

BRIEF RECORD OF COUNTY EVENTS

Special Correspondence

NEWS OF WESTON ECHO NEWS NOTES

ATHENA-WESTON MERCHANT BUYS BANKRUPT STOCK

Rent Cottage to Attend Normal Next Term—Harvest Will Be On In All Directions in Few Days.

Weston, July 18.—At the sale held here Thursday at the Saling building where the bankrupt stock of DuPuis & Co. was sold at auction, Attorney C. H. Carter of Pendleton, was auctioneer. Both stock and accounts were knocked down to D. B. Jarman, the Athena-Weston merchant. The stock went at \$700 and the accounts at \$325.

Mrs. Amanda Benjamin of Seattle, is the guest of her brother, Henry Pinkerton, for a short time.

Mrs. Theodore Danner of Athena, has leased the Hessel residence at this place, and she will keep house for a number of Athena young ladies who will attend the Normal next term. Among them are the Misses Minnie and Lulu Sharp, Della Danner, Cecile Boyd and others.

Hiawatha Rebekah lodge No. 88, has installed the following officers into the lodge for the ensuing term: Mrs. Elizabeth Cockerline, N. G.; Mrs. Elva Godfrey, V. G.; Mrs. Amy McDaniel, recording secretary; I. W. Godfrey, financial secretary; Mrs. Mary McKenzie, treasurer; Mr. Alice Kirkpatrick, chaplain. M. F. Cockerline, R. S. N. G.; Mrs. Douglas, warden, Mrs. Jack Read, conductor; Miss Nettie McCorkell, R. S. V. G.; Miss Ethel Smock, L. S. V. G.; J. M. Ashworth, O. G.; Mrs. Sophronia Campbell, I. G.

Harvest Is On. A few combines have already been put to work in the fields about here, and by Monday next, threshing will be going on in all directions. The Weston farmers feel very much encouraged over the outlook for crops. Sam Banister has 40 acres of Red Chaff wheat that looks good for 45 bushels to the acre. There will be a number of 40 bushel yields hereabouts.

Best the World Affords. "It gives me unbounded pleasure to recommend Bucklen's Arnica Salve," says J. W. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. "I am convinced it's the best salve the world affords. It cured a felon on my thumb, and it never fails to heal every sore, burn or wound to which it is applied. 25c at Tallman & Co.'s drug store.

CANNERY CLOSED.

Young Married Couple Will Reside on Foothills.

Freewater, July 18.—The cannery at this place is not running at this time as the cherries and early fruits have all been about finished up. As soon as the later fruits come in there will be another big run in the fall.

The little daughter of George Over-turf of Springdale, four years of age, is ill with typhoid fever.

The Eagle Mill is being repaired and put in shape for fall work.

Herman Cresswell and Miss Ida Belle Ross, both residents of the mountain country near here, were married at Walla Walla yesterday, at the Presbyterian manse. Mr. and Mrs. Cresswell left at once for their farm near the foothills.

One application of Manzan Pile Remedy, for all forms of Piles, soothes, reduces inflammation, soreness and itching. Price 50c guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Koepfen & Bros.

Wanted, at Once. Good clean rags; market price paid. East Oregonian office.

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, by mail free, also a pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



HAY DESTROYED BY FIRE FROM LIGHTNING

Loss of Over Four Hundred Dollars—Harvesting About Here Next Week—O. R. & N. Agent Goes East for Vacation—Heavy Rain Fell in These Parts.

Echo, July 18.—Harry Bartholomew, one of the well known sheepmen of the Echo country had a fine stack of alfalfa destroyed by fire Thursday morning, caused by lightning, which was very severe here for a few hours. The loss of the stack amounted to about \$200.

Harvesting in this immediate vicinity will begin next week. There has been considerable threshing going on in the Butter creek country, and in different directions from here, and a number of 30 bushel yields have been reported, while in some localities it went as high as 35 bushels to the acre.

P. C. Hunter, O. R. & N. agent at this place, is taking a layoff for a few weeks, and is visiting relatives in Iowa.

Crops are looking good in this section of the country for this season of the year. Alfalfa has turned out good, and the second and third cuttings promise to be as good as the first.

Soaking Rain. Splendid showers of rain fell here Wednesday and Thursday mornings, which cooled the air and did the crops a great deal of good. Some damage was reported to bridges and the like from the heavy rains in the Butter creek country.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by Tallman & Co.

"STAINLESS FLAG" SUNDAY.

Churches of Georgia Will Observe Day Tomorrow.

Atlanta, Ga., July 18.—"Stainless flag" Sunday will be observed by clergymen of all denominations in churches throughout the state tomorrow, by request of the Anti-Saloon league of Georgia.

The ministers have been urged to preach sermons upholding national prohibition and setting forth some phase of the claim that civil government cannot by license rightfully give legal standing to the liquor traffic, because such trade is inherently evil and harmful to the interests of humanity, which civil government is maintained to protect.

A Revelation.

It is a revelation to people, the severe cases of lung trouble that have been cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. It not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs. L. H. Ruggles, Reasnor, Iowa, writes: The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet." Pendleton Drug Co.

TO REMOVE BAN FROM BEER.

Hop Growers Would Revise Local Option Law.

Headed by Conrad Krebs, local hopmen will gather at a mass meeting at the opera house Saturday night to see if they cannot hit upon a compromise with the prohibitionists, whereby the ban will be placed on all liquors except beer, says the Salem Journal.

It is claimed by hop men and many leading people throughout the country that it is whisky, cordials and such drinks, which are the cause of drunkenness and the hue and cry against the saloon.

It is not known as yet whether any of the prohis will take part in the meeting or not, but it is very likely there will be some representatives present to look broadly at the question.

HOW SALEM SECURES NEW ELECTRIC LINES

The Salem Journal of Thursday says:

Local committees of rustlers went to work this morning at 10 o'clock raising the bond subscription of \$100,000 to enable A. Welch to build the Salem and Stayton electric railroad—work to begin immediately upon completion of the subscription.

The committees getting the bonds subscribed went to work at Salem, Turner, Aumsville and Stayton simultaneously and by noon had about \$30,000 subscribed. It is expected to raise the fund this week. Daily announcements of progress all along the line will be made.

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.

If you see it in the East Oregonian, it's so.

HASKIN WRITES OF THE PANAMA CANAL

Frederick J. Haskin writes the following entertaining letter concerning the Panama canal for the Oregon Daily Journal. He has visited Panama and personally inspected the canal and writes as follows:

"The Isthmian canal project naturally divides itself into two parts. At the two ends they are simply digging big ditches 45 feet deep and 500 feet wide, which will have the same surface level as the ocean itself.

On the Atlantic side this big ditch starts at deep water in Limon bay and extends inland seven miles to Gatun. On the Pacific side it starts at deep water and extends to Miraflores, a distance of five miles.

From this it will be seen that approximately one-fourth of the whole canal will be a big sea level ditch. For the remaining 38 miles of the canal it is necessary to have the surface of the water 85 feet higher than that of the sea level ends of the canal in order to get ships safely across the big continental divide at Culebra.

To get this the engineers have planned a great dam at Gatun, on the Atlantic side, and two relatively smaller ones at the Pacific side, one at Pedro Miguel, called by the Americans "Peter McGill," and the other at Miraflores. These dams will make a vast lake shaped something like a gourd, with the little end at Pedro Miguel, the handle being the Culebra cut.

The topography of the isthmus lends itself admirably to the plans of the engineers. The Chagres river flows more than half way across the isthmus, along the general line of the canal, crossing the line of the big ditch 23 times on its way to the sea, without the canal ever going out of its way to meet the river. All of these crossings will of course be eliminated when the dam is completed, and with all of its windings, the Chagres will not be able to wind out of the big Gatun lake.

Site of the Dam. The Chagres flows down through a valley which gradually widens as it nears the sea. At Gatun this valley is about a mile wide. It terminates entirely here, and the hills which form it lose themselves in a castal plain. It is across the valley at this point that they are building the Gatun dam and its accompanying locks.

This dam will be a veritable mountain of mud more than a mile long and a half mile wide at the base. It will be 135 feet high, ready to dispute the passage of the grim old Chagres, taking from its murky waters such toll as Uncle Sam and the commerce of the world may exact. This toll will be big enough to fill the largest artificial lake in the world—a lake whose water surface area will be about 165 square miles.

After the Chagres and its smaller neighbors have filled the lake to the required height the dam will allow the rest of the water to pass through its spillway and on to the sea, without further interruption, the only demand being that it shall not approach the line of the canal again. In other words, its vagrant waters will be sentenced to the canal workhouse and when that is filled to overflowing, they will be invited to "leave town" at once by the spillway route.

War Against Consumption.

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results.—Pendleton Drug Co.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the Oregon Building & Loan Association will be held at the office of the association in this city, on Tuesday, July 28, 1908, at 7 p. m.

R. ALEXANDER, President. C. H. MARSH, Secretary.

Pineules for the Kidneys, 30 days' trial \$1. guaranteed.

Pineules act directly on the Kidneys and bring relief in the first dose to backache, weak back, rheumatic pains, kidney and bladder trouble. They purify the blood and invigorate the entire system. Sold by A. C. Koepfen & Bros.

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If men who doubt the value of Nervita Tablets could only look over our order files and read the letters we receive from those who know their value, no man who is weak and nervous would hesitate a moment, but begin at once to regain his strength with Nervita

Gentlemen—Some six years ago I bought your Nervita Tablets in Richmond, Ind. and at that time they certainly did all you claimed they would I tried to get them here, but no druggist has them. Let me know if you still make them. If so I want to get six boxes for a friend of mine. Yours truly, Reg. B. Redlands, Cal. Dec. 12, 1907.

Dear Sirs—Find enclosed \$1.00 and send me 2 boxes of your Nervita Pills. I bought 4 boxes at a druggist's here, but can not get any more, but want to tell you that I never took any medicine in my life that done me so much good. Send at once as I am entirely out. Yours truly, Reg. L. Carnegie, Pa. Jan. 16, 1908.

Dear Sirs—About 3 weeks ago I sent you \$2.00 for 2 boxes of Nervita Tablets, and they have done me lots of good. Enclosed \$4.00 send four boxes at once. Yours truly, Reg. S. Orange City, Iowa Jan. 17, 1908.

Gentlemen—Send me at once 3 boxes Nervita Tablets. I received one box a week ago. There is no question as to the potency of your medicine. I feel greatly benefited, and want to use it until perfectly well. Your promptness will oblige. Yours truly, April 2, 1908

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New Dry Farming Town.

There is a new town springing up on the Union Pacific which marks the extension of the dry farming movement still nearer to Cheyenne, says the Cheyenne Tribune. The latest town is Durham, where a large number of dry farmers are locating less than 12 miles from this city. A general store with a fine up to date stock is being installed by Brown & Anderson and other enterprises will soon be centered there. C. W. Long of Durham was in the city today and said he expected that Durham would soon be one of the most important farming towns along the line as it is in the center of a dry farming territory where the soil is equal, if not superior, to the rapidly filling up country to the east.

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup for young and old is prompt relief for coughs, croup, hoarseness, whooping cough. Gently laxative. Guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Koepfen & Bros.

Good Yield of Barley.

Charles Wright, who lives on McKay, was in town Tuesday and had a sample of his this year's barley tested, says the Pilot Rock Record. It was found to be No. 1. He reports receiving 2370 sacks from 110 acres. The sacks averaging 115 pounds. Mr. Wright will also harvest about 150 acres of wheat on the reservation which he expects to average not less than 50 bushels to the acre.

CLEANLY WOMAN.

Erroneously Thinks by Scouring Her Scalp that She Cures Dandruff.

Cleanly woman has an erroneous idea that by scouring the scalp, which removes the dandruff scales, she is curing the dandruff. She may wash her scalp every day, and yet have dandruff her life long, accompanied by falling hair. The only way in the world to cure dandruff is to kill the dandruff germ and there is no hair preparation that will do that but Newbro's Herpicide. Herpicide by killing the dandruff germ, leaves the hair free to grow as healthy Nature intended. Destroy the cause you remove the effect. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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Portland Passenger 4:10 p. m.	Portland Passenger 8:00 a. m.
Chicago-Portland Special 4:40 p. m.	Chicago-Portland Special 12:25 p. m.
Portland-Chicago Express 2:55 a. m.	Portland-Chicago Express 1:05 a. m.

O. R. & N. WASHINGTON DIVISION

Spokane Passenger 4:30 p. m.	Spokane Passenger 12:30 p. m.
Walla Walla Passenger 10:50 a. m.	Walla Walla Passenger 4:50 p. m.

NORTHERN PACIFIC

Pasco Passenger 11:30 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.	Pasco Passenger. 4:30 p. m.
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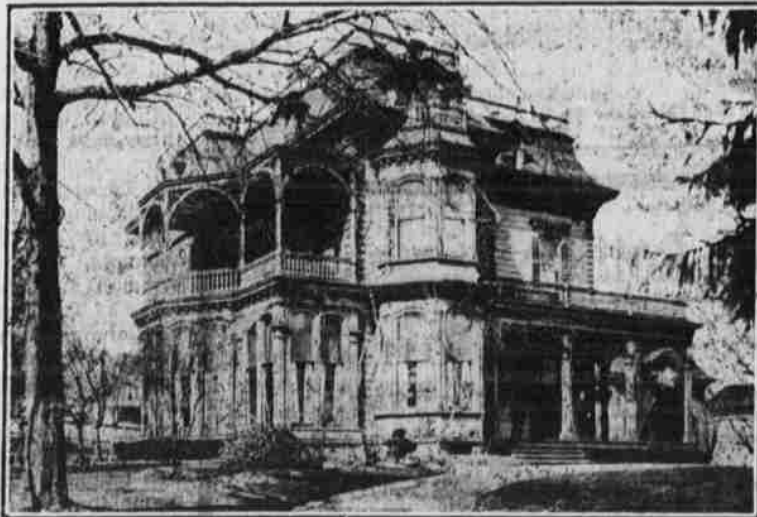
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