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GOOD SHOES CHEAP.

RING FIGHT AT BAKER CITY.

Tom Scott Will Fight for a \$300 Purse Tomorrow Night.

Tom Scott, of this city, and "Black Demon," as he is called, will leave in the morning for Baker City, where he former will fight a 20-round ring battle with Andy King, of Baker City, on Thursday evening. A purse of \$300 a side has been put up, and it is promised that the fight will be a good one from the first to the last.

Scott is well known in this city, as is the other man, and both are evenly matched. Scott has been in training for the event the last month and is in good condition and ready for the fray. Demon will be his second.

Returning Home.

Dr. A. LeRoy, who has been in Baker and Malheur counties for the past two weeks in the interest of the Oregon Information Bureau, spent last night in the city on his return home to Portland. He has met with remarkable success on his trip and will secure some excellent exhibits from every county he has visited. The Union Woolen Mills, following the example set by the Pendleton mills, presented the bureau with two elegant pairs of blankets. Dr. LeRoy left on the morning train for Portland.

Mrs. Campbell is Away.

Mrs. Rose Campbell left this morning for Long Beach, where she will be the guest of friends for a week. From there she will return to valley points and will visit with friends in Portland and Salem before returning to her home in this city.

Toilet Daintiness

Who is it that does not appreciate a sweet, delicate odor, especially of the dainty, lasting kind? We have the largest line of imported and domestic perfumes in Eastern Oregon. A few of our leading imported odors are:

Azurea, La Trefle, Peau d'Espagne, Violette de Parme, Indian Hay.

And many more of the same quality in bulk as well as in fancy packages.

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Leading Druggists

SCHOOL POSTPONED

PROBABILITY THAT IT WILL BEGIN SEPTEMBER 14.

Cause of the Delay is Hot Weather—Still Another Postponement is in Sight on Account of the Heating Plant Not Being in—Two Basement Rooms Will Be Used During the Coming Year.

Owing to the extreme hot weather and the prevalence of sickness in the city, it is probable that the opening of the city schools may be postponed for a week or two until it is cooler. The matter has been discussed by the directors, and that is the conclusion that they have arrived at. However, if it should become cool by the 14th of the coming month, the schools will be opened on the regular time.

The time of the opening of the schools has been placed in the middle of September, for the very reason that it is generally the case that the hot weather has passed by and the cool days of the fall have come by that time. Owing to the location and the construction of the school buildings of the city, hot weather affects the scholars here to a greater extent than might be expected. The buildings are low and placed where, during a part of the day, the rays of the sun strike hard on the roof. When the rooms are filled with children this heat is intensified and becomes most uncomfortable. For this reason the directors have placed the time of opening the school so late, since by that arrangement it will be cool to begin with, and the days will be nice when commencement comes.

It may be possible that the heating plant will not be in on time for the opening of the school, and if this is so all of the schools will be kept closed until the high school building is ready for occupancy. This delay would not be more than a week, however. The work at the various buildings is progressing as fast as the men can get the material and make the changes, and it is expected that all will be done by the time the day of the opening comes around.

Two of the basement rooms at the high school will be used by the pupils, owing to the overcrowding of the other buildings, and by the use of these it is thought that there will be enough room to accommodate all of the children that will attend.

EXCELLENT QUALITY.

Reservation Wheat Harvest is Not Heavy, But is Superior.

Alex McRae is threshing the crop on the farm of Thomas Thompson, on the reservation, and is doing the work with his new harvester. Mr. Thompson, in speaking of the work of the new machine, says it is doing good work and will do better. One or two small overights in the construction caused some delay at the outset, but these were quickly overcome, and now the machine is working from day to day without any trouble to the men running it.

The wheat on the reservation is of fine quality and is running from 25 to 30 bushels. Most of the harvest is over in that part of the country, and in a short time the wheat will begin to move to the warehouses and the mills. While the yield is not as heavy as it has been in the years past, it is all of the best quality and full and plump. Mr. Thompson will not be through with his harvesting for several days yet, but is well satisfied with the season's work.

CHIEF IS BUSY.

Hurry-Up Orders From Three Different Directions This Morning.

The chief of police was a busy man today, and is sorry that he came back from his vacation before the hot weather had passed.

First, he was asked to settle a dispute in Chinatown. Some small boys had broken a window in one of the houses, and the owner was wroth and sought revenge after the American plan.

The marshal had hardly settled himself to cool after the first trip, until he was called to the depot to hunt for the hoboes who had broken into a couple of cars on the side track, and before he had settled the

conditions there he was asked to run a large camp of gypsies out of the city.

As all of the errands were in different directions, the chief is of the opinion that he is overworked, considering the hotness of the weather.

FOR LABOR DAY.

Wool Sorters and Graders Will Participate Actively and Fully.

At the regular meeting of the Wool Sorters' and Graders' Union No. 10, 102, the matter of the celebration of Labor Day was discussed, and the union pledged itself to the support of the entertainment.

Dan Downey was appointed marshal; Van V. Bowman, Dick Sullivan and Herbert Marx were named as a committee on decoration, and A. Anderson was appointed captain of the hose team.

The members of the hose team of the Wool Sorters' and Graders' Union are: A. Anderson, D. Downey, C. Schmidt, M. Davis, A. Sheman, V. Bowman, J. Lenihan, T. Stevens, O. Stevens, H. Poyers, S. Rich, C. Roach, A. Beacham and H. Marks.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss T. Dillon, of Walla Walla, is the guest of Pendleton friends.

C. E. Troutman left this morning for Athena, on a short business trip.

J. W. Cronin, of Meacham, was in the city yesterday for a short visit on business.

Miss Martha Lovellen, of Adams, is visiting friends in Pendleton for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell, of Wheeler, Wash., are the guests of the Golden Rule.

Bruce Haines and P. E. McDuff left for Heppner this morning on a short business trip.

Mrs. J. S. Brown and son, of Starbuck, are the guests of friends in the city for a short time.

Mrs. L. B. Reeder returned this morning from Tacoma, where she has been the guest of relatives and friends for several weeks.

Dr. W. G. Cole went to Milton this morning to hold an inquest over the remains of Edna Folia, who took poison at that place last night.

Miss Marie Ware left this morning for Spokane, after a short visit in this city. From that city she will return to her home at Eugene.

Mrs. J. V. Tallman and son, Folsome, returned this morning from Newport, where they have been for some time the guest of friends.

Mrs. Charles J. Ferguson, who has been visiting relatives and friends at Walla Walla for the past two weeks, will return home this evening.

Mrs. W. E. Haynie and children will leave this evening for Nebraska where they will visit with Mrs. Haynie's parents at the old home.

J. A. Blakeley went to Milton this morning to attend the inquest on the body of the young girl who committed suicide at that place last night.

Mrs. C. E. Roosevelt and children left this morning for Walla Walla, where they will visit with her mother, Mrs. William Stein, for a short time.

Miss Mamie Stott, and her guest, Miss Fay Bartholemew, of Heppner, left this morning for Hilgard, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hart.

AT SHIELD'S PARK.

Scene From the "Burglar" Tomorrow Night.

Baby Owens will be seen in an act from the "Burglar" tomorrow night. He will be supported by his mother, May Owens, Manager H. Nelson and Will Murray. This promises to be the most interesting number on the season's program as it brings out the dramatic ability of the child in the best possible light.

Beside this interesting number tomorrow night, some excellent local talent has been secured for the evening.

The entire professional bill will change and the program promises to be highly entertaining. Zoyarra in his revolving globe act is an attraction alone worth the price of admission.

Contesting for Sale of Tickets.

The firms of Tallman & Co., L. G. Frazier, and Brock & McComas, are in the contest for the sale of tickets for Frazier's opera house during the coming year. The contest is warming up and great interest is being taken by these wide-awake houses. The result of the contest will be announced Saturday, and the advance advertisements of "The Christian" will probably begin next Monday.

M. A. Rader Has Returned.

M. A. Rader has returned from a visit at the springs, where he has been with his family. He brought one of his boys with him, but the rest of the family will remain for a couple of weeks more, or until the weather is cooler, when they will return to their home in this city.

Marshall is Recovering.

Ed Marshall, the president of the Umatilla Implement Company, is reported better today. The fever has gone down to a great degree, and it is thought that the worst has been passed.

INCREASED SUPPLY

WORK OF LAYING THE NEW INTAKE PIPE FINISHED.

New Intake Has a Capacity of 25,000 Gallons Per Hour—Reservoir Will Be Thoroughly Repaired and Cleaned—No Water Being Taken Now From the River.

The workmen who have been at work on the new piping for the city water company, have about finished their tasks and in a short time all the improvements will have been completed.

In the past three weeks the company has laid 1,300 feet of 3-inch pipe on West Court street; 1,200 feet of 3-inch and 1,000 feet of 4-inch on East Court street, and 2,000 feet of 2, 3 and 4-inch pipe on the streets north of the river. They have also put in 400 feet of 4-inch pipe on State street, and a lot of cross pipe and fittings.

At the well the biggest part of the work and the most important has been done. Here a new intake pipe 16 inches in diameter has been laid, so that it will feed the well. This pipe joins the old 16-inch intake, and it is estimated that it will pour into the well 25,000 gallons of water every hour.

The pipe is about 1,900 feet in length, and is sunk in the ground from five to 12 feet. At the intake of the pipe the end is six feet under the ground.

The work on the pipes will be completed by the first of the week, and then the men will be put to work on the reservoir. This will be cleaned and thoroughly overhauled and repaired, and when all of the work is completed, the water will be as pure as can be got.

It has been several days since the company has used any water from the bed of the river. Since Friday last the engine has been kept busy bailing out the works so that the men could keep at work. When the new line is connected and everything is put in good running order, there will be plenty of water for all uses at all times of the year.

Visiting at Meacham.

Robert Parnell and J. E. Goodrich, of Trenton, Mo., father-in-law and brother-in-law of Ben Marlin, proprietor of the Cottage Hotel, at Meacham, are now on a visit at Mr. Marlin's. They expect to remain in the county for a couple of weeks before returning home by way of Spokane and Seattle. Mr. Parnell has been a subscriber to the Weekly East Oregonian for 10 years and is highly pleased to find that the wealth and resources of Umatilla county are up to the standard and even better than represented.

Real Estate Transfers.

Ella Cunningham has sold to Mary Helena Merrifield for \$900, a lot in the McCoy addition to Milton.

H. E. Hall and Lillian Hall, his wife, have sold to W. Lyman and C. W. Lyman, for \$1,600, an undivided one-third interest in 800 acres of land near town. The property is the land commonly known as the "Cheney Dairy Farm," and it seems that the parties of the first and second parts are to be partners in the promotion and carrying on of the dairy business.

Will Filed for Probate.

The will of the late J. William Guseman was filed for probate this morning in the office of the county clerk. The deceased had \$1,500 worth of property in this county, besides possessions in other parts of the state. Lyman Guseman, his brother, was appointed executor of the estate.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O,

a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 70 cts.

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Absolute Purity, Finest Flavor, Greatest Strength, Reasonable Prices.
CLOSSET & DEVERS
PORTLAND, OREGON.

TO COUNT BALLOTS. Committee of One From Each Contestant to Have Charge.

The committee to count the ballots in the opera house ticket contest, will be comprised of one member from each of the firms or houses contesting for the privilege of selling tickets.

The contest is to be absolutely fair, and the opera house people nor the East Oregonian are in no way connected with it.

The firm found to have the largest number of coupons on next Friday evening at 7 o'clock will be given the privilege of selling the tickets. The key to the ballot box is now in possession of the business manager of the East Oregonian, and the box will not be opened until the complete committee, to be selected as stated above, arrives and takes charge of the box next Friday.

Twelve Cars Fat Cattle.

J. C. Lonergan will ship 12 cars of fat cattle out over the W. & C. R. this evening for the Seattle market. The cattle were bought in the McKay creek neighborhood, and are all in prime condition.

FREE

With every broom worth from thirty-five cents up, we will give a broom holder free.
The broom holder is a clever little cast-iron contrivance, that is held to the wall with one screw.
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