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THE SUN LEASED.

With this issue the Sun appears under new management, Mr. E. R. Bradley, a competent and experienced newspaper man of many years' experience in Nebraska and Texas, having rented the paper for one year. This change was occasioned by the proprietor having property interests at Sumpter, including mining claims and town property, which, owing to late developments, may become quite valuable by giving it our personal attention. The writer will divide his time during the year between his home at Hood River and Sumpter, while the family will reside here permanently.

The new editor and publisher, Mr. Bradley, is a gentleman of excellent character and wide and valued experience in editorial work and artistic job printing, and no doubt will make the Sun a better newspaper than it has been under our control. His family, consisting of a wife and two children, who are now visiting relatives in Eastern Canada, are expected here next month, and will be a welcome acquisition to our town.

The writer desires to heartily thank the many patrons and friends of the Sun for their very courteous treatment and liberal patronage, also our able corps of correspondents for their valuable assistance, and trusts that the same good will and hearty support be extended to the new editor, who will continue the paper to all who have paid in advance for the time paid for.

GREETING.

It is generally customary upon a change of management being made in a paper for both interested parties to make such statement to the readers as will give them all necessary enlightenment in the premises. In the article appearing above, the proprietor of the Sun, Mr. Shutt, makes clear why a change takes place at this time and it remains therefore only necessary for me to add a word by way of greeting, leaving it more particularly for the future to determine how acceptable may be our business relationship with the patrons of the Sun and the people generally of Hood River Valley.

During the brief period of its existence the Sun has shown quite conclusively where it stands politically and for the future it will unflinchingly follow the same general policy. The change of management does not call for any change in this particular. As a live, local newspaper it has already reached a standard that has brought strong words of commendation from all sources, and it will be our aim for the coming year to keep it up to that excellent standard. Our experience in the newspaper field however, has proved to us that much depends on the community, whether the local papers are leading in the van or merely existing, and our efforts shall be to make each issue so acceptable—even necessary—that due appreciation will follow.

Coming as a stranger among you we simply ask for that support and recognition of the Sun as our efforts for the upbuilding and advancement of Hood River and surrounding country may merit, and will leave it for the future to determine how earnestly we shall work along that line.

Trusting that our future relationship with the good people of Hood River may be mutually pleasant and profitable, we are,
Sincerely Yours,
E. R. Bradley.

To be a Christian in name and a Christian in fact are entirely different things. This doctrine has been eminently illustrated the past week in Richland, while a subscription list was being passed around for the benefit of a widow and little children in destitute circumstances. The names of those classed as sinners of all the sinful appear with a liberal contribution, but the names of some of the would-be Christians are conspicuous by their absence. What a diversified crop our Lord will be called upon to harvest!—Carson (Or.) Tocsin.

Comparatively few people in this country realize the favorable conditions under which they live, as compared with other countries. Every year we read of famine somewhere, extending over a vast region and resulting in the starvation of thousands or millions. This year famine prevails to some extent in both European Russia and portions of India, where untold millions of people depend solely upon the crops raised in these regions. In this one respect, not to mention others, there is no region of equal area comparable with the United States. A failure of crops occasionally occurs in a comparatively small region, a few counties or one-third or half a state, but no such thing as a general famine was ever known, and it is an impossibility. There is no country like our own for reliable resources, and in no other is there or can there be as great rewards or as many opportunities for the "common people" and especially for agricultural laborers.

Nebraska, like every other state in the Union, is richer today than ever in its past history. Its corn crop alone is 100,000,000 bushels, the largest ever grown, and that means \$20,000,000 additional to its farmers. The mortgaged farms are growing less each day. The poorhouses of the state are almost tenantless. The banks of the state have ample money deposited by its own people to meet all the requirements of business, and that means defeat to Bryanism. It is plain that populism can no more stand prosperity than the Indian can civilization—it ruins their business.—Philadelphia Press.

From this on, for some months, rumors of substituting some other candidate for Mr. McKinley will be rife. They are concocted by disappointed politicians or unvarnished press correspondents with little honest work on hand. True, a great many individual republicans would prefer McKinley's retirement, but the politicians are for him—he has the machines all in hand; not to give him a second term would be a sore and unusual affront, and when the convention meets he will be nominated without manifest opposition.—Telegram.

The people would be in clover if they could get money of the government as cheaply as the national banks do. The banks pay one per cent. One per cent. on \$1,000 is \$10. A fellow could build an \$800 house on a \$200 lot and it would cost him only \$10 a year, and say \$10 more for taxes, \$5 for insurance. Total \$25. Better than \$10 a month or a \$120 a year rent. Wonder if there would be many idle carpenters if the government would treat the common herd as well as it does the national banks?—World.

The English-Boer conflict can have but one ending and that the subjugation of the Afrikanders at no very distant day, yet a great many good men of both sides will "bite the dust" before the conflict shall have ended. Such, however, is war, no matter how just the cause.

Expansion in territory and expansion in business have both gone on to such a marked extent under the McKinley administration that the people will expand President McKinley's term to eight years, Roseburg Plaindealer.

A Kansas woman in Butler county has managed a 450-acre farm for 10 years and has saved \$20,000. This is printed merely to show what a woman can do when not handicapped with a husband.—Exchange.

"There is no longer any question as to where Admiral Dewey stands," telegraphs the special Washington correspondent of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. "He is a firm supporter of the policy of the president."

General Fred Funston has been tendered a Brigadier-Generalship in the newly formed volunteer service and has accepted.

Ex-Governor W. P. Lord has accepted the appointment as minister of the United States to the Argentine Republic.

The most of us feel that if we can't get into a trust, we are down on all of them.—Carson Tocsin.

Admiral Dewey has been assigned to special duty at the navy department.

Tribute from the South.
[From the New Orleans Times-Democrat.]
Among all this and other news from Paris, we take this opportunity to express our admiration of the extremely able and interesting news articles from London which "The Chicago Tribune" has been running daily in its columns for several months past. Several of the New York papers have excellent cable letters from London and sometimes other European capitals in their Sunday issues, but they appear as a rule only once a week, the brief dispatches which they get on the other days of the week not amounting to much in the way of an intelligent and adequate presentation of European news. The Chicago Tribune's foreign service, signed "Grace Corneau" from Paris and "H. J. Whigham" from London, taking it all the week around, is a long way ahead of the foreign news service of any of the New York papers.
One or two of the New York papers have had for years a deservedly high reputation for presenting their readers with news of interest from foreign parts, and the public will not forget its indebtedness to them on that account. But it is beyond dispute that the star of journalism is Westward taking its way, and that the journalism of Chicago is beginning to be the metropolitan journalism of the present, and will certainly be, if things move as they are moving now, the metropolitan journalism of the future. We do not generally, if at all, approve of the metropolitan journalism of the New York papers, but, apart from its news service, it is not only its foreign news service, but its home news service covers the country with a thoroughness and accuracy that the New York papers are strangers. "The Tribune's" service to the South is a credit to the journalism of New York. It was a surprise to me to learn that while the Tribune of the Gotham papers has been equal.

High Water Advertising Mark.
The New York Herald of April 17 printed an editorial statement that on that day (Sunday, April 10) its paid advertising reached its highest mark in the history of the paper. "The Chicago Tribune" on that same day last Sunday, April 10, printed not only news advertisements but also regular main edition of a newspaper. Leaving out of account the two columns of advertising in the New York Herald on that day in the special section devoted to the Tribune, the record of the Tribune and appearing only in those editions, the record of the Tribune for April 10 surpassed that of the Herald for the same day by the amount of 1,000 more lines of paid advertising. Even allowing the Herald all it claims, including the Tribune and New Jersey supplements, the New York Herald on that day still fell short of the Tribune by more than 1,000 lines in the actual amount of paid advertising.
The above figures are as follows: The New York Herald of April 10 printed in its main edition, exclusive of the Tribune and New Jersey supplements, 77,828 agate lines of advertisements, including those of the Tribune, 87,707. The Chicago Tribune, printed that day 88,450 agate lines of paid advertisements. The comparison should be made in these figures, because the columns of the Tribune are longer and contain 208 agate lines while those of the New York Herald contain only 288 lines of agate each.

For the four Sundays ending April 16, the number of columns of advertisements in the New York Herald, according to its own claims and including the Tribune and New Jersey supplement, was 1,067.25. In the same period of time "The Tribune" printed 1,084.45 columns of actual paid advertisements. These, reduced to agate lines, give the New York Herald 208 lines and "The Tribune" 236,751 lines. In "The Tribune" there were printed in that period 23,383 more agate lines than in the New York Herald. Therefore the New York Herald printed an average of 26.25 columns less each Sunday than "The Chicago Tribune."

M. F. SHAW,
Physician and Surgeon,
HOOD RIVER, OREGON.
OFFICE:—Over Everhart's Store. Phone 31;
Residence 28 and Central.

J. F. WATT,
Physician and Surgeon,
HOOD RIVER, OREGON.
TELEPHONE:—Residence 31; Office 33. Surgeon
for O. R. & N. Co.

F. C. BROSIUS,
Physician and Surgeon,
Office over Williams' Drug Store. Telephone—
Main 112.
HOOD RIVER, OREGON.

JOHN LELAND HENDERSON,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
Abstractor and Notary Public,
HOOD RIVER, OREGON.

JOHN BRADLEY
—HAS HIS—
NEW BAKERY
IN HOOD RIVER, OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE,
Now Ready for Business.

Is prepared to furnish, at all times, any and everything usually found in a first-class bakery.
Bread, Pies and Cakes Baked to Order on Short Notice.

P. F. Bradford,
Manufacturer of All Kinds of
BOXES
—And—
Fruit Packages.

HOOD RIVER, : : : ORE.

EVANS & RUSSELL,
BARBERS,
HOOD RIVER, : : : ORE.

First-Class work at the moderate rates of 15c a shave and 25c for haircut.

Razors Honed. Give Us a Call.

H. C. BATEHAM,
—PROPRIETOR—
COLUMBIA NURSERY,
HOOD RIVER, OR.

ALL KINDS OF NURSERY STOCK, LARGE ASSORTMENT, BEST VARIETIES.

An invitation is extended to the public to call and inspect my trees and shrubbery.

Dry 16-inch wood will be taken on subscription at this office, if delivered soon.

RECIPROCITY

Is still in the field of action and selling
Fresh and Cured Meats,
Bacon, Lard,
Groceries, Flour and Feed
In Every Nook and Corner of Hood River Valley.

NEW AND FRESH GOODS AT "RUSH ALONG" PRICES.
Largest Retail Business in the Valley.
"Miss us and you are not in the swim."
"Quick Sales and Fair Margins of Profit"
Suit us.

Here are some samples:
Picnic Hams, 11c
Lard, 50 and 90c
Rolled Barley, per sack, 90c
Shorts, per sack, 85c
Cream Wheat Mush, 3 packages for 25c
Pyramid Washing Powder, per pkg. 25c
Pearline, Six 5-cent packages for . . . 25c

We solicit your patronage. Goods delivered. Store opens 6:30 a. m.

CLYDE T. BONNEY.

WATCH THIS SPACE NEXT ISSUE.

A. S. BLOWERS & SON,
Carry a full line of
Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots Shoes, Gents' Furnishing goods, flour, feed, hardware.

Sole Agents for Miller's Celebrated Shoes. A full line of heaters and cook stoves in stock at bottom prices.
HOOD RIVER, : : : OREGON.

GEO. P. CROWELL,
(Successor to E. L. Smith—Oldest Established House in the Valley.)
—DEALER IN—
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Flour, Feed, Etc.
HOOD RIVER, OREGON.

THE HOOD RIVER TRADING CO.
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS AND VEHICLES.

REAL ESTATE.
Notary Public. Conveyancing.

"The Klondyke"
—Is the place to go for nice, fresh—
Confectionery, Cigars and Tobaccos of all kinds and brands,
Home-made Candies, Fresh Fruits, Oranges and Lemons in Season, Soda Water and Other Mild Drinks.
W. B. COLE, Prop., - Hood River, Or.

YOU CAN GET
—At Reasonable Prices—
Vegetables, groceries, canned goods, flour, feed and grain, at
Everhart's Store in Hood River.

MT. HOOD HOTEL

HOOD RIVER, OR.
C. A. BELL, Prop.
First-class in Every Particular. Moderate Rates.
Table Supplied With the Best in the Market.

E. S. OLINGER. J. J. LUCKEY. A. B. FOLEY.
MT. HOOD STAGE CO.
Daily Stage Between
Hood River and Cloud Cap Inn.
First-class Turnouts for Tourists and Commercial Travelers.
Competent Drivers, Good Conveyances, Moderate Rates.
General livery, delivery and dray work of every description. The best of care taken of transient stock, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Bring Your Fruit to
The Davidson Fruit Co.
—And Get the Highest Prices.

When markets warrant, we ship the fruit, otherwise handle it in our cannery. We aim to merit your patronage by providing the most remunerative markets possible for your products.
WE SELL FRUIT BOXES AND CRATES OF HOME MANUFACTURE.
AGENTS FOR Studebaker Vehicles, Canton Clipper Plows and Cultivators, and other Agricultural Implements and Garden Tools. The best at moderate prices.
HOOD RIVER, - - - OREGON.

ALEX STEWART,
—DEALER IN—
General Merchandise
OF ALL KINDS.
MOSIER, : : OREGON.

Country Produce Taken in Exchange for Goods.
Don't send away for what you can buy at home just as cheap and just as good.

IF YOU WANT
GOOD SEASONED LUMBER OF ALL KINDS AT REASONABLE PRICES, CALL ON
Davenport Bros.' Lumber Co.,
—DEALERS IN—
LUMBER, WOOD, POSTS, ETC.
HOOD RIVER, OREGON.

THE DALLES NURSERIES
R. H. WEBER, Prop., The Dalles, Or.,
—Grower and Dealer in—
Fruit, Shade and Ornamental **TREES** Grape Vines and Small Fruits
Evergreens, Roses and Shrubbery, Hyacinths, Tulips, Lilies, Dahlias, Peonies, Etc.
Nursery and Packing Grounds half mile east of Fair Grounds.
AGENTS FOR THE MYERS LEVER BUCKET BRASS SPRAY PUMP.
Remember our Trees are Grown Without Irrigation. Send for Catalogue. P. O. Box 222.
Telephone 230

ED WILLIAMS. DR. F. C. BROSIUS.
WILLIAMS & BROSIUS,
—Proprietors—
HOOD RIVER PHARMACY,
HOOD RIVER, OR.
Prescriptions a Specialty—Filled DAY OR Night.
Stationery, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, Etc.

FURNITURE
Store With a Full and Complete Stock.

Undertaker and Embalmer, Paints and Oils
Building Material, Wallpaper, Etc.
We are not given to sputtering around about what we are doing, but are here every day in the week, selling goods too, at Portland prices.
S. E. BARTMESS, - - HOOD RIVER, OR.

R. E. FEWEL
—Dealer in choice brands of—
KEY WEST AND DOMESTIC CIGARS, TOBACCOS, Etc., Hood River, Or.
All Kinds of Soft Drinks, Nuts, Etc.
BILLIARD PARLOR IN CONNECTION.

GO TO
T. L. Blodgett
—FOR—
Harness, saddles, bridles, whips, collars, Stirrups, Robes, Sweatpads, Etc.
Everything Usually found in a First-class Harness Shop.
Good hand-made harness. Carriage trimmings. Repairing done.