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Mountain Reservoir 120 Acres in Extent and 12 Feet Deep Now Constructed—Cost \$130,000—Will Generate 1000 Horse Power at First to Be Increased to 10,000 Horse Power When Needed—Will Also Furnish 75,000,000 Gallons of Water Per Month to City of La Grande.

One of the most tremendous water power schemes in Eastern Oregon is now being constructed at Morgan Lake, three miles south of La Grande on the summit of the Blue Mountains by the La Grande Water Storage Company.

From time immemorial Morgan lake, a shallow body of water about 100 acres in extent, has been the chief stock watering place of the entire Rock creek and Sheep creek stock range of La Grande. It is located on the very top of the spur of the mountains at an elevation of 4200 feet.

About a year ago S. R. Haworth, W. G. Hunter and J. W. Scriber conceived the idea of utilizing the possibilities of this body of water. The lower end of the lake has an outlet toward the city of La Grande and a dam 300 feet long, 150 wide at the base, and 40 feet high is being constructed at a cost of \$130,000 to confine the water.

A lake 120 acres in extent and now averaging 12 feet deep has been formed, with a possibility of increasing the depth to 30 feet by building a few hundred feet of levee. Surveys have been made for a line of pipe line leading to the La Grande city reservoir. Steel pipe two feet in diameter will be used to conduct the water down the mountain canyon to the power plant about one mile from the lake, where 1000 horse power will be developed at first, with the possibility of increasing the power to 10,000 horse power when needed.

Arrangements have been practically completed by which the storage company will furnish the city of La Grande 75,000,000 gallons per month for distribution through the city water mains.

The elevation of the lake above the city of La Grande is 1450 feet, in a distance of three miles, making the force of the water supply, if unrestrained, beyond computation.

To supply the lake with a perpetual flow of fresh water two mountain streams, Sheep creek and Rock creek are being diverted into it by means of six miles of pipe lines and flumes. The company has now 18 teams employed completing the immense dam and the work of laying the pipe line will begin at once.

A second smaller lake 25 acres in extent, lying on a bench just below the main lake, will be cleaned out and converted into a resort for boating and summer picnics. It is fringed all around with a growth of pine and can be fed from the overflow of the main lake.

When completed this will be the best water supply and source of power enjoyed by any Eastern Oregon city. As the demands of the city may require the depth of the lake may be increased from 12 to 30 feet by building levees on the brow of the hill forming the south bank of the lake. The headgate is 36 inches in diameter and the lake can be drained by opening the gate of the penstock.

At present the depth is increasing about one inch per day and the Rock creek supply has not yet been turned in.

### NEWS OF ATHENA.

Hevere Case Stomach Trouble and Nervous Prostration—Rebekah Elect Two Full Corps of Officers—Rebekah Lodge With Twenty Members Organized at Adams.

Athena, June 19.—Mrs. William McBride was called to Walla Walla Tuesday to attend the bedside of a little child of Sam McBride, which is very ill. Mrs. McBride will return home this evening.

Mrs. Jake Craten is seriously ill at her home near Athena.

Mrs. Cox is very low. It is hoped she will be able to be moved to the hospital this week.

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The Longest Day in 1904.

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Severe Case of Rheumatism.

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hospital this week. She has a stomach trouble and nervous prostration. Miss Eva McDonald returned home this morning after an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. James Nelson stopped off while on her way to Milton to visit her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd, who has suffered a relapse.

Mrs. Ball returned to Astoria after an extended visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeder.

The grand president, Mrs. Barnett, and the Rebekah returned to Adams yesterday, where they organized the Rebekah lodge of 20 members. The following officers were elected: Mrs. O. J. Ball, president; Mrs. Ferguson, V. G.; Mrs. Tom Stalen, Sec.; Miss Mary Darr, Treas. Many members besides the team attended from here.

Mrs. E. A. Donley is the proud possessor of a fine pair of horses.

Mrs. William Goslon and daughter, Kittie, have returned home from an extended visit to Walla Walla.

The Rebekah elect officers last Tuesday as follows: Mrs. Fred Gross, P. G.; Miss Mae Gross, V. G.; Miss Mabel Thompson, Sec.; Mrs. S. T. Sharp, R. S.; Miss Kittie Sharp, Treas.

### FAMILY ROW IN COURT.

Judge Fitz Gerald Called Upon to Administer Some Fatherly Advice.

A family row was aired in Justice of the Peace Fitz Gerald's court this morning. Philip Gray, a young man 17 years of age, was accused of assault and battery upon the person of Mrs. Adelaide Jones.

Defendant and complaining witness are both residents of the east end, and are a dozen or more near relatives of both parties, who are also related, and all implicate in the row. The whole affair turned out to be a badly comprehended family row, and the judge found it impossible to sort the truth, if there was any, from the mass of contradictions and untruths which beset it, and was forced to say so.

Eventually he discharged the defendant and roared the entire "cauldron" for their presumption and obvious unfairness. He could find no preponderance of testimony and nothing to controvert a reasonable doubt as to the defendant's guilt.

He concluded his admonitions with a comprehensive threat to rat every body concerned under bonds to keep the peace.

### SHEEP GROWING STATES.

Montana Leads With Over 5,000,000 Head in 1904.

Montana remains at the head of the wool-producing states of the Union. The report of the acting statistician of the department of agriculture shows that this state has more sheep than any other state in the Union.

The report indicates that Montana has 5,270,963 sheep, having an average value of \$2.31 a head when the estimate was made.

Wyoming is second with 4,692,653 head, with an average value of \$2.58 a head. New Mexico is third with 3,869,466, with an average value of \$1.52 a head. Idaho is fourth on the list with 3,558,034, \$2.21 a head.

Next in order are Ohio, Oregon, California and Michigan, each above the 2,000,000 mark. Colorado, Texas, Wisconsin, New York and Arizona each have more than 1,000,000.

The most interesting thing about the sheep census is the fact that the 51,520,144 head in the country shows a decrease of 12,324,732 head.

That is a shrinkage in numbers that is highly important to flock raisers all over the country, showing a decrease of 23.7 per cent.

The number of sheep reported in the United States last year was 63,964,876.

### DEATH OF A BABE.

Child Was Ill But Two Days of Pneumonia.

The 10-month-old girl of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Reeves died at their home in this city yesterday after a two-day illness with pneumonia. The body was prepared for burial and was taken to Woodburn, the former home of the parents, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Reeves. Mr. Reeves is an O. R. & N. employe, working in the car repairing department.

### NEW PURSE OFFERED.

Fast Horsemen Interested in State Fair Racing Events in September.

W. F. Matlock attended the recent session of the state board of agriculture at Salem, to which he was appointed about three months ago, after having been on the board seven years. About the only business transacted that is of general interest, was the offering of an entirely new purse—of \$1000, for the best in a 2:11 trot at the annual state fair, also offering two purses of \$1500 each for pacing events to come off the same week.

The next regular meeting of the board will be from September 12 to 17 inclusive.

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## THE ALFALFA CROP

WHEN TO CUT TO GET THE BEST HAY.

Experts Say That the Plant Should Be Cut Just as the Early Blossoms Burst Out—its Value is in the Protein and This is Highest Before the Plant is Fully Bloomed Out.

According to all the agricultural experts alfalfa should be cut when not more than one-tenth of the plants have come into bloom.

Cut at this early stage the yield of hay for the season will be much greater than if cut near maturity and every pound of hay secured will be worth more for feed.

At the Kansas station a strip through a field of alfalfa was cut when one-tenth was in bloom and another strip after full bloom had past. The strip cut early was nearly ready to cut the second time when that cut after full bloom was being harvested the first time. The strip cut early grew vigorously through the season and made three cuttings and a good aftermath.

The strip cut after full bloom gave a low yield, the first cutting and did not grow sufficiently to yield a good second cutting. Early cuttings seem to invigorate the plants.

The late cutting of the first crop seems to injure the plants more than at any other time and it has been found profitable to cut alfalfa the first time as soon as one-tenth was in bloom. The increased yield from succeeding cuttings over that cut late will much more than make up for the loss of the first crop.

The great value of alfalfa is the large amount of protein it contains. The material in feed absolutely necessary for the formation of blood, lean meat and milk.

Higher the protein in alfalfa the better the feed. The Colorado station found the effect of cutting alfalfa as follows: Coming in bloom 18.5 per cent protein, half in bloom 17.5 per cent and in full bloom 12.9 per cent.

The effect of cutting at different stages in Kansas was as follows: One-tenth in bloom 18.5 per cent protein, one-half in bloom 17.5 per cent, and in full bloom 14.4 per cent.

The Utah station for five years cut alfalfa at different stages of maturity and fed the crop in producing beef. The average production for an acre was as follows:

In first bloom 525 tons of hay producing 700 pounds of beef, in full bloom 420 tons making 572 pounds; and half blossoms fallen 455 tons making 450 pounds of beef.

These experiments made in three states give the range of the best alfalfa and feeding value. The leaves of alfalfa contain more than three times as much protein as stems, a ton of alfalfa leaves containing as much protein as 2800 pounds of bran. Every acre should be taken in curing alfalfa to save the leaves.

### BREVITIES.

Arley Pennick, a leading farmer of Adams, is in town today.

A. E. McCully, a prominent Helix farmer, is in town today.

The 5-month-old infant of Mrs. Louie Monasterelli is quite ill.

Mrs. Carl Jensen will enter the hospital soon for an operation.

Jerold Tuttle arrived from Portland on the early train this morning.

James Gilliland is the new salesman at the Clarke hardware store.

Charles Myers returned from a week's visit in Portland, this morning.

H. Connel of Umatilla spent yesterday in the city, a guest of the St. George.

W. F. Matlock and wife have returned from Portland and other valley points.

Mrs. S. A. Lowell is visiting in Portland, accompanied by her daughter Margaret.

Mrs. J. B. Perry and daughter have returned from a visit of a couple of weeks in Portland.

William Miller, a prominent real estate man of La Grande, spent yesterday in the city.

R. A. Watson is in Portland today on a brief visit, expecting to return home in the morning.

Rev. W. L. Van Noy and his father left this morning for a fishing trip to Bingham Springs.

Dr. Linn K. Blakeslee visited his aged parents in Union yesterday, returning home this morning.

Dr. W. G. Cole returned this morning from Portland, where he has been on business for a couple of days.

H. C. Willis of Foster, passed through the city this morning for Walla Walla, on a short business trip.

A. S. Banner, of the Clatsop Grocery Co. of Portland, was in town over Sunday, resuming his route this morning.

Rev. W. H. Bleske returned this morning from La Grande, where he preached in the Presbyterian church yesterday.

Dr. E. N. Hutchinson, of the bureau of animal industry with headquarters at Portland, is a guest at Hotel St. George today.

Ralph McLaughlin, of the O. R. & N. yard crew, is taking a few days' rest, G. F. Harris, of La Grande, filling his place.

Louis Hunziker, the jeweler, returned last night from Portland, where he went to take the Shriners' degree in the Masonic order.

George N. O'Brien, assistant cashier of the American National Bank of San Francisco, is in the city today on a business visit.

Dorsey M. Hill, clerk of Walla Walla county, and a baseball enthusiast, who was a guest of Cecil Wade over Sunday, returning home this morning.

Miss Edith Crockett and Miss Mabel McNeil are home for the summer vacation from Whitman College, where both attended school for the past year.

The Elks held their last meeting for the season last Thursday night, and adjourned for the season, or until the third Thursday evening in September.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Matlock returned home last night after a week spent in Portland. Mr. Matlock having gone to attend the grand lodge of the Masons.

The Misses Golden and Sutherland, both teachers at the Indian school, have gone East on their annual vacation. They go directly to the former's home in Michigan.

"Naz" Ankeny, son of Senator Ankeny, returned to Walla Walla this morning. He was a most enthusiastic rooter and fan for the Walla Walla baseball team yesterday.

Clark Nelson, of Weston, was in town yesterday and umpired the game between the Wanderers and the La Salle, of Walla Walla. He returned home on the excursion train.

A. D. Stillman left last night for

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### REPORT OF THE CONDITION

## The First National Bank

AT PENDLETON, OREGON.  
At the close of business June 9, 1904.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	\$728,046.73
Overdrafts	1,118.23
U. S. Bonds	10,000.00
Real estate	2,017.86
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	10,000.00
Interest on National Bank notes	1,892.77
Interest on U. S. bonds and other securities	1,785.13
Interest on deposits	2,880.70
Checks and other cash items	297.10
Notes of other National Banks	292.00
Fractional paper currency	422.53
Legal money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$72,381.45
United States notes	73,186.45
Government bonds with U. S. guarantee	2,500.00
Interest on U. S. Treasury notes	1,973.22
Less than 5 per cent redemption fund	100.00
Total	\$896,202.50
LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid up	\$70,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less expense and taxes paid	108,817.79
National bank notes outstanding	70,000.00
Due to other National Banks	8,888.89
Due to approved reserve agents	9,418.93
Individual deposits subject to check	517,878.88
Demand certificates of deposit	99,626.86
Certified checks	1,973.22
Total	\$896,202.50

State of Oregon, county of Umatilla, ss: I, G. M. Rice, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. M. RICE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 1904.

C. K. CRANSTON,  
Notary Public.

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