

INTERVIEW COOPER

YOUNG MAN WILL BE IN ST. LOUIS THIRTY DAYS.

Talks of the Medicines He Controls That Have Been a Sensation in the East and Have Made Him the Large Fortune Which He is Now Said to Possess.

St. Louis, May 20.—L. T. Cooper, or the "Greatest Cooper," as he is called, was seen in the hotel this morning by a reporter and proved to be a comparatively young man, as he is little over 30 years of age.

Mr. Cooper is the man who is said to have created a sensation in eastern cities by his extensive charitable work and the enormous sale of two preparations of which he is the owner. While talking his face lights up with a smile, almost boyish in its expression, and he seems very young to have acquired the enormous fortune he is said to possess. When asked about his plans for his visit to St. Louis, he said:

"I shall remain in this city about four weeks. I have come here to introduce my preparations in my usual way and I will give the public ample opportunity to ascertain whether the claims I make for these medicines can be verified.

"It is one of my beliefs that every successful man should devote part of his resources in aiding the unfortunate. I rely to a great extent on the public for information concerning families, or individuals who are in need, and I will, therefore, be very grateful to all who will send me the name and address of people who are destitute."

Upon being asked about the public removals of deafness, which he has made in Pittsburgh and other cities, Mr. Cooper said, "I have appeared each night in the cities I have visited, before audiences that ranged from two to ten thousand people, and have stated that I would remove in less than three minutes' time, deafness of years' standing.

"I have treated in public in this manner over a hundred people each night. I shall do this work in St. Louis to some extent, and I will then prove whether I am successful or not. It will be time to discuss this work after I have given one of these demonstrations as my claims would now seem extravagant.

"The preparation with which I give these demonstrations is not the one to which I owe my success, as my New Discovery is my principle remedy. This preparation is for the removal of all forms of stomach trouble.

"I have not yet decided where my headquarters will be while here, but will know within the next 24 hours."

"Order of Owls" in Trouble. Claiming that his order has been greatly injured by statements made and published by H. W. Mitchell and John W. Talbot, Harry L. Levitt, grand representative of the Brotherhood of Owls, has brought suit for the brotherhood to recover \$25,000 damages. In the complaint in the case, which was filed with the Spokane county clerk, Mr. Levitt alleges that during April and May Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Talbot, who are the national organizer and supreme head of the Order of Owls, conspired to injure the brotherhood by publishing "a false, libelous and slanderous statement that the brotherhood had stolen from the Order of Owls its literature, and that the brotherhood was illegally organized."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury. As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system as it enters it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Harrington, Wash., on May 18 voted 99 for and 45 against a \$22,000 water bond issue. The proposition had been three times beaten at former elections.

BRONCHIAL TROUBLES.

Readily Yield to Soothing, Healing Treatment of Hyo-mel.

Bronchial troubles are purely local. They cannot be helped by stomach dosing. They are caused by irritation in the air passages and can be relieved and cured by medicated air alone. In this lies the secret of the great success of Hyo-mel in the treatment of bronchial troubles.

The Hyo-mel medication, laden with nature's remedies, is breathed through the neat pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit, reaching every part of the bronchial tubes and killing at once the disease germs. It allays all irritation and heals the inflammation of the mucous membrane with astonishing rapidity.

Treatment with sprays, douches and atomizers in bronchial troubles is condemned by the best physicians, as they cause further irritation.

The first breath of Hyo-mel's medicated air seems to soothe the inflammation, stop the cough, and thus relief soon becomes permanent and a cure results.

Hyo-mel has made many remarkable cures in the worst and most chronic forms of bronchial troubles and is sold by Tallman & Co., with the same guarantee as they give when Hyo-mel is purchased for catarrh, that it, to refund the money in case the remedy does not give satisfaction. The complete outfit costs but \$1.00.

BRIEF RECORD OF COUNTY EVENTS

Special Correspondence

FREEWATER ADVICES NEWS OF WESTON

LARGER STRAWBERRY CROP THAN EXPECTED

Crop Is Ripening Rapidly—Ten Acres Sell for \$6000—Visiting in Alberta—New Warehouse With 6000 Bushels Capacity—Private Irrigation Plant—Strawberries High Priced—Fifteen Acres Sell for \$2,250—Recent Arrivals from North Carolina.

Freewater, May 21.—It now appears that there will likely be from 65 to 75 per cent. of an average strawberry crop, which is very encouraging considering that immediately after the recent hard freeze it was reported that the damage would reach at least 70 to 75 per cent. of the whole crop. Berries will be ripe in quantities within a few days' time.

M. S. Simnard has sold to John L. Ramsay 10 acres of fruit and alfalfa land located three miles from this city for a consideration of \$5,000. Mr. Simnard owns two sections of wheat land in Benton county, Wash., and he will leave for that place soon to look after his interests.

Rev. H. S. Shangle of Milton, has gone to Alberta, Canada, where he will make a three weeks' visit to his sons, Bruce and Payne, who are located there.

The Peacock Milling company is erecting a new warehouse this week in place of the one which collapsed a few weeks ago. The structure will be 40x60 feet, and will have a capacity of 6000 bushels.

S. S. Shields has purchased a three-horse power gasoline engine, which will be used for irrigating purposes on Mr. Shields' land near the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Strawberries at the packing houses will continue to be high, being 15 a crate. About 20 crates a day have been shipped in the last few days by the various establishments. The berries are of excellent quality. The rain which has just fallen is fine for all fruits and crops.

Many people from Walla Walla were in Freewater and Milton yesterday, most of them coming over on the trolley line.

Milton Notes. J. J. Williams has sold 15 acres of land to E. H. Howell for \$2250. Mr. Howell has just arrived from California and will make this his home in the future.

Hon. D. A. Bowman, for 12 years clerk of the superior court of Mitchell county, North Carolina, and a former friend of S. D. Peterson, the Milton attorney, has arrived here with his family to locate.

BARD ROASTS SHAW'S PLAY.

Walla Walla Rector Flays "Mrs. Warren's Profession."

The Walla Walla Bulletin says of Rev. Andreas Bard's disapproval of "Mrs. Warren's Profession," Bernard Shaw's new play:

Rev. Andreas Bard flayed "Mrs. Warren's Profession," Bernard Shaw's play, which will be seen here soon, in his sermon at the Episcopal church yesterday morning. While in Spokane Mr. Bard witnessed the production of this much-discussed drama, and he spoke of it yesterday in no uncertain terms. He gave a brief history of the drama from the days of Sophocles to those of the modern problem play. "This stage is one of the most powerful factors," he said, "in the evolution of society. The Greeks preached powerful sermons through the presentation of Aeschylus and Euripides. In them the almighty power of the conscience as a test of human action is classically portrayed.

"In the middle ages the morality play had the endorsement of the church, and in fact, illustrated the lessons of the pulpit. Shakespeare, too, had this idea in mind when he made Hamlet say 'the play's the thing by which I'll touch the conscience of the king.' King Lear shows the vice of ingratitude; Macbeth the danger of ambition; Hamlet the danger of thought without corresponding action. "All these dramas are sermons. But from Shakespeare to Bernard Shaw there is quite a toboggan slide. I have seen 'Zaza' and found in it some redeeming features, although I regret that it dwells with unnecessary leisure over the coarser aspects of life. But in 'Mrs. Warren's Profession' I have vainly looked for a star in a gray sky. The dialogues are not only coarse, but nauseating. The 'profession' cannot be mentioned without causing a blush on the cheek of the most calloused. Leaving the theater one would ask himself 'what's the use trying; virtue is a sham; religion hypocrisy; society a joke-believe; vice a mere circumstance.' "Bernard Shaw holding the torch to modern civilization, reminds me of Herostratus, who lacking legitimate talents to make himself immortal, at last set afire the magnificent temple of Diana. I admit that there are many things in modern life that need the hammer of the iconoclast. But when we apply it we should reconstruct as well as destroy. We should be like the old Jews who, when they rebuilt the temple held in one hand the sword with which they fought the enemy, and in the other the trowel with which they rebuilt the ruins. There is but one legitimate writer of problem plays; the man who criticizes the weakness of our ideals, and then shows us how we can do better."

ALL CROPS ARE IN FINE CONDITION EVERYWHERE

Pioneer Picnic Expected to be a Fine Affair, and Elaborate Preparations for It—Delegates to Grand Lodge K. of P. and P. S.—Marshall Hotel Building Will be Remodeled—One Farmer Held to Last Year's Wheat Crop—Society Banquet.

Weston, May 21.—Farmers are rejoicing, and why should they not after the fine rain which has just fallen in Umatilla county? Wheat never looked better, and all crops look encouraging in all directions.

Pioneer Picnic. The last of next week will witness one of the finest pioneer picnics ever held here. Arrangements are already being made for this occasion by the people of Weston, who expect to make it the best event of the kind ever held here.

Mrs. Alice Price, delegate from the Weston lodge of the Pythian Sisters, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turner have gone to Portland to attend the Pythian grand lodge. J. R. Warren is also a delegate from Stephens lodge.

Arrangements are being made to begin repairs on the Marshall house for a hotel building at once, and it promises to be one of the best little hotels on the kind on the road when it is completed.

Col. Clark Wood was in Pendleton Sunday to take in the ball game between Walla Walla and Pendleton. The Hyattson society of the Weston normal, gave a banquet at the home of President French Saturday evening, which was a very enjoyable affair. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A number of toasts were given, and a prosperous 1928 has been predicted for the club.

Robert McGraw is the only farmer in the Weston country who has held to his last year's crop of wheat, and he is much pleased over the fact at this time. The price is good.

Mrs. S. H. Ewing of Pomeroy, Wash., is visiting her brother, Wade Godfrey, in Weston. The skating rink craze is still on in Weston.

NEW RAILROAD RULES.

Washington Railroad Commission Makes New Orders.

A correspondent at Olympia says of the new orders just issued by the Washington railroad commission: The railroad commission has issued the rules and regulations which have been under consideration for several weeks past, governing the transportation of passengers, record of car distribution, passenger depot requirements, bulletining of trains and safety appliance devices on the railroads within the state of Washington. The regulations become effective on June 10.

Several conferences have been held between the commission and railroad officials during the preparation of these regulations, and while concessions were granted by the commission in some particulars wherein railroad passenger officials convinced the commissioners that certain proposed rules would work needless hardships, the rules as finally promulgated are substantially the same as originally drafted by the commission.

The rule requires the issuance of interchangeable mileage books, which has been under discussion for some time past, has already been put into effect and the books are now on sale.

Rule 10 requires the railroads to have the rules and regulations printed and a copy posted at each passenger depot in the state. It is probable, however, that the railroad commission itself will have these notices printed and sufficient copies supplied the railroads, on application, for posting in their depots.

Disturbed the Congregation. The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. Koepfen's Drug Store.



IT'S BETTER TO TAKE A little medicine once in a while than to be sick.

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Don't Fall Behind in the March to This EMPORIUM OF BIG VALUES. Now is the Time to Save Money in Buying.

The Fair Department Store.

New Dam and Ditches.

The farmers east of Spray are busy working on the new dam and irrigating ditches. The new dam is considerable of an improvement over the old one inasmuch as it has a 300 foot front instead of 200 and a larger drop apron. The dam is fourteen feet high and made to resist undermining.—Monument Enterprise.

Kidney trouble kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal disease if taken in time. Koepfen's Drug Store.

Get Photos Now. Our photographic gallery will be closed after July 1. All who desire first-class photographs this summer, get them before June 15, so they can be finished before the gallery closes. Gallery will be closed from July 1 to October 1. C. S. WHEELER.

The Idaho Irrigation company, proprietor of the Big Wood river project will hold its first opening June 24 at Halley, when 40,000 acres of choice land under the Carey act will be placed on the market. The Big Wood and Malad rivers are impounded in an immense reservoir, now in course of construction, which will irrigate 135,000 acres of land.

The Brooklyn handicap on May 20 was won by J. A. Keene's Superman, Miller up at 95 pounds. The purse was \$20,000.

HOUSEKEEPERS



Do you have "blue Mondays" at your home? We have an antidote; send your family washing to the Troy Laundry and have it done for Seven cents a pound. Table linen and bed linen ironed—wearing apparel washed and starched ready to iron. This is not only the best, most satisfactory method, but the cheapest for dependable work. Troy Laundry, NOLIN & SON, Props. Phone Main 179.

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