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### IDAHO PROSPECTS.

Prof. Lyman of Whitman College, Speaks Highly of Them.

"One thing that impressed me during my recent visit to Idaho," remarked Prof. W. D. Lyman of Whitman college, who is in Pendleton in the interests of the institution at Walla Walla, was the substantial buildings. In nearly all of the smaller towns of Southern Idaho the principal business houses and residents are constructed either of stone, or of brick."

Prof. Lyman says that business conditions in the Panhandle state are rather at a standstill at the present time. "But," he continued, "Idaho is much in prominence at the present time by reason of the numerous irrigation projects under process of construction or contemplated. There are hundreds of thousands of acres of acres of semi-arid lands in the state that will some day be under water, and Idaho is sure to advance in population and in business."

Speaking of Whitman college, Prof. Lyman said: "The military drill will be the new feature of the college work this fall. The war department has detailed a regular army officer, of the rank of captain, for special duty at Whitman. He will have charge of the military drill and will teach some of the branches of higher mathematics."

### DRY-LAND ALFALFA.

Weston Man Has Experimental Field Doing Well.

The dry-land alfalfa, when properly seeded on any land that will produce a reasonable crop of grain hay, will not only yield more tons of hay per acre, but furnishes a feed much richer in digestible nutriment. It is now being grown successfully in nearly every county of the Inland Empire, but the plants are usually small—two to five acres, says the Inland Farmer.

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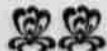
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## FERGUSON GETS WOOLEN MILLS

THREE YEARS' LEASE CLOSED THIS EVENING.

Charles J. Ferguson, Superintendent of the Pendleton Woolen Mills, Becomes Lessee for Term of Three Years, Beginning September 1—Business Calls E. Y. Judd to the East—Electric Power and Night Shift to Be Added.

At a meeting of the directors of the Pendleton Woolen Mills this afternoon, Charles J. Ferguson leased the mills for a period of three years, beginning September 1, 1904, and the mills will start on that date.

The change was made necessary by reason of business matters in the East requiring the attention of E. Y. Judd, general manager of the plant.

It is the intention of the new lessee to install electricity for power purposes just as soon as the Walla Walla river plant is ready to supply it, and a night crew may be added.

"The name and reputation of the Pendleton goods," said Mr. Ferguson this afternoon, "will be maintained, and the plant, operated to the fullest capacity."

### EXIT TWO DRUNKS.

City Jail Delivery Continues With Great Regularity.

"Monday night two."

City Marshal Carney, if he were to keep a special register of those who escaped from his prison, would this morning have entered two more names. At it is he shrugs his shoulders and patiently awaits the time when the council will erect a new jail.

The men who escaped through the sewer hole last night are Harry McDonald and John Doe, both charged with drunkenness. This makes the third jail break since Friday afternoon, and in all 10 men have gained their freedom. Not one has been retaken and today the jail is empty.

### FOR SELLING WHISKY.

Tom Balcomb Under Arrest for Furnishing Spokane Jim With Fire-water.

Tom Balcomb, a white man, who resides on the reservation, is under arrest charged with furnishing liquor to Indians, and will be examined tomorrow before United States Commissioner John Halley, Jr. A deputy United States marshal is expected to arrive tonight from Portland to be in attendance. Balcomb was arrested Saturday night by Policeman Coffman. It is alleged that the accused secured a bottle of whisky for Spokane Jim and another Indian.

### SCHOOL BUILDING WORK.

Excavating Completed at the West End, and Progressing on North Side.

S. J. Hastings has completed the excavating for the west end school house, and the Mousau brothers will have six or seven masons at work on the foundation walls tomorrow. On the north side site Mr. Hastings put six teams with men at work on the excavating this morning, and it is expected the site will be ready for the masons by the 8th. As soon as the excavating there is completed operations will begin on the east end site.

### INFLAMED EYE.

From It George Buzan Suffers Very Much and is Unable to Work.

George Buzan's left eye is in very bad condition, being terribly inflamed in all its parts, the ball particularly. The trouble is not the result of an accident of any kind, either of a blow, or from getting dirt in the member, but is in the nature of a constitutional though not chronic ailment. Mr. Buzan had just completed arrangements to take the harvest field with an expensive and entirely new threshing outfit.

### 10,000 RESIDENCE.

Finest Dwelling on a Farm in Umatilla County.

Henry Koepke, a farmer living two miles south of Athena, is building a \$10,000 residence, which will probably be the finest farm residence in the county when finished. Dan Mays has the contract for the foundation, chimneys and other brick and stone work, and Ed Barrett the contract for the frame. Mr. Mays has his work well under way now.

### WELLES TAKES OFFICE.

New County Superintendent Assumes His Duties Today.

Frank K. Welles this morning began his duties as county school superintendent. Mr. Welles announced August 10 as the date for examination of teachers.

"There are a number of country districts," he said, "unprovided with teachers, but I believe I shall be able to fill all vacancies by September 1, when most of the schools will start."

### CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS.

Will Resume Their Sessions at Home of L. A. Vogel, on Lillith.

The Christian Scientists will resume their meetings shortly after the first of September. For a time the sessions will be held at the home of L. A. Vogel, 415 Lillith street. The

Scientists now number an active class of about 15, and never in the history of their efforts in Pendleton has so much interest and vitality been shown in the faith.

Mrs. A. J. Goodman was first reader when the meetings were discontinued during the early part of the summer, and Mrs. L. A. Vogel was second reader.

### THE JUI JITSUI CLUTCH.

"Skipper" Hicks Gets a Taste of the Real Japanese Article.

"Skipper" Hicks and "Dutchy" each forfeited \$10 bail this morning in police court for fighting on the street last night. Both men were intoxicated. This morning "the skipper" still carried with him the remains of his jag of the night before, slightly augmented and was twice prevented from fighting with a Japanese, only by the interference of bystanders.

The trouble this morning was over the Oriental's dog, which it is alleged Hicks attempted to take. The Jap resented the white man's interference and when he remonstrated Hicks struck at him. In a moment the brown man was upon his would-be assailant and the latter experienced the wonders of jiu jitsu.

There was a sudden twist of legs and arms and Hicks sank to the floor, his arms bent under him and the miko's man on top, stopping his breath with a steel-like clutch over the mouth and nostrils. Then the fight was stopped.

### Pace Wants a Divorce.

Desertion and immoral conduct are the grounds upon which Jesse H. Pace of this city, bases action for divorce, instituted in the state circuit court this morning. The defendant, Estelle D. Pace, he alleges, deserted him March 2, 1904, and upon that date and since has been guilty of adultery. J. Burger, of Eugene, is named as the woman's paramour. The Paces were married November 11, 1899, at Maiden Rock, Wis., and have three children. The plaintiff desires their custody.

### Haynie's Body Sent East.

The Modern Woodmen of America and Odd Fellows gathered at the Oregon Railroad & Navigation depot last evening, when the remains of Arthur E. Haynie, who met death through accidental shooting at Lehman Springs, Wednesday night, were placed aboard the east-bound train for shipment to Homewood, Kan. Over a hundred lodgemen gathered to pay their last respects to the departed brother. The widow and children of the dead man are accompanying the body east.

### Quality of Wheat Good.

There is no controverting the fact that the quality of the wheat this year will not strike as high an average as last year, in this county. It is good, but last year it was very much better than good, and all comparisons to express excellence for years to come will be made with the crop of 1903. Red Chaff is testing 59 pounds this season for the top, that tested 62 pounds last year.

### Weekly Weather Report.

Observer H. F. Johnson furnishes the following weather report for the past week:

	Max.	Min.	Rain
July 23	96	54	
July 24	91	48	
July 25	100	50	
July 26	98	58	
July 27	96	59	
July 28	77	55	.01 in
July 29	81	51	.14 in

### Chair in Use 50 Years.

J. A. Blakley has in use in his household a chair made for his father James Blakley, just 50 years ago, in Linn county, this state. The chair is a somewhat clumsy affair, but well made, and Mr. Blakley does not think it has ever been repaired. At the present rate of deterioration the chair will be serviceable for every day use for the next 250 years, at least.

### Threshing on the Reservation.

On the reservation, John Crowe, L. L. Mann and Charles Hamilton are threshing. The yields are estimated all the way from 25 to 40 bushels per acre, but no accurate measurements have been made. The quality is good but not the equal of last year. The cold weather in the spring is credited with the deterioration.

### Moran-Mosgrove.

Justice of the Peace Fitz Gerald this morning officiated at the marriage of Felix Moran and Miss Eliza Mosgrove. The ceremony took place at the Hotel Bickers and was witnessed by a few intimate friends of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Moran are residents of Adams.

### Marriage Licenses.

County Clerk Sailing has issued licenses to marry to the following residents of Umatilla county: Lee D. Drake and Miss Frances Hager.

Felix Moran and Miss Eliza Mosgrove.

### "Dad" Drake Seeks Freedom.

Clinton D. Drake today brought action for divorce against Nancy Drake, charging desertion. They were married in this city Christmas day, 1902. The wife deserted her husband a year ago. There are no children.

### Not Satisfied With Alaska.

Dallas O'Hara has received a letter from Billy Sturgis from which the inference is gathered that Mr. Sturgis is not satisfied with Alaska and will return before winter sets in, and perhaps quite soon.

### Will Locate in Portland.

Charles Bell, the carpenter, who went to the valley and to the coast two or three weeks ago, will not return, having concluded to locate, for the present, at least, at Portland.

### LEAVES PILOT ROCK.

W. W. Allen Sells Lease on City Hotel to H. H. McReynolds.

W. W. Allen, who has had charge of the Pilot Rock hotel for some time past will give up his lease on the hotel property within a few weeks and will be succeeded in the management of the hotel by H. H. McReynolds, of the City hotel, says the Pilot Rock Record.

Mr. Allen has large property interests in this county. He and his sons were engaged in the wood business near Meacham for many years and are still the owners of much timber land in that vicinity. He also owns a section of land near East Birch creek, part of which is cultivated and on which he raises a considerable amount of hay. He has, however, decided to return to Missouri, but is undecided as to whether he will remain there permanently or not.

### Fifty-Two Bushels Per Acre.

Fifty-two bushels to the acre was the yield of red chat wheat which H. W. Richardson obtained from a field just harvested below his house.—Dayton Dispatch.

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From my place at 27, two mares; one weight about 1200 lbs. branded CH on left side, crooked front feet. The other is a brown weighing 1100 lbs. branded on left hip and 7 on right shoulder. I will pay \$10 for either to the recovery of \$5 for either of them.