

RURAL LINES SOUTH AND WEST HAVE CHANGED HANDS.

Nineteen Miles New Line Being Add ed to the Ninety-five Miles Now in Operation-Repairs Being Made to the Present Mileage by William Hilton, the New Proprietor.

William Hilton, of this city, has bought the Pendleton Telephone Company of John Endlcott, and will make of it one of the institutions for the advancement of the county. There are at the present time over

95 miles of line in operation on this circuit, which comes into the office of the Pacific States relephone Compa-ny building at this city, thus giving connection with all of the 'phones' for the defense. from any place in the city. Mr. Hilton is now ... work putting in about 19 miles of new line, to ex-

tend from Owens ranch on Bear creek to Butter creek, about three miles above Vinson, up the creek for over four miles to Gulliford's ranch, and then down and across country to Charles Cunningham's big sheep ranch. To this new line lateral lines sheep will be strung covering the whole of

the country in that vicinity. The main line now extends to Pilot Rock, Alba, real Springs and other stations along the line. It now covers the country in pretty good shape and as soon as the plans of the new management are materialized it will be as convenient as can be made.

Mr. Hilton is now engaged with a force of men in examining the line and putting in new poles where neces sary, so that the system will be in the best condition by the time the had weather of the winter sets in. In the spring, when the weather is settled, the work of improvement will start

#### BIG FIND OF HONEY.

### Sam Endicott Discovered a Cave Near Pilot Rock Containing 500 Pounds.

Samuel Endicott, the veteran bee hunter of Umatilla county, has just returned from a trip into the wilds of the Bear creek country, where he went in search of honey

He reports a big find in the moun tains about 10 miles to the southwest of Pilot Rock. While following the trail of a bee he came upon the old cave where the saltpeter discovery was made years ago, and found it to be filled with honey. A large swarm of bees was located in the cave and

of honey are stored away in the cave. Mr. Endicott will leave in a short time for the place with sufficient par-aphernalia in which to put the result of his find when he will force a corner in the local honey market.

#### ASA B. THOMPSON CASE.

Witnesses and Attorneys for the Defense on Their Way to Portland.

T. G. Hailey will go to Portland on Sunday or Monday to conduct the defense in the Asa B. Thompson case. J. A. Fee will go about the same time, both of the gentlemen being in-terested in the defense.

The witnesses for the defense are beginning to go to the city already. some of them now being there. The rest will leave on Monday morning.

## MONSTER CARROT.

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#### Fifteen Pounder Raised on Wild Horse by Grant Earhart.

C. C. Berkley has on exhibition in his window on Main street, a monster carrot which was brought into Wild Horse. The carrot weighs 15 pounds, is 21/2 feet in length and 20 inches in circumference at the largest part. It was grown on the ranch of Mr. Earhart, and is one of several large ones that he has raised this year. The carrot was so big that it had to be grubbed out of the ground like the root of a tree, to keep from breaking it in two.

### Cattle Shipment.

Two cars of cattle were shipped out over the W. & C. R. last night for Frye-Bruhne, of Seattle, by the agents of J. C. Lonergan, their buyer. The cattle had been picked up in the vicinity of Ridge, and were driven into this city yesterday.

# Professor Royal in the City.

Professor M. G. Royal, of Olympia, is in the city for a short business visit, and to renew his acquaintance with old friends here. Mr. Royal was the first principal of the high school in this city, and was for a long time one of the principal men of the city.

# Daughter Born,

A girl was born to the wife of M. Ross, at the family home near Wallula on the evening of Novem-ber 14. Both mother and child are doing well, and the father is in the today to receive congratulations.

At Baptist Church.

of such servile forms of denial and affirmation has been slow in coming It has worked its way slowly from the cultured home to the kindergarten and from the kindergarten it has and from the kindergarten it has passed to the public schools. For years the shrill piping of many

voices in "Yes ma'am" and "No ma'am" has sent a chill to the heart of the visiting mamma, whose special care it has bee nto train the little one to say, "Yes, mother, Miss Brown." or "No.

But the teachers no longer require such parrot-like replies; they are dis-couraging the use of "ma'am." The youngsters may answer their teachers with the simple "Yes" and a well bred "No."

The tacking on of "ma'am" or "sir" to the plain "yes" and "no" is a frill which English speaking people are delighted to be rid of.

### Social and Personal,

Cecil Wade spent Thursday at Walla Walla. W. H. Holly spent Thanksgiving in

Valla Walla with friends, Miss Edith Crockett ate Thanksgiv Walla ing turkey with her parents at Mil-

CLUB AND FEDERATION.

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the guests of Mr. Jones' parents, of Walla Walla, on thanksgiving. Mrs. S. P. Sturgis entertained a few friends last evening in honor of

Miss Ella Hexter, of Portland. Mrs. Charles J. Ferguson will leave Monday for Walla Walla for a visit of two weeks with her sister. Miss Anna Bracken.

Mrs, Fred Shoomaker left Wednesday for Waltsburg, Wash., to join her husband, where she will remain a week or 10 days.

Mrs. Thomas Ayres left this morn-ing for Portland to join her husband. While there she will witness the pro-duction of "Ben Hur."

church are preparing for a musical. given at the church parlors to be some time next week.

Mrs. Susan Welsch entertained a number of her friends Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daugh-ter, Mrs. J. H. Robinson.

Mrs. G. A. Hartman entertained Senator and Mrs. T. C. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roosevelt and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Wamsley at her home on Water street, at a Thanksgiving din-

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over that composed of cream of tartar.

Prof. C. F. Chandler, of

neglected by her contemporaries can Columbia university, savs:

While Oregon women are making heroic efforts to erect a suitable mon ument to Sacajawea at the Lewis and Clark fair, there is also a movement on foot to crect a like statue at In arranging to erect a statue to the memory of Sacajawea on the world's fair grounds the Louisiana Purchase KNOW

exposition company is showing a com-mendable intelligence. The work of this heroic Shoshone as a member of the Lewis and Clark

exploring party contributed more than any other one thing, aside from that done by the two leaders, to the success of that expedition. Without her

in fact, at more than one crisis in the career of the explorers, the expe dition would probably have had to

give up. for her services. Historians have overlooked her altogether. The very small part of the country which ever knew anything about her had torgot-ten her. The world's fair company is doing a very charitable and patriotic act in rescuing from oblivion the name

American wilderness,

The reasons why Sacajawea was

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