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POTATO SCAB

From 5 per cent to 40 per cent of all small grain planted in this section last year was said to have been damaged by smut.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Spain has acknowledged Cuba as a nation and sent Gaylan De Ayala as minister.

The first American to be awarded a scholarship under Cecil Rhodes' will, is Chester Martin, of St. Johns, N. B.

The ice has broken up on Lake Baikal, necessitating ferrying between the ends of the railroad, a distance of 39 miles.

The Alaska Fish & Lumber Co. has gone into bankruptcy at Mankato, Minn., and Horace Cummins is appointed receiver.

Floods in Central and Northwestern Ohio have caused four deaths and $2,000,000 loss to property. Twenty towns are without light and water.

The belief is gaining ground that Great Britain is taking advantage of Russia's trouble to crowd things in Tibet from the south and southwest, which she is doing.

The Hawaiian Islands are practically bankrupt and are fishing for all sorts of subsidies and public improvements at federal expense, in order to get something for nothing.

The Santa Fe railway company is building a stockade around its shops at Topeka, wherein 3,000 men are employed, and if the expected strike occurs, proposes to operate with non-union men.

For three days during the month of March, the city of San Francisco was entirely out of debt. Then came the issuance of $17,500,000 improvement bonds authorized at the last city eelction.

Two military prisoners escaped from Governor's Island, New York harbor, in a flimsy birch bark Indian canoe, which had been left in a store room unguarded because no one supposed any prisoner would be reckless enough to use it.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

One of the richest ledges of iron ore ever discovered in the state of Oregon was uncovered in West Oregon City Saturday, the ore assaying 54 per cent pure iron.

Walter E. Davis, of Tacoma, while temporarily deranged, plunged over the balustrade of a Denver hotel Sunday and fractured his skull on the pavement below.

An opinion from Attorney-General Crawford says that no text-books except those prescribed by the board of education can be used in the public schools of Oregon.

The Lothian and the Indrapura will leave Portland Tuesday with cargoes consisting principally of barley, for Chinese ports. The two vessels will carry 3,000 tons of barley.

The body of Kate Bessler, a 19-year-old girl of San Francisco, was found in a small lake at Cypress Lawn cemetery, near that city, on Sunday. Everything points to suicide.

Carmine Petinatto, an Italian who has just been released from the state penitentiary of Washington, where he served a term for eloping with his sweetheart, two years ago, has returned to Spokane and married the girl.

Francis Jenkins, of Moscow, Idaho, has just purchased the Elk Creek power plant, 50 miles from Lewiston, and installed a plant to develop 3,000 horse power for the purpose of operating an electric railroad through the Potlach and Palouse countries.

Wheat Lands. City Property.

We have some propositions in real estate which are worth your time to investigate. Come in and talk them over with us.

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EAGLES' BUILDING

HAVE PURCHASED THE WHEELER PROPERTY.

Will Erect a Three-Storied Combined Business House and Hall, Which Will Be the First Building Put Up and Owned by the Order in the United States.

Pendleton Aerie No. 28, of the Order of Eagles, is to become a property owner in a very few days. On Saturday afternoon a deal was concluded with the owners of the Wheeler building, on Court street, by which that property will soon pass into their hands for $6,500.

Saturday an option on the place was bought by the order for $500, and inside of the coming 60 days the other $6,000 will be forthcoming.

It is the intention of the Eagles to build on the property some time during the coming summer," and if their plans are carried out they will have a three-story brick erected at a cost of $15,000, which will be the first building of the kind built in the United States by the order. There is not an aerie in the United States at this time that has a building, and it is the desire of the Pendleton members to be the first to build.

The new hall will be three stories high and will take up as much frontage as the present building. The first floor will be used for store rooms, the second for offices or lodging rooms, while the third and top floor will be fitted up as a home for the order in the best of style, it being the desire of the order to have one ofe the finest sets of rooms in the West. Plans for the building are now being considered.

Forcing Flowers With Chloroform.

Lillies of the valley, azaleas, deutzias and lilac have shown themselves susceptible to ether or chloroform, and M. Leblanc has reported to the Societe Centrale d'Horticulture de Nancy his success in experiments with the latter drug. On Feb. 19 last he chloroformed some plants of azalea mollis, giving them about half the quantity he would have used had it been ether, and exposing them to the action of the vapor for about 48 hours. They were at once removed to a greenhouse at a temperature of 65 degrees Fahrenheit. From March 5 the flowers began to expand a little and attained about to their full dimensions on the 8th, whereas plants grown for comparison were not expanded until March 21.—New York World.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents. Guaranteed at Tallman & Co.'s drug store.

Call for Socialist Convention.

All socialists of Umatilla county are hereby called to meet in county convention on Saturday, April 23, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the new Milarkey hall on the corner of Court and Garden streets, Pendleton, Oregon.

Any comrade present who will endorse the principles of International Socialism, will be entitled to a seat in the convention. We urge all comrades to be present.

Pendleton Local,
G. A. ROBBINS, President.
A. D. SIEBERT, Secretary.

Hawaii Facing Big Deficit.

Honolulu, April 4.—In accordance with the call recently issued by Governor Carter, the Hawaiian legislature convened today for a special session to consider the finances of the treasury, which is unable to meet the warrants drawn upon it. A deficit of $1,500,000 for the present year is in sight and the fact is recognized, that prompt measures are necessary to make ends meet. The plan which appears most in favor is to reorganize the territorial government on a less expensive basis.

A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of, and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills, and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c at Tallman & Co.'s drug store.

Cattlegrowers' Convention.

There will be a convention of the cattlegrowers of Oregon, held in Portland April 16, beginning at 10 a. m., and continuing in the evening. The people interested in this great industry are earnestly requested to be present, as subjects of the greatest importance to cattlemen will be discussed. The meeting will be held at the Auditorium, between Taylor and Salmon, on Third street.

GRANT MAYS,
Secretary.

Prepare for Convention.

St. Louis, April 4.—The sub-committee of the national democratic committee met in St. Louis today, pursuant to the call of Chairman Jones, to look over the local arrangements being made for the entertainment of the democratic national convention, to be held here in July.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel Pendleton.

A. W. Cadeness, Seattle.
W. Scott, Bellefontaine.
J. Swift, Spokane.
S. B. Hamill, Chicago.
A. Nylander, Portland.
E. D. Matterson, Walla Walla.
R. A. Wright, Spokane.
H. W. Gallenore, Spokane.
E. Golden, Spokane.
W. R. McRoberts, Spokane.
S. J. Hoyes, Spokane.
J. Aschlan, city.
Miss Anna Harotins, Toledo.
A. D. Chase, Portland.
F. H. Herbert, Chicago.
Edgar Burke, Hartford.
John P. John, Olathe.
F. G. Mortland, Seattle.
W. Busche.
E. J. Yates, Racine.
N. A. Jones, city.
Henry L. Bockley, Portland.
E. P. Jorman and wife, Echo.
R. A. Seeds, Spokane.
W. I. Johnson, Spokane.
H. E. Stevens, Spokane.
A. E. McBreen, Spokane.
N. A. Jones, Spokane.
G. Stevens, Spokane.
F. Wieden, Portland.
J. W. Joungman, Portland.
C. D. Rinker, Portland.
F. M. Bell, Portland.
T. A. Grimm, Portland.
E. L. Bucu, Spokane.
A. Geiser, Baker City.
Tom Salsman, Chicago.
R. E. Porter and wife, Meacham.

Hotel St. George.

M. E. Heath, Portland.
F. J. Gardner, Portland.
O. Hart, Irrigon.
Mrs. George M. Nelson, Boise.
John Casper and wife, Walla Walla.
L. H. Rinkhorn, Portland.
J. T. Wolfe, Walla Walla.
E. C. Warren, Portland.
T. D. Woolsey, Portland.
L. Sandenburg, Goldendale.
Guy Schellady, Goldendale.
M. H. Gillette and wife, Echo.
Miss Peny, Echo.
H. T. Frede, Moscow.
E. N. Hutchinson, Portland.
George Harris, Portland.
George McGilvery, Spokane.
J. D. Coleman, Portland.
James A. Pond, Umatilla.
H. Connell, Umatilla.
C. F. Bartholomew, Portland.
S. H. Fry, Dalles.
J. J. Burns, Portland.
Logan Sommers, King county.
F. E. Irwin, Spokane.
Louis E. Proebstel, Weston.
J. C. Ford, Caldwell.
J. T. Wolfe, Walla Walla.
F. J. Woodswith, Cold Springs.
L. Holmes, Helix.

Hotel Bickers.

Fred Parr and wife, Agency.
Charles Gingles, Baker City.
W. B. Gillette and wife, Portland.
R. A. Winchester, Winchester.
J. M. Hicks and wife, Weston.
D. P. Hicks and family, Weston.
S. S. Gill, Spokane.
J. M. Shuts, Union.
C. D. Whiteman, Athena.
O. Borton, Athena.
G. J. McEroy, Starbuck.
Ira Scott, Helix.
J. M. Lightfoot and wife, city.
J. S. Gulliford and wife, Vinson.
E. E. Palmer, Emporia.
W. C. Frink.
A. D. Jones, Athena.
M. Wolfram, Olean.
J. Becker, Burgnon.
W. M. Hanner, Derytown.
D. M. Collingwood, Juniper.
H. W. Norton, San Francisco.
A. O. Park, Seattle.
H. Brand, Seattle.
Albert Harala, Adams.
J. M. Wynn, McKay.
W. H. Weber, Walla Walla.
E. Ridenour, Weston.
W. W. Steward, Boise.
John Ashton, Elgin.

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YOUR HAT

May Be a Stylish One, But It Makes Trouble.

A man usually buys a hat that's "in style," but the modern hat for men has lots to answer for.

Baldheads are growing more numerous every day. Hats make excellent breeding places for the parasitic germs which sap the life from the roots of the hair.

When your hair begins to fall out and your scalp is full of Dandruff it is a sure sign that these countless germs are busily at work.

There is but one way to overcome the trouble and kill the germs—that way is to apply Newbro's Herpicide to the scalp—it will kill the germs and healthy hair is sure to result.

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FREE with each TAILOR-MADE SUIT, a nice LACE COLLAR.
FREE with each ladies' dress SKIRT, a good BELT.
FREE with each SHIRT WAIST, a NECK RIBBON or SASH PIN.
FREE with each dress pattern of 50c and 60c DRESS GOODS, a fine pair of SILK GLOVES.
FREE with each dress pattern of 75c and $1.00, a yard or better dress goods, a pair of fine, guaranteed KID GLOVES.
FREE with each $2.00 SILK WAIST PATTERN a nice 25c COLLAR.
See our special display of Millinery for Easter.

LACES, RIBBONS, EMBROIDERIES, NICE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, SILK UNDERSKIRTS, LACE HOSIERY AND, IN FACT, EVERYTHING TO MAKE UP A COMPLETE, STYLISH OUTFIT, WILL BE FOUND HERE AT REMARKABLY LOW PRICES THIS WEEK.

THE FAIR

FIFTY YEARS AGO.

First Street Railways in Philadelphia in 1854.

Philadelphia, April 4.—The 50th anniversary of the advent of the first street railway in Philadelphia, and practically the first line of any extent established in the country, was celebrated today. It was on April 4, 1854, that the Philadelphia & Delaware River railroad was chartered.

The road began with a very small capital. It was equipped with 10 dummy engines and a few horses and mules. About three miles of track were operated and less than 100 men were employed. The number of passengers carried was very small.

The extent and business of the road developed rapidly, however, and its present day successor, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, represents more than $100,000,000 of capital. It operates more than 2,000 cares, which run over 500 miles of track. It employs nearly 6,000 men and carries about 375,000,000 passengers every year. Moreover, the group of capitalists who own the company control fully one-third of the mileage and capital of every street railway in the United States.

Elsie—There's a mon at the door, pa, who says he wants to "see the boss of the house."

Father—Tell your mother.

Mother (calling down stairs)—Tell Bridget.—Philadelphia Press.

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See those pretty new arrivals in woolen dress fabrics. As special mention, that pretty Knickerbocker suiting, 54 inches wide. Quite the thing as a correct idea in new weaves for ladies' suits, at per yard $1.50.

Another Noteworthy

Is that pretty line of Voiles, Etamines and Sicicilians, suitable for spring and summer wear costumes. We have them in all the new colorings at per yard 60c.

Don't fail to see those pretty new collars, belts, shirt waist sets and jet and embroidered cape collars.

See Those New Arrivals of men's guaranteed clothing, made by "B. Kuppenheimer," Chicago. Clothes made for durability as well as style. All new patterns, spring styles and especially we call attention to our line of popular priced suits, made of Scotch cheviots, tweeds, cashmeres and worsteds. Suits that fit well, look well, wear well, for $15.00.

Men's Top Coats.

Those very new things you'll have to see them to appreciate them. See that one of "covert coating," lined with XXX Italian cloth. Satin lined sleeves. A good one for $15.00.

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