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## A NUPTIAL KNOT HARD TO UNTIE

SUCCESS COMES AFTER FOUR UNSUCCESSFUL TRIALS.

A Pendleton Woman Shakes Her Ninth Hubby By Paying Him \$2000 Alimony.

Four times Ellen Deering Grangrow tried to get rid of her ninth husband—whom she married at Walla Walla—but not till last week was she successful. The final dissolution of the marital tie that binds was secured at Oregon City, Oregon.

Worth \$20,000 in her own name she gave under the terms of the settlement \$2000 to her last husband, Grant Nicholas Grangrow, as alimony. Five of her husbands left her by dying, four others have been divorced, including the stoker in Walla Walla. Intimations that an attempt at poisoning had been made came out during trial, as did also a letter from J. S. Wood in which he suggested that an offer of money had been made for the testimony of a witness in the case.

The couple are Indians and lived at Pendleton for a number of years. The complaint upon which the woman brought the action against her latest husband was that of desertion. Twice the case was brought in Multnomah county, once in Clackamas and once in Marion county.

Not until it appeared in the circuit court of Clackamas county did the woman win her point and get the divorce decree for which she prayed.

According to the testimony which was introduced the husband took lunch with her on June 14, 1912 and next day was ill. According to a summary of the case made by physicians, he had taken strychnine. He believed that he had received it in the food that he ate at her table that day and that she had made an effort to rid herself of him by other means than the divorce court. This feature of the case was not gone into however and no attempt was made to prove the statement.

Mrs. Grangrow married her ninth husband at Walla Walla October 1, 1908. They lived in Pendleton a greater part of the time. She is now a resident of Gladstone.

### Dolfay Thompson Injured.

While cutting a trail near the head of Ryan creek last Friday, Dolfay Thompson suffered a severe cut on the foot, says a Gilton special. He and Frank Bennett were engaged in cutting a tree which had fallen across the trail when Bennett's double bladed ax few off the handle, striking young Thompson's foot, cutting three toes very nearly off clear through the bone. Bennett rushed to Henry Thompson, who had gone on ahead and they carried him. He was faint from loss of blood when they arrived. When he had revived he was placed on a saddle horse and a ride of six miles was made in 20 minutes. On reaching home Dr. Boyden of Pendleton who happened to be at the springs, to spend Sunday, was summoned and dressed the wound. He said it will be six weeks before he can get around without the aid of crutches.

### Star Performers at Round-Up.

The star performers for the Pendleton Round Up, September 11, 12 and 13, have been announced as follows: Miss Jane Bernouly, in fancy and trick roping; Bertha Blacett and Hazel Hoize in steer roping; Sammy Garrett, Chester A. Boyers and Cuba Crutchfield in fancy and trick roping; Wallie W. Padgett, Art Acord and Otto Kline and Johnny Baldwin in neday. Miss Riddle and a companion were driving a young horse which ran away. Her companion jumped from the buggy. Miss Riddle held to the lines until she was thrown from the buggy.

### Flag Ceremony.

It was an impressive ceremony at Cayuse Tuesday when the flag that had been used at Fort Wadsworth was unfurled upon the Umatilla reservation, says the East Oregonian. The flag raising was the climax to the program staged by members of the Rodman Wanamaker party headed by Dr. Joseph K. Dixon. The ceremony was witnessed by the assembled tribesmen and women, attired in their picturesque costumes and by a number of visitors from Pendleton.

### Reservoir Overflowing.

With little or no pumping, the reservoir of the Athena water works system is full and water consumers may now use all the water they desire. Present indications are that only a month or six weeks during the driest part of the season will it be found necessary to pump water. Water Superintendent Dobson has stopped up the overflow pipe, thus obtaining several inches of space in reservoir capacity.

### Grain Shipping Record.

All records for the largest shipment of grain by one farmer will be broken this year if the estimates of G. S. Noble, of Noble, Alberta, prove correct. Mr. Noble has notified the Canadian Pacific railway that he will have 350,000 bushels of grain, chiefly barley

## O-W. R. & N. SILVER CUP



The O-W. R. & N. Company will award a beautiful solid silver loving cup to the community making the best community products display at the Umatilla County Fair, to be held at Pendleton next week. The railroad company gives this beautiful cup as a reward for the best display of agricultural products in any one community

of the county, the object being to stimulate interest in county fair exhibits. The company is taking great and earnest interest in the development of the agricultural resources of the state in general, and is promoting lectures and demonstration tours by experts in the territory contiguous to its lines.

## COWBINE BURNED FOR HARRY BROWN

BY HARD WORK MEN STOP FIRE IN HIS BARLEY FIELD.

Indications Are That Machine Was Destroyed By Malicious Incendiary.

Harry Brown's combined harvester was burned and totally destroyed, on his place south of Athena Monday evening.

The machine had just been moved into his field of barley before quitting time and Mr. Brown and his men repaired to the house for supper. While they were eating, young Mc-Bain rode up to the house and informed them the machine was on fire. The men hastened up to the field, but by the time they arrived the machine was practically destroyed and the grain field had started to burn.

By hard work the field was saved from burning, less than an acre being destroyed.

Every indication goes to show that the destruction of the machine was caused by a malicious incendiary, and officers are using efforts to capture the guilty party.

It is said that Brown was not surprised at the burning of the machine, as he has been forced into trouble since he commenced farming on the reservation, and several weeks ago his feed rack burned, and one horse so badly injured that it had to be killed. Fortunately Mr. Brown carried \$500 insurance on the machine. It is said that at the time the insurance was taken out, Brown informed the agent that he would not be surprised if he was burned out before the harvest season was over.

New cement sidewalks have been constructed at the school grounds on Fourth and Fifth streets.

## ATHENA SCHOOLS OPEN ON MONDAY

ALL IN READINESS FOR WORK OF THE COMING YEAR.

Superintendent Drew Anticipates Larger Enrollment In Grades This Year.

Superintendent Drew of the Athena public schools arrived in the city yesterday morning from Tillamook, Oregon, to get the school in readiness for the coming year's work, which commences next Monday morning with the following corps of instructors:

Superintendent of schools, Howard Drew, of Tillamook, Oregon, retained from last year.

Charles A. Guerne of Eugene, principal of high school, retained from last year.

Miss Kathryn Woodruff, of La Grande, 8th grade.

Miss Velma Wilkinson, of Athens, 6th and 7th grades, retained from last year.

Miss Hazel Doolittle, of Index, Wash., 4th and 5th grades.

Miss Eitel Cannon, of Baker, 2nd and 3rd grades.

Miss Laura Brice, of Milton, primary grade retained from last year.

Superintendent Drew anticipates a larger enrollment in the schools this year than last year. He says a special effort is to be made in increasing the number in the primary department, and with this object in view, children who are nearly six years of age will be admitted, providing they start in at the beginning of school. All those who lack four to six weeks of being six years of age will be allowed to enter.

The primary room has been changed to the southwest room on the lower floor of the school building, so that the little ones will have better light in which to do their work.

# OUR FIRST BIG DISPLAY of Coats and Suits

for Fall and Winter took place September 1, 2 and 3



We want you here and we want you to see the full showing before a single garment is sold. We believe that we have made wise selections, and that women in general will be more pleased with the coats and suits to be displayed than they ever have been. In the first place, the variety is great. A few general style ideas will be found in all of the garments, but the designing and the little touches of artists in such work give each garment an individuality difficult to find in ordinary makes or in garments not trade-marked. Each coat and suit in this display has a trade-mark which is reproduced here. We call attention to the trade-marks, because all over the country it means quality,—style,—satisfaction,—value.

Fortunately for you, the "PALMER" and "REDFERN" Garments are so designed that they fit with fewer alterations than any other.

Usually the garment fits perfectly, with no alterations whatever; thus saving you time, annoyance and money.

In the suits—and this is to be a big suit season—we have some exquisite designs, sure to please you. In the coats, the predominance of pile fabrics—Astrachan, Ural lamb, Persiana, Matelasse, plush will attract you.

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