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## RESOURCES and HISTORY of UMATILLA COUNTY

A SERIES OF SKETCHES OF THE TOWNS AND PEOPLE OF OUR COUNTY BY STAFF CORRESPONDENT PAUL DE LANEY

### XX. UMATILLA CONCLUDED.

That the Indians were here in great numbers there can be no question, or they must have brought their dead to this place from long distances for burial. At a point about a half of a mile above the town are to be found the "Indian Graves." Here the river, during high waters has cut deep channels in the sand and from year to year has unearthed the skeletons of Indians of all sizes and sexes. Thousands of these skeletons have been washed away and hundreds have been carried away by curiosity seekers, yet the shores are literally covered with them for long distances in every direction. On account of the dampness of the sand they are not usually well preserved and are easily broken, hence good specimens are hard to find.

### Indian Episodes.

While there is no recollection of a serious clash between the whites and Indians in the vicinity of Umatilla, yet two episodes are reported that do not reflect to the credit of the whites. It appears that when the Indian war broke out in those days the war "fever" spread throughout Eastern Oregon. Everything looked like Indians to many people and all Indians were regarded as "bad Indians." A gunboat on a small scale was placed on the river by the government and a system of patrolling was inaugurated to prevent the Indians from crossing over and aiding each other. The alarm spread at Umatilla that a large band of warriors were crossing the Columbia not far from the town and the gunboat steamed out quickly to prevent it. The boat came upon the rear-guard of the Indian "flotilla" which consisted of a half-dozen Indian canoes filled with men, women and children, and opened fire with a gatling gun upon the rear canoe. This boat happened to be occupied by the chief of the small band, who fell overboard, feigning death, and capsizing the boat over himself. Several volleys from the gatling gun followed, but the chief reached the shore and took to his heels. A detachment was quickly landed from the gunboat and upon forced march succeeded in capturing an Indian baby that had been abandoned by the Indians in their flight. It afterwards turned out that the Indians were friendly to whites and were merely crossing the river to escape from another tribe which was on the war-path. The chief of the small band gave a humorous description of the gun that rained bullets, referring to the Gatling gun, and the laugh was on the soldiers.

### Friendly Indian Murdered.

About this time a lone Indian made his way to Umatilla from up the river, bringing the report that a large war party of Indians were coming this way. The people were badly frightened and the place was occupied by soldiers and volunteers and bore the appearance of an army post in time of war. The large warehouses had been converted into forts and the school house was also occupied by volunteer defenders. The story of the Indian was doubted by many and it was decided to place him under arrest. This was accordingly done and he was placed under guard in the school house, which still stands, and is being used at present as the school room of that district. While lying by a window in the school room during the night, his guard being close at hand, some one crept up to the window and fired several shots into the room, striking the Indian captive in the bowels from the effects of which he died a few days later in a hospital at Walla Walla. The bullet holes still mark the place in the walls of the school building and the children are able to tell the story of the killing of an innocent Indian, as the

facts afterwards sustained the statement that he came as an informer in good faith with the whites.

### Downfall of a City.

In 1864 if one had told the people of Umatilla that within a few more years the place would be practically deserted they would not have believed it, but this condition came. In the latter part of the sixties the railroad reached the place from the west. Then steamboating immediately became a thing of the past. It looked better for Umatilla for a short time, but this was brief. It was expected on to Pendleton. From this point the interior of the east were reached. The people of Umatilla were slow in giving up hope for the future of their town, but it had to come. The conditions convinced them that it was no more. One by one they followed to Pendleton and it became the town of the county and has since held the distinction. The county seat came also and Umatilla was left for years in a state of decadence.

### Faith in Her Vet.

But there are those who have faith in her vet. Hank C. Means, the Dun-

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### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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George Harris, Portland.  
Andy Nylander, Portland.  
Maurice Kline, city.  
Cris Simpson, Portland.  
George Williams, Portland.  
J. A. Livingston, Portland.  
C. F. Shook, Portland.  
James Hardman, St. Louis.  
C. A. Barrett, Athena.  
R. B. May, Portland.  
W. S. Hasbrouch, Kansas City.  
Thomas Gahagan, city.  
M. H. Patton, Spokane.  
T. W. Jackson, Spokane.

#### The Golden Rule.

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Thomas Rearden, now in the Spokane jail for selling liquor to Indians, has been identified by J. P. Adams, a Colfax farmer, as the man who passed forged checks at Colfax last summer.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1902.

### GENERAL NEWS.

All opposition to Cannon has been withdrawn, and he will be the next speaker of the house.

Halifax has been enjoined by the superior court from refusing Carnegie's gift of \$75,000 for a city library.

Pope Leo has published a brief wherein he complains bitterly of the freedom permitted in Rome to the propagation of heresy.

The Philippine commission has purchased over 20,000 tons of rice in India, which it is selling at cost to the famine-stricken Filipinos.

A fierce blizzard is raging in the west central states. Much damage to cattle on the range is feared in Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado.

Discontented Japanese attempted to blow up the imperial train and to kill Japan's ruler recently when en route to the scene of army maneuvers.

Storms are continuing with great violence on the coasts of England. Many weeks are reported and bodies of men lost in the disasters are being washed ashore.

Delegations representing 170,000 railroad employees are holding a convention in Chicago. Four great organizations are represented and are the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors. The object of the meeting is to formulate requests for increase of pay to railroad employees.

### PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

The Walla Walla Ministerial Union is agitating a permanent chaplain for the state penitentiary.

Heavy snow storms on Wednesday at Wallace, Idaho, broke all the telephone connections of the city.

A human leg was found on a brake beam of a Canadian Pacific train at Spence's Bridge, B. C., Wednesday.

There are now 11,000 Japanese in the Northwest and they are entering the United States at the rate of 200 per month.

The bank at Bridger, Mont., was robbed of \$2000 Wednesday afternoon by three masked men. No clue has yet been found of them.

Municipal ownership of the Geary street electric railway was lost by 3000 votes, at the San Francisco municipal election Tuesday.

The Northern Pacific has been compelled to put detectives at work at Lewiston to locate boys who continually commit acts of vandalism about its trains and buildings.

Burglars entered the residence of N. Phillips, a Seattle jeweler, Wednesday, and after threatening to kill the occupants, forced Phillips to give up \$400 worth of diamonds.

A helping engine, with a leaky throttle valve, moved out of the side track at Eltopia, Wash., Wednesday, with no one on board, and struck a freight train coming into the station.

County School Superintendents of Washington are notified by the superintendent of the state, to refuse to register the life diploma of E. S. Stevens, whose intemperate habits have caused the revocation of his certificates and diploma.