RECORD OF DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS

Satisfaction of Mortgage.

A mortgage executed by R. S. Hart to W. I. Gadwa, May 13, 1915 for $105 is satisfied.

A mortgage executed by the Alta Theater to the Alta Theater Co. May 26, 1915 for $700, is satisfied.

A mortgage executed by Walter B. Hinkle to Western Land & Irrigation Co is satisfied.

Chattel Mortgage.

John C. Clive to First Bank of Pilot Rock, $375, 9 cows, 5 heifers, 2 steers, 1 mare.

Louis Attebury to Thursey Maid, $100, 1 mare.

Mortgage.

J. J. Underwood to B. F. Wilson, NW 1-4 of NE 1-4 of sec. 36, T. 5 N., R. 28 E., W. M.

ADAMS YOUNG PEOPLE SPEND DAY ON RIVER

PLEASANT TIME IS ENJOYED—OTHER PERSONAL NOTES OF ADAMS.

(Special Correspondence.)

ADAMS, Ore., Sept. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krebs motored to Pendleton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lieuallen and daughters, Dorris and Dena, and the Misses Neva Dallas, Jessie Chesnut and Eileen Bowling spent Sunday afternoon on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Morrison and children returned from the springs Sunday.

John Adams was in town Monday.

Wesley Wertman, who has been working on the Rogers ranch for some time, left Sunday for Athena, where he will work on the Alex McIntyre ranch.

Lyle McIntyre of Portland, visited at the home of his parents several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kirby and daughters, Alberta and Joyce, spent Sunday at Pendleton.

Miss Grace Peringer, who has been visiting at the home of her brother, Roy Peringer of Oakesdale, Washington, came home last week.

Lou Clark made a business trip to Athena Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Chesnut and Miss Jessie Chesnut were in Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Marquis and children were in town Saturday.

A hunting and fishing party composed of Wrennie Green, J. C. Chesnut, Otis Lieuallen and Roy Ferguson, left Wednesday for their booty.

L. L. Lieuallen and family and Miss Neva Dallas left Monday for the mountains where they will enjoy a two weeks' outing.

Sullivan Reimer left last week for Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Perle Hales were in town last week.

Jack Baker left last week for his home in Idaho after having worked in the warehouse at Eastland during the busy season.

Mr. McKinney of Helix, was in town Monday. The eighth grade examinatin will be held here Thursday and Friday. Miss Nellie Darr will conduct the examinations.

The Young Peoples' meeting was conducted by Miss Eileen Bowling Sunday evening and was very interesting. The topic discussed was "Frivolity." A duet, "It Was for Me," sung by the Misses Esther Reid and Jessie Chesnut, added to the usual program. The meeting on Sunday, September 5' will be conducted by Miss Augusta Stockton.

Carl Christian of Athena, was in town Tuesday.

Guy Mayberry made a trip to Pendleton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Roseberry and the Misses Wilma and Helen Boyer returned Sunday from the mountains where they enjoyed a week's outing.

Next Sunday church services will again begin in the Baptist church.

Joe Payant was in town Sunday.

Mr. Sears was in town Monday.

NORTHWEST WHEAT KING DIES AT LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 1.—W. H. Babcock, "wheat king of the northwest," died at his home here, aged 75. He had lived here since 1906, when he retired.

Babcock went to Walla Walla Wash., in 1874, and with money accumulated in railroad building, he acquired thousands of acres of land. Babcock lived for a time in Spokane. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Miss J. Elizabeth Babcock and Mrs. Jessie B. Hunt and a sister Mrs. Martha Petrie of Oswego, N. Y., where he was born.

SPORTS

REPUTATION OF NEW YORK GIANTS HANGS BY SLENDER THREAD

MUST FINISH FIRST PLACE TO ESCAPE BEING DUBBED FAILURE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—If the Giants finish anywhere but first place, they will probably go down as the biggest failures of the weird season of 1915. The New York club is admittedly the highest salaried one in the National league, and has the most "paper strength" of any, with the possible exception of the Braves. Everything at the start of the season was in their favor, and Gotham fans settled back for a long season of battling between McGraw's clan and the Braves for the pennant. On dope they were the only ones who stood a show of getting in the October classics.

The teams are turning into the home stretch today, with the world's series but five weeks away, and most of the dopesters and bettors are scrambling their brains trying to decide which to lay their shekels on—Brooklyn or Philadelphia.

The Giants haven't had much hard luck—as hard luck goes, accidents and such. True, they have had bad luck, but McGraw has won pennants in the face of far heavier odds than he has had to face this season. He had a team of veterans last March that had stood up under the fire and gaff of many gruelling pennant races and they were all going good. There were few signs of cracks—Mathewson had one of his best seasons, as had Tesreau. The erratic Marquard had finished a fair season and according to the way Rube has run since he broke into the big show, he should have been due for a whale of a season in 1915. Backing them up were Stroud, Schupp and Schauer, a trio of mighty likely looking youngsters.

There was a hole at third base, a gaping one left by Tilly Schafer's retirement. McGraw went out and grabbed Hans Lobert who batted .275 for the weak Phils the year before and was listed as one of the fastest men on the bases in the Tener circuit. Lobert has fallen down woefully with McGraw's men. He is batting around .240 and his name isn't even among the first ten base stealers. His fielding, too, has slumped.

McGraw freely blames his pitchers and it seems he is justified. Marquard, the eccentric, hasn't won half his games. Matty, the steady, hasn't won half his games, Tesreau has barely managed to split fifty-fifty, and the three youngsters have proved so unsteady that McGraw has used them only as relief hurlers.

McGraw, however, has awakened to the fact that its time to begin housecleaning and has started by cutting the supports under Fred Stodgrass, long one of his favorites. Rumor has said that Chief Meyers and Rube Marquard were slated for the hooks. Giant officials have denied this, but its a safe bet that if they don't pick up in their work by the last of the season, there's going to be some new talent floating around the Polo grounds.

McGraw also has a crow to pick with the umpires. John never was original.

"The National league has seen the rottenest umpiring in its history this season," he said, recently. "There is but one competent umpire in the league—Bill Klem. With a fair break in the umpiring, the Giants might have finished better."

George Burns is another player who has not delivered. Last year, Burns stole 62 bases and batted over .300. This year he is hitting the ball around .170 and has stolen less than twenty bases.

Although Mac had a good pitching staff at the start of the season, he wasn't satisfied.

"If I had just one more good pitcher, I'd be willing to ride," he opinioned.

So he went out and grabbed Poll Perritt, who had been one of the best pitchers in the league the year before, and Poll hasn't won half his games.

Farrell Accepts Clark Challenge to Fight on 8th

LOCAL CHAMPION GIVES RETURN BOUT TO MAN HE DEFEATED AT ATHENA.

Billy Farrell and Tommy Clark will fight on the eighth of this month at the Oregon theater in this city. Farrell made this announcement this morning, having received word from Clark that he would be in condition to fight on that date. The two boys will go over the 20 round route.

Farrell and Clark met recently at Athena and the fight was a slambang affair until the sixth round when Clark hurt his knee and had to forfeit the bout to his opponent. Since returning to Portland he has had a specialist work on his knee and writes that it is as good as ever.

Local fans who saw the mill at Athena will welcome a return bout for the two lightweights seemed to be evenly matched and want to fight from gong to gong.

AMERICAN WOMAN TO GO TO ITALIAN FRONT

MRS EUGENE BOISSEVAIN.

Mrs. Eugene Boissevain, the former Inez Milholland, noted suffragette and woman lawyer of New York, has been accorded the privilege of visiting the Italian fighting front with the first party of newspaper correspondents allowed to enter the zone where operations have been carried on. The Italian authorities have permitted no newspaper writers to visit the actual fighting front heretofore.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

At Portland—			
San Francisco	1	7	1
Portland	0	5	1
At Salt Lake—			
Salt Lake	5	14	3
Oakland	5	10	2

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg—			
Pittsburg	6	13	0
Chicago	2	6	6
Second game:			
Pittsburg	5	9	1
Chicago	2	5	0
At Buffalo—			
Detroit	9	13	3
Chicago	6	11	4
At St. Louis—			
Cleveland	6	8	0
St. Louis	0	3	7

CELILO CANAL IS AID TO THE CATTLE TRADE

ELTOPIA, Wash., Sept. 1.—The first direct result of the opening of the Celilo locks left here was the shipment by Nagel Bros. from their ranch 12 miles west of here of 450 head of hogs by boat on the Columbia river. The shipment was consigned to the Union Stock Yards at Portland.

The rate quoted is cheaper by $2.20 a head than shipping by rail. In addition to this the boat loaded at the Nagel landing, thus avoiding a wagon haul of 12 miles over poor roads. It is felt that the easy transportation will stimulate the hog and cattle business, especially among ranchers between here and the Columbia river.

Occupies New Building.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—The Hebrew Technical Institute was ready today to move into a new $150,000 home, made possible by gift of $120,000 from the Joseph B. Bloomingdale Fund and from the family of the late Dr. Morris Loeb, former president.

BIGGEST BATTLEFIELD.

Siedloe government includes all that part of Russian Poland through which the czar's armies are retreating. On every side German armies are pressing upon this central Polish government, which is now assuming its great historic interest as a theater where the most stirring events of the world war may take place. The following description of this great battlefield has just been issued by the National Geographical Society:

Siedloe government forms the heart of Poland, screened behind the Vistula and Bug rivers toward the west, north and east, and by the Wieprz river in the south. It is also more closely related to Russia than any other part of the Polish province. The great trunk line of railways binding Warsaw with Petrograd and Moscow cross Poland within this government and some of the most favorable Polish wagon roads also run over its plain toward the Russian border. Its river boundaries all around it, together with extensive marshes in the north and low hills in the south, invest it with unusual advantages for defense, while its level character facilitates transport.

There are a few sloping hilly tracts in the government, on the bank of the Bug, around Biala and in the middle. The marshes in the north are treacherous and worthless. However, only about 5 per cent of the government's total area of 5533 square miles is unproductive. It is one of the richest agricultural areas in Poland. Nearly half of it, or 48 per cent, is under crops, and another 17 per cent is in meadow and pasture land. The principal crops are rye, wheat, oats, barley and potatoes. The breeding of livestock is second in importance to agriculture. About 19 per cent of the land is forested. The government is of no importance industrially. It supports about 1,060,000 population.