HORSE SHED ON SKIDS MYSTERIOUSLY BURNS

Haying is nearly completed. The wheat is ripening rapidly. The ware-houses are being renovated to be in readiness for the new crop.

G. W. Taylor, wife and son Burel of Athona attended the surprise Saturday night.

day night. Gwendelin and Wendell McIntyre of

Athena attended church Sunday morn-

Charles Owens returned from his vacation trip to Wallowa Lake last Thursday.

Mrs. G. M. Spencer who spent two weeks visiting relatives at Hood River returned Saturday.

162,000 ARE WITHOUT **EMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN**

TOKYO, July 20.—(U, P.)—The labor situation in Japan is becoming quite serious owing to the closing of many factries on account of the great slump in prices. A few months ago, when the country was still riding high on the wave of prosperity, labor was short and, as a consequence, workers were able to secure advances in ages and other advantages. Now the situation has changed entirely, and the government is taking steps to combatthe evils of unemployment which have already begun to set in.

The slump has hit the weaving industries particularly badly. Thus the Yenshu Textile Company threw 12,000 men out of work recently, and many other factories have either discharged their men absolutely, or have laid TOKYO, July 20 .- (U. P.) -The la-

other factories have either discharged their men absolutely, or have laid them off for the time being, hoping for better times to come. Mines, match factories and other industrial concerns have been compelled to follow suit, and it is reported by the authorities that during May, 56 big establishments closed throwing about 50,000 workers out of work while many smaller concerns have added their troubles to the general confusion.

The department of commerce and agriculture estimates that 182,000 workers have been discharged since January, and hopefully suggests that many of these may have found new jobs. The situation is aggravated, however, through the fact that Japan's industries are located in comparatively few centers, and as a consequence the evils are concentrated where they occur and cause very considerable hardship.

SEEKS RUGBY GAMES

STANFOR UNIVERSITY, Cal., July 20.—Offers of rugby games in England against the American Olympic Games rugby toam have been received here by Harry Maloney, associated director of athletes of Stanford University and one of the prime movers in sending the American players overseas. Oxford. American players overseas. Oxford, Cambridge, two Plymouth rubgy un-ions and other organizations have ask-ed for games.

ATMOSPHERE IS GONE FROM GAY PICCADILLY

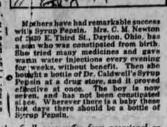
LONDON, July 20.—(U. P.)—
"Good-bye, Piccadilly, farewell, Leicteter Square.

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