

Press Paragraphs

W. S. Ferguson was in the county seat, Tuesday.

Leslie Nelson visited friends in Pendleton, Sunday.

Gus Schubert came up from Pendleton this morning.

C. O. Henry transacted business in Pendleton Tuesday.

Mrs. W. K. Taylor visited friends in Pendleton, Tuesday.

Attorney Watts was called to Pendleton yesterday on legal business.

Mrs. Nettie Saling of Pendleton, has been the guest of Miss Gertrude Lutz.

Mrs. Martha Ferguson, of the Weston mountain was shopping in the city Wednesday.

A large number of farmers from this vicinity attended the Chanco Rogers sale yesterday.

Keep your feet dry by waterproofing your foot wear with Dri-Foot. Sold in Athena by Owen Rustie.

Dr. Sharp was called to Weston Tuesday, to attend Miss Dorothy Bol-flosh, who has been seriously ill.

Dr. Newsom and A. B. McEwen autored to Adams yesterday, and it wasn't a good day for autointing either.

Frank King of Weston has disposed of his business interests in that city, and will move to Pendleton to reside.

It is possible that the eminent evangelist, A. L. Crim, who is now holding a meeting in Pendleton, may visit Athena.

With fine roads, sleighing has been enjoyed to the limit this week. It has been many years since sleighing was so good.

A marriage license was issued Monday by the county clerk to George Barto of Hood River and Miss Ida Olsen of this county.

Rev. H. B. Fossett will conduct services at the Baptist church, Sunday morning. All are cordially invited to attend the services.

Mr. Meldrum will take his little daughter to Walla Walla next Monday, where the operation for cleft palate will be repeated.

W. M. Moore, brother-in-law of W. W. Jacobs of his city, died on the third of this month at his home in London county, Virginia.

A. M. Meldrum was a visitor in Pendleton Tuesday night, attending the revival meetings now in progress in the Christian church there.

Circuit Judge Phelps, who has been confined to his home in Pendleton with a malignant case of smallpox, for several weeks, is now convalescent.

Mrs. Charles Betts and children, accompanied by her father, Mr. Gildersleeve, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koepke.

The series of meetings which have been held in the Methodist church for the past five weeks, were closed by Pastor Helmick last Sunday evening.

A suit for the recovery of money due on a promissory note, brought by O. S. Barnes against E. C. Barnes, is being tried this afternoon in Justice Richard's court.

George Kijder is again able to attend to business at his paint store, after several weeks incapacitation as the result of being accidentally cut with broken glass.

H. E. Walker, the well known stock buyer for Fry & Co., of Seattle, fell dead of heart disease Tuesday at the Union stock yards in Portland, while inspecting stock.

The young ladies' J. F. F. club spent the evening at the Sheard home, north of town, last Friday. An old fashioned taffy pull furnished a lot of merriment during the evening.

It is absolutely necessary that all accounts owing me must be paid in full by February 15. I have obligations that must be met, so if you are owing me, pay up. Mrs. Lillie Miller.

The Scenic Club met at the home of Mrs. George Thompson on February 7, with about fifteen ladies present. A most pleasant afternoon was passed, and refreshments were served.

Matt Mosgrove has been over from Milton this week, superintending the alterations and improvements now being made on the interior of the Mosgrove Mercantile company store rooms.

H. A. Barrett returned Tuesday from his visit to Salem and Portland. Mrs. Barrett and sister, Miss Jessica McEwen did not return with Mr. Barrett but will visit friends in Wasco county.

The recruiting office at Walla Walla for enlistment in the United States navy is making strenuous efforts to secure recruits. An officer from that station has been at Pendleton this week.

Horseshod, Irish Moss, Tolu, White Pine, Selected Pineapple, Lemon and Orange. Uncollected for its curative qualities for the Grippe, coughs and colds. Guaranteed strictly pure, by Bert Cariano.

Reward will be paid for information leading to recovery of one gray horse, scar on front hoof; one dark sorrel mare, one eye out; one brown horse both hind feet white. Address B. F. Dupuis, Adams, Ore. 2t.

Fair Associations throughout the Northwest want the roundup held on other dates than selected by them. In all probability, the Roundup will be held this year on September 18, 19 and 20, or September 25, 26 and 27.

Mrs. John King's class of Loyal Helpers of the Christian church, were entertained at a party given last evening at the home of Miss Belle McIntyre. The features of entertainment pertained to St. Valentine amusements.

Walla Walla Union: Ralph Dickson, former employe of the O.-W. R. & N. company in this city, left yesterday afternoon for Athena where he will spend a few days visiting with relatives and attending to business interests.

Pendleton expects to raise \$3500 as a starter for base ball this year. The fans of that city propose to put a winning team in the Western Tri-State league. The Commercial Association members are manifesting interest in the venture.

H. A. Fenderburk, who is said to have formerly resided in this vicinity, will find something of interest to him, by visiting Peterson & Bishop, attorneys. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts will confer a favor by advising the attorneys.

The program at the Dreamland for Friday and Saturday nights: "Eighting Dan McCool," "A Mexican Romance," "The Convicta Parole." For Sunday night: "The Wooden Bowl," "A Royal Whim," "Katzen jammer Kids, III."

Prof. James Dryden, poultry expert at the Oregon Agricultural college, has been lecturing on poultry raising throughout Eastern Oregon. His lectures have been well attended, which denotes increasing interest in this branch of industry.

Miss Corinne Leasure, a former Pendleton girl is taking leading parts in moving picture plays, for a California film company. The young lady is a daughter of the late John C. Leasure and grand daughter of William Blakely of Pendleton.

Joseph N. Scott has about completed extensive improvements on his farm residence west of town. The interior has been entirely remodeled and decorated, a new fire place built and a model Dutch kitchen and bath room have been installed.

The mechanical department of the Press this week turned out a quantity of high class stationery to be used by B. N. Hawks in connection with his White Oregonian chicken business, which from present indications will in a year or two reach considerable proportions.

The ski has superseded the sled in Athena. Man and small boy are enjoying Norway's national sport with vim and vigor. Just now there is

more viking blood being warmed in Athena with ski exercise than in any other town this side of Pasadens or Pasco. Some of the young men and boys are becoming very proficient in maneuvering with the lightning-moving foot gear on the hill south of the Caplinger place.

Three Indian boys who ran away from the government school last week riding horses not belonging to them, were overhauled by Indian policeman Jim McKay at Starbuck. The boys were on their way to Montana, so they said, when apprehended by the officer.

Attorney Bishop has been retained as counsel for C. A. Blanchard, the horse dealer against whom three cases have been filed in the circuit court for alleged irregularity in negotiating sales of stallions in this part of the county. Judge Fee and Homer I. Watts are attorneys for plaintiffs.

Strayed—G. M. Morrison, of Adams will pay \$20 for information leading to the return of a gray team, which strayed from his barnyard on New Years day. One of the horses had a rooched mane and wore a bridle halter when it disappeared. The mane of the other horse was partly rooched.

One hundred tons of first-class Wyoming nut coal at \$7.75 per ton for the next 30 days. 150 boxes well packed winter apples, wrapped in paper, at 60c per box. Must be sold at once. Apples are packed and wrapped under Milton growers union rules. G. W. Proebstel, Weston, Oregon.

When the weather permits, C. O. Henry will move the building now located west of the Pogot Sound company's warehouse, and which was formerly used by the Curtis lumber yard people for an office and store house, to Matt Johnson's place on the West Side. The building will be used by Mr. Johnson for a barn.

Weston Leader: J. W. Proebstel was called to Burley, Idaho, by a fire that destroyed his building, there, occupied by a drug store. The building was valued at \$3000, and was insured for half that amount. It was formerly occupied by the hardware store of L. C. Proebstel, who moved into larger quarters as his business increased in volume.

Chaplain John LeCormu, of the Walla Walla penitentiary, well known in this city where in early days he was pastor of the local Methodist church, has received word of his election as chaplain of the department of Washington and Alaska G. A. R. to fill the unexpired term of C. D. Spender, who recently died. The election was held January 7.

Millard Kelly and Fred Flint, expert sheep shearers, have departed for the south part of the county, where the beginning of the season's shearing commences with "tagging" the bands of sheep. Sheepsman of Umatilla county report that the stock is coming through the winter in excellent condition, there having been ample feed this season for all purposes.

Services at the Christian church for Feb. 16: Bible school at 10 a. m.; sermon and Communion at 11 a. m.; subject, "Our Hope." This is one of a series of sermons which the pastor is giving. Your attendance is earnestly requested. The subject for the evening: "Christ in Art and Literature," illustrated by the world's great masterpieces. A warm welcome to all.

Workmen are engaged with extensive alterations of the interior of the Mosgrove Mercantile store building. Extensive changes are to be made in both the dry goods and grocery departments. The east side of the store is to be double decked, the deck and shelving extending the entire length of the room. The office has been moved into the grocery department, where a partition has been removed to give more room.

Milton Ealge: Word was received in Milton of the death of Eli Smith Crockett 87 years old, a well known pioneer of Walla Walla valley, at his home in Elgin, Ore. Death came after an illness extending over a period of several years, and was due to infirmities of old age. Colonel Crockett

was a blacksmith by trade and established, with Fred Stine, the first blacksmith shop in Walla Walla, after which he and Mr. Stine engaged in freighting before the days of the iron horse, over the old Oregon trail between Walla Walla and Boise. He later came to Milton, where he established the first blacksmith shop in this city.

East Oregonian: Leon Cohen, president of the Peoples Watchhouse, was convicted of selling short weight butter by a jury in the justice court Tuesday. He was fined \$25 and costs, which he paid. The prosecuting witness was W. P. Dunnean, deputy food commissioner. In defense, the accused denied any knowledge of the fact that the butter was under weight, it having been purchased from a creamery.

We are glad to announce that Mr. Meldrum will give one of his popular lectures on travel next Wednesday night. These lectures have been discontinued during the progress of the meetings at the Methodist church. The subject for Wednesday evening will be of great interest, "A Study of Japan." The lecturer having traveled through the length and breadth of that country will be able to throw light upon the various phases of Japanese life. Admission free. All are invited.

Mrs. M. L. Leeper left Tuesday for Pasadens, Cal., where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Chlore. She was accompanied as far as Pendleton by her daughter, Mrs. W. K. Taylor, and will be joined in Portland by a lady friend from Centralia, who will accompany her on her journey. Mrs. Leeper has been confined to the house for several months, having sustained an injury to her knee when alighting from a vehicle in Weston.

Owing to the extreme cold of last Saturday evening, the attendance at the high school entertainment was light; but those who did attend were well repaid by the high character of entertainment. The local numbers were well rendered, and the talent from Columbia college, Milton, represented by Prof. Bacon, Mrs. Thompson and Miss McRae, was especially pleasing. Expenses were barely paid. It is certain that should the performance be repeated, it would be much better patronized.

Tuesday evening the members of the Christian church choir were invited to the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Gerking three miles west of town. Sleighs were furnished by Sheldon Taylor and Fine Long, and the party arrived at the home about 7:30 where the usual rehearsal was held. Afterward a jolly social session was capped with an hour's coasting by starlight by the younger members of the choir. Refreshments of rad apples, popcorn and fudge were served by the hostess and her daughters.

Weston Leader: Among the stock which Joe Hodgson is raising by way of a side issue at the Hodgson farm below town are forty head of Shropshire and Lincoln sheep. They have already begun lambing; and so far the increase has been 155 per cent. Using this herd as a nucleus, Mr. Hodgson intends raising as many sheep as his farm will support. He finds that they will not only produce a profitable revenue, but are useful as weed-killers. He is also raising cattle in a small way, and contemplates putting in a silo system.

HAWAII'S VOLCANIC INFERNO,

A Peep Into Kilauea's Lake of Brimstone and Fire.

Kilauea, in Hawaii, is a round, extinct crater about three miles across and 700 or 800 feet deep. It has been the scene of terrific explosions in past ages, but it has now dwindled to the small active crater of Halemauamu, which is sunk near the middle of it like a huge pot, 200 or more feet deep and 1,000 feet across.

In the mid-afternoon a party of eight or ten of us on horseback set out to visit the volcano. The trail led down the broken and shelving side of the crater, amid trees and bushes, till it struck the floor of lava at the bottom. Our course took us out over the cracked and comforted lava beds, where no green thing was growing. The forms of the lava now suggested matted and writhing dragons, with horrid, gaping mouths and vicious claws. The lava crunched beneath the horses' feet like shelly and brittle ice. At one point we passed over a wide, jagged crack on a bridge. As we neared the crater the rocks grew warm and sulphur and other fumes streaked the air.

When half a mile from the crater we dismounted and, leaving our horses in charge of the guide, proceeded on foot over the cracked and heated lava rocks toward the brink of this veritable devil's caldron. The sulphur fumes are so suffocating that it can be approached only on the windward side. The first glance into that fearful pit is all that your imagination can picture it. You look upon the traditional lake of brimstone and fire, and if devils were to appear skipping about over the surface with pitchforks, turning their victims as the cook turns her frying cutlers in the spattering fat, it would not much surprise you. This liquid is rather thick and viscid, but it is boiling furiously. Great masses of it are thrown up forty or fifty feet and fall with a crash like that of the surf upon the shore.

The mass of boiling lava is said to be about one and one-half acres in extent. Its surface is covered with large masses of floating crust, black and smooth, like leather or roofing paper, and between these masses, or islands, the molten lava shows in broad, vivid lines. It is never quiet.

Looking upon this scene with the thought of the traditional lake of fire and brimstone of our forefathers in mind, you would say that these black, flitting looking masses floating about on the surface were the accumulation of all the bad stuff that had been fried out of the poor sinners since hell was invented. How much wickedness and uncharity and evil thought it would represent! If the poor victims were clarified and made purer by the process, then it would seem worth while—John Burroughs in Century.

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