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HERMISTON NOTES

SEVERAL BUILDINGS IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION

All Crops on Irrigated Lands in Fine Condition—Carpenters Have Organized a Union—Returned to New York—Visitor From Iowa—First Cutting of Alfalfa Nearly Ready—Rev. Blodgett Preached at the Chapel Car.

Hermiston, May 29.—Everything looks busy in and about Hermiston, along the Umatilla project, on irrigated tracts, alfalfa fields and the building of new business houses and homes. Several new residences are now under course of construction, and everything looks very prosperous. Where water is already on land furnished by private concerns the alfalfa, watermelon and other crops look first-class.

Hermiston has a first-class baseball ground, and it is understood that several games will be pulled off in the near future.

Reverend Blodgett of Echo, preached at the Chapel car last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Maud Goddard, who has been the guest of her friends, Mrs. C. I. Morgan, for some weeks, left Monday for New York, where she will make her home.

Harry Burke, who is connected with the Hermiston Realty company, is entertaining his friend Harry Mackkeyness, of Sigourney, Ia., who arrived here a few days ago.

County Commissioner Horace Walker returned to Pendleton last evening after a business trip here.

There are reports of the immediate cutting of alfalfa hay in this vicinity. Many of the growers expect four cuttings.

Hermiston has enjoyed the most delightful weather of late. The nights are cool and moonlight, and all newcomers, as well as those who know, declare the country great.

Permanent organization of the Hermiston lodge No. 10,856 Carpenters and Joiners' union has been perfected, and the following officers have been elected: George W. Tyacke, president; George F. Ritchie, secretary; Life Christian, treasurer; Messrs. Wyckoff, Calbach and Longhorn.

PIONEERS' TWELFTH REUNION.

Weston Is Making Great Preparations for the Event.

Weston, May 29.—Official posters have been issued announcing the date and general plans for the 12th annual reunion of the pioneers of Umatilla county. This year the festivities are limited to two days—Friday, June 7, and Saturday, June 8—instead of three or four days as heretofore. The program will be carried out at the big pavilion. Hon. Walter M. Pierce will deliver the annual address June 7. Memorial oration by T. T. Geer. Both schools will contribute interesting exercises. The committee considers itself fortunate in securing the Eagles' band of Pendleton. There is nothing to hinder it from being the best pioneer celebration ever given here, unless the weather interferes.

Miss Pauline Simpson has creditably passed the final examinations in the training school for nurses at the hospital of the Good Samaritan, in Portland, and she will be graduated June 11. Her many friends here are pleased to hear of her success.

Friends in Weston have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Florence Coombs, well known here, to Mr. Emmerson, of Walla Walla.

Robert Wheeler, who has been assisting Agent Walters at the depot for some months, has accepted a position at the Wallace, Idaho, station. Bayles Baker has been temporarily employed at the Weston station until another man can be secured.

Mrs. J. W. Clark has returned from Spokane, where she had been for some time.

Wheat and hay never looked better in the Weston country than it does at this time, and a bumper crop is expected.

Mrs. S. W. Reed has returned from a trip to London, taoshrdlatamfw a trip to Loudon, Wash., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCully.

People of Weston and vicinity are

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel St. George.—L. H. Thron, Walla Walla; Charles F. Soding, Spokane; Mrs. Hagedorn, La Grande; R. H. Krause, San Francisco; Charles D. White, Portland; S. Humphrey, Chicago; Lary Ankeny, Walla Walla; J. H. Fitzgerald, Medford; Judge A. F. Curry, Baker City; W. J. Snodgrass, La Grande; T. E. Conside, Duluth; F. S. Hindman, Spokane; F. W. Platt, Minneapolis; N. M. Summer, Tacoma; George D. O'Connor, Walla Walla; J. Sundman, San Francisco; Charles Miller, Spokane; D. J. McKinnon, Portland; W. V. Ward, Portland; W. J. Rainwater and wife, Echo; M. Kelley, Milwaukee; J. D. McGary, The Dalles; H. E. Ferris, Portland; C. T. Wilson, The Dalles; Wm. Dunn, Portland; E. C. Davis, J. W. Chandler, La Grande; George M. Runyan, Seattle; N. A. Wilson, Portland; J. R. Patterson, Boston.

Hotel Pendleton.—N. Brownell, Portland; E. Hedges, Portland; C. J. Alexander, Portland; C. C. Leach; Miss Ada Graybeal; Miss Effie Graybeal; Mr. McFall; N. C. Polak, St. Louis; A. Zimmerman, James Wright, North Yakima; Wm. Custer and wife, San Francisco; M. H. Patton, Spokane; J. W. Smith; C. C. Hunt, Ontario; Maurice Utter, Cedar Rapids; Ed Colman, St. Louis; Louis Rathbun, Portland; T. B. Killin, Portland.

Golden Rule Hotel.—L. M. Graff and wife, Spokane; A. L. Hurst, Portland; L. D. Hald, Potoskey; H. H. Reynolds, Pilot Rock; D. C. Able, Grinnell; C. C. Leach, Bingham Springs; Miss Ada Graybeal, Bingham Springs; George Allen, Spokane; G. McCully, Spokane; J. B. Johnson, city; E. H. Davidson, city; H. E. Peters, city; Miss Julia A. Norton, Boise; C. M. Cooley, Pilot Rock; Mack Missidine, Spokane; S. A. Frans, Spokane; John Bager, Elgin; W. Knittle, Oregon City; Miss Nancie Putnam, Walla Walla; J. C. Connwell and wife, Spokane; J. A. Hawks, Nollis; J. W. Perringer, Adams; R. N. Adams, city; L. A. Puttercauch, Boise; F. Traver, Milwaukee.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

Seventeenth Reunion Is Being Held in Richmond.

Richmond, May 29.—The seventeenth reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be opened in this city tomorrow morning. The crowd of visitors is expected to be the largest ever entertained in Richmond. The unveiling of monuments to Jefferson Davis and General Stuart are features of added interest to the reunion program. And the fact that the Jamestown exposition is within easy reach of Richmond will result in a largely increased attendance at the reunion.

Hundreds of gray-clad veterans reached the city today, and the playing of martial music is to be heard throughout the business section. By tomorrow morning the great mass of visitors will have arrived, and it is roughly estimated that fully 150,000 persons will be here by the time the convention opens.

The veterans and other visitors have found Richmond swathed in hunting, the stars and bars of the Confederacy predominating. Thousands of national flags are also used, and many tattered battle flags are displayed from the homes of the owners who carried them through the war.

The exercises tomorrow will be opened at 9:25 o'clock in the morning, when the convention will be called to order by Major General Sixth Bolling, commanding the Virginia division. Preliminary business will occupy the initial session. In the afternoon will come the big parade and the unveiling of the Stuart statue.

A Narrow Escape

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Rucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at Tallman & Co.'s, druggists.

looking forward to the time when the trolley line will be extended from Milton to Weston, Athena and on to Pendleton, and most of them believe that the time is not far distant. Weston people who attended the Caledonian picnic at Athena, speak of it in the highest terms.

STEEL BRIDGE AT HELIX.

Will Replace Wooden Structures Taken Out by Flood.

Helix, May 29.—County Commissioner Horace Walker was a recent visitor here looking after the unloading of the material for the steel bridges, which are to replace the old wooden structures which were washed away during the floods.

Decoration Day will be observed here, Congressman Ellis will deliver the principal address for the occasion, and elaborate preparations have been made for the occasion.

My Best Friend.

Alexander Benton, who lives on Rural Route 1, Fort Edward, N. Y., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is my best earthly friend. It cured me of asthma six years ago. It has also performed a wonderful cure of incontinent consumption for my son's wife. The first bottle ended the terrible cough, and this accomplished, the other symptoms left one by one, until she was perfectly well. Dr. King's New Discovery's power over coughs and colds is simply marvelous." No other remedy has ever equalled it. Fully guaranteed by Tallman & Co., druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

RETURNED FROM THE EAST.

Athena People Have Concluded to Locate at Boise.

Athena, May 29.—A. M. Gillis has returned from an extended trip across the continent. Mr. Gillis left here some months ago for Prince Edwards Isle for his health, and he has returned much improved.

Mrs. Walter Ell will leave shortly for Boise to join her husband.

Newspaper of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is beyond 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.

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While digging a trench in the rear of his home at Los Angeles, Charles W. Greninger was caught in a cave-in and almost instantly killed. He was 46 years of age.

BLOOD POISON CURE YOURSELF AT HOME



Contagious Blood Poison begins in the most insignificant way, and with less evidence of what is to follow, than any other disease. The first symptom is usually a little sore or blister, whose appearance does not indicate that deeper down, in the blood, a treacherous and deadly poison has found its way to corrupt and vitiate the entire circulation, and later to disease the body with the most loathsome and hateful symptoms. Unless one has experienced or witnessed the terrible results of Contagious Blood Poison, no idea of its effects can be formed.

When the blood has become fully inoculated with the virus, the mouth and throat ulcerate; glands in the neck and groin swell, and sometimes burst, forming ulcers; the hair comes out; copper colored spots appear on the body; and where the disease is allowed to remain in the system it penetrates deeper and deeper, until it affects the bones, causing them to decay, and makes a complete physical wreck of its unfortunate victim.

Not only the first one who contracts the disease must suffer, but it is transmitted through the blood from generation to generation, and innocent lives are blighted and diseased by this monster poison. No other disease is so highly contagious as blood poison; in the most trivial manner it may be contracted by innocent persons. Many have been inoculated with the virus, and suffered the disastrous and destructive effects of the poison, by a friendly handshake, or by using the same tableware or toilet articles, or handling the clothing of an infected person.

I was treated for two years by blood specialists, who treated me with mercury for Blood Poison, with no good results, so I gave them up and started to use S. S. S. When I commenced its use I was covered with sores and eruptions, and was very weak and run-down. Today, I am myself again, and my skin is as clear as a baby's. I know it made a positive cure for me of Blood Poison in the very worst form, and I am making it my business to have my friends use it as I did, and already two of them are having wonderful results in the way of a cure. I am, today, a living testimonial to the value of S. S. S. in cases of advanced Blood Poison.

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Strong mineral medicines like mercury and potash are often given to cure Contagious Blood Poison, but years of failure have proven that such treatment cannot cure the trouble. These medicines can only mask or shut the disease up in the system for awhile; as soon as they are left off the symptoms return in all their hideousness, and the sufferer finds he has wasted valuable time, and, in addition, ruined his health with these harmful drugs.

S. S. S. is the antidote for Contagious Blood Poison—the only remedy that is able to get at the root of the disease and force out every particle of the poison, so that there are never any signs of its return. It can be used and a perfect cure of the disease made in the privacy of your own home. Sufferers from this disease can be their own doctors, and the forty years of cures made by this remedy assures them that the treatment is in every respect the proper one, and that its use, together with any suggestions as to local treatment, which will be furnished by our physicians free of charge, will cure the trouble permanently and privately. S. S. S. is made entirely of purifying, healing roots, herbs and barks. We offer a reward of \$1,000 for proof that it contains a particle of mineral in any form. S. S. S. goes down to the very root of the trouble, and by driving out the last trace of the poison, and making the blood pure and strong, cures the disease thoroughly and with certainty. S. S. S. will also remove the effects of any mineral treatment that may have been previously used. Our "Home Treatment" book on this disease is a complete guide for treating the trouble.

S.S.S. CONTAINS NO MINERAL

It contains instructions for the different stages of the disease, and also advice about the local treatment that will be the most helpful in effecting a cure. This book, together with any special medical advice desired, will be sent free by our physicians, to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

Notice. Notice is hereby given that the grocery business heretofore conducted by the Gordon Grocery company, at 130 East Court street, in Pendleton, Oregon, will be discontinued May 23, 1907. All persons owing said firm are requested to make settlement of their accounts with F. A. Gordon, treasurer of said firm, at his office in Pendleton, Oregon. Office will be at the store until June 1, 1907. Dated this 21st day of May, 1907. GORDON GROCERY CO., By David Gordon, President. By J. E. Hatley, Secretary.

Attention, Woodmen. All members of Pendleton Camp No. 41, Woodmen of the World, are requested to meet in the Eagle hall Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock to attend the annual unveiling ceremonies in a body. Bring flowers is possible.

Identification Bureau. If the present plans of Undertaker E. S. Hennessey materialize Walla Walla will be the seat of the only bureau of identification in the United States, says the Union. The services of the bureau will be supplied to the states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana, directly.

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