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Will Protect Mail

Uncle Sam has decided to make it an object for sleuths to run to earth cases of tampering with mail bags and post offices throughout the country and the following rewards are to be paid hereafter by the government for information leading to the arrest and capture of the offenders.

A reward of \$1000 is offered for the arrest and conviction of any person robbing a mail car. Congress has already made it a life offense to hold up a mail car with a show of armed force or attempts on the life of the messenger, or in any case with a prior conviction.

A reward of \$500 is offered where the mail is carried by other conveyances than railroad trains. In case of an unsuccessful attempt at robbery the reward is \$250.

A long list of rewards from \$25 to \$200 is offered for embezzling and stealing, breaking open post boxes and for similar offenses. Provisions are made to prevent the payment of a reward to any guilty person or accomplice of the person convicted, and all employees of the postal department are barred from claiming any of the rewards.

The order goes into effect at once. It was received at the local office this morning.

General Summary

No precipitation of consequence occurred throughout the state during the last week and all late crops, with the exception of corn and hops, are in need of a good soaking rain. Light frost occurred Thursday morning on some of the bottom lands in Southern Oregon, but no damage resulted therefrom.

Threshing is practically completed in Western Oregon, while east of the Cascade mountains this work continues under favorable circumstances. The yield of both wheat and barley continues good in the Columbia and the Grande Ronde valleys, but in the Willamette valley and Southern Oregon, the grain yields were generally below the average.

Hops made satisfactory advancement and the crop is about ready for harvesting; picking will become general by the first of next week. The vines are free of vermin and it is expected the quality will be good. Corn is doing nicely and a large crop is promised. Field onions are being pulled. Late potatoes and gardens are doing poorly owing to the lack of rain.

Pears and prunes are ripe and being gathered. Pears are abundant, but prunes will average about half of a full crop. Apples are small in size and in well kept orchards an average crop will be harvested.

Stock on the ranges continues in fairly good condition; in the dairy districts cattle are losing flesh and there is a marked falling off in the milk supply.—A. B. Wellaber, acting Director.

CONDUCTOR DROPPED DEAD

Baker City, Sept. 6.—E. M. Ford, conductor on the Sumpter Valley railway, died suddenly and without an apparent struggle, while in charge of his train between Whitney and Tipton Monday evening.

He had been complaining of a pain in his breast for several days and was lying in a box car while the train was running between two stations. The brakemen were in the car with him, and when the engine whistled for Tipton station, called to Ford to awake but he was dead.

So quietly had he expired that he had not attracted the attention of the men sitting near him.

He leaves a wife and two children. He formerly worked as a brakeman on the O. R. & N. out of La Grande and was an efficient railroad man.

Coyote Drive

Washtucna, Wash. Sept. 6.—There will be a howling time about the first of October, says the Enterprise, when it is proposed to organize a coyote drive. All who care to engage in the sport are to be invited and the definite plans will be made known later. This will be called the First Annual Coyote drive and is intended to inaugurate the annual custom of scouring the country with a view to exterminating the "gray coated ventriloquists of the plains," or at least those that infest this section of the country. The coyotes abound in great numbers in the hills about Washtucna and they are a menace to the sheep and poultry raisers. A bounty of \$1 per scalp is offered by the state.

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To Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization will meet at the office of the county clerk, at the courthouse, in La Grande, Oregon, on Monday September 25, 1905, and continue in session for 6 days.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 1st day of September, 1905.

J. H. MORTON,
Assessor for Union county.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Oregon.

August 14, 1905.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at La Grande, Oregon, on October 4, 1905, viz: H. E. No. 949, same A. Croswell, of Starkey, Oregon, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 7, T. 48, R. 23 E. W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: R. J. Burnett, J. E. Aulden, A. J. Sullivan, Minnie Lindas, all of Starkey, Oregon.
E. W. Davis, Register

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OCTOBER 3 to 9, INCLUSIVE

RELAY RACE FOR LADY RIDERS Ladies only, Purse \$350.

CONDITIONS OF RELAY RACE

There must be three starters. Riders must go four miles each day, changing horses every mile. Race begins Tuesday afternoon. Best total time for 20 miles wins

First Money, \$200; \$100 for Second; \$50 for Third;

Entries for this race required to give name of rider, names and description of the four horses they will ride, and file the same with the secretary. After the race starts no substitution of horses will be allowed except in case of accident, and then on the decision of the judges. Riders will be allowed two attendants for their mounts, and will each have a paddock to hold four horses, no assistance will be allowed in mounting. Horses for relay race will be on the grounds before noon of Oct. 2, for inspection by judges. Use of track permitted preceding the week of fair at hours prescribed by track manager. No entrance fee.

Entry to this race will close Sept. 20,

FRED J. HOLMES, Secretary.

Entry for this race will be taken only at riders risk. This association will use all precaution to avoid accidents, but will not be responsible therefor.

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