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Everything indicates a wide range of activity on the part of the Athena Commercial association for the coming year. The advantage of conducting the association on more social lines is beginning to be recognized. Membership is not so hard to obtain as the obstacle that is confronted in holding members in the association. This problem has been encountered at Pendleton, where the roster of the commercial association has been increased by 406 new names. To alleviate to some extent at least, the cold, formal business meetings of the commercial body, Pendleton has gone to the expense of establishing a gymnasium, in the hope that in addition to organization's billiard room, card tables and reading room advantages, the large membership may be retained to assert in the up-building of the town. The Athena association cannot, for the reason of limited room, hope for a gymnasium, but the cost of card tables would be nominal while the convenience of reading matter could be obtained by donation on the part of members, several of whom have expressed a willingness to contribute periodicals, newspapers and magazines. To make the commercial association a success, Athena finds, like other places, she must inculcate a measure of sociability in the organization.

Many jests will be made about the man who surrendered his pension because he has become a Christian Scientist, and the illness on which his claim for a pension was based has disappeared. Yet the man is an example of soldierly patriotism and honor. He deals squarely with the government as a decent man deals with another individual. It is only the comparative rarity of this sort of conscientiousness which refuses to accept undeserved money from the government which makes it a fit subject for the paragraphs.

One hundred acres of land has been added to the now already large acreage of the Blacklock Fruit company near Walla Walla. It will be used in connection with the extensive orchards and garden land already owned by the company.

The cynical Laboucher, writing in London Truth, asserts that "the Americans, in spite of their reputed shrewdness, are the most easily gulled of any people on earth by those who know how to get at them." Is this merely a railing accusation without founda-

tion or has it a modicum of truth? Verily, there have been times when it seemed that certain elements in our population were easily ensnared. Get-rich-quick schemes promising 100 per cent profit every year have found no lack of patrons. But this is only vulgar finance and promoting that the lambs are shorn with neatness and dispatch.

In portions of the Pacific Northwest farmers' clubs have been and are being formed for the coming season, which is certainly a most excellent idea. These organizations should be numerous as they are of great benefit in the social, intellectual, and moral improvement of those numbered among their members and show that the farmers are imbued with the spirit of progressiveness which should prevail on every hand. Wherever these clubs are found there also is the telephone and rural free mail and good roads.

"The igorrote," remarks the Portland Oregonian, "is visible to the naked eye." He is, dear boy. Also, if memory serves us, he is naked to the visible eye.

Son Lost Mother.
"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a cough or cold I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected, and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure for colds. Price 50c and \$1. Guaranteed at the Palace drug store. Trial bottle free.

ERA OF INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION.

(Oregonian.)
Advices from the East state that the rush of "colonists" to the Pacific Coast since the inauguration of special rates is far in excess of any previous movement of this nature. It is the opinion of railroad men, who keep in close touch with the factors entering into this business, that no small portion of this increase is due to the magnificent advertising given the entire Pacific Coast through the Lewis and Clark exposition. This, of course, was one of the results expected when the patriotic Oregonians subscribed the money that started the great enterprise, but it is doubtful if the most optimistic of our people expected such an overwhelming success from an advertising standpoint. The croakers and knockers, who, like the poor, are always with us, quite naturally donned the long face and predicted a terrible slump at the close of the fair. Acting on their advice, a great many people postponed purchasing property which was actually needed for business and residential purposes, hoping to secure it at greatly reduced prices as soon as the anticipated slump in values took place.

They have waited too long, and never again will it be possible to secure such bargains in any kind of property as were on the real estate counters when the fair opened. And, in spite of the advance already scored, the movement steadily increases, and, with so much new capital coming into the country, values are certain to reach much higher figures. What is true of the situation in the city is also true of the country, for on the prosperity of the country the city is helplessly dependent, and can never grow or prosper unless similar growth and prosperity is in evidence in the country. Not all of the colonists that are now coming into the West will remain with us, for with them will be numbered a few of the same stripe as our own croakers. This class has

been coming and going since the days of Whitman and McLoughlin. The country had no charms for their predecessors fifty years ago, and it has none for them today, but there are enough coming who recognize the advantages of this country to offset all of the knocking that can be done by those who do not.

Oregon, Washington and Idaho are now marketing a grain crop which, after making due allowance for the requirements for seed and home consumption, will add to the circulating medium in the three states more than \$30,000,000. The lumber output of the three states for 1905 will exceed by hundreds of millions of feet the output of any previous year. The wool clip and the hop yield also broke all previous records, and the annual creation of new wealth by the products of the field, forest and farm in the three states is greater per capita than that of any other region in the United States. All this has been accomplished while we labored under a handicap of insufficient transportation, and, now that we are about to be provided with means for opening up to settlement and development regions of greater extent and equal richness with those which have made such a remarkable showing, both city and country throughout the three states will grow more rapidly than ever before.

Long before the effect of the enormous expenditures which the railroad companies will make in providing new lines has been exhausted, we shall begin reaping the richer and permanent returns which will follow the development of the vast country that is now lying dormant. Portland and the entire Pacific Northwest are on the eve of a period of industrial expansion and prosperity such as we have never before known, not even in the palmiest days of the Willard boom, which suffered limitations such as are impossible with that which is now coming.

Summons.

In the Justice Court for the District of Athena, Umatilla County, State of Oregon.
H. O. Worthington and G. M. Thompson, partners, as plaintiffs, vs. Charles Thompson, Defendant.

To Charles Thompson, the above named defendant:
In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby notified, commanded and required to appear before the undersigned justice of the peace at his office in Athena, Umatilla county, Oregon, on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which said first date is October 3d, A. D., 1905, and answer the complaint of the plaintiffs filed in said court against you; and you will take notice that unless you so appear and answer or otherwise plead to said complaint within said time you will suffer judgment taken against you for the sum of \$51.00, and for the costs and disbursements in this action; you will also take notice that personal property purporting to belong to you has been attached and proceedings by attachment and garnishment issued out of this court against your said property.

This summons is published by order of this court duly made this 3d day of October, 1905, and will appear in the Athena Press once a week for a period of six weeks, the first publication appearing as above and the last one on November 14, 1905.
Dated this 3d day of October, A. D. 1905.
O. G. Chamberlain, Justice of the Peace.
Peterson & Peterson, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Summons.

In the Justice Court of the District of Athena, Umatilla County, State of Oregon.
W. M. Mosgrove, Plaintiff, vs. Samuel McReynolds and Andrew Stewart, partners, as McReynolds & Stewart, defendants.

To Samuel McReynolds and Andrew Stewart, partners, defendants above named:
In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby notified, commanded and required to appear before the undersigned justice of the peace at his office in Athena, Umatilla County, State of Oregon, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which said first date is October 3, A. D., 1905, and answer to the complaint of the plaintiff filed in this court against you.
And you will take notice that unless you so appear and answer or otherwise plead to said complaint within said time, you will suffer judgment taken against you for the sum of \$53.90, and for plaintiff's cost and disbursements in this action; you will also take notice that proceedings by attachment and garnishment have been duly issued out of this court in this action and that property purporting to belong to you has been attached and garnished by the constable of this district.

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O. G. Chamberlain, Justice of the Peace.
Peterson & Peterson, Attorneys for plaintiff.

To Keep Up

With the prosperity of our town and to make it possible for Athena people to purchase

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Just a Talk

There probably is not a reader of this paper who will not want to buy some house furnishing article or other between now and the holidays. So it is proper for a store that feels quite sure it is better able to serve you than any other to have a word with you at about this time. The rapid—almost phenomenal—increase in our business would indicate that we are at least pleasing a great majority of the buying public; and for this we feel highly grateful and thankful. Our customers always come the second and third time, and this, of course, is the basis of our success. We want, therefore, to talk to those who have not tried trading here as yet. We want to say to you, TRY. If we do not make your trading both profitable and pleasant we incur a great business risk, for to have a disappointed customer is about the worst thing that can happen to a store. There will from now till the holidays, be a whole lot of valuable, sensible store news from here. It will be news that thrifty and thinking housewives will appreciate and profit by. We'll be right glad—and so will you—if you accept this invitation to be a Davis-Kaser customer.

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