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### MALHEUR READY FOR IRRIGATION.

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tion will hold sufficient flood or waste waters to irrigate this entire tract of 90,000 acres through three drought years, without rainfall or with an almost complete failure of the regular flow of the streams and seems to be an imperishable and everlasting solution of the problem of irrigation in that district.  
Should the government dam break, or the project fail for any reason, the land and water rights acquired by the association all revert back to the original owners.

**Engineers Anxious to Assist.**  
The government engineers are deeply interested in aiding every community, which desires to organize such an association, and will cheerfully visit and confer with the people at any time, in furthering such a project, no matter where it is now what its magnitude.

All that is required of the people is co-operation in condemning or purchasing existing water rights, as the government does not recognize any private rights, nor deal with any private irrigation enterprises.

### LIVERMORE REUNION.

Pendleton's Esteemed Pioneer Visits His Old Home in Polk County.

The Salem Statesman of Saturday, speaking of the visit of postmaster Lot Livermore of this city to his old haunts in the Willamette valley, says: "Lot Livermore of Pendleton, has been in the city recently, and was a caller at this office yesterday. Mr. Livermore came to Oregon in 1851, and lived near Eola in Polk county, until 1864.

"After being in the employ of Harker Bros., in Portland, for a year, he went to Umatilla Landing in 1866 and thence to Pendleton in 1869, where he has made his home ever since. He was postmaster at Pendleton for 13½ years, at one time; was county

treasurer of Umatilla county for one term, and is postmaster now. He has been a member of state and county committee nearly all the years of his residence there.

"Mr. Livermore is George Pearce's uncle, and has two sisters who have lived all these years in Polk county and whom he had not seen for 19 years until this visit. A family reunion was held at the old home near Eola on Sunday, where Mr. Livermore said he had one of the most enjoyable occasions of his life."

### BUSY DAY IN COURT.

John Hailey's Term as Temporary Recorder Starts Off Briskly.

Fighters, drunks and opium smokers, 15 in number, were arrayed in the prisoners' dock at police court this morning and Justice Hailey was kept busy for over an hour trying the cases.

Henry Fuller, Henry Harricks and Pete Ingle pleaded guilty to drunkenness and were fined \$5 each. Charles Vesor, Bert Woodruff, H. Kilburg and G. Peterson pleaded guilty to drunkenness and resisting an officer and were fined \$5.

J. Wahl and R. J. Leonard, for engaging in a fight, were fined \$5 each. John Doe and Richard Roe for a similar offense, forfeited bonds of \$5 each.

### WHEAT MARKET FIRM.

About 130,000 Bushels Sold at 62 and 66 Cents Saturday.

Saturday was a red letter day in the sale of this season's wheat. Fully 130,000 bushels of club and bluestem wheat was sold at 62 cents for club and 66 cents for bluestem.

Since the rapid advance of a few days ago to 62 and 66 cents, the local market has remained stationary. It has been predicted by wheat dealers that a decline would follow this rapid advance, but so far there has been no indication of a change. One reason for this is the firm condition of the New York and Chicago markets.

### JUDGE PARKER AND DAN SULLY.

Veteran Actor is Personally Known to the Nominee.

"One of the greatest admirers of Judge Parker in Ulster county is Daniel Sully, who was at Esopus last night. Mr. Sully played last season the leading role in a drama entitled 'The Chief Justice,' his character being the chief judge of the court of appeals of the state of New York, and the genial actor stood behind Judge Parker with Very Rev. R. L. Burtzell and Senator Linson, while the judge was shaking hands with the people.

"John E. Kraft started to introduce Mr. Sully, and had hardly begun doing so, when the judge took him by the hand, saying, 'Hello, Dan, how are you?'"

"As Sully shook hands with the democratic presidential nominee, he pointed to Father Burtzell and replied: 'I'm all right, judge, for you can see I am in good company. Let me congratulate you heartily.'"—Kingston Daily Express, July 15, 1904.

Black Bear, Idaho, was almost totally destroyed by fire Saturday; loss about \$100,000.

## TEACHERS' TRY-OUT

### COUNTY EXAMINATIONS

BEGIN WEDNESDAY.

Teachers of the County Will Meet in Regular Tests for State, County and Primary Certificates—Schedules of the Examinations—Questions Will Be Opened in the Presence of Teachers.

The county teachers' examination will begin at the court house Wednesday morning, August 10 at 9 o'clock, and will conclude at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

County School Superintendent Frank K. Welles today received the sealed list of questions and the schedule of studies to be taken up. Following is the program for the week:

State papers—Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law. Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, bookkeeping, physics, civil government. Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography. Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, psychology.

County papers—Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading. Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology. Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.

Primary certificates—Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading, arithmetic. Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods, physiology.

The question lists are sent sealed to the examiner and are not opened until the date of the examination, and then only in the presence of those who are to take the examination.

### THE COMING COUNTRY.

W. E. Temple Thinks the Des Chutes District is All Right.

W. E. Temple, an insurance agent, is in town, having recently visited all the principal points in the Des Chutes country.

He is an enthusiast about the prospects of the Des Chutes country and has no doubt but that at Bend, or Cline's Falls, or in that vicinity, at least, will grow up a town destined to be the metropolis of Central Oregon as Spokane is of the district of which it is the industrial center.

He describes that country as having an average elevation of about 3500 feet, a large portion of it covered with a rank growth of sage brush, juniper and other aboriginal growths, and only needing the diversion of the water now in the streams, and other systematic management, to develop into as fine a country as can be found in this latitude anywhere on the American continent.

A few miles from Bend, and a distinct rival to it is Cline's Falls, at which point is natural water power rivaling in volume the water power at Spokane, though the fall is not so precipitous as at that point. However, the Des Chutes river carries a vastly larger volume of water past that point than goes by Spokane. Cline's Falls is 28 miles southwest of Prineville.

### CLEANING HOUSE.

Librarian Nye Preparing for New Classification of Books.

A. W. Nye has been doing some badly needed work of renovating at the rooms of the Commercial Association. Principally, it consisted in taking down the books and dusting them and cleaning the dust-laden shelves. This is quite a formidable job, as there are in round numbers 3500 books on the shelves.

Later a complete new classification of all the books belonging to the association will be made, including several hundred which have never been unpacked, and are yet in the boxes in which they were shipped.

After the new classification is completed Mr. Nye hopes the general public will avail itself of the 25 cents per month reading membership, which entitles the subscriber to the use of one book for two weeks, or two books per month. The subscriber may, of course, draw a book every day, or 30 books per month, if he chooses, the limit being two weeks to hold any one book outside of the library and out of the use of any other person.

### TESTS 62½ POUNDS.

Helix Wheat Leads, With Eastland Wheat a Close Second.

The heaviest test wheat grown this season in Umatilla county and weighed in Pendleton, is the product of the fields of John A. Gross, of Helix. It weighed out 62½ pounds, and the quality is exceedingly good.

The second best so far reported was grown by L. C. Rothrock, whose farm is one mile this side of Eastland. Mr. Rothrock raised 200 acres of wheat which tests 62 pounds and averaged a little over 40 bushels to the acre—over 8000 bushels of wheat threshed from 200 acres. Mr. Rothrock's wheat is red chaff and club mixed.

### RETURNED FROM THE EAST.

C. B. Sampson Visited His Old Home in Ohio and the St. Louis Fair.

Charles B. Sampson, advertising manager of the East Oregonian, has just returned from a five weeks' visit in the East, including a visit to his parents at Defiance, O., and a short stop at the St. Louis fair.

He enjoyed the visit hugely, the weather in the East being very cool during his entire stay. He experienced three days of extremely hot weather at St. Louis, but otherwise the weather in the East did very comfortable, and not until the train reached Colfax in Eastern Washington, did he notice the intense heat

which has been experienced in the inland Empire for the past few days. He is well pleased with the St. Louis fair, and says the only objection to it being that there is too much of it, requiring too long a time to see it all.

The Oregon building is quite a curiosity and Oregon is amply advertised.

### AVERAGE 104 DEGREES.

First Six Days of August Ranged Exceedingly High.

Average temperature for the first six days of August in Pendleton, 104. That is the record kept by Local Observer H. F. Johnson. In addition to these six hot days, may be added one excruciatingly tropical night, as will be recalled by many without the aid of a weather report. The report for the past week is as follows:

	Max.	Min.
July 31	93	50
Aug. 1	101	50
Aug. 2	99	59
Aug. 3	100	59
Aug. 4	106	50
Aug. 5	109	53
Aug. 6	107	80

### Will Take a Long Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dibblee, of Walla Walla, who have been visiting Mrs. Dibblee's parents, D. Kemler and wife returned home this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Dibblee will start East Thursday for an extended trip which will include the World's Fair, relatives in Ohio, Washington, D. C., New Brunswick and other localities, and expect to be absent at least two months. A portion of the trip will be made in a private car chartered by railroad people only. Mr. Dibblee is the O. R. & N. station agent at Walla Walla.

### Return of Jacob Betz.

Jacob Betz, the Walla Walla brewer, was in town this morning on route from the East to his home. He has been away for several months and has, with his wife, visited all the principal points in the East, including the World's Fair. Mrs. Betz is still in the East, and will not return until October. Mr. Betz will not say when he expects to build a second story upon his Main street property in place, but that he intends to eventually effect that improvement is plainly his purpose.

### Blue Stem the Better Wheat.

Dan Bell, who lives two miles south of town on the Tutulla, has cut and threshed 320 acres of wheat. The crop was divided between blue stem and red chaff, and the blue stem made the better crop, both for yield and quality. The former threshed out from 25 to 30 bushels per acre, while the latter made considerably less, being shriveled. No explanation is given of the difference.

### Returning From California.

J. D. Barnes and wife, on their way home to Walla Walla from their trip to Central and Northern California, spent Sunday in Pendleton with friends. Mr. Barnes says that those portions of California visited by them on this trip do not perceptibly show the effects of the floods, or droughts with which the state was afflicted last year, and that business conditions appear to be normal.

### Gone to Buy Goods.

Mrs. G. B. Carrier took the morning train north today, en route to Chicago to buy goods for the fall and winter millinery trade. She will go East from Spokane by the Great Northern, and will be absent about three weeks.

### Union Meeting Last Night.

The union meeting at the Methodist church, last evening, was attended by a good-sized audience. Rev. W. L. Van Nuyta presided, and Rev. G. L. Hall preached. The sermon was evangelistic and very interesting.

### Peoples Warehouse Improvements.

The large arch connecting the two stores of the Peoples Warehouse is nearing completion. It is 10 feet in width and 12 feet high. This morning the new tile flooring at the main entrance to the store was finished.

### Sixty Bushels Per Acre.

A. L. Swaggart, of Athens, is in town today. It is reliably stated that a portion of his wheat yielded 60 bushels per acre. Some of his crop suffered severely from being knocked down by the wind.

### Well Known Mine Suspends.

The Boston Quicksilver Mining Company of Boston, which owns one of the prominent mercury properties of California, has suspended, after expending \$400,000. It was found that the mine would not commence producing in time to recompense the stockholders without a further expenditure, and this they were not disposed to make for fear that it would also be a loss.

There were produced in the United States the past year, a total of 100,461,337 barrels of petroleum, valued at \$94,054,050. The production in California increased 10,000,000 barrels and Texas decreased 1,000,000 barrels.

## 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, to cts.

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### KEYES THE OSTEOPATH.

Has Met With Success in Chillicothe, Ohio, Medical College.

Dr. W. J. Keyes, the osteopath, who left here about a year ago to accept the chair of anatomy and applied sciences in the Chillicothe, Ohio, Osteopathic College, writes to his friend, L. Greenwald, that himself and wife are well pleased with Chillicothe. Both have built an excellent private practice and their health and that of the little daughter is excellent. Their environment and professional record and opportunities are agreeable in a high degree, but they have not lost interest in Pendleton and the letter mentioned makes many inquiries about the town and its people.

### Will Locate in Walla Walla.

E. K. Lorimer and wife, who have been visiting Mr. Lorimer's aunt, Mrs. William Hilton, left this morning for Walla Walla, where Mr. Lorimer will engage in the buying and shipping of fruit for the Eastern markets, a business in which he has had much experience. The Lorimers recently came from Grant's Pass.

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## "Roosevelt's"

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Men's underwear, very fine quality, each ..... 75c and \$1  
Fancy hosiery, ..... 15c, 20c and 25c  
Golf shirts, cuffs to match, ..... 50c, 75c and \$1.00  
New four-in-hand ties, large assortment of patterns, at popular prices ..... 25c and 50c  
Negligee working shirts ..... 50c and 75c each  
Negligee dress shirts ..... \$1.00 to \$2.50  
Collars, cuffs, belts and suspenders.

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### LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN

From my place at Juniper on June 27, two mares; one a sorrel mare, weight about 1200 pounds, 5 years old, branded CH on left shoulder; she has crooked front feet.  
The other is a 5-year-old bay mare, weighing 1100, branded R over a W on left hip and T within a circle on right shoulder.  
I will pay \$10 for information leading to the recovery of both horses, or \$5 for either of them. Address: A. LARSON, Juniper, Oregon.

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