

## Press Paragraphs

A farm for sale. Inquire of Henry Keen, Athena.

B. B. Biobards and M. L. Watts were in Weston Wednesday.

Alexander & Wilson are prepared to give automobile service, day or night, at reasonable prices.

Death claimed the four months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright at Weston, Tuesday.

Wm. McKenzie of Weston has some first class alfalfa hay, baled, for sale at \$10 and \$12 per ton.

Mr. Harry Sutton of Topeka, Kansas, is in the city, visiting at the home of his uncle, Wm. Schrimpf.

Owen Rusa has moved his shoe shop across the street from his recent location, to the Post Building.

Helix is assuming metropolitan airs. No less than one new saloon and a rural mail route will begin operations February 1.

Dr. Bulgin will take for his subject tonight, "Is the Bible True?" Saturday evening he will speak on the "Unpardonable Sin."

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Heretofore Umatilla county has maintained 34 road districts and it is now proposed by the county court to divide the territory of the county into eight road districts.

Bishop R. L. Padcock of the Episcopal church will deliver a sermon at the Baptist church in this city, Sunday forenoon, at 11 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend the services.

George Cannon, charged with stealing wheat from the McLean place, north of town pleaded guilty to the charge in the circuit court and was sentenced by Judge Phelps indeterminate from one to seven years in the penitentiary.

According to reports from a correspondent at Hermiston, the government project city was the oldest point in Umatilla county during the recent cold snap. The mercury dropped to 21 degrees below zero at that place, last Sunday night.

Sleighting parties have been popular with the young people the past week. The roads have been in fine condition for sleighing in certain parts of the neighborhood, in other parts the wind drifted the snow with the result that some janes have not been broken.

James R. Barkley the lecturer, cartoonist and clay modeler, entertained a small though highly appreciative audience at the opera house Wednesday night. Mr. Barkley's engagement proved to be one of the best on the course being given here this winter.

Lot Livermore of Pendleton, has the distinction of being one of eight men in the state of Oregon who has held continuous membership in the I. O. O. F. order for half a century. Saturday night his home lodge conferred upon him the 50 year jeweled chain of the order.

Tomorrow night in the Lodge Hall the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will participate in a social gathering to which a number of friends of the members have received invitations. Entertainment will be afforded in the rendition of a program, after which a banquet will be held.

George Rosenzweig came down from Ellipton this week and visited Athena friends. George is nursing his arm in a sling as the result of having his shoulder broken several weeks ago while operating a Fresno seaper in road work. He reports 10 inches of snow in Franklin county.

Wm. Winship won the gratitude of Athena citizens Sunday morning when he brought out his rotaryless rotary snow plow and skidded it over the sidewalk through 16 inches of snow. It was the best combination that has hit the town in many a day and was effective in making pathways for pedestrians.

Wines are the staples in family liquors. Bert Cartano carries a large and varied stock of select vintages. \$1.50 per gallon, you can get choice Tokay, Muscat, Angelos, Sweet Chateau or Port. These are California's best product and give satisfaction wherever used. Call at the Red Front for the best and purest liquors.

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S. C. Ives was committed to the old soldiers home at Roseburg and left Pendleton Tuesday for that institution in company with J. L. Carroll of the Pendleton G. A. R. post. The old gentleman had become feeble minded to the extent that for a time it was thought here that he would have to be committed to the insane asylum.

Miss Ethel Johnson writes the Press family that she is enjoying her California trip. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Boomer, and since arriving in Southern California, she has met several people who formerly resided in this vicinity. Miss Johnson witnessed Pasadena's Rose Festival on New Years day, and says it was not to be compared with Portland's annual Rose Festival.

The wedding of Mr. Arthur Ross and Miss Rose Waddingham took place at the U. B. church in Weston, at six o'clock, Wednesday evening in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The groom is the son of J. S. Ross of this city and the bride is a well known young lady of the Weston neighborhood. The young couple have a host of friends who wish for them a happy, prosperous life.

The heaviest fall of snow in years fell over the Northwest Saturday and Sunday. Fifteen inches covered the

ground in this vicinity and Sunday night the thermometers registered from two to eight below zero. Trains on the Washington division of the O. W. R. and N. were not delayed to any great extent on account of the snow but the trains on the main line were delayed from six to thirty hours. Today the snow is going off with a warm rain.

The county court has fixed the general state and county tax levy at eight mills, divided as follows: For state, three mills, or \$137,966.75; for the general county expenses, one and one-sixth mills or \$55,376.00; for school purposes one and twenty-nine sixtieths mills or \$67,830.00 (this amount is fixed on the basis of ten dollars per capita for school children); for roads, two and one third mills or \$85,000; for library purposes, one sixtieth of a mill or \$850.

The Pendleton High School basketball team took the local boys into camp Saturday night by a score of 34 to 16. Pendleton work was effective enough to win the game in the first half. Athens not permitting the county seaters to have a look-in in the second half. Pendleton opened in whirlwind fashion and for awhile it looked like a shutout. In the second half the home boys got their bearings and at the close of the session were in winning form.

Joe Craig, the well known Indian, who was given the place of secretary of the Brotherhood of North American Indians, at the organization in Washington City some weeks ago, has returned to his home on the reservation for a temporary visit. A meeting was held at the Agency yesterday which was attended by nearly every Indian on the reserve, for the purpose of hearing Craig and other delegates of the convention explain the objects of the brotherhood.

The First National Bank of this city has finished a year of unprecedented prosperity. The surplus fund now equals the capital stock of \$60,000, making the working capital of the institution \$100,000. At the annual meeting of the stockholders Tuesday afternoon, W. S. Ferguson was added to the board of directors. Mr. Ferguson sometime ago purchased the bank shares held by the Kirk estate, shares that were taken when the bank was organized in the early '90s. S. F. Wilson, president; Henry Koepke, vice president; F. S. LeGrow cashier; E. A. Zerba ass't cashier were re-elected and S. F. Wilson, Henry Koepke, M. L. Watts, W. S. Ferguson and F. S. LeGrow were named to serve as directors for the ensuing year.

The Rev. James Henry Zambos Swackhammer, reformed cannibal, explorer, lecturer, preacher and traveler, has been turned down by the Athena school board, who denied him the privilege of taking up the time of pupils in hearing his proposed lecture. And the Rev. Swackhammer is wrathful and more so, wherest. This Swackhammer fellow is a big burly Haytian negro, who roams over the country, accompanied by the graft of lecturing anywhere and to whoever will listen to his disconnected, ignorant harangue. He has been turned down in other towns but he persists in annoying the public. His latest appearance on the scene of action was at Pendleton, to which place he went from here. He left a couple of letters in Athena, one for publication, in which he serves up a lot of rubbish which he terms to be his grievance against the members of the school board, which found the proper receptacle—the waste basket.

## SUES COMPANY FOR BIG SUM

Dan Smythe, Pendleton Attorney, Asks \$60,000 for Loss of Arm.

Dan P. Smythe of Pendleton, is suing the Northern Pacific Railroad company for \$60,000 damages for the loss of his left arm under the wheels of an N. P. stock train a year ago last summer and the case is now on in the federal court in Portland, says the East Oregonian.

Judge A. S. Barnett of The Dalles is representing Smythe in his suit and the case was transferred from the state courts because of the fact that the plaintiff is a resident of Oregon while the railroad company is organized under the laws of Wisconsin.

Smythe was hurt in the summer of 1909 while en route to Tacoma with a shipment of sheep. The accident occurred early in the morning while the stock train was a short distance west of the summit of the Cascade mountains.

The train had stopped and Smythe and his foreman went forward to look at the sheep. When the train started onward the foreman rushed back and climbed aboard the caboose but Smythe, who was farther behind, tried to get aboard a stock car and in some manner was hurled under the wheels of the train. His left arm was cut off below the shoulder and he received frightful injuries upon his head. He was rushed to the Green Lake sanitarium and given surgical aid. For some time his life held only by a thread and it was many weeks before he could leave the sanitarium.

Denmark's Outdoor Theater. Denmark has probably the finest natural outdoor theater in the world. It is situated in the royal deer park about six miles out of the capital. There the avenues of mighty trees serve as wings and background to a stage fronted by a beech encircled slope that forms a perfect auditorium. Eight thousand people can be accommodated at every performance.

Positively Brutal. Grace—Just see how much your little wife loves you. She made this cake for you all by herself. Arthur—Yes, my darling. And now if you will eat it all by yourself I shall possess indisputable proof of your devotion.—Pittsburgh Press.

Heartless. Gritty Pikes—It's a heartless world, pard. Think what a woman does when I asked her to give me something to keep body and soul together! Muddy Lanes—Can't imagine. Gritty Pikes—She gimme a safety pin.

Rise and Fall of Peter Lytle. The Tripoli of the early nineteenth century could boast of a fleet. And more, the fleet could boast of an admiral hailing from Scotland. Peter Lytle was his name. When he arrived at Tripoli in 1794 he was mere mate of an English vessel. But a nature avacious asserted itself. He plundered part of the ship's cargo, was suspected and took refuge in the castle. There began his real career. He turned Moslem, married a relative of the reigning pasha, and in time became lord high admiral of the fleet. His ambitions did not stop even here. He did not stick to his feet. He embarked on a course of piracy, distinguished himself and made enemies. His standing became undermined. "Poor Peter," commented an old time traveler, "was no longer an object of consideration with any party."—London Globe.

Climatic Variation. There is plenty of evidence going to show that the "climate of North America was much warmer than it is now." The remains of the now extinct mammoth, for instance, which are found all over the continent, and especially in the northern part thereof, prove that a tropical climate prevailed here at a very recent date, geologically speaking. There are, of course, other evidences, but the conclusion to be drawn from the mammoth is enough to convince us that where the temperate (or colder) climate now is there once prevailed a hot climate, such as the now extinct monsters luxuriated in for centuries.

Got Her Rattled. Manageress (to customer in tea room, about to light a cigar)—No smoking in here, sir, please. Customer—But you've got "Smoking Room" on the door there. Manageress—That is the door of the next room, sir. Customer—Then what's it doing in here?—London Punch.

Feminine Conversation. Blobbe—Women talk about nothing but their dress. Blobbe—Oh, I don't know! It seems to me I've heard some of them talk about their hats.—Philadelphia Record.

Mystifying Colloquy. "Just then the train entered a long tunnel, and—" "Yes, and Jack—" "No, he didn't, the stupid!"

SUMMONS. In the Justice Court for the District of Athens, County of Umatilla, State of Oregon. Joe Lienuellen, Plaintiff, vs. H. Howell, Defendant.

To H. Howell, the above named defendant: 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 six weeks from the date of the service of this summons upon you, service being made by publication in the Athena Press, a newspaper published at Athena, Umatilla County, Oregon, and if you fail so to answer or plead thereto, for want thereof, plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$51.55 together with plaintiff's costs and disbursements in this action as demanded by the plaintiff's complaint, filed in the above entitled matter.

This summons is published pursuant to that certain order made and entered in the above entitled court in said matter on the 23rd day of November, 1911, by B. B. Richards, Justice of the Peace for the District of Athens, County of Umatilla, State of Oregon. The first publication of this summons is made on Friday, the 24th day of November, 1911 and the last publication will be made on Friday, January 13th, 1912.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 24th day of November, 1911.

Homer I. Watts, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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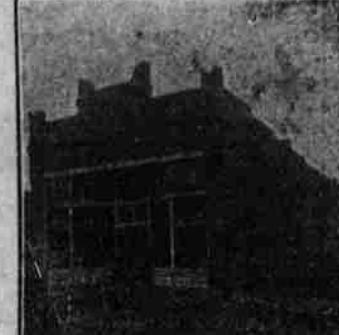
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