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## MALHEUR IS NEW YAKIMA

That Malheur County and particularly that portion of it in the immediate vicinity of Vale is almost an exact reproduction as to soil and climate of the famous North Yakima Valley is the statement made by Harry R. Garrett, who spent 25 years of his life in the latter country but who has now come to Vale to reside here permanently.

Mr. Garrett also states that several families who are now living at Yakima have decided to come to this district to take advantage of the splendid opportunities offered and to make their homes here. "Every variety of fruit grown in the sister region can be grown with equal if not greater success along the valleys and benches of Bully Creek, Willow Creek and Malheur river," says Mr. Garrett "and I may say that I have shown the courage of my conviction by leaving Yakima and coming to Vale."

The remarkable similarity between the Yakima district of a few years ago and this district now becomes strikingly evident while one who spent so much time in the former as Mr. Garrett describes it. "Today," he continued "the city of North Yakima has a population of 17,500; its population 10 years ago was 3000 or 4000. The extraordinary rise of Yakima was due to the irrigation work effected there and there is absolutely no difference between the conditions existing in Yakima then and Malheur county now."

## WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT ENTERTAIN

Some seventy people, including gentlemen as well as ladies, enjoyed a most delightful time last Wednesday evening as the guests of the Auxiliary Women of the Woodcraft at Oak Fellows Hall.

Amongst those present were some visitors from Ontario. They were Mrs. Draper, Mrs. Plughoff, Mrs. Lyells, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Burbridge and Miss Nestor. A Banquet was served by the ladies and several fine musical numbers were discussed, amongst which which were solo sang by Mrs. Dunlop and Mrs. Lee.

At the meeting three new members were initiated. They are Mrs. Gravel and Misses Maude McDonald and Rose Mulkey. All who had the good luck to be present describe the evening as one of the most pleasant in a long time.

## Christmas Suggestions

The time to is now, before the crowds come. There is no shop is at our store, which we have made headquarters for Christmas. We present this year the largest assortment of practical Holiday Gifts ever in Eastern Oregon. You simply cannot come into our store without finding something at once appropriate and satisfactory.

## Tel Accessories

Among a number of other reasonable suggestions we offer a number of toilet accessories, such as solid silver hair brushes, beautiful ornamental combs, dainty hand mirrors, manicure sets, exquisite perfumery, toiletries, etc., etc. All our goods are high class and promise that you will not be disappointed in articles themselves, the prices, or our treatment of you. Come in and see us whether you buy or not.

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## FALSE PRETENCES CAUSED ARREST

A. Schenboen, a dealer in hides and pelts, was arrested last evening by Deputy Sheriff Frank Meertitt on the charge of obtaining money under false pretences. The particular offence alleged against Schenboen was the passing of a worthless check at Ontario. The prisoner was released upon depositing a \$25.00 bond to appear at 10 o'clock this morning before the court in Ontario.

## Many Alaskans in Vale

That Vale and the neighboring country are attracting strongly the men who have lived in Alaska and who have now retired from that country to seek homes in the most pleasant surroundings is shown day after day by the arrival of men who left Nome on the last boats and passed through Seattle almost without a stop. The last Nome men to come are James Gibson, a member of the well known and extensive mining firm of Safford and Gibson. Bank Salisbury who has been engaged in business at Nome for several years and Tom Sutherland, also a prominent mining man. Amongst those now living here who were formerly residents of Seward Peninsula are Major L. H. French, D. M. Brown, Charles Harrow, John W. Carson, Hugh O'Donnell, Ed O'Donnell, Dan Patterson, F. Conington, C. E. Bailey, Alex McDonald and several others.

## IRRIGATION EXPOSITION BEGINS TODAY

The United States Land and Irrigation Exposition begins today at Chicago and will continue until December 4.

Excursions will be run from almost all western points and hundreds of the leading irrigation men of the west will attend so that a tremendous amount of good is expected to result. The Oregon short line will run excursions amongst other roads. The round trip from Payette to Chicago costs \$88.15. It is believed by many that the advertising resulting from the exposition will turn the thoughts of thousands to the rich fruit lands around Vale and similar regions and that it will mark the beginning of a new era in the development of semi-arid lands everywhere.

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## BRINGS CREW TO DIG FOR OIL

George Baird, of Union, brought a crew to Vale last Monday for the purpose of digging for oil on the property of the people he represents, the Hutchinson Oil and Gas Company. This company has been newly incorporated and a 12 inch drill has been placed in operation. Mr. Baird is absolutely confident that a well will be brought in within three months.

## MAN SHOTS UP SCHOOLHOUSE

On the charge of having run amuck with a gun in company with another man and having shot up the school house at Junction, broken its windows and torn down its flag John C. Madlin was fined \$250 this week by Justice Wilson.

The occurrence took place some weeks ago when it is alleged Madlin and another man named Strice both sheepmen by profession loaded up on fire water and, seeing nothing else upon which they could so satisfactorily unload their venom, turned on the school building and blazed away at the windows, wrecking several.

Not yet satisfied the two men are alleged to have turned upon the flag, torn it down and trampled it with the contempt that could only be expected from the country's enemies. Sheriff Odell arrested Madlin but Strice is still at large although men are now on his trail and his capture is expected. The school building was not occupied at the time, fortunately, and consequently no damage was inflicted except to the structure itself. Six shooters were used for the fusillade. Madlin has appealed the case to the district court.

## ENGINE EXPLODES

### AND WOUNDS MAN

F. Schaffer is laid up at his home suffering from a severe wound in the leg, which was caused by the explosion of a gasoline engine last Monday on High Brothers' premises.

Dr. W. W. Looney, who attended the injured man states the leg would have been broken were it not for the fact that it was raised from the ground at the time and did not therefore offer much resistance to the flying tank that struck it. As it is a fairly good wound received last Dr. Looney reports that his patient is progressing very favorably.

## Price of Clothes Rises

In a letter recently to E. E. Hamilton of the Malheur Clothing Company, one of the firm, states that the price of clothing has increased 25 per cent for the last season and that the Malheur Clothing Company is now engaged in procuring a large stock.

## PERSOLS

W. A. Maxwell, proprietor of the "Oregon Scout", has come to Vale this week on business although still proprietor of the paper is not actively engaged in that whirling, leashed property.

Dr. C. C. Burrow will leave next Wednesday for Bakerville where he will spend Thanksgiving.

L. C. Bartlett and F. Westaway who recently came from the East to make their homes here left Tuesday to take up their residence at Brogan.

Paddy Cummins for the National Mining Company is Tuesday morning.

Harry R. Garrett the Vale Realty Investment Company has moved his office to the Hunt-Bay building.

Go to T. T. Nelson for furniture.

Roll top desks, flap desks, etc. at T. T. Nelson's.

T. T. Nelson for last linoleums.

M. G. Hope has arrived from Denver, where he went some time ago to visit a sick relative.

Hank Salisbury, formerly a well known resident of Vale, arrived in Vale last Monday at like so many other Nome people will make home here.

Since last May 9000 lbs. of wool have been shipped from Vale through the local railroad.

Miss Theban has returned to Vale.

A. W. Tykeman received the first degree Thursday evening at the meeting of the Knights of Illness.

That Mrs. Frick, now very much improved in health, the pleasant information contained in a communication just received from the lady by Mr. Frick. Mrs. Frick states that she will return to Vale about the first of the month from Ireland where she has been receiving medical attention after a rather severe attack of typhoid.

W. W. Claggett left for Spokane and the Palouse country to look after property which he owns there.

David Ames, has recently come from Hamilton, he purchased some land in Idaho's first addition. It is his intention to erect a fine residence on the property.

Postmaster Russell left yesterday on a visit to the Big Bend country. He was accompanied out of Vale by C. O. Thomas who has also come on a business tour.

Working boys report a "sneak" last night when Mr. Barker and Max West were arrested in the hall outside of making a post office. Mr. Barker, who is now engaged in procuring a large stock.

## DOCTOR LOONEY

### SETTLES IN VALE

Dr. W. W. Looney, a prominent physician of Portland, having practiced in that city for five years, has recently come to Vale, and, believing in this country's future, has decided to make here permanently. At the present time he has found it impossible to obtain suitable quarters for his office, as for the present he will be found at the Drexel Hotel day or night. Dr. Looney spent last Summer in the East, king a post-graduate course at Chicago, there being associated with some of the most eminent physicians of the country.

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Vale, Oregon

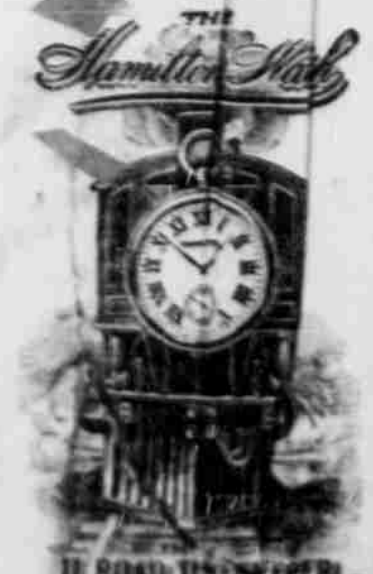
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