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## "Over The Hill"

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price left Wednesday for Portland to attend the Rose Festival and to remain for quite an extended stay.

Miss Dorothy Bulfinch, teacher in the Walla Walla schools, left for Portland Sunday to take special work in penmanship. She was accompanied by Mrs. Hugh Walker and children, who have been visiting at Weston and were returning to their home at Wasco, and by the little grandson of Mrs. Ida Coffin.

Mrs. Emma Barnett sustained an operation for hernia Saturday morning at Pendleton, performed by Dr. C. H. Smith and Dr. Parker. Her condition since has shown gratifying improvement. Miss Alma Barnett is in constant attendance upon her mother, and Shirley Barnett came up from Portland to visit the patient.

Floyd Fox, hunter and trapper of Basket mountain, passed through town yesterday on his way home from Pendleton, after collecting the bounty on one bob cat and fifteen coyote pelts. He trapped these animals during February and March.

The success of the Blue Mountain Highway meeting at Weston is now assured. Already numerous hearty acceptances have been received by the arrangements com-

mittee which sent out the invitations. As yet no invitation has been declined, and there is every prospect of large and enthusiastic delegations of representative men from Union, Umatilla and Walla Walla counties.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. R. E. English entertained Mesdames C. L. May, Roy Hyatt, Cecil Hyatt, W. L. Rayborn and Miss Larson in honor of Mrs. John R. English of Modesto, Calif., who is a guest at the R. E. English farm. Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hyatt entertained Mr. and Mrs. John English at dinner and Wednesday evening they were honor guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rayborn.

The contract for furnishing the year's supply of coal to Weston school district has been let to P. T. Harbour on a bid of \$11.80 per ton. Winn brothers secured the wood contract at \$8.20 per cord.

N. B. Foster has suffered a breakdown in health while employed for R. E. Stewart of Walla Walla in looking after his ranch and stock interests. Mr. Foster left this week for College Place sanitarium.

The local lodge of Masons will hold an important special meeting this Saturday evening, when the Master Mason degree will be conferred. Visiting delegations are expected from other points.

County Judge Schanep, Commissioners Bean and Dunning and Roadmaster Shannon were all here Tuesday, looking after two rights

of way matters connected with the Pine creek road improvement, and going over the route. Contract for the work will be let soon. The court expressed approval of what they described as the very excellent donation work done by the Reed and Hawley mountain people under the supervision of Lee Dennis, in clearing and grubbing the right of way. For several miles the new Pine creek road entails a difficult rock grade, and construction will be expensive.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barnes left Wednesday for Homestead for an extended visit with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Walter.

Walter O'Harra has gone to Mil-ton-Freewater, where he will assist Evangelist St. Clair in a series of revival meetings, to continue until July 20th.

So soon as he finishes his contract at Athena, J. M. Ashworth intends improving his home on Normal Heights with the addition of a new dining room, kitchen, porch and bath room. He plans to eventually convert the house into a bungalow.

## 24 Years Ago

Mrs. Max Lewin was accosted by a man who was probably drunk, near the residence of Angus Gillis, Saturday evening, shortly after 9 o'clock. The lady was badly frightened, and screaming, ran to the home of her sister, Mrs. Bloch, from which place she had started for her home. The lady was unable to tell who the man was and he made his escape.

A shocking accident occurred to D. Bronson yesterday afternoon, while he was riding a gangplow near Athena. The plow struck a rock and threw him toward the ground, but as he fell, one of the levers pierced his bowels, inflicting a terrible wound.

Professor D. V. S. Reid, who has so successfully managed the Athena public schools the past year, has been elected president of the Eastern Oregon State Normal school in Weston. Weston's new flouring mill will soon be in operation.

B. F. Mansfield drove down to Heppner last week, returning Saturday. John Gross is making improvements on his recently purchased city property.

H. H. Hill, the jeweler, is enjoying recreation and rest at Bingham Springs.

Pendleton people enjoy Sunday horse racing. Pendleton is modern or nothing.

Athena blacksmith shops are filled with farm machinery to be repaired for harvest.

A carload of Henney buggies and carriages just arrived at the Athena Mercantile Co's.

The Press boys acknowledge a feast on Hoodriver strawberries, compliments of William Chamberlain.

Wm. Willaby is engaged in breaking horses which he brought home from the range in Wallawa county.

A barley sample, brought to Weston from the field of George Carmichael, was five feet high and well headed.

Prof. Royal pays a fine compliment to the Press by saying, "The Press has given the best, fullest, and most attractive report of the commencement exercises we have ever had."

## AT REST ON BARREN ISLAND

Land Where Sir Ernest Shackleton Sleeps Was Discovered by the Famous Captain Cook.

South Georgia Island, where Sir Ernest Shackleton will sleep on the fringe of the wild and frozen solitudes against which he opposed the might of a hero's will, is in about the same latitude as Cape Horn, which lies 1,200 miles westward of it.

When Captain Cook was making one of his historic voyages around the world in the Eighteenth century he happened on South Georgia Island, it is recorded. At first he thought it might be the "terro incognita Australis" he was in search of, so he went ashore and as he recorded in his diary, "took possession of the country" in his majesty's name, under a discharge of small arms.

When the great circumnavigator examined his discovery a little more closely and found it to be a mere bunch of icy mountains, he concluded that it was "not worth the discovery." Nevertheless he "called this land the Isle of Georgia in honor of his majesty." His majesty, by the way, was none other than George III.

A hundred years later the seafaring men of New England came to the conclusion that South Georgia Island was not as worthless as Captain Cook had supposed. It was a great place for fur seals. They slaughtered more than 1,000,000, virtually exterminating them in that part of the Antarctic. Then came a harvest of "elephant oil," extracted from the blubber of the sea elephant, the giant of the seal family.

## HOUSEHOLD WORDS NOT OLD

In Everyday Use Today, but Really Have Not Long Been Incorporated in the Language.

Most persons probably think that the word "starvation" is as old as the language; but it isn't. It was first used in 1775 in a speech made in parliament by Henry Dundas, who in consequence became widely known as "Starvation Dundas."

"Intensify" and "outsider" are two words less than a hundred years old. The English poet, Coleridge, deliberately coined the former word because there was no other in existence to express the particular shade of meaning which he wished to convey; and "outsider" came into being in 1844, during the convention that nominated James K. Polk for President. The delegates were subjected to uncomfortable pressure by the throng of spectators gathered without the hall, and some one happily described it as a pressure from the "outsiders." The term was taken up by the reporters and at once became popular.

Other words unknown until the middle of the Seventeenth century include such now familiar ones as "sculptor," "umbrella," "opera," "sultide" and "peninsula," while Bentley in the Eighteenth century had actually to defend himself for using such strange terms as "timid," "concede," "reputate," "idiot" and "vernacular," and George Campbell in 1776 hesitated to use such queer new words as "originate," "sentimental" and "criminality."

## Napoleon Relic Stolen.

The sofa on which Napoleon I rested on the day before the Battle of Jena has been stolen from the Grunnenbaum Inn by Germans. This is not the first time that relics of the great captain tempted the cupidity of "collectors." In 1864, the saber presented by the city of Paris to Napoleon on the occasion of the birth of the king of Rome was stolen from the castle of Stolzenfelds. This saber had been found, it is said, by the Prussians in the imperial coach after the Battle of Waterloo. The hilt and scabbard were of solid gold, encrusted with precious stones. At the same time the robbers made away with Prince Murat's saber, which was also very valuable, and several other souvenirs, including Blucher's sword.—From Le Petit Parisien. (Translated for the Kansas City Star.)

## The Right Way.

Motorists on the highway between Greenfield and Pendleton have been having considerable difficulty in getting through a certain bad spot in the road. A few days ago an automobile sunk to axle depths, but, after a tinnic struggle, succeeded in backing out. The destination was forward, however, so the driver went to a farmhouse near by and asked a boy whether there was any other road he could take to Pendleton.

"Only road to Pendleton," the boy answered. "Ain't no other way."

"Oh, there must be some other way," the motorist insisted.

"Nope, no other way. Just go on into the hole and pa will be along in a little bit an' pull you out for \$4."—Indianapolis News.

## Jews as Farmers.

Gabriel Davidson, general manager of the Jewish Agricultural and Industrial Aid society, has issued a report concerning its work. The society's goal has been, to quote the report, "to build up a substantial, progressive and permanent Jewish farming class in this country." Twenty-two years ago, when the organization began to function, there were 216 Jewish farm families in the United States. Today the number exceeds 60,000. In 1900 the total acreage owned by Jewish farmers was 12,020. Today more than 1,000,000 acres are farmed by Jewish hands, and the real estate and personal value of these holdings are above \$1,000,000.

## NOTICE OF SALE UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the conditions of that certain mortgage given by Trajan Tucker on October 13, 1921, to W. S. Ferguson, which said mortgage was recorded on the 13th day of October, 1921, at 4:05 p. m. recorded in book 37, on page 451 book of Chattel mortgages for Umatilla county Oregon, I will sell at public auction all the hereinafter described personal property, or enough thereof to satisfy the debt of the mortgagor to the mortgagee, which is secured by the mortgage upon the hereinafter described personal property together with costs and \$250.00 attorney fees in said matter, which are also secured by said mortgage; said debt being for the sum of \$3436.50 (thirty four hundred thirty six and 50/100 one hundredths dollars), as evidenced by two certain promissory notes; One note for \$1335.50 executed Oct. 13, 1921, drawing interest at 8 per cent. per annum from date of execution: One note for \$2104.00 executed Oct. 13th, 1921, drawing interest at 8 per cent. per annum from date of execution, both said notes provide for attorney fees and executed by Trajan Tucker.

Said sale to be held on Saturday, June 24, 1922, beginning at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. and to be held at the residence on the premises belonging to W. S. Ferguson, known as the Britton place, being in Sec. 19 Tp. 3, N. R. 36 E. W. M. Umatilla county, Oregon. Said property being described as follows to-wit:

1 grey mare, 6 years old, weight 1300 lbs. named Kit, no brand; 1 brown mare 10 yrs old weight 1300 lbs named Queen, no brand; 1 grey mare 14 yrs old, weight 1100 lbs named Nell, brand AP on right shoulder; 1 black mare 11 yrs old, weight 1200 lbs named Darley, no brand; 1 bay mare, 12 yrs old, weight 1100 lbs named Seocook, brand MI on left shoulder; 1 brown horse, 12 yrs old, weight 1100 lbs named Frank, no brand; 1 brown horse 12 yrs old, weight 1100 lbs named Peggy, no brand; 1 sorrel mare 7 yrs old, weight 1000 lbs named Topsey, no brand; 1 sorrel mare 11 yrs old, weight 1000 lbs named Bell, no brand; 1 buckskin saddle horse, 8 yrs old, weight 900 lbs named Blossom, no brand; 1 bay mare 3 yrs old, weight 900 lbs named Diamond, branded thus; 1 buckskin mare, 3 yrs old, weight 900 lbs named Penelope, branded thus; one 16 ft. wheat rack with seat and brake; one set of butt chain harness with collars and briches; one 8 ft. tandem disk harrow; two 2-bottom 12 in Canton plows two set of butt chain harness with collars; two 7 ft. McCormack binders; one wood saw, circular; one John Deere 2-horse cultivator; one Hoover potato digger; one 16-hoe Monitor drill; two 14 bottom Canton gang plows; one No. 11 Eureka potato planter; one set of butt chain lead harness; one 2-4 Winona wagon and rack; one set of butt chain harness with briches and collars; one Kentucky 12-disk drill; one Stover feed grinder; one 6-section Oliver harrow; one 3-section John Deere harrow, and one 4-section harrow; 8 tons of Timothy and grass hay; 10 tons of wheat hay; 20 tons of barley hay; one 60 horse-power Holt caterpillar; one 28 x 50 Case threshing machine; one 50 gallon steel drums; one blacksmith outfit, consisting of vice, forge, drill and other tools; one 3 in Webber wagon; one 3/4 farm truck.

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