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## NEWS OF MILTON

### MANY NEW HOUSES ARE BEING BUILT.

Mrs. George injured by falling from Church Steps — Sewing Machine Man Working the People — Mr. Smith has Smallpox.

Milton, Feb. 18.—C. P. Straub, the county assessor, spent Sunday and Monday in Milton and vicinity.

Mrs. Amos Demans broke the front axle of her buggy last Saturday, while on her way from town, precipitating its occupants to the ground without injury.

North Milton is taking the lead in the building line this winter. Four new houses have already been built and two more are under construction.

Little Bolus has driven about 50 head of cattle from his mountain ranch to North Milton, where he has about 200 tons of wheat hay. He will feed until he can drive to the mountains.

Lewis Beardsley has fitted up the room recently vacated by Mrs. Malone and will put in a stock of cigars, tobaccos and confectionery.

G. A. Nichols, of Union, has engaged Henry Samuel as foreman on his stock ranch, where he will move his family in about 10 days to assume his duties.

Mrs. D. E. George, whose barn was burned last week, received a bad fall while coming down the steps at the Christian church, a few days ago, spraining her wrist badly.

Some of the Milton girls that visit Freewater quite frequently, will not go again soon, no doubt. On their way home last Tuesday night several ghosts appeared from their hiding places. The poor girls almost had hysterics.

A Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine agent is working the people here to the tune of from \$25 to \$40 more on each machine than you would have to pay your local agent right here, and on the same terms that he offers.

President W. C. Howard, of Columbia College, has decided to have the primary grade taught in college from this date, and has made a contract with Mrs. Howard, of this city, to take charge of the same, when she presented him with an eight-pound girl last Tuesday morning.

Postmaster Vinson, of Freewater, has had the office furniture in the office all cleaned and painted, which, with Mr. Vinson as postmaster, adds much to its appearance, in fact, so much that several parties who have gone to get their mail, but on opening the door and seeing the change, closed it again, saying as they did, "I guess we're in the wrong place; it's moved."

House Was Infected.  
Last December Mr. Smith's folks, in Milton, had the smallpox and Mrs. Smith died. Mr. Smith wasn't at home at the time, but after the quarantine had been raised he came home, and in about 20 days he took down with it and is about as sick as anyone that has had it, this winter. It is supposed that the house was not thoroughly cleaned as it should have been, and he caught it from germs left in the house not killed.

Discord at Ferndale.  
As far as the Ferndale school is concerned, harmony prevails, but the discord is over the location of another room for a third teacher. Those who are interested in the cause of education and are in a position to see the advantages derived from having a graded school, want another room added to the present building, but the other faction can't see this, and think that a new house ought to be built about one mile south of the present one for primary pupils alone. Hence the confusion. A special election was called to vote on the question and the latter won by a small majority. Now the opposite side declares the election illegal, as it wasn't conducted according to law. Just what action will be taken awaits future developments.

Russian Wedding.  
Washington Society People Much Interested in Marriage Ceremony to Be Conducted With the Rites and Ceremonies of the Greek Church.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Artisans and decorators were busy at the Russian embassy today making the necessary preparations for the wedding of Mlle. Irene des Planques and M. Alexander Pavlov, Russian minister to Corea, which takes place in the parlors of the embassy late this evening. The wedding will be especially interesting to society folk as it will be conducted in full accordance with the rites and ceremonies of the Russian church. The ceremony will be solemnized by Bishop Tikhon, assisted by the Rev. Alexandre Hortovitsky, pastor of the Russian church of St. Nicholas, in New York city. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt, the diplomatic corps, the cabinet families and many guests from resident society will be present.

The bride will be attended by Countess Cassini, niece of the Russian ambassador, as maid of honor. The two bridesmaids will be Miss de Smirnov and Mlle. Larjensko, daughter of the Russian consul general in New York. Little Mlle. as Janine des Planques, the 12-year-old sister of the bride, who

with her mother, has been in Washington for some time, will attend her sister as flower girl. The Russian ambassador will act as the father of honor, with Mrs. John R. McLean as the mother of honor. Mrs. McLean has been selected for the honor because her sister, Mme. Bakhmetieff, is the wife of the Russian diplomat, high in the favor of the czar.

A pretty feature of the wedding will be the presence of a royal page, clad in white satin, bearing upon a white silken cushion the golden image, the Ikon, which is in every room of a Russian home. This page will be the 3-year-old son of Mme. von Kreuter.

The bride will wear a trailing gown of white satin lace, with silver trimmings, and will carry a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Chief among her jeweled ornaments will be the gift of the bridegroom, a magnificent collar of diamonds, which clasps in front with a device or rubies, worth the price of a province. The other jewels to be worn by the bride will be the Russian ambassador's gift, earrings of solitaire pearls, of unusual size, surrounded with diamonds. The gift of the Countess Cassini is a ring of pigeon's blood rubies, set in diamonds. The other wedding gifts from relatives in Europe have been sent direct to Korea, where Mr. Pavlov will take his bride after a brief honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls.

Mlle. des Planques, the bride-elect, has been a guest since early winter of the Countess Cassini. Since coming here she has created a stir in society circles because of her great beauty and her social position. Her father is the Russian-Chinese banker in Japan. She is blessed with a fine figure and profusion of dark hair. She has a high color, which goes to make up an unusually striking appearance.

Alexander Pavlov is a man of distinction in the Russian diplomatic corps, and is considered one of the leading younger members. Rumor has it that he was enamored of the Countess Cassini, and pressed his suit hard, but meeting with failure, he turned his attention to her young friend with better success.

Supreme Court's Decision.  
Motion for a New Trial in the Humphrey Warehouse Case Overruled.

Petition for rehearing in the case of State vs. A. M. Humphrey, appeal from Marion county, denied. This is the warehouse case on which the defendant is now on bail. Humphrey is under sentence of two years on a charge of larceny by bailee, in custody of grain stored, and is under bonds in the sum of \$2000.

Robert E. Peary thinks he can reach the pole if given backing to the extent of \$200,000.

### Cheap Rates Westbound.

From February 15 to April 30, 1903, inclusive, the O. R. & N. Co. will have on sale tickets from Missouri River points to Pendleton for \$22.50; from St. Paul, \$25.00; from St. Louis, \$27.50. Call on the O. R. & N. ticket agent for all particulars.

Application for the appointment of a receiver for the Monmouth Trust & Safe Deposit Company, of Asbury Park, N. J., was made yesterday. The liabilities are given at \$279,168; assets, \$485,053.



Miss Alice Bailey, of Atlanta, Ga., tells how she was permanently cured of inflammation of the ovaries, escaped surgeon's knife, by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I had suffered for three years with terrible pains at the time of menstruation, and did not know what the trouble was until the doctor pronounced it inflammation of the ovaries, and proposed an operation. I felt so weak and sick that I felt sure that I could not survive the ordeal. The following week I read an advertisement in the paper of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in such an emergency, and so I decided to try it. Great was my joy to find that I actually improved after taking two bottles, and in the end I was cured by it. I had gained eighteen pounds and was in excellent health."

—Miss ALICE BAILEY, 50 North Boulevard, Atlanta, Ga.—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

The symptoms of inflammation and disease of the ovaries are a dull throbbing pain, accompanied by a sense of tenderness and heat low down in the side, with occasional shooting pains. The region of pain sometimes shows some swelling.

## HOTELS. HOTEL PENDLETON

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## THE ROYAL RESTAURANT

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The undersigned will offer for sale at his place, six miles north-east of Pendleton, to the highest bidder, the following described property, to-wit:

32 head good work horses, Fine young stallion, four years old, 20 head of good young work mules, 20 sets good work harness, six wagons and grain racks, 5 gang plows, 5 seed wagons and racks, 1 barrel water tank and wagon, 1 buggy, 2 drills, 2 iron harrows, 1 header and 4 boxes, 1 roller, 2 weed rakes, 2 weed cutters, 1 disc harrow, 1 right lap and seed attachment, 8 good milch cows and other young stock too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale

All sums under \$20 cash in hand. For all sums over \$20 a credit will be given until October 1st, 1903, on approved notes; notes bearing 8 per cent interest. A discount of 2 per cent off for cash. Free Lunch will be served.

Wm. F. Yohnka, Auctioneer G. W. Rigby