Wallowa Cowboys Horseback Dance

(By Berthe A. Womack, a Wallowa Ranch Girl.) Way out in eastern Oregon, where Wallowa's waters flow, Where there's whiteface cattle growin' an bunchgrass horses, too; Where the coyotes come a howlin'

round the ranches after dark, An' the barnyard birds are singin' to the lovely medder larks; Where the cowbols an' the cowgirls, an' the Herefords do abound. An' the monstrous mountains watch-

in' o'er a wilderness profound. Where the steers are out a grazinhis horns are like a lance-'Twas there that I attended the Wallows Cowboys' Horeback dance.

mighty hard to beattle an' wavin' whiskered wheat Where the air is soft an' balmy an'

dry an' full of health. that W. C. M supplies With news an' yarns an' stories of

most amazin' size. Where lives that good old hunter, Joe Carper from the woods. bring back the goods.

how my horse did prancehorseback lowa cowboys'

The cowboys left the ranches an' came to town in herds; The cowgirls' kinder scatterin', gathered in like birds. Old Wallowa was just crowded there

were horses everywhere-Looked like some procession headed for a fair.

The musician was a fiddler an a lively one at that, He rode his buckin' broncho an' wore his broad brimmed hat, An' the music started windin' an'

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The town was old Wallowa-she's latest picture dramas as soon as they be shown that will offend the most I whistle a tune to the wild night are released by the firm exchanges, fastidious. The ventilating system is Where they raise fine Hereford cat- flashed on our curtain by the best of the best. A suction fan 20 inches I'm sometimes lonely, I must confess; machines of today,

This theater is well ventilated, the air every 10 minutes. The pictures seats are comfortable, and the music are projected from two Edison ma-An' the hills is just a bustin' with is in a class by itself. Every atten- chines of late model, insuring abso- Where big gray wolves and coytes their pentup mineral wealth. tion is given towards the comfort attely no flicker, eye strain or long Where they print the Wallowa Sun and entertainment of our patrons.

THE ALTA THEATER.

The Alta theater is operated by chines made. The curtain is of a sethe Alta Theater Co., Inc. The house cret manufacture and the only one was built about one year ago and is in Pendleton When he goes out a huntin' he'll sure one of the most up-to-date theaters On Tuesday and Wednesday of To fall in love with a Buckaroo? in eastern Oregon. The stage is 47x each week we run a feature picture. Twas there I saw at Wallowa-oh, 1:x32 feet, with an opening 26x16 There features have all made good feet and is equipped with six full in the larger citis and patrons of the 'Twas there that I attended the Wal- sets of scenery. The seating capacity Pastime are sure of seeing a real

The management makes a special- Edw. J. Fischer has booked the ty of high class moving pictures and Pastime with high class vaudeville. good music,

vanced instruments made, combining at this theater.

wailin' like some hants

boys looked kinder teed,

"Whoa, fellers, let's stampede."

This in addition to our regular pic-They have just installed a \$3500 ture program. Visitors to the Round-Fotoplayer"," one of the most ad- up will be sure of good entertainment

THE PASTIME THEATER.

The Pastime theater is the pioneer

Hereford mencome to cast their hoo-do on the cowboys' horseback dance. Who had the reputation of cowgirls looked lovely and the just like sin. His outfit sort of gaudy, big spurs an' the leader commenced yellin,

conchas bright,

The caller was a feller-boss of the

voice was like a bugle up on the mountain height. was tall an' angular bronco buster right

at callin' out the dances he was simply out o' sight, he commenced to holler

fellers stake yer pen, horns to all them heifers an russle them like men,

Saloot yer lovely critters, now hands cross an' change, chase those prettie footles once around the range,

mavericks jine the round-up an aroun' the circle pranceis gettin' active, the Wallowa cowboys' horseback dance.

yer helfers, boys. Then drive 'em to the center an' nev-

er mind the noise." That happy, frisky fiddler, he was mighty hard to beat, Though his gait was quite uncertain

he never lost his seat. dust rose fast and furious, we all just galloped round the scenery got so giddy that Diamond B horse was down.

We buckled to our partners an' told 'em to hold on. An' shook our hoofs like lightnin' until nearly dawn.

Then turned our horses homeward an galloped to the ranch, a happy recollection of cowboys' horseback dance.

Six Jacks Too Many

In early days Pendleton was something of a wide open town. That is 20 feet and the only bar to gambling ance of the deck. Only two stayed was a shortage of kale or nerve Everybody was doing it. It was the fashion of the day. Not infrequently there was a shooting or something else equally as entertaining. Anyone who has lived in Pendleton for a quarter of a century or more can reenlightening to a tenderfoot,

Arthur Gibson, local contractor, who superintended the building of "Happy Canyon," has been here for nany years and, while the general committee on the evening entertainnent was threshing out the plans one evening, he narrated a little incident that had both the elements of comedy and tragedy.

'When I was a young buck," he said, "I used to drop into some of the saloons here to watch the chips change hands. One night I stepped into a joint where some negroes were playing poker. They had been play-

Rene Viviani

Rene Viviani, the present prime minister in France, was born in Algeria. His success in French politics has been due to his interest in labor When the office of minister of labor was created by the Clemenceau government in 1906, he was the first man to fill it. Although the next government was of an opposing facion, M. Viviani still was kept at his In accordance with his labor sympathies, he worked consistently against the law providing for a compulsory three-year period of service in the army, in favor of which the country recently voted.

M. Viviani is an able man, but his strong points are not particularly war

love the life of a Buckeress; I love the lillies and watercress,

fresh hue.

Hiano, organ and other instruments. hair.

moving picture house in the city, hav-

Its shady groves and its winding les. The patronage of women and I see at night in my peaceful dreams. There you will witness first the children is solicited. No picture will I know each brute of my roving herd.

in diameter completely changes the I'm only a little Buckaress.

waits between pictures. The Edison Where mountain lions and fox abound machines, are recognized the world My 30-30 and faithful hound over as the best moving picture ma- Are the true, tried friends who stick

> And yet! I'm lonely as I can be. I wonder if it would ever do

Somewhere, I've read, of a Great White Way. feature. During Round-up week

glare? never have seen a hobble skirt! Could I ever learn to lie and flirt? The "bunny-hug" and the "tango

ranch Does "bunny-hug" give the heart a thrill.

Like the dizzy waltz in Virginia reel? Would "tango" flutter the heart of a maid

nade?" Oh, I long for love's sweet, warm ca

I'm a lonely little Buckaress.

roam; Sometimes I long for a better home And often a longing comes over me To steal from the ranch, the world to

have read of cities' gleaming light. Where human wolves prowl around at night,

breath death.

caller kept a singin, "Round up How human beings can ever sink So low as to lead a kid astray By the gilded light of the streets

I am only a timid Buckaress.

To Pendleton's Round-up soon I'll go; They say it's a dandy cowboy show My daddy and ma, will go with me This wonderful "frontier show" to see We'll see the bronchos and riders, too. Say, I know a handsome Buckaroo; He said he'd come to the Bar X ranch; I'll lead him there, if I have a chance. I haven't a doubt nor a single fear I can lasso the heart of this "slick

He's a handsome, heart-free Buckaroo And he says he loves me -honest,

He wants to make me his darling wife Then we'll live on the Bar X ranch for life.

ing all day and the floor was strewn with cast-off cards

"I picked up six jacks from the floor and after a hand had been dealt to say there were saloons every 15 or I slipped the six on top of the balin. 'How many cards do you want?' the dealer asked after the discard. Both called for three and of course each got three jacks. "I've got a jack full' the first fellow said after they had bet their pile. 'So have I.' said the other and they showed down.

"They looked at each other a minute and then both began to reach late yarns by the hour that are very for their razors. About that time 1 had business that took me outside in

The Buckaress

The wind, the sun and the morning

Have tinted my face with health's

I bathe in the morning's sweet, cool It paints my cheeks and tousles my

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I ride the range of the Bar X ranch. ning to secure only the best of clean, ing embarked in business March 22, I know each hillock, each spring, each branch:

roam: to me:

Where all are merry and life is gay, Do you think I would be happy there, Midst the noise and din of the city's

dance Would never "take" on the Bar X

Like "allemande left and all prome

love the range where the cattle

And seek their prey with sodden

As they lead poor lambs to awful shudder now, as I stop and think

highway. I'd better stay on the ranch, I guess

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