

## WEEK'S NEWS.

### Local and Personal Happenings.

1000 New Posts for sale.  
Phelps Grocery Co.

You may find that present at Haylor's.

R. E. Allstott, Eight Mile farmer, was in Heppner Tuesday.

E. Noriye, of Lexington, was a visitor in Heppner Tuesday.

**Wanted**—A girl to do general housework. Inquire at this office.

Clarence Scrivener is working at the Palm during the Christmas rush.

J. W. Sibley, of Strawberry, was a pleasant caller at this office on Tuesday.

I will pay high cash price for well handled coyote and bob cat skins and skulls. **E. GONTY.**

J. H. Bryson, the lone liveryman was a business visitor in this city on Monday.

W. B. Potter of Spray was visiting with his family in Heppner the last of the week.

E. F. Day came up from Portland last Friday to attend to matters of business in this city.

Many Lexington people came up to witness the basketball game at the Rink on Friday evening.

County Commissioners, Young and Kilkenny were attending county court which convened here last week.

Are you reading the ads in this issue of the G. T.? There is much there to interest you. Look them up.

H. V. Gates, president of the Heppner Light & Water company came up from Portland on the Sunday local.

John Kinsman, the local beef dealer and cattle buyer, shipped two carloads of cattle to the Portland market last Friday.

Mrs. Albert King arrived from Portland on Saturday and will visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. F. Luper, for a couple of weeks.

Frank Parker of Lexington has moved onto the John Hughes farm below Heppner, having taken charge of the place on a three-year lease.

Jesse D. French was in town from Big Butter Creek on Tuesday and Wednesday, being interested in a horse replevin suit in Justice Cornett's court.

Orve Rasmus has been elected to fill the position left vacant by Roy White in the Thomson Bros. store. Orve spent the past year over in the Washington country.

E. G. Noble, maker of the famous Heppner Saddle, is doing business in Portland this week. While below he took in the big Multnomah county poultry show.

We acknowledge a very pleasant call on Tuesday from Mrs. Wm. Finley of Alpine in company with Mrs. Mary A. Bartholomew of Heppner whom Mrs. Finley was visiting while in town.

**For Sale**—A four-year-old Guernsey bull. This is a splendid animal. I might consider trade for good beef producing cows.

**Joseph Eskelson,**  
Lexington, Oregon.

A census just completed the past week shows a school population in District No. 1 of 373 children between the ages of four and twenty years. This is about fifty more than the district boasted last year.

I wish to announce to my patients and friends that I have changed my plans and will not leave Heppner for some time yet and that any one may find me at my office from nine a. m. and twelve and one to five p. m.

**Dr. J. Perry Conder.**

Theo. Anderson of Eight Mile was doing business in Heppner Saturday. Mr. Anderson states that this is one Fall when he has had the opportunity to get all of his farm work done up. Grain is up and growing fine and all Mr. Anderson has to do now is to wait till harvest rolls around, with indications favorable that he will have to build greater barns to hold the increase.

The new arch lighting system is being installed on Main street this week by the Heppner Light & Water Co., and this further improvement of the system will soon be installed. The old arc lights will be done away with and the street will be lighted with incandescent lights strung in arches at the intersection of each cross street, as well as other points needed. Eleven arches will be strung and when the other lights are turned on the street will indeed have a beautiful appearance.

Mrs. Edgar Ayers returned home Tuesday after a visit of ten days with friends and relatives in Portland.

She was accompanied by Miss Eleanor Rogerson of Twin Falls, Idaho. Miss Rogerson will visit with Mrs. Ayers until the Christmas holidays before returning home.

Earl D. Hallock, chief herdman of the famous Mountain Valley Stock Farm, took a number of the best Shorthorns to Portland last Sunday. This stock is being exhibited at The Pacific International Live Stock Show there this week. Some of them will also be disposed of at the big Shorthorn sale.

W. O. Minor went down to Portland Tuesday to attend the Shorthorn cattle sale which takes place this week. Mr. Minor will also join his family at Portland, where they have been visiting for two weeks. After the sale they will go to California, where Mrs. Minor and the children will locate for the winter.

Louis King, stenographer in the Forest Service at Heppner, is preparing to remove with his family to Eugene, where he will take a position with Supt. Hugh B. Rankin in the office of the Siuslaw Forest.

Rev. N. O. Williams and wife of Ione spent Sunday in Heppner. Mr. Williams occupied the pulpit at the Christian church both morning and evening.

Coos Bay is the coming seaport town of Oregon. It is a good place to make an investment right now. See Smead & Crawford for particulars.

More autos destroyed by fire than any other way. Protect yours by getting a policy of Smead. None as cheap. None better.

J. A. Waters and wife and Frank Engleman and wife of Ione, attended Elks Memorial Services at Heppner on Sunday afternoon.

Alfalfa hay for sale. O. E. Adkins, Heppner Oregon. **tf.**

Go to the Bakery for your bread. 25 loaves for \$1.00.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to import or sell any infected or diseased fruit of any kind in the state of Oregon.

Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100.

Printed by order of Harry Cummings, Fruit inspector for Morrow County. **4-mo.**

**His Fluent French.**

Bedell and Wilkinson, on a trip through France, were dining together at a Paris restaurant. Mr. Wilkinson persisted in ordering and asking for everything he wanted in doubtful French, while Mr. Bedell persisted in offering explanations that were in the nature of criticisms. At last Mr. Wilkinson's temper rose to explosive point.

"Will you," he said in English, "be so good as not to interfere with me in the use of my French?"

"Very well," retorted Mr. Bedell.

"I simply wanted to point out that you were asking for a staircase when all you wanted was a spoon."—New York Globe.

**Gray Versus Brown Camels.**

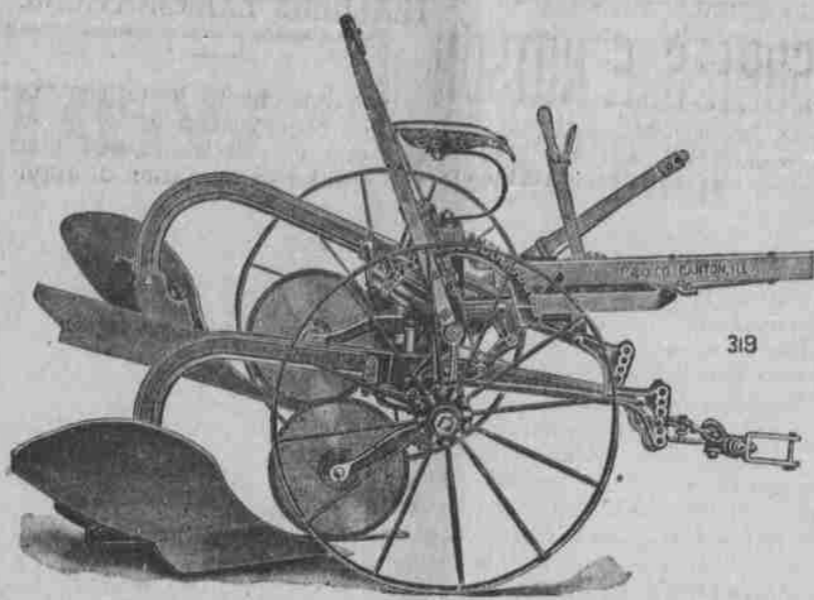
The length of a stage varies throughout Persia, depending on the character of the country, and is reckoned in farsaks, the old Greek parasang. The farsak is a most elastic and uncertain measure, and as animals are paid for per farsak as many as the credulity of the traveler will allow are crowded into each stage. "How far," I once asked an old Kurdish muleteer, "is a farsak?" "As far as one can distinguish a gray from a brown camel," was the discreet answer. They average about four miles and the stage about six farsaks, or twenty-five miles.—Atlantic.

**His Idiosyncrasy.**

Dr. William Babbinton, physician to Guy's hospital in the early years of the last century, was an Irishman. He was described by Sir Astley Cooper as "the most delightful of men." He used to tell of a countryman of his for whom he had prescribed an emetic and who said: "My dear doctor, it is of no use your giving me an emetic. I tried it twice in Dublin, and it would not stay on my stomach either time."—British Medical Journal.

**Good Advice.**

The revivalist Sam Jones was once taking women to task for spending more time in prinking than in praying. "If there's a woman here," he screamed finally, "who prays more than she prinks, let her stand up." One poor old, faded specimen of femininity, in the sorriest, shabbiest of clothes, arose. "You spend more time praying than prinking?" asked the preacher, taking her all in. The poor old creature said she did—prayed all the time, prinked not at all. "You go straight home," admonished Jones, "and put a little time on your prinking."



## 2-Way Sidehill Plow.

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