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PERSONAL-LOCAL

A. C. Williams was in Baker on business Monday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Cline, on the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Duford returned this morning from a trip to Boise.

Mrs. S. J. Jones is in Vale this week with her daughter, Mrs. Ben Brown.

M. E. Newton is at Long Beach, Calif., visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss White and Howard Snyder, of Payette, were married in Ontario Jan. 21.

Jas. Rye shipped two car loads of horses to Denver Sunday. They were work horses.

Mrs. A. M. Sheffield, of Boise, has been here this week looking after her business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Orcutt, of Weiser, were visiting with Ontario relatives and friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Greig were in Weiser over Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kenyon.

G. G. Wherry and L. V. Patch of Payette, received about 20 blue ribbons on their chickens at the Boise show.

Phillip Olds, who had a leg broken while working in the Rainbow mine, Mormon Basin, was taken to Boise last week.

Mr. Brundage of Payette was operated over Monday for appendicitis. He was brought to the local hospital Saturday.

Vale has a new law firm. Judge George E. Davis and Bruce R. Kester have joined forces and will work under the firm name of Davis & Kester.

Ed Stensell, Alex Wade and Bert Meadows, of the Big Bend, were in Ontario today between trains. They have all been taking a course of treatment at the Vale Hot Springs and feel that they were very much benefitted.

Squire Servis, a blacksmith for the O. W. R. & N., met with an accident at Riverside, Saturday. While assisting in the handling of some heavy rails, one of which slipped and turned over in such a way that Mr. Servis' foot was caught under it and broken just above the ankle. He was brought to Ontario and had his leg set Monday. He is reported as on the road to recovery.

The hospital staff has been busy with operations this week. Sunday Chas. Gardner was operated on. Scott Brundage was brought over from Payette Monday by Dr. Avey and the local doctors assisted. Today Dave Glenn, of Brewsey, and Mr. Equals of Payette, were on the table. All were cases of appendicitis. The doctors report that the epidemic of grippe is about over.

We were misinformed in our last issue relative to a car enroute to Vale, and which ran into a ditch, throwing the passengers out, with A. A. Wright as driver. The driver was Mr. Wright's father, D. W. Wright, and the machine and passengers only experienced a little difficulty in crossing a culvert. Mr. A. A. Wright has been one of the most careful drivers in this vicinity for years and was not with the party that made the trip to Vale.

This section was visited by a January thaw this week. Rain and warm winds have melted the snow and the frozen ground has caused the water to run off. Many of the streams are reported to be bank full and the ditches are also overflowing from the streams coming down the draws. So far no damage has been reported. It will require an extended warm spell to start the snow in the mountains. Many of the railroads are having trouble.

THE FAIR EXHIBIT TO BRING THE SETTLERS

That Eastern Oregon was the bright shining light at the San Francisco exposition and that the exhibit there is sure to bring settlers to this part of the state was the assurance of J. H. Lackey of Ontario, who had charge of the Eastern Oregon exhibit during the last half of the fair, while on a visit here today with Mr. Mescham.

"Our grains and grasses showed they were far better than any other and visitors from East and West complimented us," said Mr. Lackey. "Our corn and other products also made a deep impression for people knew that these are the things first necessary for a good farming community. The fruit and other displays were also highly praised. The interest aroused is sure to bring much benefit to Eastern Oregon."—Baker Herald.

BIG SNOWFALL IN MOUNTAIN SECTIONS

According to weather bureau reports the amount of snow on the ground in the watersheds of Idaho streams at the first of the year was considerably above the average, with the exception of the Bear river drainage in the extreme southeastern portion of the state. But even in this locality there was much more snow on January 1 than there was one year ago, according to reports made to weather bureau headquarters in Boise. The snow came soft, packed well and is high in water content. While the reports for December are highly encouraging to the farmers who irrigate, it is worthy of mention that January has already contributed a generous amount of snow, so that conditions are extremely favorable for a bountiful supply of water next irrigation season.

The Weiser drainage is well above the average in the matter of snowfall. There was on the ground December 31, at Bear 25 inches; Cuprum, 26 inches; Heath, 19 inches; Hornet Creek, 24 inches; Landore, 43 inches, and Smith Mountain, 88 inches.

The Payette watershed is well supplied for this time of the year. Reports to the weather bureau at Kirkham, 29 inches at McCall and 24 inches at Pile creek.

Big Wood river will carry plenty of water next spring when the snow melts. There were 19 inches on the ground at Halley on New Year's Day and 22 inches along Soldier creek.

Arrowrock reservoir should have an abundance of water for the Boise project farmers in 1916. Boulder mine reported 39 inches on the ground at the end of the year, Cottonwood creek 13 inches, Grimes Pass 26 inches, and Rattlesnake creek 19 inches.—Weiser American.

IRONSIDE NOTES

The farmers of the Ironside section have been slaughtering rabbits. They held two drives and killed hundreds in each drive.

Charles O. Howard, of Ironsides, shipped a car load of hogs to Portland last week.

The ice harvest was on in earnest here last week, the crop being over a foot thick.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White and Bertha Carlisle, have returned to Cambridge, Idaho, after an extended visit here.

There is a small attendance at school owing to an epidemic of chicken pox among the children.

John Weaver, the county commissioner, has moved his family to Ontario, occupying the J. S. Jones residence. Frank Weaver will look after the ranch.

INFORMATION OF A POLITICAL NATURE

This is to be a year of politics, so remember these dates:

April 18—Last day to register for primary election.

April 19—Last day to file petitions or declarations for nominations for county offices, district and justice of the peace.

May 19—Primary election. Polls open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

May 20—Reopening of registration books.

June 4—Last day for candidates to file statements of expenditures of primaries.

Sept. 28—Last day to file certificate of nomination by political party or assembly for county and district.

Oct. 7—Last day to register for general election.

Oct. 13—Last day to file certificate of nomination by individual electors for county, district and precincts.

Nov. 7—General election. Polls open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Nov. 22—Last day for candidates to file statement of expenditures.

IS STILL A WILD ANIMAL COUNTRY

That Idaho is still a wild animal country is evident from the fact that a total of 14,330 coyotes, wild cats, bears, lynx, wolves and cougars were killed in this state from April 1 to Dec. 15, and there are still to be allowed by the state livestock and sanitary board hundreds of more predators against claims for many more species of the wild sections of the Gem State. To slaughter this number of animals it has cost the state so far this year \$48,521.50 and there are still more bounties to be paid.

By far the greatest number of any particular species of predatory animal killed were coyotes. No less than 14,280 of them were bagged by prosperous hunters, who immediately made demand on the state for the \$2.50 bounty allowed for each pelt while they were left the pelts to dispose of as they saw fit. The following table shows the number of animals of all kinds killed, the bounty allowed on them and the amount the state had to pay in bounties:

Table with 4 columns: Animal, No. Killed, Amt. Paid, Total. Rows include Coyotes, Wild Cats, Bears, Lynx, Wolves, and Cougars.

SURVEY OF JOHN DAY RIVER BASIN

The United States Geological Survey has just issued, as Water Supply Paper 377, the results of river surveys made in Spokane River basin, Washington, and John Day River basin, Oregon, to determine the location of undeveloped water powers on the rivers. The ten profile sheets included in the report show the outlines of the river banks and other physical features to an elevation high enough to indicate the possibility of using the streams as sources of power.

John Day River, Oregon, drains about 7,800 square miles northwest of the Blue Mountains. The head-water region of the stream is forested. Except wheat, which is grown on the rolling uplands by "dry farming," no important agricultural products can be raised without irrigation, of which there is very little, because the areas admitting of easy irrigation are confined to the immediate valleys of the streams. Storage facilities are ample for the several projects under which large areas of productive table-lands would be developed by storage reservoirs and high-line canals.

HENRY BULLOCK DIES AT BIG BEND

Henry Bullock died of typhoid fever Saturday evening, Jan. 15. He suffered an attack of grippe several weeks ago, which developed into typhoid his condition being considered critical from the first. Everything that medical aid could do was done to ease his suffering. Mr. Bullock was born in Missouri in 1849 and was married in 1892 to Miss Della Johnston in Clearwater, Kan. They have been residents of the Bend nearly ten years. In that time he made a number of friends by whom he will be sadly missed and who deeply sympathize with the family in their great loss. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Claude and L. K. Funeral services were held at the home Monday at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Wisner, the burial at Roswell. Mrs. Bullock and sons left Monday evening for Vale to take typhoid serum. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Boswell.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Miller died at the family residence in Big Bend on Wednesday, Jan. 12. The child, which was but nine days old, was christened Emma Elizabeth. Funeral services were conducted at the home Thursday afternoon by Rev. O. F. Wisner, pastor of the Big Bend church, and interment was at Roswell.—Parma Review.

SCHOOL NOTES

Prof. Bailey was welcomed back by the students Monday morning and was invited to tell them about his trip. This he declined to do, saying that he would use the important things he had seen for class discussion in the future.

Last Friday afternoon the two best debating teams in the local high school clashed in a debate given before the assembly and the audience was given something worth while as an entertainment, and will not soon forget the efforts put forth by both sides. The debate was full of enthusiasm and life, and facts were stated in such a clear and concise way as to be a credit to professional debaters. Although the judges decided unanimously for the negative side, one member from each side was picked to debate against Vale next Friday, namely, Ephraim Herriot and Robert Bender. The other debaters were Paul Van Petten on the negative and Roland Koenig on the affirmative side.

The senior girls were decisively defeated in their game with the junior girls Friday evening, the final score being 12 to 6, and though most of the scores of the junior team were made by throwing fouls, a very good game was seen by the spectators.

The regular practice for the first team has been changed from seven o'clock in the evening, to four in the afternoon. This was done in order to accommodate a larger number of players who were only able to turn out at that time.

The next game is scheduled for next Friday afternoon when the local team will play the Nyssa team in the Ontario hall. The girls of Nyssa will also meet the local high school team of girls. These games both promise to be as interesting as the last Payette game and a large crowd is expected.

The glee club is practicing some very good pieces which will be given at the first public production and both the girls and the boys clubs are doing fine.

Loren Clay of Payette is enrolled as a student of the Ontario high school. Another sign that people are beginning to realize the kind of a school there is in Ontario. Clay is another addition to the junior class.

The new classes that have been started this semester are Commercial Law to be taught by Mr. Prater, and Commercial Spelling to be taught by Mr. Hilea. These new courses are to take the place of Commercial Arithmetic and Political Economy which were finished last semester.

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