

AROUND THE COUNTY

RIVERSIDE NEWS.

Mrs. Mack Parvin went to Moscow last Monday to visit her sister, who is not recovering from her recent operation very rapidly.

Mr. Fausnet and children left for the east last Sunday. They will visit his people in Ohio, then go on to Virginia, where he has a farm.

There will be an entertainment at the Lynch school house on Four Mile next Friday night. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Henry Parvin took his sister, Mrs. Downs, to her home in Palouse, last Sunday.

The revival meetings will be continued a few days longer. Rev. Huzbey has been assisting during the past week.

A petition has been circulated asking the county board to enlarge the bridge at Riverside.

KAMIAK MATTERS.

Miss Imogene Waters visited at the home of Miss E. A. Whitney three days of the past week.

A half dozen of our young people made a call on Mr. and Mrs. Miller, our new neighbors.

The Kamiac Literary dissolved last Tuesday night.

There will be a basket social at the Clear Creek school house February 22d. A good program is being prepared and all are invited to come.

Mr. Andrew Hill is putting up a new fence in front of his house. Mr. Hill was offered \$50 per acre for his place recently but he refused it.

There will be a masked dance at the home of Mr. W. Cornelius, next Friday night, the 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Hutton have just returned from a short visit with friends in Colfax.

Mrs. William Guffill and Mrs. John Long spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. M. E. Trimble.

Mrs. Dave Whitney is suffering with an attack of rheumatism, and is doctoring with a Salem, Ore., doctor.

R. J. Trimble spent the first three days of this week visiting relatives in the cove.

ALBION AFFAIRS.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will give a valentine social Feb. 13, in the dining room of the Hotel Albion.

A ragtime dance will be given at the hotel February 16. Everybody cordially invited.

M. S. Conon is in the Big Bend country on business.

"Grandpa" Kenoyer an aged and well known resident of Albion, is visiting in Walla Walla.

Ira Harper is home from a month's stay in Lewiston.

Mrs. Ellen Ploeman returned Sunday from a protracted visit on Rebel flat.

Little Nira Lawler is quite ill with fever.

Nita Willoughby has the whooping cough.

The farmers near Albion have commenced their spring plowing.

The farmers' telephone company has been busy the past week putting in a new line here, extending it toward Spring flat.

Mrs. Mollie Claus-Short was called to Gifford, Idaho, Monday by the death of an aged aunt, Miss Hannah Pearson, who recently went to that place to reside with a favorite niece, "Aunt Hannah," as everyone called her, was a pioneer of the Palouse country, coming here in the early days. She was well liked by all who knew her and her many friends here and in the far east will be pained to learn of her death. She would have been 80 years old March 2.

HUBBARD ITEMS

George Mudgett's family have the measles. The oldest girl, Nellie, has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Reed of Thornton visited at R. K. Smith's this week.

Sam Lyons was treated to a surprise party Wednesday. The neighbors celebrated most royally his forty-ninth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wilson visited at Garfield last week.

COUNTY CULLINGS.

Tekoa is to have a commercial club.

Alexander Dexter and R. B. Bailey were arrested at Rosalia the other day on the charge of selling intoxicating liquor to Peter Holterman, a habitual drunkard. Bailey was taken before H. M. West, justice of the peace, and pleaded guilty. He was fined \$50 and costs. Dexter's trial was postponed until another day.

A special school election is called for February 10 at St. John to vote on the question of the district issuing \$10,000 bonds to run 20 years to build a school house. After the election a meeting will be called by the patrons of the school to choose a site.

The Eastern Washington Construction company has been revived for the purpose of building the new railroad from Farmington to Leland, Ida. General T. R. Dammatt is the new president.

Clarence Long who committed suicide at Great Falls, Mont., was buried last Friday at Rosalia, the funeral service being held at Plaza.

W. M. Priest has resigned as council man at large at Pullman and has been succeeded by L. R. Miller. His health and business demands are given as the cause.

The surveyors are now encamped at the mouth of the Palouse, six miles below Riparia. The fight for the north bank of the river, between this point and the Wallula, is the issue between the surveyors, and it has been definitely learned that the Milwaukee men are running a line above the Northern Pacific survey.

Dan Spurgeon, a bartender in the Palace saloon at Farmington, was arrested Tuesday on a charge of allowing minors to frequent the saloon.

St. John won the debate against Edicott Saturday night. St. John will meet the Garfield debaters next.

The annual bean bake and a dance of Whitman Post No. 53 and the Womens Relief Corps will be given at Pullman tonight.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. H. Davenport of San Francisco, visited with his brother, Mayor Davenport, last Friday.

Fred Doolittle, who has been with a railroad surveying party located near Walla Walla, is in the city for a month's visit with his parents.

Mrs. J. W. Wiseman, who has been at the bedside of her aged father B. R. Barton, who was injured by a fall two weeks ago, departed for her home in Portland Monday night.

George L. Anderson of LaConner, Wash., is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. A. Nicholas, wife of the superintendent of schools.

Louis Eiler and R. J. Day of Walla Walla, were in the city Saturday.

W. D. Smith of Moscow, spent Sunday in Colfax.

A. C. Rumsey, Dublin, Ire., registered at the Hotel Whitman last Saturday.

J. E. Brown of Walla Walla, was a Colfax visitor over Sunday.

Miss Alice Lyle departed Saturday evening for San Francisco, where she will select her spring stock of millinery. She will be absent three weeks.

W. H. Harvey, a Pullman attorney, spent Tuesday in Colfax.

R. E. Emmerston of Boise, Idaho, was a Sunday visitor.

A. H. Young of Edicott, was in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Winterbourne returned Sunday from a week's stay at Edicott.

Louis Neace of Waitsburg, was in Colfax Tuesday.

Charles Bruhl of Winona, spent Tuesday in the city.

Dr. R. C. Coffey of Portland, was in Colfax Saturday, coming here to perform an operation on Mrs. William Lippitt at St. Ignace hospital. Mrs. Lippitt is reported as progressing nicely.

Ray Hart, formerly a Colfax resident, but now a traveling salesman, was in the city Thursday.

ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Whitman County Sunday School Association Meets in Colfax.

The annual convention of the Whitman County Sunday School association will be held in the court room in Colfax, Wednesday and Thursday, February 14 and 15. The first session will be held Wednesday evening.

The evenings will be devoted to sacred songs and addresses. All day Thursday attention will be given to the practical problems of the Sunday school. Delegates from out of town will be entertained free.

Effort has not been spared to make this one of the most helpful conventions ever held in the county.

The program for Thursday follows: 9:00 a. m.—Devotional service led by Rev. L. L. Totten, president, Oakesdale. 9:30 a. m.—The primary department. Conference led by Mrs. J. D. Ellis.

10:30 a. m.—Teachers. 1. Can teachers' meetings be made helpful? Supt. N. D. Shewalter. 2. Preparation of the Lesson. Prof. M. K. Snyder, Pullman. Discussion and Questions.

1:30 p. m.—Praise service led by Rev. J. C. Lawrence, Albion.

2:00 p. m.—Outside the Sunday school. 1. The Unreached. Mrs. F. M. Jennings, Garfield. 2. The home department a success? Mrs. Berlett, Oakesdale. Discussion and questions.

3:00—For the general good. 1. The Sunday school a part of the church. Rev. J. H. Bainton. 2. Organization in the Sunday school. Rev. W. E. Powell, Pullman. Discussion and questions.

4:00 p. m.—Business and reports of delegates.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

At the Christian church next Sunday. There will be the following services: Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

St. Patrick's church (Catholic). Rev. Father LeRoux, priest—Regular services every Sunday at 8 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

German Lutheran church, Rev. C. Schink, pastor—Services will be held Sunday the 22nd of October and from that date every second Sunday in the morning 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school 9 o'clock.

Christian Science Church—Services at 11 a. m., Sunday and 7:30 p. m., Wednesday.

Baptist church, Rev. A. B. Waltz, minister—Sunday services as follows: Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

United Presbyterian church, Rev. H. G. Edgar, pastor—Regular services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.

Good Samaritan Episcopal church, Rev. C. P. Burnett, rector.—Holy communion, 7:30; morning service at 11 and evening service 7:30; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Litany, Friday, 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

Congregational church, Rev. J. Herbert Bainton, pastor—The usual services will be held in the Congregational church on Sunday, when the pastor will preach in the morning on "A Soul of Goodness in Things Evil," and in the evening on "Morality and Heredity: or Is man a Bundle of His Ancestors?" Sunday school at 10 a. m.; C. E. S. at 6:30 p. m.

First Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. H. B. Elworthy, pastor—Regular services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Excursion Rates. Cheap excursion rates to all parts of the east. Special days during the months of May, June, July and August. For information call on F. T. Abbott, agent O. R. & N., Colfax.

GOFF, INSURANCE.

PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS

Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

It is passing curious, to say the least, that in a country where red hair does not predominate all the witches executed during a period covering several hundred years should have had red hair.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The annual eighth grade declamation contest for Whitman county will be held in the various districts during February and up to March 15. The final contest will be held at Colfax March 29.

Nezperce Herald: W. E. Larson, of this city, and Mrs. Lora Roberts, of Colfax, were united in marriage at Lewiston Monday evening. Mr. Larson is one of the bustling young business men of Nezperce and the bride is one of Colfax's leading young ladies who will be remembered by many Nezperce citizens, as she was at one time engaged in the dress-making business here. Mr. and Mrs. Larson arrived in the city yesterday and will make Nezperce their future home.

J. C. Bains, a farmer living near Steptoe butte, has returned from Missouri, where he secured buckwheat seed sufficient to sow 40 acres on his farm in the belief that it will prove a great success.

A corps of surveyors working for The Washington Water Power company of Spokane, was in the city this week going over the proposed route of the wires for the new power service which is to be supplied the cities and towns of the Palouse country.

Beautiful, deep, dark maroon, brightly hued green and old orange of any old hue are the harmonious decorations of the doors, sashes and windows of the city hall. As a thing of artistic beauty the color effects are beyond description. Fire Chief Crawford declares Water Superintendent Fred Durr is the artist who selected the delicate shades and tones.

George Perkins, who was arrested at Rosalia on a charge of gambling, was arraigned before Judge Chadwick Saturday. He pleaded not guilty and was held under bonds of \$500 for trial March 12.

Arrangements have been made for the removal from Colfax to Portland of the Modern Warehouse Elevator company owned by Frank H. and Fred H. Brown. The company manufactures machines for piling sacks of grain and it is announced, move to Portland in order to secure direct water service.

The banks of Colfax will be closed Monday, Feb. 12, Lincoln's birthday, it being a legal holiday.

H. P. Green, formerly of Edicott, is in the city. Mr. Green has sold his saloon business in Edicott to Henry Litzenberger, a well-to-do farmer and a member of the city council of Edicott.

A special Lincoln day service will be held at the Methodist church at 11 o'clock next Monday morning. Judge Chadwick will speak on "Lincoln as a Statesman". The pastor will speak on the religious life of the martyr president. Others will take part in the program. Good music will be given and a general invitation to all is extended.

Mrs. R. H. Duff of Duff's hotel, received word yesterday morning that her mother, Mrs. L. J. Hager, died at Centralia, Chehalis county. Mrs. Duff is seriously ill and is unable to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Cora C. McCluskey has filed suit in the superior court for a divorce from W. J. McCluskey. The usual allegations of desertion and non-support are made. Mrs. McCluskey lives in Tekoa.

It is announced the Potlatch Lumber company has 8,000,000 feet of lumber to bring down the river to Colfax this season. This is the largest cut ever brought to this city.

The ladies of the United Presbyterian church will hold a window sale of pastry at Lacey's on Saturday.

Death of Mr. Woodin.

J. J. Woodin, father of Eugene H. Frank and Harry Woodin of The Fair store, died Tuesday at Hoquiam, Wash., at the age of 93 years. Old age was the cause of death. Eugene H. Woodin and Frank Woodin went to Hoquiam to attend the funeral which took place yesterday. The Fair store was closed because of the funeral.

Unclaimed Letters.

List of letters remaining unclaimed for in the Colfax postoffice, Feb. 9th, 1906. Baird, C. F. Neuskain, Frank Carland, J. P. Nugent, Miss Margaret Nickell, Chas. Frest, Richard Kanier, Harry Jones, Mrs. Dora Steel, John Mitchell, Will

One cent postage will be collected. JAMES EWART, P. M.

For Sale Improved farm, adjoining Albion, \$40 per acre. J. G. Elliot, Colfax.

Wanted immediately—Girl to do finish and basting at Mrs. Shale's Dress-making Parlors, 204 Main street.

For rent—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Mrs. W. H. Melrose.

WESTPHALIAN WITCHES.

All the Victims Who Died at the Stake Had Red Hair.

Soest, in Westphalia, Prussia, was the Salem of the European witch burning era, and, by the way, the witchcraft delusion lasted for three or four centuries longer there than it did in the colony of Massachusetts Bay. The judicial tribunal before which all Westphalian witches were forced to appear was called the vehm-gericht and was composed of the most superstitious set of bigots in the province. The trees are still standing under which this witch trying congress regularly met on the commons of Soest, and the records of their proceedings are still to be found in the archives at the town hall.

One of the most noticeable things in these queer old records of the days of bigotry and blind superstition is the fact that the pages upon which are written the proceedings of cases in which the accused were condemned to the stake are all adorned with locks of the culprit's hair. The individual hairs of this queer collection of tufts exhibit all the variations usually noticed in such assortments, being long and short, coarse and fine and straight and curly. In one very characteristic feature, however, that of color, all the locks have the same general appearance, being uniformly red.

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Fifty Years the Standard

DR. PRIGER'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

A Cream of Tartar Powder Made From Grapes No Alum

A HEARTY LAUGH.

It is a Blessing. This Reflex of a Sunshine Soul.

The cold, chilling atmosphere which sometimes pervades a reception or other social gathering is often entirely dissipated by the hearty, ringing laughter of some simple, genuine soul who bubbles over with fun. The stiffness and constraint which a minute before embarrassed the whole company are relieved as if by magic.

There is something in genuine, spontaneous humor which removes all restraint, scatters embarrassment, relieves tension and welds souls together as no introduction or conversation can. It puts the shy at ease, dissipates prejudice, gives confidence to the timid and reassures the shrinking soul. The cheery smile or the spontaneous laugh awakens sympathy and arouses feelings of friendliness. It seems to melt all barriers.

Oh, what riches live in a sunny soul! What a blessed heritage is a sunny face, to be able to fling out sunshine wherever one goes, to be able to scatter the shadows and to lighten sorrow laden hearts, to have power to send cheer into despairing souls through a sunny and a radiant heart! And if, happily, this heritage is combined with a superb manner and exquisite personality, no money wealth can compare with its value.

This blessing is not very difficult of acquisition, for a sunny face is but a reflection of a warm, generous heart. The sunshine does not appear first upon the face, but in the soul. The glad smile that makes the face radiant is but a glimpse of the soul's sunshine.

—O. S. Marden in Success Magazine.

UNIQUE FEATS.

Odd Physical Tricks That People Here and There Can Do.

A group of traveling men were discussing unique feats and physical tricks that people here and there can do.

"I know a Chicagoan," said one, "who can whistle a tune and hum its accompaniment at the same time. He whistles through a flat, not through the usual round hole, and the deep, musical accompaniment together with the shrill sweetness of the whistle makes a mighty attractive thing to hear."

"I knew a barber," said the second drummer, "who had a unique way of cracking nuts. He would place a nut between the back of his head and a stone or brick wall, and then he would give himself a sharp rap on the forehead with his fist. The nuts would crack open every time."

"A Manayunk man," said the third, "can give his head a jerk that turns back his eyelids. He has to turn them down again with his fingers. This is an ugly feat, and I'm glad it is rare."

"I knew at school," said the fourth drummer, "a boy named Bucky Adams who could play tunes by snapping his fingers. The thumb and first two fingers of each hand would work away busily, and forth would come the clearest, sweetest, faintest music. I used to sit with Bucky Adams, and many a tedious school session would be made shorter and pleasanter with this odd gift."—New York Press.

Fowls Feed Pure Water.

A frequent cause of cholera in the poultry yard is stagnant and impure water. This, as a matter of fact, cannot be too carefully guarded against. The best of water after standing for any length of time in hot weather becomes covered with a greenish scum and anon minute insects will be floating around in it. This stage reached, the liquid instead of being a wholesome beverage is a positive poison. It makes no difference whether the water has been standing in a drinking fountain or in a stagnant pool. Either is bad enough to poison the birds. They might, in reality, just as well slake their thirst at the pools that often drain from manure piles, which is frequently done by them on the farm; wherefore such places, if accessible to fowls, should be covered with straw or drained away to some other spot. Given fresh, clean water often enough, however, poultry will seldom touch impure liquids.

Retired Grinders.

A whole village of well-to-do Italians speaking English with an accent is one of the most astonishing things that Italy offers to the tourist. They are retired organ grinders who have acquired comfortable fortunes in various countries and have gone back to their beloved native land to live in affluence with their families in this strange little colony which they have founded among these sweet Italian mountains.

Estray Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that N. A. Vosbrugh on the 1st day of April 1905, took up and now keeps at his farm 4 miles from Pullman, at Sunshine, Wash., the following estray steers:

One steer, age 2 years; color red; blotched brand; ear marks, swallow fork and under bit in left ear; other identification marks, white spots in forehead.

Said estray will be sold to the highest bidder for cash at the place kept, as above specified, on Saturday, the 24th day of February, 1906, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, unless the owner thereof, or his legal representative, shall appear prior to that time, and make out his title and pay all charges against said estray.

Date of first publication of this notice Feb. 9, 1906.

H. H. WHEELER, Auditor of Whitman County.

Pure liquors for the family. Imported Cognac brandy, guaranteed to be 21 years old, at Ed. Harpole's.

Larue & O'Neal, Real Estate.

Call on LACEY'S for Chase & Sanborn's Coffee Preferred Stock Flour They are a strong combination and can't be equaled in Colfax

Estray Sale. Notice is hereby given, that A. Hickman, on the 29th day of Nov., 1905, took up and now keeps at his ranch 13 miles southwest of Colfax, Wash., the following estray cow:

One cow, age 3 years; color black and white, blotch brand on left hip; crop of each ear, slit in right ear; part Jersey.

Said estray will be sold to the highest bidder for cash at the place kept, as above specified, on Saturday, the 10th day of February, 1906, at the hour of 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, unless the owner thereof, or his legal representative, shall appear prior to that time, and make out his title and pay all charges against said estray.

Date of first publication of this notice. Jan. 26, 1906.

H. H. WHEELER, Auditor of Whitman County.

Estray Sale. Notice is hereby given, that P. R. Lair, on the 15th day of Aug., 1904, took up and now keeps at his farm about 4 1/2 miles northeast of Colfax, Wash., the following estray cattle:

One heifer, age 1 year, color red and white spotted, blotch brand on left hip, ear marks, two slits in left ear and one in right; breechy.

Also taken up on Dec. 21, 1904: One cow, age 4 years, color red, branded L on left side, ear marks, crop of both ears, stubhorn; breechy.

One bull calf, age 6 years; breechy. Said estrays will be sold to the highest bidder for cash at the place kept, as above specified on Saturday, the 10th day of February, 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, unless the owner thereof, or his legal representative, shall appear prior to that time, and make out his title and pay all charges against said estrays.

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H. H. WHEELER, Auditor of Whitman County.

Estray Sale. Notice is hereby given, that Joseph Gill, on the 1st day of January, 1905, took up and now keeps at the H. D. Irwin farm, 4 miles south of Garfield, Wash., the following estray steers:

One steer, age 3 years; color, red brindle; no brands visible.

One steer, age 2 years; color, pale red; no brands visible; ear marks, right ear cropped; other identification, Jersey.

One steer, age one and one-half years; color, some white, mostly red; no brands visible; ear marks, under bit both ears.

Said estrays will be sold to the highest bidder for cash at the place kept, as above specified, on Saturday, the 17th day of Feb., 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, unless the owner thereof, or his legal representative, shall appear prior to that time, and make out his title and pay all charges against said estray.

Date of first publication of this notice Feb. 2, 1906.

H. H. WHEELER, Auditor of Whitman County.

Estray Sale. Notice is hereby given, that John Bergman on the 6th day of October, 1905, took up and now keeps at his farm one-half mile north of Albion, Wash., the following estray cow and calf:

One cow, age 4 years, color red, dim brand on left hip.

Said estray will be sold to the highest bidder for cash at the place kept, as above specified, on Saturday, the 10th day of February, 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, unless the owner thereof, or his legal representative, shall appear prior to that time, and make out his title and pay all charges against said estray.

Date of first publication of this notice, Jan. 26, 1906.

H. H. WHEELER, Auditor of Whitman County.

Estray Sale. Notice is hereby given, that J. W. Peer on the 12th day of January, 1906, took up and now keeps at his farm 5 miles south of Edicott, Wash., the following estray cow and calf:

One cow, age 3 years; color red, no brands visible; split in left ear; other identification marks, white face.

Said estray will be sold to the highest bidder for cash at the place kept, as above specified, on Saturday, the 24th day of February, 1906, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, unless the owner thereof, or his legal representative, shall appear prior to that time, and make out his title and pay all charges against said estray.

Date of first publication of this notice Feb. 9, 1906.

H. H. WHEELER, Auditor of Whitman County.

Estray Sale. Notice is hereby given, that A. H. Slinkard on the 3rd day of January, 1906, took up and now keeps at his farm 3 miles north of Pine City, Wash., the following estray horses:

One mare, age 14 years; color, bay; dim brand on left shoulder; identification marks, star in forehead, hurt on left shoulder, weight 750 pounds.

One horse, age 7 years; color, buckskin; branded J D on right hip and dim brand on right shoulder; other identification marks, wire marks on right hind leg; weight 1650 pounds.