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ONTARIO, OREGON, FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 1909.

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Local News.

Mrs. Bourke is visiting friends in Boise.

Wilson-Duffy Drug Co. All kinds of drugs.

F. B. Naylor was in Payette on business Tuesday.

C. R. Emison and wife visited relatives at Nyssa Sunday.

Attorney W. H. Brooke is in Canyon City on legal business.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson is visiting relatives and friends in Westfall.

Our August reduction sale is now going on in good shape. M. M. Co.

Mrs. H. A. Duffy returned Monday from a visit to her parents in Boise.

A. J. Schumaker, of Baker City, is looking over the Ontario-Vale oil field.

Mrs. G. A. Candland and son Nestor are visiting relatives and friends in Boise.

Edwin Berry took his departure Monday evening for Portland and Seattle.

Miss Myrtle Greer is enjoying summer outing and visiting near Sumpter.

Box, the real estate man in Huntington on business day.

Dr. Lavis, arrived home Wednesday from a visit to friends at McMinnville, Ore.

Mrs. J. J. Burbridge arrived home Monday from a visit with her mother near Salt Lake City.

J. E. Lawrence, of Vale, arrived home yesterday from a trip to Denver and Colorado Springs.

Miss Gertrude Ward is home from Seattle and Portland where she purchased her fall stock of millinery.

E. R. Hamilton and wife, of Vale, arrived home Monday from a visit to relatives at Portland and a trip to Seattle.

Mrs. A. Harrison and children are home from Stein mountains where they have been enjoying a summer outing.

E. M. Greig returned Saturday from his visit to relatives and friends at his former home in Iowa. He reports the weather very warm in the east.

Mrs. A. Zimmerman took her departure Wednesday for a visit with friends at San Diego, Cal. She went by way of Salt Lake and will return by Portland.

C. A. Martin, the Vale hardware man, arrived home Wednesday from Willowa county where he has been visiting relatives and enjoying a summer outing.

H. C. Wilson and wife are home from Spokane where they visited Mrs. Wilson's parents and where Mr. Wilson attended the national irrigation congress as a delegate.

Harry Looney, who is clerking for the Jordan Valley Merchants' Co., came over Wednesday for a few days' visit with his folks. He will leave for Jordan Valley again Sunday.

J. F. Walton and wife of Wichita, Kan., arrived Tuesday on a visit to Mrs. Walton's two brothers, Geo. A. and Jas. H. Wright, having traveled over 400 miles, having come by way of Kansas City, Minneapolis, in charge, Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., Seattle and Portland. George took them for a drive along the Arcadia Boulevard today. Mr. and Mrs. Walton will stop off at Salt Lake City and Colorado Springs on their way home.

Frank Howard left Monday for Seattle to take in the fair.

Try a gallon of pure honey vinegar; 35 cents. M. M. Co.

White River flour is the best on the market; try a sack. M. M. Co.

John Wood left for his sheep ranch near Riverside after spending a few days at his home in this city.

Change of program three times a week at the Electric Maze. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Floyd Neece, who has been visiting his brother O. F. Neece, left Saturday for his home at Brookfield, Mo.

Mrs. J. H. Farley and daughter Mrs. Kate Long are home from their visit to relatives at Seattle and the fair.

J. A. Reed and family and E. B. Butler, Jr., and family arrived home Tuesday from an outing trip on Squaw creek.

Fine, fresh milk cow for sale by B. W. Gove, on the Arcadia Boulevard, just south of the Boulevard school house.

E. A. Fraser, who with his family was visiting the coast, attended the recent convention of the Oregon-Idaho Development League at Coos Bay.

J. W. Seaward, J. D. Billingsly and Arago Harrison the sheepmen, left for Price Valley, Idaho, Tuesday to inspect Butterfield buck camp with a view of purchasing some fine bucks.

Mrs. John Harris, one of the teachers of the M. E. Sunday school, entertained her class at her home in the eastern part of town Monday afternoon and treated them to ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cartright took their departure Monday for their home in Portland after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in this city. Mrs. Cartright is a sister of Mrs. R. L. Griffin.

Alex Barkley and wife, who have been visiting the former's brothers, Felix Barkley of Ontario and John Barkley of Westfall, and their families, took their departure Monday for their home at Rich Hill, Mo.

Elwood Clark, cashier of the Bank of Vale, which was recently made a national bank, arrived home Tuesday from a trip to Chicago by way of Seattle and a visit to his old home in Nebraska, where he visited his birthplace and slept in the room where he first saw the light of day.

T. E. Lowe was in from the Owyhee Saturday to send his son to Weiser where he will attend the Idaho Industrial institute next winter. He reports that one oil company is drilling and another getting ready to bore near his home in Cow Hollow. Mr. Low has sold one ranch near Nyssa and now resides on his homestead near Chalk Butte. Mr. Low and Mr. Reed, the Nyssa beet sugar man, recently filed on the Owyhee hot springs.

W. H. Whitten and wife, of Newberg, Ore., are visiting at the home of Judge J. T. Clement in this city, having stopped off Tuesday while en route home from Salt Lake where they attended the grand army encampment. Mrs. Whitten, nee Miss Millie Broulette, is well known to the older residents of Ontario, having held the pastorate of the Congregational church here over eleven years ago. Mrs. Millie Broulette Whitten will occupy the Congregational pulpit next Sunday evening.

MANY REAL ESTATE DEALS

Over Three Hundred Thousand Dollars Worth of Property Changed Hands in Ontario Since the First of the Year.

Over \$240,000 worth of real estate has changed hands within a radius of six miles of Ontario during the present year. These sales do not include Ontario city property, but farm lands, improved and unimproved; the farthest outlying property being the Dunbar farm six miles southwest of town, which was sold for \$20,000. An important feature which should be noted in these sales is the fact that over \$130,000 of the money invested in these lands has been outside capital, among which are the following:

E. H. Test, last spring, sold 400 acres of unimproved land to Seattle parties at \$30 an acre. These parties doubled their \$12,000 deal for the same land was sold again recently for \$60 an acre.

The W. T. Moody ranch of 100 acres, located three miles southwest of town, was sold last spring to W. W. McEldowney, of Forest Grove, Ore., for \$20,000.

The W. G. Jenkins farm of 80 acres five miles south of Ontario, was sold to B. W. Gove, a recent arrival from North Dakota, for \$10,000.

E. A. Burroughs sold his 40 acre farm south from town to Henry Ellis of Cashmere, Wash., who will start a nursery, for \$5,000.

T. J. Johnson sold 20 acres of his farm two miles south of town for \$4,500 to Alexander Umphrey of Caldwell.

J. M. Butler has sold 20 acres of his farm four miles southwest of this city to J. E. Rose, late of Montana, for \$2,000.

G. W. Routh sold a ten acre tract near town to O. G. Leuhers, who came here this spring from Minnesota, for \$2,250.

R. W. Clement sold his 40 acre farm about four miles from town to A. A. Wright of Cashmere, Wash., for \$10,000.

Dave Dunbar sold his 160 acre farm six miles southwest of Ontario for \$20,000 dollars to T. A. Cox, of Illinois. Mr. Dunbar still owns another large ranch and town property including two residences in Ontario.

W. E. Lees sold 92 acres near town to Boise parties for \$7,500.

J. A. Morton sold 93 acres two miles southeast of town to J. R. Brown, a late arrival from Nebraska, for \$4,500.

A \$15,000 deal was consummated last spring when J. T. Clement sold his 73 acre tract four miles southwest of this city to C. W. Thompson of Portland.

John Huoseman, of Gooding, Idaho, purchased 40 acres five miles south of town from Mrs. Mary A. Spann for \$5,000.

E. W. Brown sold to Nelson Grover of the Payette Bench his 80 acres tract four miles south west of Ontario for \$8,000.

E. D. Walker sold 80 acres of land near town for \$3,200, 40 to S. H. Bender, of Oklahoma, for \$1,600 and the other 40 to E. M. Harvey, of Silverton, Ore., for the same amount.

Thirty acres of the Belding tract, one mile west of town, was sold for \$6,000, five acres being purchased by A. B. Crain of Spokane, five acres by J. N. Heard of Rosalia, ten acres by R. H. Hart of Jordan Valley, and ten acres by M. W. Waring

of Oklahoma, each party paying \$200 an acre.

The above sales represent over \$130,000 of outside capital that has been invested in Ontario farm lands since Jan. 1, 1909, and other sales in which only local parties were interested will amount to as much more.

Among three of the largest purchases made during this time were by local parties in which \$59,125 was invested in 420 acres of farm land in the immediate vicinity of Ontario; G. W. Thomas and C. R. Emison purchasing Wm. Morfit's 160 acre farm just south of town for \$17,000; John F. Weaver buying the Jones ranch, of 140 acres, three miles southwest of town, for \$21,000, and Mrs. W. E. Lees purchasing the Quackebush place two miles west of Ontario for \$21,125.

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The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate relatives of

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Do You Want a Good Hair Brush?

A good hair brush is entitled to fair treatment and if so treated will make a satisfactory return in long and faithful service. Such a brush is the

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New Train Schedule.

The new O. S. E. train schedule went into effect Sunday, including a new through train, which makes four trains each way daily. The westbound trains leave Ontario as follows:

No. 7, Chicago-Portland special, does not stop, 5:55 a. m.

No. 9, Salt Lake-Portland express, 8:27 p. m.

No. 11, Pacific express, 1:08 a. m.

No. 21, Pony express, 9:16 a. m.

No. 5, Oregon-Washington limited, does not stop, 6:17 p. m.

East-bound trains arrive:

No. 8, Chicago-Portland special, does not stop, 2:48 a. m.

No. 12, Atlantic express, 4:24 a. m.

No. 10, Portland-Salt Lake express, 2:40 p. m.