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NEW REVENUE DISCOVERED

SHEEP GRAZED IN UNION COUNTY
SERVE PURPOSE

Considerable Tax to Be Derived From Bands Hereafter.

County Assessor D. M. Clark has found a law on the statute books of the state which he believes he can put into effect in Union county and thereby turn into the treasury of the county \$1,500 or \$2,000 cash in taxes. This money is now going into the coffers of Umatilla, Morrow, Wallowa and Baker counties.

In 1907 a law was passed, allowing counties in which sheep, horses or cattle from other countries, were grazed to collect a pro rata tax from the counties in which the property was assessed. As it is something like 200,000 head of sheep are brought into Union county from Umatilla, Morrow, Wallowa and Baker counties and pastured here for from three to four months each year, and this county receives no benefit in the way of taxes.

Mr. Clark has looked into the matter to some extent and has found that there are about 15 sheep owners in adjoining counties who use Union county for summer range.

The Johnson sheep stealing case has been used to illustrate the fairness of collecting taxes on foreign sheep. Johnson's sheep were from out of the county, but when a number of his sheep were stolen while on the range in this county, Union county had to stand the heavy expense of trying the alleged thieves.

Mr. Clark is having forms printed containing the laws concerning pasturing of foreign sheep and is going to send a copy of the law and requirements to each of the sheep men who have been pasturing sheep in this county. The law requires that those sheep men wishing to pasture sheep in a county other than the one in which their sheep are assessed for taxation, shall file papers with the stock inspector or county clerk of the county where they wish to pasture their bands, declaring their intentions to use the range of the county and setting the number of sheep to be brought in and the length of time for which they will wish to use the range.

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City School Items

At a business meeting of the senior class last Monday the staff officers of the high school annual were elected. Another meeting was held Friday afternoon and the following class officers were elected: Class Historian--Hilda Anderson; Prophet--Zoe Bragg; Poet--Merlin Batley; Knocker--Willard Carpy. Ruth Ghormley, chairman, Hilda Anthony and Maude Leadsworth were appointed as com-

mittees to select the graduation program.

Plans are being laid for a school fair to be held before close of school. The display will probably be the biggest in magnitude and scope ever shown in Eastern Oregon by one school. All classes and grades of work will be on exhibition to show those interested the quality of the school's work.

The typists of the commercial students will commence practising next week for a "blind" contest to be held towards the end of the term. The operators will be blind-folded before a machine and will take the matter from dictation.

Olaf Group will return to school next Monday after two weeks' work with Court Reporter Hanna in the circuit court. Mr. Group found the practical experience very profitable.

The pupils in the rooms of Prof. Snyder and Miss Salder will clash in a spelling match to be held in the old high school building next Friday.

Attorney Turner Oliver addressed the high school student body on the subject of law and customs Tuesday morning.

Dr. William B. Patly comes on April 16th to give a demonstration of radium, liquid air and wireless telegraphy--three of the most perfect modern research discoveries.

The teachers' training class has been studying reading methods for the past week.

Adrian Newman will give an entertainment as an oratorical critic in the auditorium on April 8.



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