

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1900.

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805 Main Street, Pendleton, Oregon

BREVITIES.

Squirrel traps for rent at Stillman's Good creamery butter at Demott's. Try Dutton's loaf creams—something new.

Fresh peas and sweet potatoes at Demott's.

Have you tried Dutton's ice-cream chocolates?

Swiss limburger and cream cheese White House grocery.

Go to Demott's for fresh asparagus, spinach and green onions.

Our canned goods are the best the market affords. White House.

We have an extra large assortment of fine mackerel. White House.

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White potatoes, dry onions, sweet potatoes and lettuce. White House grocery.

Early prolific potatoes and all kinds of garden seeds in packages and bulk at Demott's.

If you want the best steaks, roasts, bacon, hams and lard go to Schwarz & Greulich.

Mrs. J. H. Bardhus, of Portland will open a class in landscape and marine painting next week at the home of Mrs. W. D. Hansford.

M. B. Smith, Buttermilk, Mich., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the very best pills I ever used for constipation, liver and bowel troubles." Tallman & Co., leading druggists.

The firm of Houser & Miller having dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Houser will continue the business at the old stand where he will be pleased to see all old customers and friends.

To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dangerous. Tallman & Co., leading druggists.

A portion of two ribs was removed from Frank Kerrick at Walla Walla Tuesday. Kerrick fell into a well and fractured the ribs twelve years ago. He has been a great sufferer since. The surgeons found portions of the ribs had penetrated the tissues of the lungs, causing a great deal of irritation and pain.

Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Milesburg, Pa., says: "As a speedy cure for coughs, colds, croup and sore throat One Minute Cough Cure is unequalled. It is pleasant for children to take. It is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and throat and lung diseases. It will prevent consumption. Tallman & Co., leading druggists."

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Washing Dishes

To wash dishes in half the time, and do it without water, try this recipe: Always use hot water, not cold. Use a good soap, and it is best to use mops with china and glass, and to have a nice lather instead of using soap water.

Gold Dust Washing Powder

Dissolve a tablespoonful in the hot water and when cold add a quantity of nice, dry towels to wipe with. This will remove dirt from the water to run off the dishes into receptacle of soot, when you will have highly polished glass and china.

This advice is taken from our free booklet "GOLDEN RULES FOR HOUSEWORK".

THE R. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston.

The Walla Walla football team passed through Pendleton this morning on No. 1 on their way to Heppner, where they will play a matched game with the Heppner team. They will play the same team that carried off the honors here on Washington's birthday. The captain of the Walla Walla team said he thought his team would give the Heppnerites a hard fight. The only fear he has is that the Walla Walla boys are too small to compete with their heavy opponents.

Chronic Nasal Catarrh poisons every breath that is drawn into the lungs. There is no cure from any druggist the remedy for the cure of this trouble. A small quantity of Ely's Crayon Balm placed into the nostrils spreads over an inflamed and angry surface, relieving immediately the painful inflammation, cleanses, heals and cures. A cold in the head vanishes immediately. Sold by druggists or will be mailed for 50 cents by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

The adjourned parish meeting of the Church of the Redeemer will be called to order this evening at the church at 7:30 p. m. A full attendance is expected.

Mrs. Anna Lamberson died at her home in Walla Walla of cancer of the bowels Tuesday. She leaves a daughter and three sons.

Purses and pocketbooks go to \$1.45; two packages garden seeds, 5c. Fredrick Noll.

Salisbury predicts rain or snow tonight and colder with Friday fair and colder.

SQUIRRELS DYING OFF.

An Unheard-of Epidemic Playing havoc With Them South of Pendleton.

Nick Brown, who was in from his farm near Hugo Wednesday afternoon, told a very remarkable story concerning squirrels, that is something very much out of the ordinary. Mr. Brown states that early last summer, it was noticed by a great many people who captured or killed any of those destructive rodents, that the fur of the squirrels was literally filled with small red insects, possibly lice. Nothing particular was thought of this at the time, but from what is occurring to the squirrels now one can draw his own deductions. It has been noticed by the farmers in that section this spring that there have been but few squirrels that have made their appearance. This is very unusual, for they are generally out in force by the first of March. Mr. Brown says that he, and also a great many others, have paid out over the last few days to find numbers of dead squirrels about their farms and that in each instance the body of the animal is practically devoid of hair. After finding many in this condition Mr. Brown says he made it a point to notice those which were alive and in nearly every instance found that they were nearly in the same condition as those which had been dead. He is strongly of the opinion that the small lice are responsible for the epidemic that seems to prevail among the squirrels and is satisfied that, whatever it is, it is the cause of their demise. At the rate they are now dying it won't be long before they are completely exterminated. As to whether they are affected similarly in other portions of the country there are as yet no reports.

F. Clapton's Views.

It being known to the East Oregonian that last year F. Clapton of this city had experimented with a squirrel exterminator on his farm just out from town, a reporter of this paper called on the gentleman to learn whether or not the effect of the exterminator he had used on those rodents was similar to that described by Mr. Brown. Mr. Clapton said it was, with the exception of the small red lice.

"The stuff I used on my place," he said, "is called Pasteur Virem and is eaten by the squirrels. If the animals get the right kind of a dose it kills them within ten or fifteen days, but if it is not taken in sufficient quantity to kill within that time, it has the effect of acting on them similarly to arsenic, spreading among them, resembling hog cholera, and when they come out in the warm days of spring their hair comes out and death occurs very soon after this happens." F. Clapton, who has a farm in the neighborhood of Hugo, secured a quantity of the virus from me last year, and from what Mr. Brown describes I feel pretty certain that it is the cause of the death of those animals. After they have once taken the disease from the virus it spreads among them like an epidemic of smallpox, and while it does not kill during the winter months while they are taking their sleep, as soon as they come out and the warm sun strikes them the virus takes effect."

TO STOCK THE STREAMS.

Government to Be Asked to Aid in Stocking Streams With Trout.

The anglers of the city and those interested in stocking the streams in the vicinity of Pendleton, on the Umatilla river and its tributaries, with trout, should attend a meeting which has been called for Friday evening, March 9, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the office of Stillman & Pierce. The object of the meeting is to devise plans whereby to plant, and make proper requisition to the government for securing them, also to get in touch with the proper authorities as to which species of trout is most desirable for this locality. Also, many other interesting features will be discussed, relating to successful stocking of the fishing streams. A number of persons who have made a study of the trout will be in attendance and the meeting promises to prove interesting.

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodil Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat. Tallman & Co., leading druggists.

Local Market.

Pendleton dealers are paying the following prices for ranch and farm produce:

Butter, 25 to 30 per pound.
Eggs, 15c per dozen.
Potatoes, one per sack.
Parsnips, 50c per sack.
Cabbage, \$4 per 100 pounds.
Turnips, 75c per 100 pounds.
Chickens, \$2.00 to \$3.00 per dozen.
Ducks, 40c per dozen.
Live turkeys, 10c per pound.
Geese, \$10 per dozen.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Reported by L. R. Ray & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

March 8.—The foreign markets were very firm and steady today. Liverpool closing 5-9-8 against 5-9-5, yesterday. Chicago opened 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ against 65-8 to 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ at night's close, and advanced steadily to 66 $\frac{1}{2}$, closing 66-3 to 66 $\frac{1}{2}$.

There have been very severe storms in the east all the week and now reports are coming in of damage in the winter wheat sections caused by the cold spell at the first half of February when the plant was unprotected.

Stocks lower. Money, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Closet yesterday, 65-5 to 65 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Open today, 65 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Range today, 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 66 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Close today, 66-3 to 66 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Arrivals at the Hotel Pendleton.

John F. Hayden, St. Louis.
J. D. McDevitt, San Francisco.
James Wright, North Yakima.
D. J. Kirk, Athens.

J. B. Johns, Athena.

W. H. York, Portland.

D. L. Avery, Portland.

C. W. Cather, Portland.

W. H. Willam, Portland.

G. H. Willam, Portland.

J. Beatty, Jr., Chicago.

F. A. Taylor, Portland.

S. Lee, Portland.

S. B. Martin, Portland.

E. H. Eunson, Spokane.

T. B. Newell, Spokane.

H. E. Hendry, Milton.

P. Kloegner, St. Louis.

W. J. Maher, Portland.

W. W. Smith, Portland.

E. V. Hoyt, Portland.

E. A. Robertson and wife, San Jose.

A. B. Burton.

C. M. Smith.

A. C. Stull, La Grande.

What is Shiohi?

New York, March 8.—Bradstreet's

reports for the week the following changes in the available supply:

Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 447,000 bushels for week in Europe, increase 2,000,000 bushels.

Total supply, increase 2,000,000 bushels.

The aggregate stocks of wheat held at Portland, Tacoma and Seattle decreased 178,000 bushels last week.

Eastern Livestock.

Chicago, March 8.—Cattle—General- ly steady; good natives to prime steers, \$5 to \$6; poor to medium, \$4 to \$4.75; selected feeders, steady, \$4.10 to \$4.70; mixed stockers, slow, \$3.40 to \$3.90; cows, \$4 to \$4.25; heifers, \$3.15 to \$4.60; cannery, \$2.25 to \$2.80; bulls, \$2.60 to \$4.40; calves, slow, \$1.75 to \$2.75; Texas steers, steady, \$3.90 to \$4.50; Texas bulls, firm, \$3.25 to \$3.75.

Hogs—Average 5¢ lower; top, \$4.95 to

mixed and butchers, \$4.65 to \$4.90;

good to choice heavy, \$4.80 to \$4.95; rough heavy, \$4.65 to \$4.75; light,

choice, \$4.80 to \$4.95; bulk, \$4.75 to \$4.85.

Sheep—Sheep and lambs, strong;

top, lambs, \$5.50; good to choice, \$5.25 to \$5.50; Western sheep, \$5.35 to \$5.65; yearlings, \$5.25 to \$5.50; native lambs, \$5.25 to \$5.50; Western lambs, \$5 to \$5.45.

Omaha, March 8.—Cattle—Market

strong; native beef steers, \$3.80 to

\$5.30; cows and heifers, \$3.20 to \$4.20;

cannery, \$2.25 to \$3.00; stockers and

feeders, \$3.00 to \$4.80; calves, \$2.50 to

\$2.85; bulls, \$2.80 to \$3.75.

Hogs—Market 5¢ lower; fair to

choice, \$4.65 to \$4.75; mixed, \$4.65 to \$4.70; light, \$4.60 to \$4.70; bulk, \$4.65 to \$4.75.

Sheep—Market 10¢ higher; fair to

choice natives, \$5.75 to \$6.35; fair to

choice Westerns, \$5.25 to \$5.80; com-

mon and stock sheep, \$4 to \$5; lambs,

\$5.75 to \$7.

Kansas City, March 8.—Cattle—Market