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### NEW BUILDINGS RISE IN WESTFALL

Grading of Streets Great Improvement--Other News of That Section.

Westfall, April 4:--The new Methodist Episcopal church is nearly completed.

Fifty-three telephones are now connected at the new central. A splendid improvement over the old system.

The Westfall Brothers are building a \$1500 residence here.

A number of residences lots have exchanged hands at a good figure during the past week.

Seven teams and eleven men have been grading the streets within the city limits and Westfall now boasts of fine streets.

H. M. Gilliam, the store keeper, is in Portland this week.

Pete Jones, of Juntura, son of Wm.

Jones, is clerking in the Jones Mercantile Company's store.

The social benefit for the new church held last Friday cleared \$50. A program consisted of tableaux, recitations and music by the local talent and also music by the band.

### 330,000 POUNDS OF ALFALFA SEED

Jack Ricker, of the local Interior Grain & Warehouse company, who is also in the grain business in Ontario, reports that he has shipped eleven cars of alfalfa seed at an average of \$4000 per car since last fall. The majority of these shipments were produced in the Vale territory.

Figuring 30,000 pounds of seed per car, it is seen that this one firm shipped in a single season 330,000 pounds of alfalfa seed.

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# The Enterprise "Live Wires" Sweep Entire Field

## MORE HOUSES BEING BUILT AT BROGAN

Stewart and Willis Cottages Will Soon Be Ready for Occupancy--Other News of the Willow River Valley and the Surrounding Country.

Brogan, April 3:--The beautiful new residence of President S. M. Stewart of the Brogan bank in this city is half completed. Contractor Loveless is also erecting a bungalow for L. G. Willis here, work having started this week.

Mrs. C. E. Gilman and brother-in-law, O. D. Loveless returned on Monday from a trip to Vale and Ontario.

President S. M. Stewart of the Brogan bank and wife left on Monday for a short visit in Boise, their former home.

Joe Wagner went to Boise Monday on a business trip.

W. M. Wayman was in the valley the fore part of the week arranging minor details closing up his business as the manager of the Willow River Land & Irrigation company. Mr. Wayman had been in charge of the project here for two years and the great development work that has been in the valley during that time is greatly due to his untiring efforts.

The sheep shearing plant is expected to start on its large run about the 10th.

## RETURNS FROM TRIP TO ITALY

Louis Zaninetta Left Yesterday for Westfall to Go Into the Sheep Business.

Louis Zaninetta, of Westfall, was in town Thursday and Friday on his return from an eight months, trip to the old home in Italy. He had a splendid trip but is glad to get back to Malheur County. A large part of his time was spent in visiting his sister at Inverio Superiore. This was his second trip to the old country home since he came west in 1892, having made a similar trip twelve years ago.

Mr. Zaninetta left for Westfall yesterday and expects to enter the sheep business. Vale looked good to him after his long trip and he says the West is far more prosperous than the east.

## BEULAH WILL MAKE THE AMERICAN EAGLE SCREAM ON JULY 4TH

Monster Celebration Plans Already Under Way--Horse-racing, Baseball Games and Big Free Dinner Part of Program for Independence Day.

Beulah, April 1:--Preparations are already well underway here for a grand Fourth of July celebration and from present indications the entire population of the Agency valley as well as other tributary sections will help in painting the hustling little trading center of Beulah red, white and blue on July 4th.

The big event will be held in a beautiful shady grove and the numerous visitors who never fail to attend from Juntura, Riverside, and Drewsey are promised the time of their lives.

A long string of every imaginable events, including horse racing with fat purses, baseball games and big free dinner, will be on the program. There will be equality as well as quantity and it is promised that the Beulah celebration will rival that of any other town in the country.

## BROGAN SUPPLIES POLO HORSES FOR ONTARIO TEAM

Old Time Player Will Be in Charge --Good Sport Is Promised This Summer.

Ontario, April 4:--Ontario in the near future will have a strong polo team. Ten splendid polo horses have been secured, one of which is valued at \$600, and ten sturdy Ontario men are being given thorough instruction in the game by Harry A. Chapman, who handled polo horses thirty years ago, and played this game in Australia, England and America up to 20 years ago, since which time he has devoted his attention to other pursuits.

The ten Ontario men who are being instructed in the polo game are Albert Chapman, Charles Chapman, Edgar Chapman, three sons of the instructor, and Jack Ricker, H. A. McRobert, A. McWilliams, Jeff Billingsby, H. B. Ball, John Brossman and A. D. Huff.

These men have been under Mr. Chapman's training during the past two weeks, and it is expected to play some games this year with the Boise polo teams. The Ontario teams, four men to a team, played their first game last Sunday and made an excellent showing.

Most of the ten horses belonging to the Ontario Polo Club were secured in the Willow River district of Malheur county near Brogan. They are a fine bunch of horses, and are just the right size, strength and speed for the game. These horses are being kept in Fred Stewart's livery and horse barn which was built last year by T. H. Moore, and is said to be one of the best arranged barns in the state, not even excepting Portland.

Some interesting and exciting polo match games may be expected to be seen here before the present year ends.

## BORAH-JONES BILL TO AID THIS SECTION

Vale Chamber Unanimously Decides to Urge Oregon Delegation to Action

## SURVEY ALSO NEEDED

Two Million Acres in Vale Land District Should Be Surveyed--Squatters Want It--New Bill and Survey Would Mean Influx of Homeseekers to Vale.

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George McKnight favored quick action stating that it was of the greatest importance to Vale with its two millions, acres of tributary public domain awaiting settlers. "We are certainly in need of easier and better laws in this line," said he, "especially since the best of the vast domain is being taken up. Vale is vitally interested and the matter should be taken up at once. Steps should also be taken to have the public land in this district surveyed. As it is at the present time, the homesteader has only a squatters, right and cannot proceed with the development of his holdings as he would if he were sure that he had located on the right tract. This chamber should also take the initiative along this line and secure the survey of the Vale district this coming summer."

James Munro also spoke in favor of the Borah-Jones bill and showed where many new settlers would be secured for this section if they would be given a chance to make a living until the land was made to produce.

Dr. Hoople reports the birth of a boy to Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Edmundson at Westfall on Wednesday, and on the same day a girl to Mr. and Mrs. William Miller.

## LAMBING IN BARREN VALLEY IS NOW ON

Good Increase Looked For--Shearing Will Commence First of May--Range Is Picking Up Says Prominent Sheepmen of the Interior Country.

The lambing season is on in the Barren Valley country and prospects are splendid for a big increase if the weather keeps warm, according to a statement made by Donald McLeod who was in the city Wednesday after supplies. Up to the first of the month the sheep suffered some on account of the poor range as the grass had not come up as quick as in former years. However, the range is now getting good and the sheepmen are feeling good. Shearing in that section will commence about the first of May.

Don't be surprised if you have an attack of rheumatism this spring. Just rub the effected parts freely with Chamberlain's Liniment and it will soon disappear. Sold by Vale Pharmacy.

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## STOCKMAN'S HOUSE DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fine Country Home Was Built by William Morfitt a Malheur County Pioneer.

The costly farm residence of A. E. Brown, a prominent stockman, one mile southwest of Ontario, with part of its contents was completely destroyed by fire Saturday morning. The fire was discovered between 7 and 8 o'clock and is supposed to have originated from a defective flue Mr. Brown and his family are in Barren valley, where he is looking after his large sheep interests, and Winniger was living on the place. Most of the household goods on the first floor were saved, but the flames had gained a headway when discovered that nothing could be saved from the second story. This was one of the most attractive homes in the Snake river valley, and being situated in a beautiful grove, was one of the show places of Ontario.

This handsome two-story residence was built by William Morfitt, one of the pioneers of this section, who now resides in Portland. It was known as the Davis place, Frank Davis having owned the place several years. The property was insured.

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