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HOME COUNTY NEWS

WESTON NEWS.

Big Wheat Yield—Grain Selling—Personals From the Leader.

Miss Emma McBroom, of Pendleton, is visiting relatives in Weston.

Mrs. S. P. Sturgis and sons, Masters James and Cressie, arrived from Walla Walla Tuesday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. George Marsh. Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Jane Hartman, they left for Athena to visit Mrs. S. P. Purdy.

J. H. Price, agent for the Kerr-Gifford Co., bought the following lots of wheat this week, all at 50 cents: Joe Wurzer, 1000 sacks; A. J. Templeton, 290 sacks; Robert Farris, 200 sacks; J. C. Butler, 165 sacks; Jake Clark, 885 sacks; James Ritchey, 1000 sacks.

John McKinnon had a noteworthy yield from two acres of blue stem wheat, on Weston mountain. The ground, formerly in potatoes, was measured, and W. W. Carlisle, who threshed the wheat, vouches for the accuracy of the figures. The two acres yielded 54 sacks, or 63 bushels per acre. From 35 acres of oats Mr. McKinnon obtained 661 sacks.

J. P. Lieualten returned Monday from Bert Graves' cattle camp on the breaks of the Umatilla. He says that fishing and hunting are excellent this year. Daily Varden trout and whitefish afford good sport along the Umatilla, grouse are plentiful, and bear and deer tempt the more ambitious hunter. Bear, in fact, are more numerous than for years, and abundant "sign" is even found as far down the mountain as the McMorris pasture, three miles above Weston. While out hunting cattle one day, Mr. Lieualten saw a handsome seven-point buck, but was without a gun.

Helix Items.

Helix, Sept. 12.—The Harvest Home services at the Baptist church Sunday evening was largely attended and enjoyed by all present.

Edward Rush shipped his immense threshing outfit to Davenport Saturday evening where he expects to get work for at least a month yet.

Miss Alcy Foss and Miss Bertha Baker, of Athena, passed through Helix Saturday on their way to Juniper in search of a school.

Charles Muller returned from Thunder mountain on Monday evening, where he has been on business.

Dan Howard, D. B. Richardson and Sam Strass went to Pendleton Monday and returned on the evening train.

Luke Hohnes took a run down to Pendleton last Sunday.

Miss Stella Whiteman will leave for Olympia on Monday next where she goes to attend school.

Julia Pierce and brother Fred, returned last Sunday from a month's stay with their sister Mrs. Farley.

Mrs. Edward Whiteman will go to Pendleton today to do shopping.

Miss Myrtle Hill, accompanied by her mother, left for Pendleton Monday where she goes to the hospital to be operated upon for appendicitis by Dr. Cole. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. William Tompkins and little daughter returned from Wallula Monday morning where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Woodruff.

The Misses Harriette and Anna Sush went to Portland Sunday evening to attend the Elks' carnival.

Clarence Connor, Ernest Rees, Vernon Curly and Arthur Grover were Pendleton visitors Saturday.

William Modena visited friends in Athena last week.

Al Grover made a business trip to Pendleton Saturday.

Notice.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle their accounts.

H. M. SLOAN.

For Sale—Two Snaps.

The Yoakum farm, down the Umatilla River. The Barnhart farm, up Wild Horse Creek.

BENTLEY & HARTMAN.

CANCEROUS ULCERS

Are in many respects like other ulcers or sores, and this resemblance often proves fatal. Valuable time is lost in fruitless efforts to heal the sore with washes and salves, because the germs of Cancer that are multiplying in the blood and the new Cancer cells which are constantly developing keep up the irritation and discharge, and at last sharp shooting pains announce the approach of the eating and sloughing stage, and a hideous, sickening cancerous sore begins its destructive work.

No ulcer or sore can exist without some predisposing internal cause that has poisoned the blood, and the open discharging ulcer, or the festering sore on the lip, cheek or other part of the body will continue to spread and eat deeper into the flesh unless the blood is purified and the Cancer germs or morbid matter eliminated from the circulation.

S. S. S. cleanses the blood of all decaying effete matter. It has great antitoxic and purifying properties that soon destroy the germs and poisons and restore the blood to its natural condition. And when pure blood is carried to the ulcer or sore the healing process begins, the discharge ceases and the place heals over and new skin forms. S. S. S. is a strictly vegetable blood purifier containing no mercury or minerals of any description.

If you have an ulcer or chronic sore of any kind, write us about it, medical advice will cost you nothing. Books on Cancer and other diseases of the blood will be sent free.

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ONE UNENDING DEBAUCH.

New York "400" Gets a Write-up by Famous Kentuckian.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 12.—Henry Watterson has made in the Courier-Journal another scorching attack on the New York "400," referring to them as a "flock of unclean birds." The editorial occupies two columns of space, and says in part:

"The term 'smart set' was adopted by a bad society in Europe to save itself from a more odious description. The distinguishing trait of the smart set is its moral abandonment. It makes a business of defying conventional restraints upon its pleasures and amusements. Being titled, as a rule, and either rich in fact or getting money how it may, it sets itself above the law, both human and divine.

"Its women are equally depraved with its men. They know all the dirt the men know. They talk freely with the men of things forbidden the decent and virtuous—that passing freely which was once excluded from the smoking room. They read the worst fiction—they see the worst French plays. The very question of sex becomes interchangeable, and sometimes it is the sissy earl and always the horsey girl who kick over the traces and drag the set through the mire.

"The women of this set no longer pretend to recognize virtue even as a feminine accomplishment. Innocence is a badge of delinquency, a sign of the crude and raw, and a deformity which, if tolerated at all, must carry some promise of amendment. For among these titled Cyrenians the only thing needful is to know it all.

"In London and in Paris—at Monte Carlo in the winter, at Trouville and Aix in the summer—they make life one unending debauch—their only literary provender, when they read at all, the screeds of D'Annunzio and Bourget, their Mecca the roulette table and the race course; their heaven the modern yacht with its luxury and isolation. The ocean tells no tales, and as the smart set knows no law, when in extremities it can go to sea.

"The '400' in America take their cue from the smart set in Europe. Behold them at the horse show in New York. Regard them at the swell resorts after the show. Their talk—that which can be heard—stocks and bonds, puts and calls, horses, scandals and dogs. They the best? Good Lord!

ry's and Delmonico's 'hum,' that irritate the corridors of the Waldorf with the exhalations of their unclean lives and thoughts, emulating the demi-mondaines of the third empire, are to be accepted, even by inference, as the best society, while the good and virtuous of the land, even though quite able to pay their way at home and abroad, must be relegated to the 'middle class' and dismissed as simple 'bourgeoisie.'

A Parson's Noble Act.

"I want all the world to know," writes Rev. C. J. Budlong, of Ashaway, R. I., "what a thoroughly good and reliable medicine I found in Electric Bitters. They cured me of jaundice and liver troubles that had caused me great suffering for many years. For a genuine, all around cure they excel anything I ever saw." Electric Bitters are the surprise of all for their wonderful work in Liver, Kidney and Stomach troubles. Don't fail to try them. Only 50 cts. Satisfaction is guaranteed by Tallman & Co.

SPOKANE INTERSTATE FAIR.

For "Pendleton Day" the O. R. & N. Makes a Low Special Rate.

This year Spokane will hold her Interstate Fair October 6 to 14. The progressive and enterprising people of that city are putting forth unusual effort to make this season's fair surpass in point of interest, anything of the kind ever seen in the north Pacific. A feature of the fair will be "Pendleton Day." Thursday, October 9—and for this occasion the O. R. & N. Co. will on October 8 sell tickets, Spokane and return, good until October 15, at \$6.50. This includes admission to the fair.

BLUE RIBBON EXCURSION.

The O. R. & N. and S. P. Companies Quote Low Rates to Oregon State Fair.

For the "Blue Ribbon" State Fair, to be held at Salem, Sept. 15 to 20 inclusive, Pendleton to Salem and return at \$11.35. These tickets will be on sale Sept. 14 to 19, seven days limit.

Fortune Favors a Texan.

"Having distressing pains in head, back and stomach, and being without appetite, I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallible in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25c at Tallman & Co.'s drug store.

A HEART TO HEART TALK WITH PARENTS

Next Monday the prides of your homes will start to school. You know that the Clothing they wear has a great influence on their minds. If they are attired in a bright, new, well fitting Suit and are well dressed they are proud of their appearance and are in a happy frame of mind. We know this, too, and have prepared accordingly.

BOYS' CLOTHING

Remember we advertised 20 per cent. discount on Children's Clothing, Sale to close September 15th. This means 1-5 off—a great saving to the mothers of Pendleton.

Boys' Three-Piece Suits

Made of extra strong worsted and sewed with silk; cut in the late "Gaston" style. In this suit your boy will rapidly advance on the road of knowledge.

Boys' Two-Piece Suits.

Better known as the "Alphonse." These will cause the boy to be very polite.

If your boys are mischievous buy them one of our Katzenjammer Suits. These stand hard knocks.

For older boys get one of our O'Hoolihans. These when new are much better than they look.

Young men's suits in all the new stylish patterns, ages 17, 18, 19, 20. These are made in the new Prince Henry Cut.

Boys' Furnishing Goods (That's Good)

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Shirts Collars
Socks Stockings
Extra Pants Garters
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Do you want the WEAR WELL kind?

Ah, yes you do, and at a little price.

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