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GENERAL NEWS.

At Newark, O., Buck Fouts suicided by exploding dynamite against his chest. He came very nearly being obliterated. He was getting over a spree at the time.

At Chicago Miss Alma Callahan was fatally stabbed by Miss Edna Smith. Provocation, extreme jealousy because of the attentions of a young man to Miss Callahan.

Secretary Taft is informed by Mgr. Falconio, the apostolic delegate, that claims arising from the use by United States troops of church property in the Philippines amounting to about \$1,500,000, have been presented.

Near Johnstown, N. Y., an express train struck a crowbar which was lying across the rails and hurled it with great force. William Lathers, 112 feet distant, was struck by the crowbar and instantly killed.

Since the United States supreme court declared the 10-hour law unconstitutional, the employing bakers of New York city have been working their men 11 and 12 hours, and a general strike of bakers in that city is imminent.

Fraulein Bertha Morena and Fraulein Hilda Schoene and Heinrich Kute, three of the finest singers in all Germany, have contracted for a long season in America next year. They will not travel together, nor under the same management.

In her will, Mrs. Leland Stanford provided for the sale of all her jewels (valued at \$1,000,000) and the proceeds to be invested in the maintenance and buying of new books for the \$600,000 library for Stanford university, the cornerstone of which has just been laid.

Signora Cousino, of South America, is now said to be the richest woman in the world. Her silver and copper mines are yielding \$100,000 a month, and her coal mines yield \$85,000 a month. She has stock farms that bring her in a large revenue, besides large landed interests and a fleet of steamships.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Orofino has been definitely selected as the location of the new northern Idaho insane asylum.

S. A. Fullquarts, a farmer living 10 miles west of Sprague, Wash., had five horses stolen one night last week.

In the penitentiary jute mill at Walla Walla, 200 men are employed, in the brick yard 107 men are employed.

George Shirley is serving a 10-day sentence in the chain gang working on the county roads, for jumping a \$1.75 board bill at Pullman, Wash.

Kilde Adams (colored), private soldier, is a fugitive from justice and accused of robbing the quartermaster's safe at Fort Missoula, Mont., of \$1300.

W. W. Welch, formerly state superintendent of public instruction in Montana, is under arrest charged with embezzlement of state funds while he was superintendent.

The supreme court of Washington in a recent decision refuses to entertain any such theory as that the law of 1901 requiring all dentists to register and take out a license is not constitutional.

In the Fairfield, Wash., Christian church is being held a debate between Rev. W. H. Wood, of the Christian church, and Rev. C. T. Cook, of the Methodist. The debate is limited to the points of variance in the doctrines of the two churches. From 2 to 4 and 8 to 10 p. m. each day for five days will be devoted to the discussion.

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ROTATION OF CROPS

NECESSITY ARGUED BY
DR. JAMES WITHYCOMBE.

He Believes the Purposes of Summer Fallowing Can Be More Completely Served by That Method — Great Utility of Field Peas to Alternate With Cereals—Has Much the Advantage Over Alfalfa, Because It Is an Annual.

Dr. James Withycombe, director of the Oregon Experiment station, who was here yesterday attending the Good Roads convention, and before which he delivered an address, is probably the foremost authority in the state on the subject of agriculture, and he has made a close study of farming conditions in Eastern as well as Western Oregon.

In speaking yesterday of the present needs in this section, he said:

"The greatest problem that the farmers of Eastern Oregon have to face is how to rotate their crops so as to prevent the impoverishment of the soil. The continual raising of wheat or any other single cereal will eventually deprive the soil of the necessary organic constituents, and thus cause a decline in the yield. While this is being prevented to an extent by the practice of summer fallowing, it could be done much more thoroughly by the raising of a different crop and at the same time some return would be derived from the land."

For a substitute for the summer fallow Dr. Withycombe suggests the raising of field peas, and states that it has been demonstrated in Sherman county that they may be grown on the dry wheat land. By raising a crop of field peas a farmer may secure forage for stock feeding, and at the same time the raising of the crop will enrich the soil by the addition of the nitrogen from the roots and leaves of the plant. Also, the peas may be harvested and placed upon the market.

While alfalfa, according to Dr. Withycombe, will grow upon any land where wheat may be raised, it is not good as a rotation crop for the reason that it takes several years to obtain a good stand, whereas the field pea is an annual and may be raised one year and wheat the next.

Dr. Withycombe has been the head of the agricultural course in the O. A. C., and also the head of the experiment station for the past seven years. During that time he has held hundreds of institutes all over the state, from which many good results have come. The last one to be held was at Medford, and to attend the convention here the doctor was obliged to jump from one corner of the state to one almost diagonally opposite.

NEWS OF MILTON.

Has a Homestead in Union County—Prof. Perry Will Teach in a Nashville, Tenn., College—Gone to Heppner—Visitors From California—Tent Meetings Under the Auspices of the Christian Church.

Milton, May 16.—Miss Carrie McQuary, who for several weeks has been quite ill of appendicitis, was able to sit up a little while yesterday for the first time.

Harry Hogue, formerly of the Elam Hardware company, but now with the Drumheller company of Walla Walla, was here Sunday on his way home from his homestead in Union county.

Prof. Louis C. Perry, who was president of Columbia college and resigned to accept the head professorship of history and economics in a college at Nashville, Tenn., left Saturday for Ridgeway, Va., to visit his parents.

Rev. T. P. Graham of Meridian, Idaho, who occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church, South, last Sunday, during the absence of Rev. G. H. Gibbs, will leave today for Heppner.

Dr. and Mrs. James Canane of Portland, are visiting Mrs. Canane's sisters, Mrs. W. R. Craig and Mrs. R. E. Frazier.

Mrs. A. M. Mortenson, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived for a fortnight's visit with her father, Samuel Mortenson.

Clarence McAlexander has arrived from San Jose, Cal., and will spend the summer here.

Beginning Saturday night Rev. J. V. Coombs, pastor of the Christian church, will hold a tent meeting on Miller's grounds, near their mill. Meetings will continue for two weeks.

Juveniles Coming Thursday.

The Lewiston Tribune in speaking of the Williams Juvenile Opera company, which comes here next Thursday night, says: The Williams Juvenile Opera company finished a four nights' engagement at the Temple theater last evening and will leave this morning for Moscow, where they will appear tonight. Yesterday afternoon a special matinee was given by the company when the "Gypsy Girl" was presented to a crowded house. This was followed by a reception on the stage and hundreds of people greeted the little artists to express their appreciation of the company. Last night the company presented "Gay Ge" to a large house. Should the company again tour the Northwest, assurance is given that Lewiston will be visited.

\$300 For Home Missions.

Last Sunday at the Christian church the sum of \$300 was subscribed for home missions. The Athena church keeps an evangelist in the field, and thus gains the title of a "living link." This work was commenced last year, and this year no backward step will be taken, says the Athena Press.

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RECEPTION TO PROF. CONKLIN.

High School Teachers and Pupils Will Give a Pleasant Affair Tomorrow Night.

A reception arranged by Pendleton teachers and high school pupils will be held at Music hall, beginning at 8:30 tomorrow night, in honor of Prof. and Mrs. E. B. Conklin.

Patrons of the schools, friends of Mr. and Mrs. Conklin and the higher grades of the public schools are cordially invited to attend the reception. An appropriate program will be rendered and the affair will be made one of the pleasant memories to linger in the minds of Prof. Conklin's many friends in this city.

KLAMATH PROJECT IS ASSURED.

Government Buys Private Ditch Company Out for \$150,000.

The reclamation department through Secretary Hitchcock, has purchased the canals and property of the Klamath Canal company, in Klamath county, for \$150,000, and will begin work on the Klamath government irrigation project at once.

This purchase ends all the threatened litigation arising out of the government's decision to open up the Klamath country to settlement, through government irrigation.

Foresters in Session.

The state court of the Order of Foresters is in session in Portland. W. H. Klepper, of La Grande, is head ranger. There are no delegates from Pendleton, there being no lodge of the order here.

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