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Singularly enough, Sunday came on Saturday at Pendleton.

Boston newspaper writers have struck for more pay—a case wherein, we hope, not to write is might.

"Peddling the bull" is more profitable in New Jersey than elsewhere—a famous blooded Holstein having sold there for \$100,000.

The esteemed Oregonian and the esteemed East Oregonian are quarreling again—a pastime they have followed to our own personal knowledge for the past forty years.

Huns are still doing lots of kicking, but therein their capacity ends.

We fancy that "Red" Rupert is growing blue.

The sympathetic strike is as likely as not to strike the unsympathetic as a damphool proposition.

The Hohenzollern who tried vainly to take everything else will soon have to take his medicine.

"Nothing can save the democratic party next year except republican stupidity," remarks the esteemed Oregonian. Looks pretty safe for the democratic party.

Pendleton's celebration was a pronounced success—variety being the keynote. Everything was free, which generosity held an especial

appeal for the country editors in attendance.

The sale of government-owned moving picture films for private account, constituting the latest scandal, might be referred to as a sort of film-flam.

"Seven Persons Die in Chicago."—headline. Sad fate; but perhaps better than living in Chicago.

Wilson is now ready to tell the senate all about it.

**Frontier Days at Walla Walla**

Walla Walla, Wash., July 10.—Arrangements are being made by the Walla Walla Commercial Club and the Fair Association of this city to hold a gigantic Frontier Days celebration here on September 11, 12 and 13. The celebration will consist of a three-day program of wild west events and contests which will be the feature of the Walla Walla Agricultural and Stock Fair to be held September 10 to 13. Frontier Days contests will be participated in by well known title holders of the west. Bucking broncho riding contests for the championship, steer bull dogging, relay and pony express riding, cowboys' and cowgirls' saddle races, Indian pony express, relay and saddle races, stage coach races, steer roping contests, roping exhibitions and fancy and trick riding displays will be embodied in the huge program presented. Purses to the amount of \$6000 will be awarded to winners of the Frontier Days' contests.

Captain Fred Murray, recently discharged after two years of service in the United States Army, is managing Frontier Days this year. Prior to the war he was identified with wild west attractions, among them being the Missoula Stampede which has been successfully staged at Missoula, Montana, for several years.

Arrangements are being made with railroads for a reduction in rates for the Frontier Days events. The committees in charge of the big celebration are planning a lively time for visitors to Walla Walla and extend a cordial invitation to everyone to be in Walla Walla September 10-13.

**Some Pretty Fair Shooting**

Matt J. Vanderpool has exchanged his army uniform for jumper and overalls, after 14 1/2 months of service overseas. He says he feels better with farm clothes on.

Matt was with the 146th Field Artillery, and saw his share of hostilities. He was assigned to the duty of gun sighter the second day at the front, and learned to respect the ability of a French 165 equipped with American sights—making it practically the same as an American six-inch gun.

On one occasion the particular gun to which Matt was attached was given the range by a doughboy outpost of a Hun motor car in motion 13 1/2 miles away. The car was known to contain German officers, and the American battery officer allowed the gun crew five shots with which to destroy it. They saved four shells by hitting the car the first shot. Another time the same gun destroyed with a few shots a German headquarters 14 miles away. The boches got even later, however, by putting the gun out of action with a direct hit by a 210 shell. The shell exploded under the gun barrel while Matt and his comrades were in the recoil pit, but they miraculously escaped unhurt. The ground was soft, else some or all of them could hardly have kept out of the casualty list.

The 146th was in action at Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel, the Argonne, Verdun and elsewhere, and at one time was for 27 days under continuous shell fire. After the armistice the artillery boys took things easy on the Rhine. Matt says they wasted no affection on the German people, the efforts of the latter to ingratiate themselves being well understood.

On of the hardest things to bear while at the front, according to this young artilleryman, was to submit to German shelling and to be unable to retaliate. This happened when the French occupied an adjoining sector and German guns opposing the French also fired upon the Americans. It seems that because of certain liaison regulations the American artillery was forbidden to reply to German guns opposing a French sector. Matt's outfit were annoyed exceedingly once by a big German gun which they could easily have destroyed.

Matt brought back the most interesting collection of war-time photographs yet seen here.

**Early Settler Called by Death**

Hezekiah Key, one of the earliest residents of the Weston neighborhood, fell dead Friday evening while going out from his home below town after a bucket of water.

Mr. Key had reached the ripe old age of 89 years. He was a native of North Carolina, where he was married to Mahulda E. Moore August 29, 1866. Soon afterward Mr. and Mrs. Key moved to Iowa, where they lived two years. They then emigrated to California, residing there three years, when they came to Oregon. Mr. Key was among the first of Weston's wheat farmers. He was at one time the largest land owner in this section, but reverses caught him in a period of over-expansion and he lost all his holdings. In recent years Mr. and Mrs. Key lived quietly on a garden and fruit tract on Pine creek below town.

Mr. Key was a civil war veteran, having served under Gen. Rhodes.

The departed pioneer is survived by his widow, one son, William Key of Cottonwood, California, and three daughters, Mrs. J. N. York of Milton, Oregon, Mrs. Geo. W. Badgett of Pendleton and Mrs. T. H. Wyland of Pilot Rock.

Funeral services were held Sunday at his late home, with Scripture reading by Rev. W. S. Payne and prayer by Rev. W. R. Storms. Prayer was also offered and suitable hymns were sung at the grave. The funeral was largely attended, a long procession of automobiles following the remains to the grave.

**Moving Picture Machine Ordered**

At a meeting Monday of the board of managers of the Memorial Hall association it was decided for the present to abandon the plan of remodeling the front of the hall and to devote the entire resources of the association to getting the hall in readiness for motion picture shows. President F. D. Watts was authorized to purchase one of the best Simplex machines on the market, and the interior of the hall will be arranged for its installation. Nothing will be done with the exterior beyond completing the cornice and putting in the double windows. When this work is done and the motion picture machine purchased and installed, the present subscription fund of the association will have been exhausted.

Butter wraps at Leader shop.

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**Buick vs. Ford**

A Ford car driven by W. S. Payne of this city and a Buick driven by a young man named Johnson of Milton, crashed together on the road between Weston and Athena with results seriously disastrous to both cars. Mr. Payne and party, which included his two sons and two other boys, were coming home on their side of the road. Headed toward Pendleton, the Buick approached them at high speed on its wrong side of the road. When the Buick was so close he feared a collision Mr. Payne turned out. An instant later the Johnson car also turned, and before its driver could stop it struck the side of the Ford. Although both cars were badly wrecked, none of the occupants were injured, barring a few slight cuts in the head received by Anson Payne from flying bits of glass. Mr. Johnson had a young man companion.

Ten miles of paving on the "blue and white trail" between Athena and Milton were ordered advertised for the August meeting by the state highway commission in session at Portland Wednesday. Nothing has been made public as to the particular route the highway will take through Weston.

**Notice of Final Settlement**

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Ransom Lieuallen, Deceased.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—Notice is hereby given that J. H. Padberg, administrator of the estate of Ransom Lieuallen, deceased, has filed in the above entitled court his final account of the administration of said estate, and said court has fixed the 19th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in the County Court house at Pendleton in Umatilla County, State of Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections and exceptions, if any there be thereto; and all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and make any objections or exceptions they have to the approval of said report, the discharging of said administrator and the exoneration of his bondsmen from further liability herein; and it was further ordered by said court that this notice should be published in the Weston Leader, a weekly newspaper published at Weston, Umatilla County, State of Oregon, for four consecutive weeks, the first publication thereof being made on the 20th day of June, 1919. Said order is dated the 17th day of June, 1919.

J. H. PADBERG, Administrator of the Estate of Ransom Lieuallen, Deceased.

Good seven-room house with modern appointments and six lots for sale at a bargain. Terms. Robert Prouditt.

For Sale—Set of breeding work harness. Andy Barnett.  
Used Ford car for sale. Terms. C. H. Nelson.

We have moved from the Weston hotel to the Pinkerton residence on south Water street. Good meals served. Board by the week, if desired. L. W. Hebert.

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