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NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

Barn of Mrs. McCarty Burns.
Sunnyside, Wash.—The new barn of Mrs. C. C. McCarty and the contents, containing wagon, cultivator and other farm machinery, were completely destroyed by fire. The haystack was also burned. There was no insurance.

Soden Home at Sprague Burns.
Spokane, Wash.—A fire destroyed the beautiful home of J. G. Soden and but for the heroic efforts of the fire department the flames would have consumed several other dwellings. The total loss was over \$1000 with \$2500 insurance.

Two Accidents Near Lapwai.
Lapwai, Idaho.—Ed Bronche, an Indian, was thrown from a header box and dislocated his ankle and William Summers, section foreman on the Camas Prairie railroad to Sweetwater, was caught by an overturning pile of sacked grain and severely crushed.

Lightning Kills Ayers.
Twisp, Wash.—A. D. Ayers, prominent rancher of Gold creek, aged 28, years, was struck dead by lightning. He leaves a wife and two small children. He has been a resident of Gold creek four years, coming from Chehalis, where interment will be made Friday.

X-Ray Shows Bullet in Arm.
Colfax, Wash.—Deputy Sheriff Cole was able to have an X-ray taken by Dr. A. E. Stahl and J. A. Hahler of the shot wound he received at the hands of Carl Weems. Seven pieces of the bullet were found still to remain.

Indians Act Cautiously at Meteor.
Metzger, Wash.—A horse race was arranged for this place. It ended in a drunken brawl, the Indians drinking and gambling all night, and at 3 o'clock this morning one of the Indians shot a gun and threatened to take some other's lives. Some conditions have terrified some of the white citizens.

Packer's Mayor Injured.
Pasco, Wash.—Mayor W. P. Gray had a narrow escape from serious injury when a horse he was driving became skittish and turned the wagon over. The mayor suffered a severely strained right arm. In his absence at the council meeting Councilman W. P. Elenhardt acted as mayor pro tem.

Hide Dynamite at Pullman.
Pullman, Wash.—That segmen had planned to do some safe-robbing in Pullman is evidenced by the finding of a lot of pulverized dynamite and a fuse hidden in a pile of fence posts near the interior warehouse, on the O. W. R. & N. company's tracks. The find was made by Section Foreman Olson, while removing the posts. The dynamite and fuse were wrapped in sacks and hidden among the posts. A couple of heavy pieces of iron were hidden with the other stuff.

Makes Honey Bees Pay.
Milton, Ore.—J. D. Harrah, south of Milton, commenced last spring with 80 hives of bees and now he has 120 hives. During this time he has sold 80 cases of comb honey and 120 gallons of extract honey. Mr. Harrah sold the comb honey at \$2.85 per

case and the extract for 9 cents a pound, and as there are 12 pounds in a gallon he sold 1440 pounds. In addition to the honey he also sold a large number of queen bees at fancy prices.

On the Trail of Water "Hogs."
Freewater, Ore.—L. D. Howland, the local water master of this section is busy trying to distribute the water from the big Milton-Freewater Irrigating ditches to the entire section of all the water users. He is of the opinion that there is plenty of water for everybody in the different ditches if all of the users would do the right thing, but some will "hog" the water. Mr. Howland has notified the offenders and has been to Pendleton to consult the district attorney.

INVESTORS ARE AFRAID.
Traffic Manager Says Agitation Against Corporations Prevents Investment.

Spokane, Wash.—Waldo G. Paine, general traffic manager of the Spokane & Inland Empire Electric railway system and president of the Spokane Transportation club, who was the principal speaker at a luncheon by the Spokane Chamber of Commerce in honor of transportation men on August 22, said in the course of his address that investors have been frightened by the attempted or threatened regulation and as a result it is difficult at present to secure new capital for railroad enterprises. "The sky seems to be clearing a little for railroad enterprises," he added, "but similar action is being considered and taking place against many other kinds of business and unless you as individuals and as organizations take an active part in creating a sane and sensible public opinion about business, the same difficulty that now embarrasses the railroads will spread and be a menace to other enterprises."

Reviewing the situation in the Inland Empire Mr. Paine said that the railroads already constructed represent an expenditure of \$250,000,000 and give employment to 25,000 men directly and about 200,000 indirectly, adding:

"The gross annual earnings of the group of railroads in the Inland Empire is \$27,000,000 of which amount, roughly, 75 per cent of \$27,000,000, is earned in the handling of freight. Fifteen per cent of the freight receipts is from the products of agriculture, 4 per cent live stock, 16 per cent mines, 16 per cent forests, 10 per cent manufactures, 4 per cent merchandise, and 4 per cent miscellaneous."

MONUMENT OVER LOST LEG.

Man Also Arranges for Burial in Grave With Amputated Limb.

Pasadena, Calif.—Styling himself "Whistling Jim" Toole, a man with his left leg missing dropped off a Chicago train on a unique errand. It was to pay a visit to the grave of his missing leg, buried ten years ago in Mountain View cemetery, after it had been amputated following a railroad accident.

"Whistling Jim" fell from a box car in Pasadena a decade ago and his leg was crushed by the wheels. After his discharge from the hospital he made his way East and now lives in Chicago. A few days ago, obsessed by a desire to visit the grave of his lost leg, he in due time arrived here.

After viewing the grave of his leg Toole hunted up a stone mason and made arrangements as soon as he could raise the necessary money to have a monument erected over the leg.

NEWS FROM BREEZY WENAH SPRINGS

(Special Correspondence.)

Gibson Ore., Aug. 25.—P. A. McPhie went to Pendleton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Farnish have returned from a week's stay in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson went to Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. J. M. Sullivan went to Pendleton Thursday.

Eldon and Kathleen Farnish were in Pendleton Wednesday.

George Gerking and family of Athena arrived today at Wenaha on a camping trip.

George Winn, mother and sister of Weston, are at Wenaha camping.

Dr. Keylor and wife are at Wenaha from Walla Walla.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson went to Athena Thursday.

Misses Myrtle Ewart and Anna May Thompson went down to Pendleton Thursday.

Mrs. C. Leach and Mrs. C. Kane went to Pendleton Friday.

Clarence Moller, clerk at the Hotel Pendleton, returned to that city Thursday after spending his vacation at Wenaha.

Miss Anna May Thompson who went to Weston Saturday returned home Monday.

Lee Drake of Pendleton was at Wenaha for a few days.

Jack Keefe was at Wenaha over Sunday.

Mrs. E. Newberry who has been at Wenaha for the past three weeks, went down to her home in Pendleton Sunday, returning Monday, accompanied by her husband, who will also spend a week's vacation here.

Effie Jean Frazer of Pendleton, is spending the week at Wenaha.

KILLS MOUNTAIN LION

IN DESPERATE BATTLE Man Stabs Savage Beast to Death With Penknife and Saves Two Children—Animal at First Mistaken for Dog.

Galveston, Tex.—Juan Morales, a widower living with his three children near Brownsville, had a desperate battle with a mountain lion, which he killed with a pocket knife after the beast had torn and bitten his right arm until it hung limp by his side.

Morales had been absent from the house and hearing the screams of his children, returned to find the lion standing in the middle of the room over the body of the 3-year-old boy. It had killed and the other two children crouched in a corner screaming.

The lion left its prey and sprang at Morales, who is a powerfully built Spaniard, and a fierce struggle ensued in which Morales tried to strangle the lion. But with its paws the animal soon had Morales almost in its power and was lacerating the shoulder and right arm.

Morales managed to get out his pocket knife, a large blade of which opened with a spring, and with his left hand began stabbing the lion, and finally pierced its heart, and the beast weighing 500 pounds, fell dead.

Wrapping bandages around the arm Morales took his other two children and walked seven miles to Brownsville, where medical attention was given him, and the surgeons say amputation of the arm will be necessary to

save his life.

The children say that when the lion came into the door the 3-year-old boy thought it was a dog and started to pet it, when it sprang at the child.

CITIES THAT WILL BE CLEAN.

1899 marked the beginning of the struggle to introduce business methods into the city hall. Since Des Moines made itself historically conspicuous 200 cities, towns, and villages have done away with their old common-councils and adopted the commission form of government. Grand Rapids is preparing to adopt a charter under which the heads of city departments will be hired in the open market, as a business corporation hires its superintendents and managers. Staunton, Va., has its municipal business administered by a general manager. In Kansas City the mayor has created a cabinet of representative citizens to help him run the city.

The story of city government today is one of a nation-wide struggle to be rid of the lumbering fetich of party politics; the story tomorrow—unless all signs point wrong—will be one of city halls as examples of scientific management—Harry Owen, World's Work for September.

ELECTRIC HEADLIGHTS FOR S. P. LOCOMOTIVES

San Francisco, Calif.—All of the locomotives of the Southern Pacific company are rapidly being equipped with electric headlights. The system is the invention of one of the men in the Sacramento shops of the company and consists of a small turbine engine and generator. This engine has the power of generating thirty volts of electricity, sufficient

for the headlight, classification lights about the engine, all controlled by a switch in the engine's cab. This does away with the inconvenience of using the old-fashioned torch at night when climbing the locomotives.

FINE FUNERAL FOR CAT.

Feline Valued at \$500 Is Buried With Great Pomp.

Philadelphia.—Incased in silk-lined mahogany casket, his head resting on an embroidered satin pillow and every hair in his soft furry coat combed carefully, Tiger, the pet Angora cat of William Gray Brooks, a well-known attorney was buried in a private burying ground beside other cats of high degree, his resting place marked by a stone of pearly whiteness on which has been inscribed his name and date of death.

Tiger died after the united efforts of several veterinarians had failed to bring about his recovery. Brooks, who was in Pittsfield, Mass., with his family, made all arrangements for the funeral by telephone and telegraph. He was said to have valued the cat at more than \$500.

While Tiger lived he wanted for nothing a silk-lined basket that cost more than \$100 was his bed. He was fed on the most delicate of meats. Three lamb chops formed a portion of his daily meal.

KING ANNOYED BY RAILROAD STRIKE

London.—King George, en route to Scotland, was compelled to travel from Bolton Abbey to Carlisle, a distance of ninety miles, by automobile, owing to the fact that the railroads were tied up. Official announcement was made that the annual army maneuvers will be abandoned this year. This action is undoubtedly due to the labor disturbances throughout the United Kingdom, which continue despite the apparent settlement of the railway strike. The men are still out at Newcastle, York, Sunderland, Carlisle, Lancaster, Sheffield, Leeds and many minor places. Fresh disturbances were reported last night in various sections of the affected area.

BIGAMY OUT IN HONEYMOON.

London Mural Artist Revealed as Having Two Wives; One Brooklyn Girl.

New York.—Artistic and literary circles of two continents sat up suddenly when the fashionable Drier family of Brooklyn recalled announcements of the marriage on August 8th of its beautiful daughter Katherine to Edward Trumbull, a London mural painter. The reason given is the discovery that Trumbull has a wife in Paris. The artist believed his first marriage void, but why he never told Miss Drier or her family is a mystery.

MORGAN LEAVES NEWPORT.

Commodore on Yacht Corsair Departs for Bar Harbor.

Newport.—Commodore J. P. Morgan has sailed. There is nothing like Newport to him for a complete rest. He came and departed for Bar Harbor on board his yacht, the Corsair. Commodore Morgan received many invitations for dinners, luncheons and dances, but for the most part he spent his time at stag parties at his fishing club in Graves Point, where he keeps open house.

BLOODHOUNDS ARE ACCUSERS.

Brother Takes His Evidence That His Kin Burned His Barn.

Franklin, Pa.—Lowry Hoffman, a prosperous farmer of Irwin township, was charged with burning the barn of his brother Lewis a week ago. The structure was completely destroyed, together with its contents, including a horse worth \$250, four cows and all the season's crops, the loss being \$2000, with only \$1000 insurance.

It is the theory of the prosecution that Lowry burned the barn in revenge for the action of Carlisle Hoffman, a son of Lewis, in testifying against Lowry in a criminal suit Saturday afternoon.

The principal evidence against Lowry is that the two bloodhounds twice followed a scent from the door of the barn to Lowry's home, a mile distant. On the second trip Lowry came out of the house and the dogs

are alleged to have smelled him and stood stock still. Lowry sent word to the sheriff today that he would come to town and give bail for a hearing. A reign of lawlessness has prevailed in Irwin township, which is many miles inland, during the past few weeks. Two houses and a barn have been burned, two stores have been burglarized and an ice cream social broken up.

Carried to Extremes.
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It is not true that every pain in the back or hips is trouble "peculiar to the sex." When the kidneys get congested and inflamed, there are many such aches and pains and the whole body suffers.

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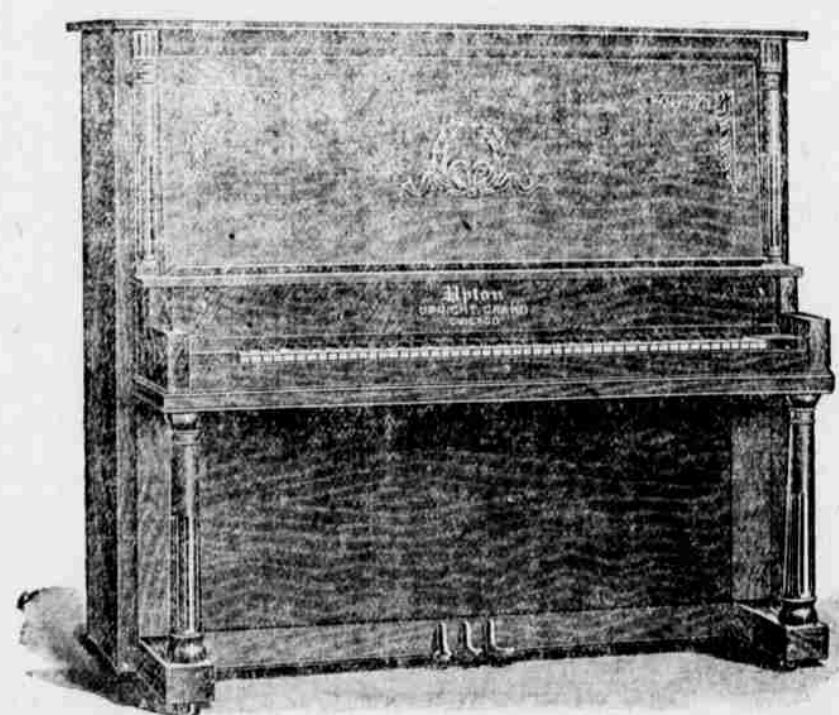
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