

A FAMILY GATHERING.—The following account of a family gathering at Island City, in Eastern Oregon, will be of interest to many in Linn county, where several of the parties named are well known. For many years it has been the custom of the Baird family to hold an annual reunion, which this year was done at the residence of William C Baird, Island City, May 20, and an event long to be remembered by all present. Mr Baird is 77 years old, and first crossed the plains in 1849, and again in 1850. In all he has crossed fifteen times. He is yet hale and hearty, and boasts of his marksmanship. On this occasion he entered into the sports of target shooting with the boys present and came out with the blue ribbon. Those of the family present were W C Baird and wife, Mrs J A Henderson, of Mayville; N Baird, of Seattle; Mrs W M Blakely, of Pendleton; Mrs J D Titus, of Tacoma; Mr and Mrs C B Durbin, of Antelope, and their son Fred, he being the only grandchild present. Hughie Leasure, son of J C Leasure, of Pendleton, being a great grandson, represented the fourth generation. Mr Melvin Bowman, nephew of Mr Baird, of Illinois, was also present.

Prof C B Leathman, formerly principal of the Athens public school, has been engaged as principal of the Weston school for the coming term. Prof Leathman has commenced suit against the Athens directors for the recovery of two months salary, school having been dismissed at the end of seven months by the directors, on account of a measles epidemic. He was engaged to teach for the full term, and therefore thinks the two months' salary is due him, especially as the people generally desired the school to continue—Pendleton E. O.

It takes more men to run the passenger trains on the S P road in California than formerly, a new employee styled the "train ticket agent" having been added to the crew. His business is to relieve the conductor of all business connected with the collection of tickets and money for fares, leaving the conductor nothing to do but to look after the running of the train. One of the objects is to prevent "leakage."

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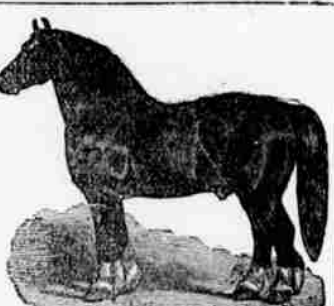
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Dated April 2, 1891.
JOHN W. PUGH,
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H. C. WATSON,
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