cars of cattle from Nampa and Huntington passed down last night over the O. R. & N. to Portland and Sound markets.

SHEEP SHEARING.

Charles Cunningham Has 5,000 Shorn and Will Begin Soon on a Batch of 10,000.

Charles Cunningham explains why he invariably does his shearing several weeks in advance of the other sheep men. In the first place, experienced shearers will not agree to shear his sheep for the same price per head they shear other sheep, because they have considerably heavier fleeces and they cannot afford to. On this account, he pays 2 cents more per head than is usually paid, and has the shearing done very much earlier than the other sheep men because at the usual shearing time he cannot get shearers to do the work without paying them double what they get elsewhere. So he engages the shearers a few weeks out of season and by paying them more than the usual price, gets the work done. His moral is, keep your sheep bred up to the top notch for excellence and get very much heavier fleeces even though it costs somewhat more to get the shearing done. He has finished shearing 5,000 head and has suspended operations a short time in order to get his sheds in the best shape for sheltering the shorn sheep and the next quota to be sheared. He is afraid to go ahead and shear as fast as possible on account of the possibility of bad weather, and he is determined to run no risks of the shorn sheep being exposed to storms. He will begin in a few days the shearing of 10,000 head.

ODDITIES OF THE TAX ROLLS.

Comparison of Values in Different Lines of Property in the State.

Umatilla county's assessment gives the value of wagons, carriages and farm implements at $121,100. Only two counties in the state exceed this valuation on farm implements and wagons; these are Lane county, with $153,000, and Marion, with $139,322. Umatilla county is exceeded by the same counties in the valuation of horses and mules.

Umatilla county has 10,607 head assessed at $172,918; Lane has 6,203 head, valued at $200,000, and Marion has 7,322 head, valued at $186,255.

The number of sheep and goats in Umatilla county is 173,898 and the value is $217,655. Crook county contains 196,847 head, valued at $307,991. Morrow county contains but 154,746 head, valued at $231,970.

Umatilla county contains 321 miles of telegraph and telephone line, and 211 miles of railroad track, the greatest number of any county in the state, Linn county coming next with 126 miles. Crook county contains 54,600 head of cattle, the largest number given in any one county in Oregon.

CHILD BURNED.

Edna Pell Dies of Injuries Received in a Stubble Field Last Saturday.

Last Saturday Edna, the 3-year-old daughter of Charles Pell, of Adams, was terribly burned by getting into a stubble fire. Older members of the family had set the fire and the little one strayed away from the house and too near the flames. The child's clothes were nearly all burned from its body, but it lingered in great pain until this morning, when death ensued. Dr. Stone, of Adams, was the attending physician, but as is usual in such cases, could do nothing but to an extent relieve the child's sufferings. The funeral will be held Saturday.

For Stomach Troubles.

"I have taken a great many different medicines for stomach trouble and constipation," says Mrs. S. Geiger, of Dunkerton, Iowa, "but never have as good results from any as from Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets." For sale by Tallman & Co., druggists.

DEATH ENDS CASE

LOSS OF VALUABLE PAPERS ON ALASKAN TRAIL.

San Francisco Court Finds No Grounds for Suit Unless Dead Man Can be Found to Produce Necessary Documents.

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—Gripped in the fleshless hand of a deadman somewhere in the snowblown wilderness of Alaska there lies buried forever from human ken a precious document which would have been worth thousands in the United States circuit court of appeals yesterday. But human justice was forced to stop before the grim justice of nature, which had locked its secret fast within the mysterious expanse of the Arctic's frozen circle.

Within the sober court of the three circuit judges there was unraveled yesterday a tragedy of the north which even caused the ready speech of the attorneys to halt and break. The spirits of men left to perish upon the snow barrens of the frozen North or to endure the tortures of lingering want haunted the dingy red canopy over the heads of the magistrates. Northwestern Commercial Company vs. R. D. McDougal was merged into the vivid chancery of Life vs Death.

In the early arctic winter of 1900 R. D. McDougal, an almost moneyless miner from the interior, contracted for his passage from Nome to Seattle with the Northwestern Commercial Company. He gave them his last penny and agreed to make up the full dole of his passage by his labor. On the day of the vessel's sailing he was sent ashore to help load a lighter after having taken his blankets and heavy clothing on board. That night the vessel sailed away in a blinding storm, leaving the miner to fight the winter penniless and without clothes.

He brought suit against the steamship company in the Alaska circuit court and gained judgment for $11,000. From this judgment the Commercial company determined to take an appeal to the court of appeals for the ninth circuit meeting at San Francisco in the first week in February. To file their suit in time it was necessary to intrust it to the care of one of a party of men who were going overland by trail from Nome to Seattle.

With a transcript of record and a writ of error Dr. R. B. Miller started over the winter's trail. But the travelers had not proceeded far when the rigors of the wilderness gripped them. More and more painful became each faltering step. Miller, the bearer of the precious documents, lagged farther and farther in the rear. At last he froze to death. The body and the documents were left to the wolves and the winds.

When the attorneys endeavored to plead their case before the magistrates yesterday they were asked to supply the necessary documents, and failing to do so their case was dismissed. The documents, which would have been worth thousands, were tight in a dead man's clutch far off somewhere in the depths of the lasting snows.

MARCUS WHITMAN

ADOPTED DAUGHTERS OF THE PIONEER RELATE HISTORY.

Spokane Women Who Crossed the Plains With the Missionaries—Parents Died on the Journey—Next Century Will Celebrate Anniversary of Massacre.

Spokane, Feb. 25.—Pilgrim Congregational church was crowded Monday night to hear three women, adopted daughters of Dr. Marcus Whitman, survivors of the Whitman massacre of 1847, tell the dreadful story of their experience. The sisters were Mrs. C. S. Pringle, Mrs. J. C. Helm and Mrs. J. Delaney, all of Spokane. They were the children of a Mr. Sanger, who started across the plains with his family in 1844. The parents died en route, the father first, and the mother 26 days later and after reaching Whitman station the children were adopted by Dr. Whitman. Mrs. Pringle, who told the story, said: "In all 11 children were adopted by Dr. Whitman and were cared for as his own."

Mrs. Pringle gave a vivid description of the life at the station, leading up to the massacre. She told of the massacre itself and how she hid in a garret until captured by the Indians. With about 40 others she was held a slave by the Indians until rescued by Hudson's Bay employes, who purchased their ransom. Mrs. Pringle referred to Mrs. Whitman and Mrs. Spalding, whom she said were the first white women to cross the mountains.

"There is no truth," said she, "in the story that the Indians believed Dr. Whitman was the cause of so many deaths amnog them during the measles epidemic, as they demanded his service almost to the moment of his death."

In closing Mrs. Pringle appealed to the present generation to clear Dr. Whitmans' name and give it the honored place to which it is entitled.

Missionary Heroes.

Rev. T. W. Walters spoke at the evening service on "The Missionary Heroes of Old Oregon," and said in part:

"So important was the part played by the early missionaries in Old Oregon, that its history cannot be truly written without taking into account the place they occupied and the part they took in the formation period of our country. We may as well try to tell the early story of Massachusetts, ignoring the relation of the Puritans and the Pilgrim Fathers. The man who brought the first white woman, the first wagon and the first large immigration over the Rocky Mountains will essentially find a leading place in the future history of the Northwest. Dr. Marcus Whitman was a man of destiny.

"Bancroft, in his 'Oregon,' says Marcus Whitman was no ordinary man. I do not know which to admire most in him, his coolness or his courage. His nerves were of steel, his patience was excelled only by his tearlessness. In the calm of his nature he was all for Christ. We in this enlightened age are not hero worshipers, but we are hero admirers. He lived and died for noble principles we instinctively and rightly admire.

Will Celebrate Day.

"The people of the United States will at an early date have centennial celebration of the Louisiana purchase. I believe that they of 1947 will celebrate the great tragedy at Whitman station, when in 1847, Dr. Whitman, his wife and 12 others died for their country and the cause they loved. The greater the distance the clearer men see and appreciate great events. Our children will see in the early missionaries of the Northwest more than we have been able to see. Some of us have been more than interested to listen to some of these men telling us the tale of early days; how they crossed the plains, climbed mountains, swam streams and were endangered by quicksand and ugly precipices when heading toward the Columbia basin. There is something very pathetic in such tales, especially when we see the bearing between their trying, meager life and our present possibilities and actual luxuries. Man should never allow his indebtedness to forerunners be lost sight of. You heroic men of high purpose, of unyielding energy, pathfinders, sowers of the seed of virtue, educators, statesmen and prophets, how can we pay you becoming tribute? By erecting monuments of solid marble on yonder plains, or shall we first of all live for those things you loved, lived and died for."

WOOLGROWERS.

Executive Committee to Meet During the Last of March—Will Arrange to Buy Salt and Have Sale Days.

J. H. Gwinn, secretary of the Umatilla County and of the State Woolgrowers' Association, states that the county association will be called to meet in a short time, but no date is yet fixed for the event.

The executive committee of the state association will meet some time during the last of March or the first of April, at which time a date will be set for the next meeting of the state association. At the meeting of the executive committee referred to, it is expected that arrangements will be completed for the importation from the Salt Lake country of salt for this season's sheep consumption by the trainload.

The committee will also arrange the dates for separate sales days for sheep, which experience has shown effects a great saving to the woolgrowers wherever the system has been used.

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DAWKINS SUICIDED.

Milton Citizen Took His Own Life Last Sunday Morning.

Milton, Feb. 25.—A post mortem examination of the remains of I. Z. Dawkins, the aged cripple who was mysteriously shot Sunday morning two miles north of Milton, at the home of James Rogers, a farmer, was held by Dr. Ditterbrant yesterday afternoon, who stated that in his opinion it was a clear case of suicide. This was accepted by Sheriff Taylor and District Attorney Tom Hailey, of Pendleton, who arrived here to investigate the death of Dawkins. Any suspicion that the old gentleman came to his death by other hands than hi sown was allayed. The examination was conducted in the presence of the sheriff and attorney.

It was found that the bullet had entered the right ear and passed entirely through the head coming out at the top.

A 44-calibre revolver had been used. Nothing new was developed, and the general supposition is that Dawkins became despondent over his physical condition and determined to do away with himself. The funeral will occur today.

A HUMAN BEAST.

Mail Carrier of Walla Walla in Serious Trouble.

Walla Walla, Feb. 24.—Joseph Sprowle, who claims to be a mail carrier between The Tanks and Rigsby, on Basket Mountain, was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail by Judge Huffman this morning for forcing Earl Wilder, a 14-year-old boy of this city, to drink beer Saturday night. The jail sentence is just a starter of Prowle's troubles and will probably terminate in a more serious charge being filed against him, that of attempting an unmentionable crime upon the boy's person.

The charge of forcing the boy to drink beer was brought first in order to keep the accused in custody until the return of Prosecuting Attorney Wilson from the Sound, when the more serious charge will probably be filed.

Doubled Membership.

Kit Carson Post No. 28, of the G. A. R., has more than doubled its membership during the past year and now numbers 44 members. The order