and the Normal School Agents.
Weston Normal School case

to have been finally settled satisfaction of all parties coned. It was announced somee ago that the secretary of state agreed to certain things which were agreeable to the regents of the school and the case was dismissed by the attorneys employed by the board, Messrs. Reeder & Raley and Judge Ballery, Col. Raley having met the secretary at Portland and Raley stated to an East Oregonian

"The statement which was published in the Portland Oregonian says: "Dr. King, candidate for and other papers to the effect that mayor, after a residence of about a the plaintiff met with a non-suit leaves an erroneous impression re- er is not yet on the city taxroll, is garding the true status of the case. busy these days writing anonymous may be susceptible of various interpretations, it has generally been taken by the people in this case as who might be influenced to vote meaning that the plaintiff was for him. His energy is only equal-forced out of court. The facts are ed by his 'gall.'" that the dismission of the case was perfectly in line with the wishes of the regents, whom we, as counsel, represented, and that the secretary has conceded all the things which were vital in the issue. By coming to an amicable agreement in the premises, long and tedious litiinterests of the people, as represented by the secretary, and of the ing of the Roslyn coal across the normal school, as represented by Blue mountains. Then the Diathe regents, have been conserved. | mondville coal makes a better fire The agreement provided that the and a tank of coal will last a pascase should be dismissed on our senger engine the round-trip bemotion; that the secretary should tween La Grande and Umatilla. immediately transmit to the school The company is now receiving a a certain amount of money, and supply of Diamondville coal at receive the money regardless of ter. decisions in other cases pending.

In pursuance of this agreement the school has already received \$2600 from the secretary, and will doubtless continue to receive the money as fast as it is needed. The settlement of the suit gave the regents great satisfaction, and clears the way for the future conduct of the school without being hampered by annoying differences between the regents and the secretary of

"An important feature of the agreement is that in the future the auditing of the amount due to employes of the school will be done by the board and not by the secretary, the secretary to be an auditor only so far as the technical correctness of the accounts is concerned.'

A Close Call. engine pulling a heavy train of cars. The engine was not more than 50 feet away when the men discovered it. They frantically sprang from the bicycle, Mr. Evans alighting on his back in the middle of the roadbed. With the train only 20 feet away, with a superhuman effort he sprang from his perilous position to one of safety, outside the rails. The other gentleman. Mr. Peter Devereux, succeeded in extricating himself from the bicycle, and pulling it after him, together man and machine rolled down the embankment and brought up against a barb wire fence. Aside from a few severe scratches, both men escaped injury,

Locked in a Freight Car. A. B. Jones, a gentleman resid-ing at Gibbon, had business which demanded his immediate attention in Pendleton Thursday of last week. A freight train passing, he jumped into a box car. After he had boarded the car the usual railway seal was put on the door. When the car was sidetracked in Pendledoor was opened and he was allowarrested and held until the contents of the car were checked up, and, as nothing was found missing, he was then released. Hereafter Jones will pay carfare.

Change of Time. It is stated on apparently good authority that on December 1st there will be a change in time on the Washington branch of the O. R. & N, by which close connection will be made with the freight train on the main line, and eight or ten hours cut from the running time to Chicago. It is said that by the new time card the train from Spokane will arrive here early in the morning.

made them by parties to establish of the escaped prisoners. One was a foundry and machine shop, which captured.

THE SUIT WHICH WAS SETTLED. will be used in the manufacture of watermoters, and other machinery. Their proposition is that the town give the factory \$3500 in property For this in return, the parties in-terested go into articles of agreement to employ not less than 15 men, with a payroll of not less church pulpit last Sunday.
than \$1500 per month. Two thousand five hundred dollars of the

Dr. Geo. W. King wants to be mayor of Pendleton. He is running independently, and from the come to an understanding. Col. following editorial squib, which recently appeared in the East Oregonreporter the terms of the agreement | ian, we would surmise that the doctor is not having everything his year, and whose name as a taxpay-While the legal term, non-suit, letters to the paper he has a mortgage on and spreading misleading pencilmade statements among those

Will Change Coal. The railroad company has adopted a change on coal and will hereafter use coal from Diamondville, Colorada, between Huntington and Pendleton, instead of using the Roslyn product as heretofore. gation has been avoided and the This change is made as a matter of economy, as it will save the haulthat the school should continue to this point for use during the win-

> To School Directors. County Superintendent Woodruff calls attention of the school directors to the fact that another apportionment is to be made the later part of December. It will be at least \$1.50 per capita. In the small districts where there are to cott, Wash., took 3500 head of the operation is the last forlorn be but three months or less of sheep out of the country about hope. school this fall, directors should Pilot Rock a few days ago. They figure so as to extend all their purchased the sheep from different funds and not to have any on hand at the beginning of the school year, March, 1896. If they do have any same, the money reverting to the Pomeroy county school fund.

Will Be No Change. It is stated that the change in time on the Union Pacific out of was \$30. Chicago will not effect the time on | Some local poultry fanciers are freight train near Pendleton, Mon- under it, the leaving time from

day. They were on a railroad bi- Chicago is changed from 2 p. m. to cycle, when suddenly from around 6 p. m. This time is made up bea sharp curve, shot a huge freight tween there and the end of the O. R. & N., so that the old time card Capt. Hanna to do some filling in Lee, the granger editor, assisted by will still hold good on the Oregon that for the present the O. R. & N. west receiver will make no change whatever in the running time of trains.

> Lumber Will Go Up. Lumber prices seem certain to go mountains, from San Francisco on Alexander & Hexter's. the South to Vancouver, B. C., on

Nine Were Successful. Nine of the applicants for teachers' certificates who underwent the quarterly examination were successful. State certificates will be issued to Mrs. M. Rosenberg and W. ton Jones could not get out, and he raised such a disturbance that the to Mrs. Florence Kelley and G. A. W. Russell; second grade to Kate ed a breath of fresh air. He was Downey; third grade to Loretta this neighborhood. Schomp, Lorena Long, Anna Van-cil and Kate Perry.

the north.

The First Time. For the first time in the history of Umatilla county, notices of a United States marshal's sale were Saturday posted through the county. The sale will be on the 27th inst., and the stuff sold belonged to John Strodel who was recently ar-rested and fined \$100 for cutting rest of the way. timber on government land. Dept. United States Marshal Bentley will officiate as auctioneer at the sale.

Four prisoners in the county jail caught by a twelve-year-old lad named John Merry in a trap set at Colfax made their escape Sun-A Manufacturing Plant.

Pendleton business men are him. A large party of citizens are wrestling with a \$3000 proposition out scouring the country in search

UMATILLA COUNTY IN PIECES East Oregonian. The farmer, know Newsy Items of Interest from Ou County Exchanges. [From the Milton Eagle.]

Eph. Marsh who for years has reamount asked has been subscribed. to this city Wednesday and will hereafter be one of us.

A. J. Crigler, the orchardist, is reported as being quite ill at his table reception or the poor marks home below town. He is afflicted manship of its would be captor, with some kind of nervous disor-

The little son of William Reeser skull was fractured back of the ear and was trephined and the depresboy fell upon top of him, striking with brown. An effort will be his knee upon the boy's head with made to domesticate the beautiful so much force as to fracture his bird.

Fred, the 13-year-old son of J. C. Hodgen, who lives five miles northwest of this city, met with a home on horseback from church at Ingle Chapel on Sunday evening last. When near home his horse shied and fell, the foot of the boy being caught underneath the ani mal. The foot was crushed and the ankle dislocated, and both bones of the leg were broken, the fractured ends protruding through the flesh six inches.

[From the Pendleton Tribune]

W. J. Furnish, for mayor, A. W Nye, for marshal, and R. B. Beatie, for councilman, have filed their certificates of nomination with the

J. W. Young, a prominent farmer of Weston, intends to plant 10 acres of beans next year. He thinks that quite a profit can be made out | Joan Craven, is in a Portland hosof bean culture.

In the case of Ad Rothrock against T. A. Lieuallen, Judge Low- dangerous surgical operation. The ell allowed judgment by default. home of Mr. and Mrs. Hester is in The plaintiff sued for \$329 on a promissory note.

stockmen.

Final homestead proof were filed with County Clerk Burrows Monfunds, the district will forfeit the day by John Luhrs and Milton E.

C. O. White yesterday received from Dayton, Ore., a fine pointer, for which he paid \$100. The cost of shipping the dog to Pendleton

Two railroad men had a miracu- the O. R. & N. The new card went thinking of sending an exhibit to lous escape from being ground to into effect Sunday night on the the Portland poultry show which death beneath the wheels of a Union Pacific at midnight, and, opens on January 13, and continues five days.

[From the East Oregonian.]

A contract has been awarded to for the O. R. & N. on the lines runroad. The impression is given ning out of Pendleton north and tains from 16 to 32 pages weekly,

The physicians have made an examination of Leo Lent's foot, crushed by the cars the other day, and find that amputation will be

ber Company, and it represents a Columbia George, an Indian, was capital of at least \$45,000,000. It released on bonds. He was held to includes every mill of importance the grand jury for stealing clothing in the region west of the Cascade from the Peoples Warehouse and

[From the Pilot Rock Record.]

Marion Mulkey is driving stage in place of Mr. Kees, who is laid up with rheumatism. There will be a dance at the hall

Thanksgiving night for the benefit of the public school.

L. E. Roy is now at work on his

horse shoeing machine. Roy says

when it is done he will have revenge on some of the cayuses of Born-To Mr. and Mrs. H. Stewart, Monday, the 11th inst., a girl. Mr. Stewart leads the van this year

but there are more to follow. Doug. Belts' nephew while coming in town Monday had an accident. While riding along on his wheel he went to make a turn, and

the wheel. The wheel rode the Mr. Frank Howard, of Vansycle, s the possessor of a fine specimen of the American Eagle. It was

as the saying is, run a hub through

A Rare Bird for Oregon. At almost the same moment that snow began falling Wednesday, an Artic owl alighted in a Pleasant View farmer's dooryard, says the

for coyotes.

ing this to be a rare bird in this latitude, and wishing to secure it, opened fire on it at 20 feet, with a small pocket pistol, having nothing better at hand. After having emp-Elder J. B. Daisley, of this city, better at hand. After having emp-filled the Walla Walla Christian tied every chamber in the gun without effect, he was on the point of throwing the pistol at the owl in sided at Adams, moved his family disgust when the thought struck him that he might be able to catch it. The owl was so completely

dumbfounded, either bylits inhospithat, after a few feeble hops, it allowed itself to be captured. It measures nearly five feet from tip is on a fair way to recovery. His to tip of its wings. Its head and part of its body and the under part of its wings are a beautiful, creamy bone elevated. In playing white, while its back and top tier 'blackman" he fell and another of wing feathers are white, flecked

Big Wolf Drive. Charles Chapman of McKay creek, is working up a big wolf drive in which he hopes to interest fearful accident when returning 300 or 400 persons, says the East Oregonian. The plan is to circulate a large extent of country, beginning at the mouth of Butter creek and extending to the foot of the mountains and out on the reservation. Both whites and Indians will be asked to co-operate and make an effort to rid the country south and east of Pendleton of the "pesky varmints" which pester the farmers by carrying off fowls and by killing sheep. Several Pendleton sportsmen have been interested in the scheme and, if the hunt takes place, will assist in the chase

No Hope for Him. Arthur Hester, husband of an estimable lady who, years ago, was known to Milton people as Miss pital where it is expected he will soon be subjected to a severe and Davton, Washington. The Eagle learns that there is little hope of Messrs. Poe and Peoples, of Endi- the gentleman's recovery and that

> Parker Acquitted.
> Deputy United States Marshal F. J. Parker was acquitted in the case against him for alleged unlawful handling of a lady prisoner. The case came up for trial in the United States court at Walla Wal-

> la before Judge Hansford. The finest cookies in the land are to be found at Lillie Fischer's confectionery store.

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