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COUNTY EVENTS

Special Correspondence

NEWS OF MILTON

PRIZES AWARDED IN HORSE SHOW AT MILTON

Walla Walla Men Have Many Fine Horses Which Carry Off Some of Leading Awards—Weston and Athena Was Represented—Proved Very Successful Event—New School Principal.

Milton, June 6.—The following were awarded prizes in the horse show which was held here Thursday in connection with strawberry day:

Wm. Hogeboom of Walla Walla, standard bred stallion, Teddy A, first prize.

Grade stallions, Dandy Frisco, owned by Doc Morris, Freewater, first prize.

Mike Stubblefield, second prize.

Best two year old trotting colt, Weatherite, Hudson Bay, first prize.

Marion Dorothy, Milton, second prize.

Best two year old trotting stallion, Joel Howton, Freewater, first prize.

A. M. Elam, Milton, second prize.

Best yearling driving colt, Mr. Kennedy, first prize; A. S. Pearson, Freewater, second prize.

Best three year old trotting, A. M. Elam, Milton, first prize.

Clydesdale stallions—H. H. McLean, Walla Walla, first; C. McLain, Athena, second.

Percheron stallions—Mordo McDonald, Walla Walla, first; A. Van Dyke, Milton, second.

Graded draft horses—Cereal Tracy, first; Harry Weatherite, Hudson Bay, second.

Clydesdale mares—H. H. McLean, Walla Walla, first.

Graded work mares—D. J. Kirk, Milton, first; M. B. Strong, Mud Creek, second.

Best double driving team driven by lady—Mose Spencer, Mud Creek, first; Miss Harrington, Hilton, second.

Best single horse driven by lady—Mrs. Elliott, Milton, first; Mrs. Ed. Miller, Milton, second.

Best double team driven by gentleman—Matt Mosgrove, Milton, first Neis Swaggart, Athena, second.

Best jack-ass—Mr. Clemmon, Moscow, first; J. C. Hotchken, Milton, second.

Best three stallions—Beauchaup & Tellier, state line, first; Kan & Son, Walla Walla, second.

Best two year old trotting stallion—Joel Howton, Freewater, first; A. M. Elam, Milton, second.

Best yearling driving colt—W. A. Kennedy, Freewater, first; A. S. Pearson, Freewater, second.

Best two year old trotting colt—Harry Weathervelt, Hudson Bay, first; Marion Dorothy, Milton, second.

Best three year old trotting colt—Cass Gannon, Athena, first; A. M. Elam, Milton, second.

Best family colt—A. M. Elam, Milton, first; M. Dorothy, second.

Best work mare and mule colt—O. K. Foster, Walla Walla.

Yearling work colt—Joe Coffman, Milton, first; H. H. McLean, Walla Walla, second.

Yearling mule—F. A. Sikes, Milton; W. Hodgman, Hudson Bay.

Family colts—Frank Warner, Milton.

Two horse work team—Frank Kent, Milton; R. S. Hunter, Milton.

Four horse work team—H. A. Williams, Milton.

Four mule team—Charles Wellman.

Saddle horse—J. Hammerbox, Milton.

Judges—Mordo McDonald, Frank Ennis, Walla Walla; Charles Norris, Athena.

Engage School Principal.

I. E. Davis has been engaged as principal of the Milton public schools at a salary of $100 per month. R. J. Davis, who had accepted the school will go to Nyssa to teach.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is the one that children like so well to take at it tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. It acts gently yet freely on the bowels and thereby it drives the cold out of the system. It is sold by Tallman &Co.

In Clothing Business.

Freewater, June 6.—J. H. Hall, who for some time was connected with Elam's bank at this place, and who has also been in the grocery business here, has just purchased the clothing busoness of A. H. Baumiester in Walla Walla. Mr. Hall is well known in the east end of the county, and he will no doubt make a success of his new business in Walla Walla.

Faces Serious Charge.

T. C. Neel, formerly a member of the city police force under the "Citizens'" party administration, was arrested last night and landed in the county jail, charged with the crime of rape, the charge being made by Thomas Bennett, formerly a Short Line brakeman, residing on East Fremont street, says the Pocatello Tribune. It is alleged in the complaint, sworn to before County Attorney Gray, that on the evening of May 26 Neel came to the Bennett home and during the absence of Mr. Bennett and his brother and the four children of business of A. H. Baumeister in Waloutrage Mrs. Bennett. She resisted until the arrival of Mordecai Bennett, her brother-in-law,

NEWS OF WESTON

PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR NORMAL COMMENCEMENT.

The Baccalaureate Sermon Will Be Preached Tomorrow Morning by Portland Minister—Commencement Exercises Will Be Held Tuesday—Interest in Flouring Mill.

Weston, June 6.—Programs have been arranged for the commencement exercises at the Normal, which begin tomorrow with the baccalaureate service in the chapel at 11 o'clock. Rev. E. S. J. McAllister of Portland, will preach the sermon. An excellent song service will also be rendered at this time. Class day exercises will be held Monday, June 8, and the commencement will be held Tuesday, the program being as follows:

Instrumental Trio—"Grand Galop Brilliant" .... Wallenhaupt, op. 71
Mabelle S. Miller, Joseph Miller, Donald P. Mitchell.
Address—"The Sphere of a Teacher's Influence" ..... Chester E. Sommerville
Chorus—"The Storm Fiend" Marshall
Address ....Judge Stephen A. Lowell
Instrumental Solo—"From the Carnival" ..... Grieg
Donald P. Mitchell.
Valedictory and Address — "The School of the Future"..... Augusta Hutchinson
Presentation of diplomas. ...E. Hofer
(Representing board of regents.)
Vocal Solo—"Day is Gone"....Lang
"The Little Dustman" ..... Brahms
Anna Selkirk Norton.
Benediction .....
Chorus—"The Morning Ramble".. ..... Veazie
Invocation .... Rev. Charles Quinney
Vocal Solo—"Comme Raggio di Sol" ..... Old Italian
"When Love is Kind" ..... Old Irish
"All Through the Night" ....Old Welch
Anna Selkirk Norton.
Salutatory and Address—"Agriculture in Public School Education" ..... Daniel I. Hopkins
Vocal Trio—"Spirit of Poesy"..Rich
(Violin Obligato, Joisa Miller.)
Mary Zurcher, Inez Makin, Katherine Pixton.
Address—"The Home a Product of Education" ..... Mary Zurcher
Vocal Solo—"Requiem" .... Homer
"Thine Image" .. Smith
Anna Selkirk Norton.
Address—"A Great Life"..Edith Still

J. B. Potter has returned from Arlington, where he had been teaching during the past term.

There was a big vote cast here for prohibition, 200 dry votes against 36 wet.

R. W. Barkham recently arrived here from Berkeley, Cal., having purchased an interest in the Weston flouring mill, and he will hereafter be associated with J. J. Morton in the management of the enterprise.

A Grand Family Medicine.

"It gives me pleasure to speak a good word for Electric Bitters," writes Mr. Frank Conlan of No. 436 Houston street, New York. 'It's a grand family medicine for dyspepsia and liver complications; while for lame back and weak kidneys it cannot be recommended too highly." Electric Bitters regulate the digestive functions, purify the blood, and impart renewed vigor and vitality to the weak and debiliated of both sexes. Sold under guarantee at Tallman & Co.'s drug store. 50c.

Book of Oregon Poems Out.

"The Song of the Oregon Pine," a little book of original verse by Bert Huffman is now out and is on sale at the Frazier book store. Price 50 cents. Printed on fine paper and highly illustrated.

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Nearly every Pendletonian, especially the old settlers, will remember the tremendous sums of gold taken from the Florence Placers in Idaho, along from 1860 to 1865. The gulches leading down from the mountains to Little Slate and Miller creeks, werefound to be tremendously rich in placer gold, and more than $100,000,000 were taken from them. At the base of the mountains is a level stretch of ground, 10 miles long and up to 1500 and 2500 feet wide. Into this bottom, for hundreds of years before the miners ever found the placers, the rains and annual freshets had been washing this placer gold in immense quantities, but the miners of that day could not reach it because the ground could not be mined except with hydraulic elevators and water piped from the streams five miles away. At that time supplies were first packed in from The Dalles and later from Walla Walla, so it was impossible to introduce anything of a weighty character.

THE FLORENCE PLACER MINING COMPANY HAS MORE THAN 80,000 POUNDS OF THIS APPARATUS IN TRANSIT TO THE MINES.

Besides a sawmill purchased from the Portland Machinery company. It is expected that within three months the flumes and ditches will all be completed, the hydraulic elevator ready for work, and that the giants will be playing on the gravel. Then the production of gold will begin, and continued except for the closed season of about four winter months, for the next 25 years. This will afford a steady income to all stockholders for the next quarter of a century, as we have 27 full claims, or 540 acres, and it will require all that time to mine it out.

AS STATED, WE ARE CONFIDENT WE SHALL PAY 200 PER CENT PER ANNUM ON ALL OUR STOCK, AND THIS WOULD MEAN THAT THE RETURNS WOULD BE AS FOLLOWS:

$250 invested in 1000 Florence Placer shares at 25 cents the share, at 200 per cent per annum would return to the investor $500 per year, or twice the amount invested in the stock. It would pay back $2500 in five years, or enough to build a comfortable home; $5000 in 10 years, $10,000 in 20 years, and $12,500 in the 25 years we expect it wil irequire to work the Florence Placers out.

$500 invested now, at 25c the share, at the same rate of interest, would reward the investor with an income of $1000 per year for the next quarter of a century.

$750 invested now would mean an income of $1500 per year during the life of this enterprise.

$1000 invested while these shares are selling at present prices, should enrich the investor to the extent of $2000 per annum; $20,000 in 10 years, $40,000 in 20 years, and the handsome fortune of $50,000 before the last of the Florence Placer ground has been washed out.

$2000 placed in these shares now, at the interest we feel positive we shall be able to pay, would profit the buyer $100,000 if he should elect to hold them the entire period it will require to mine out this ground.

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Two hundred and fifty dollars would return $10 per year, and $250 in 25 years. This is $12,000 less than our stock at 200 per cent per annum would pay in 25 years on an investment of $250.

$500 out at 4 per cent per annum would return $20 per year. At 200 per cent per annum the return would be $1000 per year—$980 more than the bank would pay. At 4 per cent the bank would pay $500 for the use of $500 for 25 years. At 200 per cent per annum the mine would pay, in 25 years, $25,000, or $24,500 more than would be received from the bank.

Larger sums would pay in proportion, and we merely make these comparisons that it may be known that the Florence Placers will reward their stockholders more richly than could be expected from the most prosperous business, aside from mining, in the whole range of human effort.

THESE ARF THE FACTS ABOUT OUR MINES AND PROPOSITION.

We secured the property last fall from William Crandall, just prior to his fatal illness, he dying in March. Had he been strong and young, (he died at 63,) he would not have sold, but we have these 27 treasures, and we invite a few of the citizens of Umatilla county to join us in paying the cost of equipping the mines, and we assure them they shall have honestly distributed to them their share of every dollar we produce. The integrity of the officers are well known in Portland, and may be easily ascertained by any interested person. Nearly every attorney in the state knows Judge J. B. Cleland, of the State Circuit Court of Multnomah county, president of the company, and others may feel free to inquire of the Hibernia Savings bank, of Portland, or of the banking house of Ladd & Tilton concerning the standing of the Peaslee Bros., directors in the company. Nearly every business man in Portland knows every man connected with the concern. The treasurer, Richard C. Hart, is the government inspector of lighthouses, and has held this responsible position for years. This ought to be an ample testimonial to this man's character. He also is the secretary of the company.

THIS SALE OF SHARES WILL END ON OR BEFORE JULY 1.

And may be discontinued at any time, therefore if readers of this paper have any thought of investing in this POSITIVELY THE BEST AND SAFEST MINING PROPOSITION EVER OFFERED THEM, there is not much time left to think about it. Before we bought the ground we had it thoroughly tested, as only placer mining property can be, AND KNOW IT IS RICH BEYOND ALL HUMAN IMAGINATION.

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PRICES OF SHARES AND TERMS OF PAYMENT.

100 shares,	$ 25		cash,			600 shares,	$150;	$37.50	each,	$18.75 per month.
200 shares,	50		cash,			700 shares,	175;	43.75	cash,	21.87½ per month.
300 shares,	75;	$18.75	cash,	$ 9.37½	per month.	800 shares,	200;	50.00	cash,	25.00 per month.
400 shares,	100;	25.00	cash,	12.50	per month.	900 shares,	225;	53.12½	cash,	28.12½ per month.
500 shares,	125;	31.25	cash,	15.62½	per month.	1000 shares,	250;	62.50	cash,	31.25 per month.

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