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Hermiston, Oregon

**Pendleton and Umatilla Stage**

**LEAVE**

Pendleton	8:00	12:00	4:00
Echo	9:15	1:15	5:15
Stanfield	9:30	1:35	5:35
Hermiston	9:55	1:55	5:55
Into Umatilla	10:15	2:15	6:15

**LEAVE**

Umatilla	8:00	12:00	4:00
Hermiston	8:20	12:20	4:20
Stanfield	8:45	12:45	4:45
Echo	9:00	1:00	5:00
Into Pendleton	10:15	2:15	6:15

**TWO TRIPS SUNDAY**  
Leaving Pendleton 8 a. m. and 4 p. m.  
Leaving Umatilla 8 a. m. and 4 p. m.  
722 Cottonwood Phone 868  
We Deliver Parcels at Way Points

**FARES**

Pendleton to Echo, \$1.10
Pendleton to Stanfield, \$1.25
Pendleton to Hermiston, \$1.75
Pendleton to Umatilla, \$2.15

Station at Hotel Oregon and Hotel Hermiston

**IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS**

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

The fourth has passed without any mishap, a real sane and safe celebration. Here and there, a small fire cracker could be heard but due caution was used and none fired where fire would be liable to start or cause injury to anyone, yet all report having had a fine time. Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow, Geneva and Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston motored over to Prosser, Wash., via our ferry line and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Strampher. The members of the Neighbors of Woodcraft and families had their picnic at Patterson, Washington, being the guests of Mr. Jacobson, the Pear King of that part of the country. All the automobiles that could be had, were mustered into service and a big feast had been prepared by the ladies and the ferry boat plying between Irrigon and Holmes landing was kept busy from early morning until late in the evening, and as many as seven cars were taken over at a time. The feast was spread in the shade of Mr. Jacobson's orchard where they had tables all arranged for the guests and a most enjoyable day was spent. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graybeal entertained a big crowd on their lawn the entire afternoon and evening. Among those present being Mr. and Mrs. McCoy and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brownell and family, Rev. J. W. Hood and others. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hanby and family of Hermiston spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and son of Umatilla motored down the River View Boulevard the afternoon of the Fourth and had their picnic dinner in the shade at Eggleston's at the west end of the Boulevard. Miss E. W. Campbell and others were in the party with the Duncans.

Mrs. Jones and children of Kamela, Oregon were visitors at Bray's during the past week. Mrs. Jones reports a big crop of Huckleberries in sight.

B. B. Lewis has been employed by the O. W. R. R. & N. Co. as signalman and is relieving C. D. Albright at Messner. Mr. Albright being on a vacation and back east at this writing.

W. H. Pierce and family of Chesham, Wash., are camped in the shade on Seventh Street and are trying to get some one to improve their place and get it into alfalfa this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Goetz and family of Ogden, Utah, who are motoring through to Condon where they expect to live in the future, camped in Irrigon a couple of days last week.

The Umatilla Ferry Boat spent one night at Irrigon last week visiting the Irrigon Ferry. We hope they do not cultivate too close friendship and get to running back and forth visiting much of the time. Ferries are quite numerous anyway.

George Caldwell had his car wrecked on the evening of June 30th by a party travelling in a speedy roadster under Idaho license. They struck his car from behind, taking off one wheel and turning the car completely upside down. George was driving the car and had his father and Ernest Fagerstrom with him and how they escaped with their lives, cannot be figured out, but they only received light bruises. George telephoned to Arlington soon as he could gather himself up and the party was arrested there and their names and license number taken but later escaped. They hope to trace the license number up and have the parties brought back for trial.

Mrs. E. F. Fagerstrom and children left Wednesday for Oak Grove, Oregon to visit Mr. Fagerstrom's people and be gone a couple of weeks while Mr. Fagerstrom completes their new house during his spare time.

Mrs. J. W. Hood and children left Wednesday for Seattle to reside there with her folks until Rev. Hood knows where he will be transferred. Mr. Hood is expecting word daily where he is to go.

Dale Watkins drove over to Heper with a load of New Potatoes

for M. E. Doble Friday, returning the following day.

The Commercial club at its regular monthly meeting had only little business to transact. The regular monthly meeting night was changed from the first Friday to the second Friday owing to the hall being occupied on the first Friday in the future.

M. E. Doble has been experimenting on something that is worth while for the farmers of this project and the whole west for that matter, and that is, poisoning rabbits this time of the year. He placed one ounce of poison in five or six quarts of warm water with a couple of cups full sugar and some salt and soaked a lot of new small potatoes in this liquid and spread them in the runways and where the rabbits seemed to be the thickest and the first four days buried 156 Jack rabbits. In doing this, he only used the very small potatoes and did not cut them. They should be put out of the reach of stock and very few in a place.

George E. Hendricks came home for the Fourth from his tour of tuning pianos, spending the day home with the family and is now arranging to market his potato crop and return to his work tuning again.

**One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned**

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses.

Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars.

**Interesting Snake Story From Idaho**

A novel "sporting event" was staged at Kendrick, Idaho, recently before an interested crowd between a bull snake and a rattler. For several months Kendrick sports have been disputing as to which could win Section men employed on the Northern Pacific had told of seeing a battle to the death between two large snakes of these breeds and that the bull snake finally won by crushing the rattler.

Backers of the rattler offered to bet their snake would win. Bull snake supporters took the bets. Men were sent into the country to secure the snakes. Two bulls, one about three feet long, and the other about six feet long, and a rattler about three feet long were secured.

Today the sporting element of Kendrick took the three snakes to a point selected for the battle, a short distance from town. A ring was formed and the spectators surrounded it. The rattler-snake was dumped into the ring and promptly coiled prepared to strike.

The smaller bull snake was turned into the ring and "shooed" toward the rattler. Spectators craned their necks. The bull snake crawled up to the rattler snake, which evinced every sign of being delighted with his company and the two snuggled up together like long lost friends. The crowd was disgusted.

The big bull snake was then turned into the arena and the attitude of the rattlesnake changed. From the friendly attitude shown toward the smaller bull snake the rattler changed to one of venom. His forked tongue shot out and his head bobbed from side to side. The big snake approached and excitement grew intense. When the big bull snake got within striking distance of the rattler the latter struck viciously, burying his fangs in the thick flesh of the bull snake, which evinced only a determination to get away from that vicinity. He was driven back to the rattler, which again sank his fangs, bringing blood, but still the bull snake would not fight. The disgusted fans named the bull snake Grover Cleveland Bergdoll and let him go into the brush. The rattler snake was killed and the small snake released. — News-Tribune, Attalla, Washinton.

**The Distraction.**  
Also we reckon the reason Cypid makes so many bad shots is that he aims at the heart while looking at the glory. Dallas News.

**PRIVATE SALE**

**Household Goods  
Farm Implements  
Carpenter Tools**

All property belonging to the estate of the late Maurice Johnson for sale immediately

Dining Set, 3 Bedsteads, 2 Dressers, Morris Chair, Rockers, Cook Stove, Heater, Dishes, Cooking Utensils, Lamps, Typewriter, Writing Desk, Washing Machine, etc.

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116	2 A Brownie	.30	.05
116	2 A Brownie or 1 A Kodak	.30	.05
118	No. 3 Kodak or Brownie Kodak	.45	.05
130	2 C Kodak	.45	.05
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the matter of the Estate of Maurice A. Schram, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Maurice A. Schram, deceased, and has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to me with proper vouchers, at the office of W. J. Warner, my attorney in Hermiston, Oregon within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 7th day of July, 1921. James H. Seaman, Administrator.