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### FEARED MADHOUSE

Raymond Lloyd, One Time Athena  
Lawyer, Ends Life With Car-  
bolic Acid.

Raymond Lloyd, who will be re-  
membered in Athena as a young law-  
yer, who occupied the DePest office  
some years ago, and who was accused  
by J. B. Huntington, committed  
suicide in a Seattle lodging house,  
Monday, by drinking an ounce of car-  
bolic acid.

Dispatches state that the young man  
for some time had been fearful that  
his mind was weakening, and the  
thought of spending his days in a  
mad house caused him to take his  
life.

The following telegram, evidently  
from Lloyd's father, was found in his  
room:

"Washington, Dec. 16.—Dear Ray-  
mond: I hope the darkness will soon  
break for you and Christmas day will  
bring pleasant thoughts of olden times  
when we were an unbroken family  
and all so happy together.  
(Signed) "H. F. L."

During his residence in Athena  
young Lloyd proved to be a failure as  
a lawyer, but was considered to be a  
man of exemplary habits. He was a  
Yale graduate.

His father, who claimed to have  
been at one time an associate of Presi-  
dent Taft in the practice of law at  
Cincinnati, visited his son while here,  
and made favorable impression on all  
who met him.

#### Revival Meetings.

Revival meetings will begin at the  
Methodist church tonight with a  
watch night service. Next week Rev.  
Bradley of the Free Methodist church  
and Rev. Crooks of Weston M. E.  
church will assist. Rev. Payne of the  
U. B. church at Weston will also  
assist later. Miss Riner of Spokane  
Diocesan Home will have charge of  
afternoon meetings. The church will  
be made comfortable and the public  
is cordially invited to all services.

#### Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank those who so  
kindly remembered us during our be-  
reavement.  
Mrs. R. J. Boddy.  
James Boddy.  
Mrs. Horace Dickison.

#### SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of  
Oregon, for Umatilla County.  
Dora C. Hahnert, Plaintiff,

vs.  
William F. Hahnert, defendant.  
To William F. Hahnert, the above  
named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon,  
you are hereby summoned and re-  
quired to appear and answer the com-  
plaint filed against you in the above  
entitled suit within six weeks from  
the date of the first publication of this  
summons in the Athena Press, a news-  
paper published weekly at Athena,  
Umatilla county, Oregon, and you  
will take notice that if you fail to so  
appear and answer the said complaint  
or otherwise plead thereto within said  
time the plaintiff will apply to the  
court for the relief prayed for and de-  
manded in said complaint, viz: For  
an absolute decree of divorce from  
you; for plaintiff's name to be changed  
to Dora C. Adams, and for other  
equitable relief.

This summons is published pursuant  
to an order of the Hon. H. J. Bean,  
Judge of the Sixth Judicial District of  
the State of Oregon, duly made and  
entered on the 29th day of December  
A. D. 1909, and the first publication  
thereof is made on Friday the 31st  
day of December A. D. 1909, and the  
same will be published for six con-  
secutive weeks, the last publication  
to appear on Friday the 11th day of  
February A. D. 1910.

Peterson & Wilson  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

### TWO GAMES WENT TO WESTON

Home Team Show Improvement Un-  
der Coach Blanchard.

The first and second basket ball  
teams of the Athena High school lost  
to the sprightly chaps from Weston,  
Tuesday evening.

The first team lost by a score of 9 to  
27, and the second team was defeated  
14 to 30.

Weston delivered the goods by  
superior goal shooting, a department  
of the game the home boys have yet  
to get next to by diligent practice.

As usual, the Athena squad per-  
formed brilliantly at floor work and  
kept the ball in their side of the house  
the greater part of the game, and the  
result of Coach Blanchard's work  
could be detected in their superb pas-  
sing of the ball. With better basket  
shooting, a different tale might have  
been related.

The usual reception was tendered  
the visiting teams. The High School  
annual assisted in serving refresh-  
ments.

The next game on the schedule is  
with Milton high school, when boy's  
and girl's teams play in that city on  
January 8.

### "BOX CAR" PRICES HIGH

Lewiston Merchant Attacks Policy of  
Mail Order Houses.

Better evidence of the immense vol-  
ume of business done by mail order  
houses and "boxcar" merchants in  
the country about Lewiston could not  
be given than the large loads of pack-  
ages distributed from the postoffices in  
smaller towns in the last few days  
leaving the seal of mail order houses.

The postoffice at Vollmer sent away  
in the first two weeks in December  
money order amounting to nearly \$500.  
In Nez Perce money orders amounting  
to between \$1600 and \$1800 were sent  
out.

That farmers are not getting satis-  
factory goods for their money in  
many instances is shown by O. A.  
Kjos proprietor of one of the largest  
dry goods stores in Lewiston. "People  
as a general rule do not get goods that  
fully meet with their approval from  
mail order houses," says Mr. Kjos.

"A few days ago a lady came to me  
with a cape she had purchased from  
a mail order house for which she had  
paid \$17.50 with express charges. The  
cape was of the same pattern as we re-  
ceive \$20 for but did not have such a  
good lining. It was six inches shorter  
and several inches narrower than the  
cape we are selling, and the woman  
was not satisfied, because it was too  
small. As a matter of accommodation  
I took the cape and gave her one of  
ours, she paying a difference of \$5. I  
then marked the mail order house  
cape at a very low figure and sold it.  
The woman who sent away for the  
cape saved perhaps 50 or 75 cents.

"I believe there should be some  
move made to stop mail order houses  
and 'boxcar' merchants from doing  
business in Idaho—not that we are  
greedy for that trade, but the money  
should be kept at home and farmers  
and others who patronize these outside  
merchants be made to realize they  
were not getting their money's  
worth."

#### Old Songs of the South.

The lovers of good oldtime melodies  
will be certainly well entertained  
Saturday at the opera house with the  
delightful tunes of the old Southern  
ballads of the times "Befo' de War."  
Culligan and Hoekwald's minstrels  
has always been a company especially  
selected by the management for their  
singing quality. It has long been  
conceded that no one can get the har-  
mony and music out of those songs like  
the real darky. There is also added  
to the entertainment, plenty of good  
clean comedy, and some of the latest  
and most popular ballads of the pre-  
sent time. The show is especially for  
ladies and children. There is nothing  
so entertaining as a good singing  
show, and the management of the  
Colored Minstrels certainly had that  
in mind, when he selected the present  
company. From the time the curtain  
goes up, there is always something  
doing, either in singing their old  
Southern Ballads for which the negro  
is noted, or some of the latest songs  
of the day with the entire company sing-  
ing the chorus. If you can afford only  
one show this season, don't miss this  
one, the best of all colored shows.  
Opera house Saturday January 1. Pa-  
rade at 4:30. Popular prices.

#### He Knew the Horse

On the tombstone of Frederick Ran-  
nington, the artist, who died Sunday  
following an operation for appendicitis  
has been engraved the words, "He  
knew the horse." It was the artist's  
last request. His body was taken to  
Canton N. Y., of which place he was  
a native.

The new Quaker heating plant re-  
cently installed in the First National  
Bank building is giving satisfaction.  
The building is comfortably an evenly  
heated under the new process.

### A LOCAL INSTITUTE

Educational Rally and Entertainment  
to be Held in This City Friday  
Evening, January 7.

County school Superintendent Wel-  
les announces that a local teachers  
institute and educational rally will  
be held in Athena, Friday evening,  
January 7.

The rally will be held for the bene-  
fit of the teachers and patrons of  
Athena, Weston and surrounding dis-  
tricts.

The program will consist of songs  
and recitations by each of the schools  
represented and the famous Pendleton  
Male Quartette will sing. The ad-  
dress of welcome will be made by Mr.  
S. F. Wilson and the principal speaker  
will be State Superintendent J. H.  
Ackerman.

The institute and educational rally  
will be held at the Methodist Episco-  
pal church, and after the completion  
of the program in the auditorium,  
the commodious dining room in the  
basement will be invaded, when re-  
freshments will be served under the  
auspices of the Athena Commercial  
Association. President Richards offi-  
ciating as toastmaster.

Effort will be made to make the  
meeting of special interest to patrons  
of the schools and therefore a cordial  
invitation is extended to the public.  
The fact that an able address is to be  
contributed by State Superintendent  
Ackerman, and the different schools  
of this part of the county will take  
active part in the program of the  
evening, lends the occasion to im-  
portance of being second only to a  
county institute.

The Press predicts that the people  
of Athena will not be found wanting  
in appreciating the importance this  
educational rally will give the school  
and the city.

### "REGULATION" MEANS A CLASH

Walla Walla Civic League Sees Rum  
Wrangle Ahead.

The Civic league of Walla Walla  
will hold its second annual meet-  
ing at which it will complete its organi-  
zation, January 4, at the Y. M. C. A.  
building. The Civic league starts  
with a membership of nearly 150, all  
of whom are workers for a "dry"  
town and all of whom worked hard  
but unsuccessfully during the cam-  
paign just closed.

The Civic league expects to hold  
these "dry" men together and bring  
about reforms in Walla Walla.

As a result of the campaign there  
are two definite city parties with re-  
form as an issue. The Civic league  
would abolish saloons and all places  
of immoral resort. The managers of  
the "wet" party of the campaign who  
are still supposedly in control of their  
followers, are for "regulation," and  
say they will soon begin an attempt to  
have the city council reduce the num-  
ber of saloons from 37 to 20 and to  
pass certain stringent rules and regu-  
lations governing the conduct of sa-  
loons and the further granting of  
licenses. It is thought there is also  
a third unorganized party favoring an  
open town. This party worked with  
the conservative "wets" during the  
campaign, but the Civic league men  
think they see trouble ahead for their  
late opponents if they try their regu-  
lation plans.

If the conservative "wets" try to  
put out of business 17 saloons which  
aided them in their fight to keep the  
town from going dry the Civic league  
men think those 17 saloon men and  
their friends will be annoyed, more-  
over, the Civic leaguers, who have  
been sitting up nights trying to figure  
on the thing, can't find any way by  
which their conservative "wet"  
friends can pick out 17 for slaughter  
and declare them worse than the  
others.

Yet the Civic leaguers think that  
if the conservative "wets" do not  
attempt to make good on their re-  
peated promise the "wets" will be  
everlastingly beaten next time the  
question is brought to an issue.

### GRANT COUNTY LYNCH LAW

Farmers Take Murderer from Officer  
and Shoot Him.

Oliver Snyder, who Friday night  
shot and instantly killed Arthur  
Greene, an inoffensive sheepherder  
in Grant County, was forcibly taken  
away from Deputy Sheriff Joe Cassidy  
by a mob of infuriated farmers, and  
his body riddled with bullets. Accord-  
ing to Cassidy, Snyder blew off the  
top of Greene's head with a shot gun  
when the latter attempted to prevent  
Snyder from killing a dog belonging  
to Charles Beymer.

Following the shooting Snyder is said  
to have fled to the woods. A posse was  
quickly organized and started in pur-  
suit. Early Saturday Snyder was  
located fifteen miles from Hamilton  
where the shooting occurred and ar-

rendered to the posse. Sunday Cas-  
sidy started for Canyon City with the  
prisoner. According to his story he  
had hardly gotten outside of Hamil-  
ton before a mob held him up and  
took Snyder out of the buggy and or-  
dered the officer to drive on. Cassidy  
drove back to Hamilton for assistance  
and when he returned found Snyder's  
lifeless body in the road, riddled with  
bullets.

### INSTALLATION AND BANQUET

Sumptuous Supper and Excellent Pro-  
gram.

In the evening, December 30,  
the members of the Athena Com-  
mercial Association entertained their fam-  
ilies and invited guests Monday  
evening.

The occasion was the annual instal-  
lation of officers, but in connection  
with this, an excellent program of  
entertainment was an interesting fea-  
ture while the banquet spread is said  
to have surpassed all other notable  
dinners which the local lodges have  
given in the past.

The annual address was delivered  
by H. G. Case. The retiring Master,  
A. B. McEwen, officiated as toast-  
master, and responses were made by  
a number of gentlemen. Johnson's  
orchestra rendered several selections,  
and the vocal numbers were well re-  
ceived. The following officers were  
installed:

A. M. Johnson, W. W.; Edw.  
Kontz, S. W.; James Henderson, J.  
W.; D. B. Clemens, Treas.; Byron  
Hawks, sec.; Bert Warren, S. D.;  
Samuel Pamburn, J. D.; Fred Kontz  
and Fred Flint, Stewards; L. Dell,  
Tyler.

#### A Wireless Town.

Within a few days Walla Walla  
will be in regular wireless telegraph  
communication with the Pacific coast.  
The men installing instruments have  
been at work two days. The operator  
of the station is ready to begin work.  
W. A. Searle, fiscal agent for the  
United Wireless company, says the  
station will be in the City park, where  
the mast was erected some time ago,  
but that the messages may be received  
by the company up town and will be  
'phoned to the park for transmission.  
The apparatus will put the city into  
immediate communication with North  
Yakima and Seattle, and from the lat-  
ter place with Alaska and the boats  
on the sound.

#### Ten Votes Bring \$30,000 Tax.

Baker City has just awakened to the  
fact that a special school election was  
held December, and that \$30,000  
special tax was voted. Only ten votes  
were cast, five by members of the  
school board. Under the statute,  
board of education has a right to call  
a special election to levy a special tax  
for school purposes, and the only pu-  
blicity needed is the posting of three  
legal notices in public places. The  
school board posted one at the ci-  
ty hall, another at the postoffice and  
a third at the high school building,  
where the election was held.

#### THE CAMERA.

Some of the Wonderful Things of  
Which It is Capable.

The camera, which divides time into  
thousandths of a second and records  
the impressions of each instant perma-  
nent pictures of events which pass too  
quickly for the dull human retina to  
recognize. It is only through the cam-  
era that the motions of the wings of  
flying birds and of the legs of swift  
running animals have been analyzed.  
To the camera the fuzzy drivers of the  
swiftly speeding locomotives stand  
out clear cut and stationary, while  
each flying drop of rain in the driven  
storm is distinct and seems frozen in  
its place. The tarpon fisherman, fam-  
iliar with the first wild leap of the  
frenzied fish as it casts hook and bait  
fifty feet in the air, sees first in the  
finished picture the outstretched gills,  
the convulsive opening and closing of  
which had escaped his eye, however  
close he may have looked for it.

Often the eye of the camera will en-  
cumber documents of which the writer  
had been substantially indifferent by  
age, and I have successfully copied  
with the camera the utterly faded pho-  
tograph of a classmate of forty years  
previous and thereby been enabled to  
present to a grizzled veteran a like-  
ness of his curly haired youth. Changes in the pigment of the skin  
undiscoverable by the eye appear with  
distinctness on the sensitive plate, and  
it is said that some warlike of ap-  
proaching old-age has been thereby  
given.

By means of the invisible rays lying  
beyond the violet of the spectrum ob-  
jects may be photographed in the dark-  
ness and, with the aid of the so called  
X rays, through substances otherwise  
opaque. When from the darkness of  
night and storm the forked lightning  
flashes, the camera makes  
permanent pictures of such  
Creatures that travel the  
"caught" in the bright  
medium charged plate  
which is of too slow  
sensitivity to move  
eye to recognize  
them in Van No-