

**FAIR AWARDS.**

Heppner and Morrow county made a very good showing at the Umatilla-Morrow District fair. The display of Morrow county products was not nearly so large as it should have been but the results speak well for the county nevertheless. Among the prizes awarded we noted the following:

In the poultry division.  
D. C. Gurdane 4 firsts and 4 seconds on Banded Plymouth Rocks; first and second, trio Banded Plymouth Rocks, and 1 second Buff Cochon Bantams. L. W. Briggs, 4 firsts and 4 seconds Rhode Island Reds, and first and second trio Rhode Island Reds. Aug. Gunderain, second White Leghorn pullets. James Fitz, first and second trio of Golden Wyandottes, 4 firsts and 3 seconds on Golden Wyandottes. W. P. Hill, first White Plymouth Rocks, first and second trio of Anconas, 4 firsts 3 seconds, and 2 thirds White Plymouth Rocks and Anconas.

Farm products.  
John Olden first pampas grass, second side oats.

Oscar Minor first grasses.  
D. Cox, first Banner oats. Beardless barley.

R. V. Jones second 60 day white oats, first Blue Stem wheat.

M. D. L. French first Black rye.  
Jake Young first White barley.

Wm. Heath second Turkey Red wheat.  
Austin Devin second Blue Stem wheat.

Evans Brothers second Blue Stem wheat.  
C. E. Jones first Club wheat, first on display of Club wheat.

T. J. Harris second Blue Barley.  
James Farley first sheaf oats.

Wash Thompson, second display of club wheat.  
Herb Olden, first display of forty fold wheat.

As to fruit and vegetables we have the following:  
D. C. Gurdane, first best display pears first, general display of fruit.

J. R. Olden, apples, Stark, Oregon Red Winter, Bertsheimer, Sawyer, Thomkins, Rambo, Baldwin, Johnathon Second Winesap, Yellow Newtown, Winter Bannana, Paradise Winter Sweet.

J. H. Bellebrock, second, Rambos.  
Henry Scherzinger, second, Northern Spy.

M. A. Adkins, first, early Strawberry.  
J. R. Nunamaker, first, Gravenstein.

Alex Lindsay, second, Maidens Blush.  
J. M. McMillan, second, Duchess of Oldenburg.

M. C. McMillan, first, Duchess of Oldenburg.  
French Burrows, first, Paradise Sweets.

J. T. McMillan, first, Alexandria, Wolf River.  
T. E. Gay, first, Northern Spy; second, Wagener.

J. J. Adkins, second, Early Strawberry.  
Pears: J. R. Olden, first, Buere East-er, Clapp's Favorite.

J. H. McHaley, second, unknown variety.  
Mrs. Knappenberg, second, Sickle.

Frank Nash, first, Idaho, Oregon.  
T. E. Gay, first, Winter Nellis; second, Louis Boone.

J. J. Adkins, second, Keiffer.  
H. Scherzinger, first, Louis Boone; second, Winter Nellis.

H. Scherzinger, first, Transcendent crab.  
J. R. Olden, second, Columbia plums, Danson plums.

J. R. Nunamaker, second, Hungarian prunes.  
Henry Gay, first, Pacific prunes.

Peaches—J. R. Olden, second, Wheat Heath, Early Crawford.  
Oscar Minor, first, Early Crawford.

Miss Edna Woolery, of Ione, is the champion maker of homemade candy in Morrow county, having carried off the second prize at fair and outclassing all other competitors from this county.

It is a matter of congratulation that a very large number of the premiums not mentioned in the above report were secured by Morrow county people, notably those of Irrigon, who seem to have had the best of almost everything in which they were particularly interested. If we can do so well in an exceedingly dry season and under such unfavorable conditions, what may we not do when circumstances are auspicious.

Victor Anderson, a young man of the Eight Mile section, was called by death Sunday morning. He had for some

time been a victim of the white plague, and had spent a winter in California in hope of restoring his health, but to no avail, and returning home he gradually grew weaker till the end. He was an exemplary young man, one of the sons of an excellent family. The remains were laid to rest at Eight Mile yesterday, Rev. E. P. Warren, of Heppner, conducting the funeral.

Mr. Karl W. Farnsworth and Miss Charlotte E. Wilson were united in marriage at the Presbyterian church in Monument on Sunday, the 10th inst. The groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Farnsworth of Heppner, and is now engaged in the stock business near Monument, and the bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. W. B. Jenks of Monument.

Jas. Angus has returned to Heppner to take charge of the W. O. Minor Shorthorns at Mountain Valley Farm. He is said to be one of the best caretakers on the coast and is no doubt glad to be in charge of the Minor herd again. He will keep them to the front as the champion herd of the Pacific slope.

Right Rev. Charles J. O'Reilly, D. D., Bishop of Baker City, will make an official visitation at the Catholic church this Sunday. He will celebrate mass and administer Holy Communion at eight o'clock. At the 10:30 o'clock mass he will preach the sermon. Confirmation will be administered at three o'clock followed by sermon and benediction.

Franklin P. Whetstone and Miss Nettie May Armstrong were married at the home of the bride's parents in Pendleton on last Wednesday, Rev. N. Evans of the Methodist church, performing the ceremony. The newly married couple will make their home in Morrow county where Frank has resided for the most of his life.

**Extremely Polite.**  
The forms of Mexican politeness to the stranger are sometimes embarrassing. Miss Mary Barton, who visited the country to paint landscapes and tells her experience in "Impressions of Mexico," says that "people seemed anxious to help me in all possible ways, from the railway conductor, who invited me to dine with him, to the very smart young man that I met in the postoffice when I had a number of invitations in my hand and who offered to lick the stamps for me."

**Shutting Him Off.**  
The Dad—My son, I want to tell you that the secret of my success, as it must be of any man's, is hard work. I—The Son—Sh, dad! I don't care to hear other people's secrets, and I am too much of a gentleman to take advantage of information gained in that way. Say no more.—Toledo Blade.

**Tasty Poison.**  
Customer—The poison may be excellent, but the rats won't take it. You'll have to make it more tasty. Druggist—I've tried that already, but the apprentice boys eat it.—Flegende Blatter.

**Easier.**  
The Landlady—At our table, Mr. Blinks, it is customary to return thanks at each meal. The New Boarder—That's fine. I like it lots better than paying cash.—New York Journal.

It is the people who know how to rest who do continuous good work.—Harraden.

**A Matter of Measure.**  
"He writes poetry by the yard."  
"That's probably why his verse is so poor. Poetry should be written by the foot."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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**Pat Scored.**  
An Irishman named Pat Carr was met by an Englishman one day, who said to him: "What's your name?" "Carr," said Pat. "Well, well," said the Englishman: "you're the first car I ever saw going without an ass, so you're a great sight to me." "Begob!" said Pat. "You're not the first ass I saw going without a car, so you're no sight to me."—London Globe.

**Consulting the Sage.**  
No Korean couple would think of marrying without consulting the sage, who fixes the happy day for them. This he does simply by adding the bride's age to the bridegroom's, and, after determining which star rules the destiny of their united ages, he decrees that the wedding shall take place upon the day sacred to that star.

**Courting Celebrity.**  
"I want to do some one thing that will cause me to be talked about," said the energetic and ambitious man. "That's easily arranged," answered his wife. "Merely move into a strange neighborhood."—New York American.

**The Resemblance.**  
Teacher—If the earth were empty inside it would resemble—Scholar—A razor, miss. Teacher—A razor? Why, Teddy? Scholar—Because it would be hollow ground, miss.—London Telegraph.

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