

"ACHUAY LINEN" The Latest and Stylish Writing Paper for Spring and Summer. Just Arrived. 35c, 42 and 45c a box Frederick Nolf & Co.

BASE BALL GOODS

1904 line has reached us Balls from 5 cents to \$1.00 Mitts from 5 Cents to \$2.95 Gloves 10 cents to \$3.65 Masks 25 cents to \$2.45

Sporting Goods

Striking Bags, \$1.00 to \$6.50 Boxing Gloves 90 cents to \$7.50 a pair. Exercisers \$1.00 to \$1.95

Rambler and Crescent Bicycles \$22.50 Up.



AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER.

Published every afternoon (except Sunday) at Pendleton, Oregon, by the

EAST OREGONIAN PUBLISHING COMPANY.

Phone, Main 11.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

Daily, one year by mail \$5.00 Daily, six months by mail 2.50 Daily, three months by mail 1.25 Daily, one month by mail .50 Daily, per month by carrier .65 Weekly, one year by mail 1.50 Weekly, six months by mail .75 Weekly, four months by mail .50 Semi-Weekly, one year by mail 2.00 Semi-Weekly, six months by mail 1.00 Semi-Weekly, three months by mail .50

The East Oregonian is on sale at R. B. Rich's News Stand at Hotel Portland and Hotel Perkins, Portland, Oregon.

Member Scripps-McRae News Association.

San Francisco Bureau, 408 Fourth St. Chicago Bureau, 909 Security Building, Washington, D. C. Bureau, 501 14th St., N. W.

Entered at Pendleton postoffice as second-class matter.



"It is for us, the living, rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far nobly advanced. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us, that from these honored dead, we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion; that we here highly resolve, that these dead shall not have died in vain; that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that the government of the people, for the people and by the people, shall not perish from the earth." - From Abraham Lincoln's speech at Gettysburg.

AN UNCROWNED QUEEN.

This is a day of palace cats and liveried porters.

It is a day of cushioned coaches, easy chairs, ample salaries and comparative comfort in the majority of American homes.

It is an age in which American boys and girls receive thousands of blessings without a struggle on their part. They don't know the source or the value of a dollar.

Luxuries, comforts, education and sustenance come too easy for the good of the average boy and girl.

The lack of effort breeds indolent habits too often.

The lack of a chance to made an individual struggle deadens the keener energies.

Listen to this story and then take off your hat to the uncrowned queen - the Oregon girl.

Battling against unfavorable surroundings in the interior of Oregon, on the southern border of Umatilla county, in the heart of the Blue mountains, Retta Andrews, a country school teacher, found herself in need of a teacher's certificate in the middle of the winter, 75 miles from the county seat.

She didn't sit down and cry when she thought of the long road.

She didn't decide to remain idle all summer because of the expiration of her certificate in midwinter.

She didn't write a long excuse about the bad roads and inclement weather and beg for a permit, until the spring examination.

She didn't even wait for the uncertain stage coach.

With a bravery that would do honor to a Spartan, she saddled her horse, pointed his head toward Pendleton, 75 miles away, and for two days battled against a driving snow-storm with the determination to attend the teachers' examination and be ready for her spring school.

It is unfortunate that the energies of this brave girl do not occupy a wider field than a country school,

however noble and inspiring the work of that position may be.

She has nerve enough to manage a bigger army than 20 barefoot scholars. She is fitted for a more enduring place. Oregon will be better because of the ripened experiences of such heroes. The world is better because of the driving energy and pluck of Retta Andrews.

No matter how humble her surroundings or how modest her pretensions, she is an uncrowned queen of whom Umatilla county is justly proud.

Other girls would probably do the same thing with as much bravery and as little ceremony.

But she has done it and the unique honor belongs to her.

Pendleton collected funds for the state irrigation meeting, entertained the delegates, and returned 40 per cent of the funds collected to the contributors, after all the bills were paid. This is a unique record in the history of conventions. Now, will not Pendleton do as well by the Christian Endeavor convention as she did by the irrigation convention? The committees are out now, soliciting funds for the entertainment of the visitors. Shall the noble workers who have charge of this work be handicapped by a lack of liberality on the part of Pendleton? The time for the convention is drawing near. The meeting convenes one week from today. Will Pendleton be ready? This is a question for the business men to answer. The committees and general workers are doing their part. Will Pendleton lay the foundation for future conventions by meeting this one ably and gracefully?

Hearst's presidential boom is now out of the joke stage. Tammany has recognized it, and Tammany is no amateur. The Hearst spirit suits the average American. It has a dash and vigor in it that means something. Hearst as president would wring some of the usurped and ill-gotten power from the trusts, if the people would stand by him. His spoken policy does not precede his execution longer than it takes to step from the word to the deed. His talk is all closely followed by action, so sharp and decisive that his enemies chinge under the sting of it. With an engine of publicity in every large city in the land, the Hearst boom means exactly what it pretends to mean. If Hearst sets his head on the nomination he will get it. With such a determined man as president some of the people's rights, now unjustly held by the syndicates, would be restored to them.

The mention of a municipal medicine factory may shock the nerves of some. But old Boston has saved the sum of \$465,000 to the people in four years by manufacturing anti-toxin and selling it at cost to the people direct. The anti-toxin trust killed hundreds of children with diphtheria by placing it out of reach of the poor, through high prices. Boston took the trust by the throat and saved the children's lives. If this is socialism, it isn't bad, is it?

WHAT WE GET WITH PANAMA.

What has Uncle Sam bought or contracted to buy at Panama? Let us take account of the stock. These are the items:

Thirty thousand acres of ground it terminals and along the route.

Two thousand four hundred and thirty-one buildings, including offices, quarters, storehouses, shops, hospitals and terminal sheds.

An immense collection of dredges, tugs, barges, excavators, cars, locomotives and other machinery and appliances, not considered of much present value.

Work done by the old and the new French companies, with an estimated removal of about 36,000,000 cubic yards of material at a cost of a little more than \$88,600,000.

Maps and drawings, and the records gathered by the French engineers, valued at \$2,000,000.

The Panama Railway, including three steamships.

For these several items the second or new French company is to re-

ceive \$40,000,000. Twenty-four millions of this amount, less obligations, will be turned over to the old company, which had spent at the time of its collapse nearly \$250,000,000, largely in promotion.

The Republic of Panama is to receive immediately \$10,000,000, and annually after nine years, the sum of \$250,000. The United States receives from Panama the grant of a strip of land five miles wide upon each side of the canal. We are also to become sponsors for the continuance of good order throughout the new republic.

The total excavation yet to be done is estimated at about 95,000,000 cubic yards, not including the work at the Bohio dam and the Gigante spillway. The completion of the canal to a depth of 36 feet from ocean to ocean, a distance of 49 miles is expected to cost about \$145,000,000. Vessels will navigate this canal at a rate, including lockage, of four miles per hour. All sailing craft will be towed, not only through the canal, but upon the Pacific side for a long distance out to sea.

The aggregated probable tonnage is placed at about 10,000,000 tons. Of this business 20 per cent will consist of coal. To what extent the canal will prove profitable above the cost of administration, cannot now be stated. The Suez canal, under British control, repays its cost every five years. - Frank H. Taylor in Booklovers Magazine.

PENDLETON VIEW OF THE WAR.

The little Jap is out to scrap And eat the Russian bearski! The Tzarovitch Has tried to twitch The Jappie by the hairski.

Wilhelm der Grosse, So hellicose, is out to watch the funski! The Franco man With smifle urban Is coming on the runski.

And soon the mess Of quarrelshness From Chinaman to Swiss-ski, Will mingle in With shout and din And we will look like this-ski:

Gottsfightdermuch!!! Meieeendutch!!! Hootankayeishitowhiskey!!! Lehellbeyou!!! Toroiwithvent!!! Ayerooforlakirquitiski!!! -R. A. Watson, Pendleton, Or.

Drink CRESCENT CREAM COFFEE It is Fine

IN 1 AND 2 LB. SEALED TINS ONLY

Real Estate Of All Kinds Including city and country property, also fine brick building situated on Main street. INSURANCE Collections a Specialty Merchants' Protective AGENCY Despain Block Room 43

TAPE WORMS "A tape worm eighteen feet long at least came on the scene after my taking two CASCARETS. This I am sure has caused my bad health for the past three years. I am still taking Cascarets, the only cathartic worthy of notice by sensible people." GEO. W. HOWLSE, Baird, Miss.

CANDY CATHARTIC Cascarets TRADE MARK REGISTERED REGULATE THE LIVER Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sickens, Weakens or Gripe. 25c. 50c. CURE CONSTIPATION. ... Merilee Remedy Company, Chicago, Montreal, New York. 312

ADAMS DENTAL PARLOR PENDLETON, OREGON. Residence and office—Despain Block. Phone Red 1581. Our specialty—Painless Filling and Extracting.

SSS FOR THE BLOOD

The best known and most popular blood purifier and tonic on the market to-day is S. S. S.

There is hardly a man, woman or child in America who has not heard of "S. S. S. for the blood." It is a standard remedy, a specific for all blood troubles and unequalled as a general tonic and appetizer. S. S. S. is guaranteed purely vegetable, the herbs and roots of which it is composed are selected for their alterative and tonic properties, making it the ideal remedy for all blood and skin diseases, as it not only purifies, enriches and invigorates the blood, but at the same time tones up the tired nerves and gives strength and vigor to the entire system.

For Chronic Sores and Ulcers, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Blood Poison, Malaria, Anemia, Scrofula, Eczema, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Acne and such other diseases as are due to a polluted or impoverished condition of the blood, nothing acts so promptly and effectually as S. S. S. It counteracts and eradicates the germs and poisons; cleanses the system of all unhealthy accumulations and soon restores the patient to health. Write us and our physicians will give your case prompt attention without charge.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Are you Bilious? Are you Fagged? Are you Constipated? Take Beecham's Pills If you are Bilious It interferes with work, pleasure and happiness... If Constipated It is important to know that constipation causes more than half the sickness in the world...

DO YOU ENJOY A GOOD SMOKE? PRIDE OF UMATILLA Try "Pendleton Boquet" and "Pride of Umatilla." Made at home. A. ROHDE, Maker

When Dinner's Ready "He that bloweth not his own horn the same shall not be blown" THE FARMER'S WIFE BLOWS THE HORN TO SUMMON HER HUSBAND TO THE MIDDAY MEAL. WHEN THE MERCHANT HAS PREPARED A FEAST OF GOOD THINGS FOR WHICH PLENTY OF PEOPLE ARE HUNGRY, HE, TOO SHOULD TOOT A HORN TO CALL THEM TO HIS BANQUET OF BAR-GAINS. BUT THE HORN MUST BE BLOWN WHERE THE MULTITUDE WILL HEAR IT OR NOBODY WILL COME TO THE FEAST. BECAUSE NOBODY WILL KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT, EVEN THOUGH IT MAY BE THE MOST TEMPTING REPAST EVER SPREAD. THE ADVERTISING HORN VIGOROUSLY BLOWN IN THE COLUMNS OF A LIVE, WIDE AWAKE, UP TO DATE NEWSY NEWSPAPER THAT GOES AMONG THE CLASS OF PEOPLE HE WANTS FOR PATRONS, WILL BRING HIM A VOLUME OF TRADE FAR BEYOND HIS MOST SANGUINE EXPECTATIONS. THE VERY BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM FOR PENDLETON MERCHANTS IS THE EAST OREGONIAN BECAUSE THROUGH IT THEY CAN SEND THEIR MESSAGE DIRECT EVERY EVENING TO THE MAJORITY OF THE PROSPEROUS HOMES OF PENDLETON MOST OF WHOM WANT TO BUY SOMETHING LET THE BUSINESS MAN SHOW THESE PEOPLE THE ADVANTAGE OF BUYING HIS GOODS, AND HE WILL HAVE NO TROUBLE IN SECURING THEIR PATR-NAGE. A LITTLE JUDICIOUS BLOWING OF THE HORN WILL DO THE BUSINESS.

Building Material Of all Descriptions Sash, Doors & Windows Made to order. Building paper, lime, cement, sand, wood gutters, barns and dwellings of all kinds. Oregon Lumber Yard Alta St. Opp. Court House

FRAZER THEATRE Tuesday, February At 8 o'clock BENEFIT OF THE RESORT "They sing the songs that touched the heart of the..." Thirty-third year of Oregon Same management for 70 Years THE ORIGINAL FISK JUBILEE SINGERS CHARLES MUMFORD Reserve seats, 75c. Gal

ROCK SPRING COAL Recognized as the best and most economical. We are prepared to contract with you for winter's supply. We deliver coal or wood part of the city.

Laatz Bros Main Street THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST Bear this in mind when need poultry and stock and ask for the Interstate Poultry and Stock Food. Kow Kure for your cow. C. F. Colesworth 127 129 East Alta St. Agent for Lee's Lico

The Columbia Lodging House Well ventilated, no comfortable rooms, beds. Bar in corner where best food served. Main Street, corner block between A. Webb Streets. F. X. Schamp Proprietor

GOOD DRY W All Kinds I have good sound which is delivered at reasonable prices For Cash W. C. MINN Leave orders at Cigar Store