

BIG PUBLIC SALE

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Tuesday, November 15th at 10 a. m.
FREE LUNCH

Thirteen Mules

The best bunch of work mules ever sold in Umatilla County

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| 2 Brown mare leaders, 1400 lbs. | 2 Buckskin-black mares, 1300 lbs. |
| 2 Black-brown geldings, 1400-1500 lbs | 2 Brown mares, 1500 lbs. and over |
| 2 Bay-black geldings, 1300 lbs. | 1 Black gelding, 1300 lbs. |
| 2 Brown-grey mares, 1300 lbs. | |

Farm Equipment

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| 1 John Deere binder | 1 8-section bar harrow |
| 1 3-bottom Oliver plow | 1 3-section packer 10 feet |
| 1 14-foot blade | 10 Pair lead bar |
| 1 24-foot weeder | 4 Pair 3 horse eveners |
| 1 10-foot Superior drill | Drill hitches |
| 2 Grain bulk boxes | 1 Wheat treating trough |
| 1 Cider mill | 1 Galvanized water trough |
| 1 Actelene light plant | 1 Feed rack and wagon |
| 1 12-horse Talkington plow hitch | 1 14-inch walking plow |
| 1 8 horse Talkington plow hitch | 1 Iron wheel harrow cart |
| 1 Bulk wagon hitch for harvester | 1 Buggy wheel harrow cart |
| 7 Sets butt chain harness. Special order hand made | 1 Iron 3 wheel weeder |
- Other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS OF SALE

Sales under \$50.00 cash. Sales over \$50.00, approved notes till October 1, 1928, bearing 8 per cent interest.

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31 Years Ago

November 6, 1896

Ray Saling, the mountain politician in town Tuesday, taking in the situation.

Portions of Main street were flooded Sunday night by the sewer boxes becoming filled with debris.

J. B. Huntington spoke at Helix Monday night. The Pendleton drum corps furnished music for the occasion.

Ed Wood, of the Weston Leader force, was in town Saturday.

There were no horses sold at the city pound Tuesday. Range becoming good, explains the matter.

Walter M. Pierce, of Pendleton, was called by telegram, to Morris, Illinois, Sunday, to attend the bedside of his father, who is not expected to live.

The Honorable Moreland, of Portland, expounded republican doctrine to the McKinley club, in this city Monday night. It was the last shot of the campaign in Athena, before election.

Among former residents of Athena who are now living in Rossland, B. is George Froome, who is running a cab and express wagon, besides hiring out saddle horses. He is doing well in financial sense.

Mrs. Sanders, of Walla Walla, visited in Athena this week, the guest of her niece, Mrs. J. H. Hiteman.

There was no school Tuesday, for the reason that the school house was used as the voting place for North Umatilla precinct.

Tuesday while Jim Clark was moving to Walla Walla, the wagon containing household goods on which he was riding overturned. Mr. Clark was seriously bruised.

Halowen was duly celebrated in Athena Saturday night by the small boys and the large one, too. Those who had gates were relieved of them, and those who had none were supplied with them. This was the work of the small boys. The large boys played for higher game, such as hawks, carts, farm implements, etc., which were strewn on housetops and in out of way places.

Saturday, October 31, was Mrs. J. W. Froome's 67th birthday, and also the 43th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Froome. The occasion was marked by a genuine surprise to the worthy couple by over thirty of

their friends gathering at their home in the afternoon.

Billy Winship has a dog that has a craving penchant for candy. The other evening after the family had retired, the dog knocked over on the floor a box of Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The lid came off and the doggy had a pill feast. The result was that the canine highness was immediately taken seriously ill. By prompt and careful nursing he has fully recovered.

A pleasant birthday party was given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. O. Hawks, in honor of her mother, Mrs. Dr. Charles, Mrs. Irene Freeman and Miss Anna Kirk, all of whose birthdays occur on that date, November 5th.

"Clubbing Her Husband."

Sleep

Now, blessing light on him that first invented this same sleep; it covers a man all over, thoughts and all, like a cloak; it is meat for the hungry, drink for the thirsty, heat for the cold, and cold for the hot. It is all current coin that purchases all the pleasures of the world cheap; and the balance that sets the king and the shepherd, the fool and the wise man, even. There is only one thing which somebody once put into my head, that I dislike in sleep; it is that it resembles death; there is very little difference between a man in his first sleep and a man in his last sleep.—Cervantes.

African Treasure Sought

The Africander still believes in the "cave of gleaming gold" that was described by an excited Kaffir in the Krugersdorp; and in the Orange river country a Boer family has sought for years for a parcel of diamonds handed hastily to one of their ancestors by an Englishman flying from pursuing justice, and supposed to have been secreted in an ant-heap in the dusk. The Boer, finding the packet contained many big stones, and fearing the mounted police, hid it and forgot the place.

Just in Time

A negro preacher was describing to his congregation the miseries and the penitence of the prodigal son. "Dis young man," he said, "got to thinkin' 'bout his meanness an' his mis-ry, an' he tuk off his hat an' frowed it away. Den he tuk off his coat an' frowed dat away. Den he tuk off his vest an' frowed dat away. Den he tuk off his shirt an' frowed dat away, too. An' den, at las', he came to hisself!"—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Camel's En'rance Due to Structure of Stomach

There are several reasons, according to scientists, why camels can go longer without water than most other animals. As a rule a camel will not begin to suffer from thirst until about the fifth day. This power to endure thirst is partly due to the peculiar structure of the camel's stomach. Water is stored up in small pouches attached to the walls. Camel drivers often tie up the heads of their animals and force water down their throats before starting on a long journey over the desert. The camel's capacity for traveling long distances without food or water is also partly due to the flesh and fat which is stored up in the humps. This stored-up fat is reabsorbed when the camel is overtaken by famine. The humps materially increase or diminish in size according to the physical condition of the animals. They become small and flaccid after hard work and poor diet.—Pathfinder.

Taste and Invention

For generations past architecture has been so overlaid with extraneous matter that many authorities actually preach that in this branch of art it is in bad taste to invent. Correct architecture, they say, consists merely in re-assembling borrowed forms. All of which is palpably absurd. If the Greeks had thought so here never would have been any Greek art. On the contrary, architecture, now as ever, consists in solving problems of utility as economical and appropriately as may be.—New York Sun.

Brother of Tecumseh Neglected by History

Elkswatawa, younger brother of Tecumseh, was largely responsible for the part that great Indian warrior and statesman played in organizing a federation of the red men to oppose the encroachments of the whites. In 1805 Elkswatawa proclaimed himself a religious leader and began to arouse the tribes of Indiana, Ohio and Illinois, to the great disturbance of the settlers. His doctrines were not primarily revolutionary, but temperance and total abstinence were tenets together with reverence for old age and sympathy for the infirm. He also urged his people to resist intermarriage and to preserve their own customs and costumes. This being in line with what all Indians had held as ideal previous to Caucasian invasion, his preaching caused much excitement among the tribes and fear among the whites. It was the response of the Indians to his brother's pleading that started Tecumseh on his mission in the cause of federation which took him to the Cherokees and the other more civilized tribes of the South, in the course of which he covered many thousand miles.

Colonial Home Built to Defy Father Time

Shortly before the French revolution many noblemen left France and came to Louisiana, where they established fine homes, becoming substantial, loyal citizens of the South.

Among these was Marquis Ternant, who arrived about 1788 on his estate in Pointe Coupee, one of the earliest settlements on the Mississippi river. Here he built a stately French colonial mansion and presented it to his bride on their wedding day.

It was constructed throughout of red cypress, cut from the swamps of the place. The rafters and heavy timbers were hewn to shape and put together with wooden pegs. The interior was finished with hand-carved moldings and antique panel work which still preserve the characteristic grandeur of the Eighteenth century.

The excellent condition of this historic manor house today is a tribute to the building wisdom of its founder in selecting native cypress for all parts.

Black Phosphorus

Black phosphorus, hitherto supposed to be pure phosphorus turned black as a result of sudden cooling, is produced by the contact of phosphorus with mercury on which it can react at the moment when it passes from the liquid to the solid state. Molten phosphorus dissolves mercury, giving a colorless solution. When cooled the saturated solution remains colorless in all low temperatures, but if the phosphorus solidifies the solidification is very weak and the mercury leaves the solidified phosphorus and colors it black.

If black phosphorus is melted, the mercury is easily redissolved in the surrounding phosphorus and the whole body becomes colorless. This is the correct explanation of the phenomenon.

Arnold's High Mark

One of the high spots in the career of Benedict Arnold came at the second battle of Saratoga. Arnold despised Gen. Horatio Gates, and did not hide his contempt. So Gates put him under arrest for insubordination, and he was confined in a small room of a farmhouse behind the American lines in charge of a sentry.

When the battle broke out Arnold scented the situation and evaded his guard, leaped upon a horse and led the attack that carried the British entrenchments. The field of Saratoga is well marked, and where Arnold penetrated Burgoyne's trenches stands a gray granite monument. On it is carved a cavalryman's jackboot, with the spur broken off. The marker bears no comment and no name, but it points the high-water level of Arnold's career.

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