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HOME COUNTY NEWS

HUSTLING ATHENA.

News From That Burg Gathered From Col. Boyd's Paper.

Mrs. John Stanton visited Pendleton friends Wednesday.

Frankie James is visiting in Pendleton this week.

Miss Kitty Sharp spent Sunday in Pendleton with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelly Jones, of Pendleton, spent Sunday with relatives in Athena.

"Bob" Brown, captain of the Pendleton ball team, was up from that city Wednesday.

Frank Perham, who assisted for several days in the Fair store, has returned to Pendleton.

The best yield of barley reported so far comes from the T. J. Kirk field east of town. The crop was down and in a badly lodged condition, but by good work on the part of the headers, the yield is said to be over 70 bushels.

O. G. Chamberlain was in Pendleton this week on business connected with the Athena Mill Co. The court recently received bids for the property but none were accepted. In all probability the plant will be offered at private sale.

Messrs. M. M. Johns and children will leave soon for Seaside, where they will spend the summer months. The trip is to be made mostly for the benefit of her son Melville's health.

A trip to Witzler's island, in the Columbia recently, proved of some benefit to the little fellow.

R. J. Boddy has been confined to his bed the greater part of the week with an attack of pneumonia. He is better at this writing and is able to be around.

Sheriff Taylor passed through

Athena on Wednesday morning's passenger, having in tow another soldier who deserted from the Walla Walla barracks.

DOINGS AT FREEWATER.

Smallpox Raging—Injury in a Runaway—Personal News.

Mrs. Frank K. Wells went to Pendleton yesterday to remain all of the week.

Charles Culley has purchased property known as the Eva M. Pierce place.

The boxes for the patrons of Freewater's second rural free delivery route have arrived and are ready for use.

Sheriff Till Taylor is making a record for capturing deserters from the army, he having returned three men to the Walla Walla barracks in the past three weeks.

There are yet several cases of smallpox in Freewater and as many in Milton. The Henry family, seven in number, are all afflicted and some are seriously ill. No quarantine has been removed and the situation is about the same as it was a week ago.

Calvin Mobley, the 20-year-old son of D. E. Mobley, received painful injuries Saturday in a runaway on the Cockburn farm on Dry Creek. The team started, and to stop them young Mobley sprang upon the double trees. The frightened horses began kicking him, and after receiving some regulation Jeffries blows on all parts of his body, he fell to the ground and was run over twice by the wagon. By what seemed a miracle no bones were broken, but the severe bruises he suffered will disable him for some time to come.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Will be Held at the Court House Next Week.

The regular teachers meeting for the examination for state and county papers will be held in the county superintendent's office at the court house by Superintendent Nowlin, next week. The session will begin Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and last all week.

State Papers.

The examinations for state papers will be as follows:

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading school law.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English history, psychology.

County Papers.

The examinations for first, second and third grade certificates for county papers will be held:

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching grammar, school law.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, physiology, and civil government.

Primary Certificates.

Examinations for primary certificates will be held Wednesday and Thursday as follows:

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading, arithmetic.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods, physiology.

THE OREGON WOOL CLIP.

Part of Great Wool Harvest is Now in Portland.

About 4,000,000 pounds of wool, one-fifth of Oregon's clip, is in Portland. It is held mostly by two local dealers, who are preparing it for export at the rate of about 200 bales a day. Warehouses are choked with the product, and people who wish to see a large collection of wool now have the opportunity. The balers have been busy for two or three months.

A large part of the wool has come from Eastern Oregon, as far as Elgin and Huntington districts. Those districts have no balers, and the O. R. & N. makes a low freight rate to Portland to enable the work to be done here. The quality of the clip is cleaner than usual, especially from Eastern Oregon. Weather last winter was mild, so that the texture of the wool is very good.

Not much more than 2,000,000 pounds remains unsold in the Northwest. This left-over clip is scattered all over the Northwest, in quantities mostly over 20,000 pounds. The total clip this year of the three states is estimated at close upon 30,000,000 pounds. Oregon produced about 19,500,000 pounds, and Washington about 9,000,000 more. The Willamette valley has yielded about 2,000,000 pounds. There are more sheep in Oregon than ever before, but the clip is somewhat lighter than usual per sheep, and of better grade, due in part to freedom from dirt.

The season has been a free selling

one at good prices. Valley wool began at about 13 1/2 cents, and went up as high as 16 cents. Eastern Oregon's clip started out at about 11 1/2 cents, but most of it brought 12 1/2 cents. A New Jersey mill bought 3,000,000 pounds direct from Eastern Oregon, paying as high as 15 1/2 cents.

This venture is regarded as the beginning of a movement to eliminate middle men.

TO PATENT CLAIMS.

The Cost of Obtaining Title Has Been Decreased.

The general land office has properly issued notice of the reduction in office expenses for patenting mining claims, to take effect at once, as follows: The new schedule of prices for surveying is lode claim, \$30, placer claim, \$35; millsite, \$30; mill site included in a survey for a lode claim, \$20; lode claim included in survey for placer \$20; several lode claims first one \$30, others \$25; several placer claims, first one, \$35, others \$30. For an affidavit that the \$500 improve-ments have been made, \$5.

This is a reduction of over 75 per cent from the former exorbitant charges, and no doubt will cause a great many claim owners to patent their claims at once.—Great County News.

GOLCONDA TO SHIP.

Concentrates Will Soon Be Sent From Great Mine.

Managing Owner J. H. Robbins, of the Golconda mine, who was in the city yesterday was enthusiastic over the prospects of his great property. He stated that the Golconda never looked so promising and never had so rich ore in sight as at the present. The mill is running on the ore from the new tunnel and cross-cut and 80 tons of concentrates are now ready for shipping. The concentrates will be forwarded to Baker City as soon as the necessary teams can be secured to haul it to the Sumpter depot.—Baker City Democrat.

Just Look at Her.

Whence came that sprightly step, faultless skin, rich, rosy complexion, smiling face. She looks good, feels good. Here's her secret. She uses Dr. King's New Life Pills. Result,—all organs active, digestion good, no headaches, no chance for "blues." Try them yourself. Only 25c at Tallman & Co's.

For Sale.

A good clean stock of general merchandise, estimated value \$6000 to \$7000, with a well established and paying business, located in a thriving stock-raising and mining country. Will sell or lease store building. Reasons for selling, failing health. Address "D," care this office.

Removal Notice.

I have removed my office to the building on Court street, one door east of First National Bank building, where I will continue in same lines of business as heretofore.

J. R. DICKSON.

Customer—Have you anything that is good for falling hair? Punctious Clerk—How would a waste basket do?

TIRED SALESWOMEN.

Employers Should be More Considerate. Mrs. Pinkham Asks Tired Women to Write Her for Advice.

In the vast retail establishments of large cities, many women are employed as saleswomen.

Men formerly held the positions that women now hold, and while women's organism is less strong than men's, they are expected to do the same work. Their duties compel them to be on their feet from morning to night, and many of them, in a short time, contract those distressing complaints called "female diseases."

Then occur irregularities, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, indigestion, leucorrhoea, general debility, and nervous prostration.

They are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness.

In such cases there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. The following letters prove this. They also prove the value of Mrs. Pinkham's advice.



"I Can Work Every Day in the Week Now."

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I write this letter for you to publish for the benefit of poor, suffering women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me a great deal of good. I have taken three bottles and feel like a new woman. When I began the use of your medicine I was hardly able to be up; could not do half a day's work. I ached from head to foot, was almost crazy, had those bearing-down pains, and stomach was out of order. Now all of these troubles have left me and I can work every day in the week and not feel tired."—MRS. JENNIE FREEMAN, 403 Pennsylvania Ave., Lima, Ohio.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I have read with interest your advice to others so much that I thought I would write to you for I have been suffering for a long time. This I did some time ago.

"Now I can hardly find words to thank you for your wonderful Vegetable Compound and advice.

"I was in a terrible state, every part of my body ached, was very nervous, had hysterical spells. I think I would have become insane had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Your medicine has cured me and I cannot express my thanks."—MISS HATTIE DEGROAT, Succasunna, N.J. (March 8, 1901.)

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

No other person can give such helping advice to women who are sick as can Mrs. Pinkham, for none have had such a great experience—her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice free—if you are sick write her—you are foolish if you don't.

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