

UMATILLA COUNTY IN PIECES

Newsy Items of Interest from Our County Exchanges.

[From the Milton Miltonian.]
Andrew Spence, a Miltonian who has spent the last several years in British Columbia and other sections of the northland, has returned to Milton and will spend the winter here.

Henry Pierce came up from the redman's country last Saturday. While here he loaded seven six-horse wagons with barley to be taken to his reservation farm, finding this method of transportation cheaper than by rail.

Johnny O'Harra, who lives on Pea Ridge, about six miles south of here, has just finished gathering 60 acres of beans. They yielded about 480 pounds to the acre and are worth 3 to 3 1/2 cents per pound. That pays a little better than raising wheat at 30 cents a bushel.

Freewater has a lodge of Knights of the Maccabees. Although but recently organized it is in a flourishing condition, with 22 members and the number is being constantly added to.

Mrs. Ves White discovered a freak in the egg line this week. While preparing the noonday meal she broke an egg, which to all outward appearances was the same as other eggs, and she was greatly surprised to find inside it a much smaller but perfectly developed egg shell and all.

[From the Milton Eagle.]

Raymond, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Evans, aged four months and eleven days, died at their Freewater home on Tuesday night of some infantile disorder.

Mike Ryan, a bad man from the headwaters of Bitter creek, or to be more explicit, from Pine creek basin, stole several head of cattle this week from Billy Koontz and sold them to Walla Walla butchers. Sheriff Houser was over to Walla Walla yesterday and took the gentleman in and he now languishes in jail in Pendleton.

H. H. Reel, administrator of the estate of Joseph Sutton, deceased, came to town late Monday evening and swore out a warrant in Justice Stowe's court for the arrest of James Petrie, the charge being that Petrie has been purloining and selling wood off a certain tract of timber land on Linneton mountain, belonging to the Sutton estate.

[From the Pilot Book Record.]

J. H. McBroom of Weston was in this neighborhood last week looking after his stock interests.

Thos. Johnson brought a beet into our sanctum which weighed 5 1/2 pounds. A place where beets will grow like that would be a good locality for a sugar factory.

We received an apple from Sturtevant's orchard which measured 1 1/2 inches in circumference and weighed 1 1/2 pounds. We consider this a pretty decent sized apple.

A Pilot Rock resident will give away one lot to any person who will erect a residence thereon, provided five other citizens can be found who will do the same thing.

While riding on horseback last week, Mrs. Will Hale met with an accident which might have been serious had she not jumped. Her horse slipped on a rock and fell over a cliff. The only damage, however, was a slight gash which the horse received from a sharp rock.

[From the East Oregonian.]

Mike Ryan was brought before Justice Parkes Friday and bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$800. He waived examination.

L. M. Huson is now engaged in seeding about 2000 acres for Paine Bros. of Walla Walla.

Wheelmen went out in force Sunday on the country roads. Dust is again bad and cycling will not be enjoyable until some rain comes.

Many of the most prudent farmers have stopped seeding operations and will await the fall rains. Much grain near Adams has come up and is already a inch high with a thrifty growth.

The Rod & Gun club of Pendleton completed arrangements Thursday evening for a live pigeon shoot to be held on Sunday, October 13, on the club ranges south of town. Free pigeons will be furnished by the club, and an entrance fee of \$10 will be charged for all contestants.

It has been ascertained that the bridge on the O. R. & N. which was burned Friday night was set on fire by sparks from a passing engine. At least, in the absence of any proof that there was any other cause, the railway officials have fallen back on this as the only plausible explanation.

Miss Woodruff goes next week to visit the school districts and will be thus engaged for six weeks. She will at this time ascertain what

districts have complied with the law and adopted the text books prescribed by law, failure to install which forfeits the district's share of the state apportionment.

T. J. Million has returned from Belmont, Wash., where he was running a threshing engine. Grain harvest is about ended and threshing nearly done. According to Mr. Million's observation, the crop in that region was first-class. Very little damage was done by the rains, contrary to the general report.

Chehalis was lame Saturday and, in the 2:13 pace, was given his first beating this season. The fastest four heats ever trotted or paced on the Pacific Coast were features of this race, the time being 2:08, 2:08, 2:09 1/2, 2:09. Chehalis won the first heat and Waldo J took the next three straight. Pathmont, Chehalis' brother, was also in the race. Frank Frazier telegraphed to E. H. Clarke Saturday evening that Chehalis had lost the race on account of lameness.

[From the Pendleton Tribune]

Officers of the county W. C. T. U. were elected as follows: Mrs. Inman, president; Mrs. Jennie Berry, of Milton, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Bayse, of Helix, recording secretary; Mrs. Reynolds, of Weston, treasurer.

By a vote of 38 to 2, the school district decided to issue bonds in the sum of \$22,000 in order to realize money to pay the indebtedness of the district, amounting to \$16,000, and to build a new school-house.

Frank Snow, who has been connected with the local papers for some time and who is one of the most popular newspaper men in the state, leaves for Petaluma, Calif., on his wheel. He will ride as far as Cascade Locks, and go thence to Portland by boat. Remounting his bicycle at the metropolis, he will proceed to his destination.

Not Much Land Rented.

Major G. W. Harper, agent at the Umatilla Indian reservation, says lands are not renting readily this fall. The low price of wheat has made farmers hesitate to take any rented lands and some difficulty is experienced in securing the bonds required by the government from those who lease Indian lands. Mr. Harper believes that much less than the usual amount of land will be taken this fall. Only the advance in wheat will cause the land to be rented.

A MOB'S VENGEANCE.

A Negro Horribly Mutilated and Then Burned near Chattanooga.
Neel Smith, who committed rape and probably murder upon the person of Maggie Henderson, at Cole City, was taken from jail Monday night by 150 men and riddled with bullets.

Smith confessed, and was mutilated in a fearful manner. His father, William Henderson, was subsequently cut off the negro's ears. Smith was seized and held while one of the crowd pounded his fingers, joint by joint, one finger at a time, until the hand was a shapeless mass of bloody jelly. This was because in the struggle to subdue Miss Henderson he had bitten off one of her fingers. Each man then took a turn at shooting at him until when he died he must have had four or five pounds of lead in him. He was literally shot to pieces, and the bloody pulp, which only an hour before had been Smith, was thrown into a hastily prepared pit of brush wood and burned until not a scrap of bone remained.

The Next Legislature.

The next state senate will consist, as heretofore, of 30 members. The holdovers are: Brownell, Calbreath, Carter, Dawson, Gesner, Gowan, Hobson, Holt, Johnson, King, McClung, Patterson, Price, Simon, Smith of Clatsop—15.

Successors are to be elected to McGinn, Woodard, Bancroft and Denny in Multnomah county; Alley in Lane, Beckley in Douglas, Butler in Polk, Cogswell in Lake, Huston in Washington, Maxwell in Tillamook, McAlister in Union, Raley in Umatilla, Smith in Sherman, Steiwer in Gilliam and Vanderburg in Coos. The retiring 15 stand: Republicans, 7; democrats, 7; populists, 1, counting Beckley as a democrat. Of the holdovers, Holt and King are populists and Smith of Clatsop a democrat, the other 12 being republicans.

Sorghum Poison to Cattle.

During the last four days more than 200 head of cattle have died in Western Kansas from eating the second growth of sorghum which is rank poison. The crop of sorghum is very large in Western Kansas, and the second growth is exceedingly rank. Many farmers turned their cattle into the fields to eat it down, and death has resulted in nearly every case. In Phillips county 50 head died from eating this forage, while reports from other

counties state that the loss has been heavy. In Stanton county a herd of 40 fat steers died within two hours after eating sorghum forage.

It Was Diphtheria.

According to the Boise Evening Mail, a physician in that city, Dr. Janney, called a nurse to a diphtheria patient, telling her it was only a case of heart disease. The nurse carried the diphtheria to her own children, two of them died and several others were taken down by the same disease. The public school children to the number of 300 are being kept at home by their parents on account of dread of the disease.

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Summons.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Umatilla county, Rose Scott, Plaintiff

vs.
J. A. Johnson, J. B. Stewart and J. J. Johnson, Defendants.
In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served in Umatilla county, or if served in any other county in the State of Oregon, then within twenty days from the date of such service upon you, or if served upon you outside of the State of Oregon or by the publication thereof then by the first day of the next regular term of said Court next following such publication, to-wit: the 14th day of October, 1885.

DEFENDANTS will take notice that if they fail to appear and answer or plead to the plaintiff's said complaint within said time, the plaintiff for want thereof, will take judgment against them for the sum of \$67.50, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 6th day of May 1885, until paid together with the costs and disbursements of this action. E. DEFEAT, Attorney for Plaintiff.

This summons is published by order of Hon. J. A. Fee Judge of said court, made at chambers in Pendleton Oregon, on the 21st day of August 1885. E. DEFEAT, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Assignee's Notice.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla county.

In the matter of Andrew Schnebele, an insolvent debtor.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Lake Francis, has been appointed assignee of the estate of the above named insolvent debtor, and has duly qualified as such assignee herein. All persons having claims against said insolvent debtor are hereby required and notified to present the same duly verified to the undersigned at Athena, Oregon within three months from the date hereof. Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 13th day of September, 1885. LAKE FRANCIS, Assignee.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Mayor and common council of the city of Athena, Oregon, at a meeting thereof to be held on the 16th day of Oct. 1885, for a license to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one quart, said liquor to be sold only in the Matlock building situated on lot 9, in block 5, of said city. LEW SHAW, Applicant.

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