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CHIEF OF THE UMATILLAS.—Chief Peo, one
of the three chiefs of the Umatilla Indians,
returned to Portland yesterday, from which
city he will return to his "illahee" near
Pendleton. He came here to confer with
Governor Moody, concerning the release of
four members of his tribe who are in the
penitentiary serving out a sentence of ten
years for killing an old trapper on the res-
ervation some years since. They have al-
ready served about two and one-half years.
The Governor was at Oregon City, con-
sequently Peo did not see him; but he visit-
ed the penitentiary and talked with his men
there. He says two of them are sick, and
one of them will die soon if he does not get
him out. While he was at the penitentiary
Engle, from Portland, was brought here,
and Peo's description of the scene was quite
amusing. He said he came in a nice black
suit, and he was a nice looking man. but
pretty soon he appeared in a "pinto" suit,
meaning the striped prison clothes. He
thinks it is pretty tough for anyone to go to
the penitentiary. In common with the two
other chiefs, Homli and Shaw, Peo rules
800 Indians. He lives about four miles
south of Pendleton on the reservation, in a
nice white house. Four of the students at
Forest Grove who had learned the carpen-
ters' trade there, built the house for him.
Peo is rich, owning cattle and ponies on the
thousand hills; and he has much land fenced
with rails, which he has hired the "Boston
men" to make for him. He says his Indians
own about fifty wagons, and many plows,
etc., and no longer ask blankets and calico
from the government, preferring imple-
ments with which they can till their own
acres. Peo is a fine looking man for an In-
dian, dresses neatly, and wears a gold
watch and chain. He will return here be-
fore Christmas and confer with Governor
Moody

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