

### ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM THE COMMUNITIES ABOUT ONTARIO

#### VALLEY VIEW.

Mrs. C. E. Rees visited her mother Mrs. Burris, last Friday.

G. W. Kaylor and W. G. Armstrong brought in their cattle from the hills, the last of the week and report that the range is getting short.

Miss Nine Baker of Ontario is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Will Brown.

Miss Dorothy Dean visited Miss Christine Frasier last Saturday.

Miss Sarah Burres spent last week with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Kaylor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Moeller and children were callers at Mr. H. Ofts Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bullard and family motored to Kingman Colony last Sunday to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Claypool.

Miss Fay Pratt spent last week at the home of W. G. Armstrong.

Last Tuesday Miss Lillie Downs returned home from Sage View, Harney county, where she has been visiting the past two months. She was accompanied by her cousin, Mrs. O. H. Miller.

Mr. Marion Smith of New Plymouth was visiting friends over Sunday.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Frakes home again. Mrs. Frakes has been very sick but is much improved at this time. She is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson at the St. Paul Orchard tract.

W. E. Brown and family and Miss Nina Baker spent Sunday in Ontario.

F. Mortenson's many friends will be glad to know he is improving rapidly and able to be out again.

Mrs. Gus Reich and Mrs. H. Oft were callers at C. E. Rees home Monday afternoon.

Last Thursday Mrs. J. H. Dunn and son of Bellingham, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray and children of Vale were callers at W. S. Rees ranch all recovering from nervous shock received in the auto accident last Monday night. Mr. Rees is still nursing a game leg. All concerned are thankful the accident was no more serious.

Miss Lizzie Burres is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Rees, this week.

Miss Sadie Claud spent Sunday visiting the Misses Rees.

Preaching August 27 at three p. m. by Rev. C. E. Pratt.

#### JORDAEN VALLEY.

(From the Express)  
The fall round-up on the Horn Skinner, Strauffer cattle will begin about the 25th inst.

Harry Looney left yesterday for the Boise valley to make arrangements for feeding his cattle over there this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Looney visited the McGuerin camp on Mahogany mountain Tuesday evening and spent the time until a late hour very pleasantly. In camp with Tom McGuerin and his three sisters are Miss Canon and Coia, Iowa, Mrs. Tobin of Kansas and F. E. Clamo of Ontario, all of whom are enjoying a most delightful outing.

#### Injured by Fall.

Jess Roberts, foreman at the Circle-Bar ranch, in the Junipers, came in Wednesday evening with a bad case of blood-poison in his left arm. His horse fell with him in a corral Tuesday morning, striking his left arm just above the elbow joint and cutting it to the bone. Unaware that he was injured, he went right on roping and working with colts until the day's work was done. Then, realizing that his arm was hurting, he had it examined by a companion, who said, "Why man, its cut half off." That was eight hours after the accident and the wound had become infected. He was taken to Ambrose Maher's place and from there was brought to town in Ambrose's car. Since his arrival he has suffered quite a good deal, but it is thought no serious results will follow, thanks to the splendid health and physical condition of the victim.

#### MALHEUR CITY.

August 21.—E. T. Beers of Baker has been in this vicinity this week. He has sold the old Beers ranch here to J. E. Lawrence of Vale and the Rutherford Bros. of Ironside for \$9000.

C. H. Morfitt took a load of hogs to the Basin Tuesday.

Dow Adams was in town Wednesday from his ranch on First creek.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinton of Ironside, a fine baby girl. Mother and baby are doing well.

Mrs. Harry Wheelock returned from Pendleton with her infant daughter last week.

Mr. Eastman of Vale was in town Friday.

T. Wheelock and two daughters were in from the Butte Friday.

Mrs. L. E. Worsham has gone to the Rainbow to visit her son, Claude Worsham and family.

Mrs. W. N. Worsham and nephew Will McKinney were in Friday.

Mrs. Vince and Nettie Coleman were in Friday from their ranches.

A heavy shower of rain visited Thursday and a light frost Thursday night.

Mrs. Mary Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Worsham, Miss Clara Howard and J. B. Woodcock enjoyed turkey dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morfitt.

James Worsham and two sons Delbert and Horton, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Derrick, started on a few days' camping trip on the head of the South Fork of Burnt river.

Mrs. Zetta Lacey from Weiser, Idaho, is visiting friends and relatives at Ironside.

Mrs. Anderson and family were down from their ranch Tuesday.

Mrs. Effie Worsham is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Howard.

Mrs. Charles Morfitt and daughter, Clara, were in from their homestead Wednesday.

Mr. Denham and son were in from their ranch Wednesday.

Dr. Ohmart was in from the Butte on Friday.

### COST OF BOISE PROJECT OVER ELEVEN MILLION

W. L. Gyard, secretary of the Boise-Payette Water Users association has given out the following figures on construction on the project up to June 30 of this year:

Gross construction cost of the project up to June 30 of the present year was \$12,126,690.90.

The various revenues earned during this time amounted to \$628,143.08.

Net cost of construction work of the project up to June 30, 1916, \$11,498,547.82.

The cost of the Arrowrock dam was \$4,772,723.17, and that of the Deer flat reservoir \$957,613.47.

The earnings of the project were realized from rental of power for lights and other purposes, for irrigation water, profits on commissary and mercantile stores.

### FAIR TO SEE FANCY STOCK

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determination to be in at the finish. Live men were placed on the committee, and they started work immediately. Mr. Pete Countryman is head man, and wants to hear about anything that you have that has quality.

"Don't be backward about bringing out your exhibits. Remember that when you talk about our County Fair that that means you. Bring in your exhibits and be on hand to tell the people visiting how you produced it. Let us all lift, don't lean."

Portland, Aug. 21.—The following summary of the stock market shows run of activity:

**Cattle.**  
The weeks market opened with quite a fair sized number of cattle, over 1200 head. Quality, while nothing fancy was quite fair. The best steers sold at \$7.00 and cows fairly well. Taken as a whole some strength was developed, especially in the cow section. All other divisions were steady.

**Hogs.**  
The hog receipts were disappointing as far as numbers went. Only a thousand head being received Monday. Prices showed some strength at \$9.70 for tops. The market closed steady to strong.

**Sheep.**  
Nearly 3700 head were received Monday on a steady market. Top lambs are still quoted at \$8.25 and other grades in proportion. Market closed steady.

**GEM DIRECTORS MAKE ANNUAL LEVY.**  
In accordance with the state law governing irrigation districts the directors of the Gem held a meeting Tuesday and made the annual levy. The levy for the coming year will be \$4.45, \$3.30 of which is for the power and \$1.15 for general maintenance. This may seem prohibitive to an outsider but our farmers claim that they can pay it and still make a good profit.—Homedale Press.

### THE WEEK IN FILMLAND

Patrons of The Dreamland will have an unusual selection of attractions to view during the coming week. Manager S. D. Dorman has booked a series of attractions in which a number of film stars are to be seen in some of the best vehicles yet produced.

#### GLIMPSE OF FAIRYLAND IN-BILLIE BURKE PLAY

Star of "Peggy" Uses Dr. Goat's Prescription and Turns Bug Into a Prince.

One of the features of the new Ince-Triangle play, "Peggy," is its group of scenes in Fairyland. Billie Burke, who is the star of the play, starts out to tell a group of children a fairy tale. She has been tinkering on her auto and is in overalls. As she sits on the running board of her car, she holds one tot on her knee, with the others perched alongside or behind her.

As heroine of her own fairy story, Miss Burke is then shown tripping through the moonlight. First she meets a bevy of gnomes, with grotesque faces and forms, and wearing fantastic peaked caps and gowns, then she finds herself in an assemblage of bugs, one of which is a fairy prince, transformed by a wicked old witch. She hears the pathetic tale of the erstwhile prince, now king of the bugs.

Then Peggy rises to a wise old goat, and procures from him some magic water. This she scatters over the bug king and he becomes the fairy prince again, gracefully offering his hand and his heart to the pretty maiden. The witch, sorely vexed, swells until she can no more leave her narrow-doored house.

A striking bit of photography is that in which Peggy throws the magic water on the bug. "Presto!" up stands the prince—a startling transformation.

"Peggy" will be seen at the Dreamland by Ontario movie fans on Aug. 31.

#### "Her Mother's Secret."

Starting on Monday evening with a William Fox feature "Her Mother's Secret," the week will be marked by stellar productions.

"Her Mother's Secret," will give patrons of Dreamland an opportunity to see Ralph Kellard, "The Adonis of the silent stage" who appears as Seth Cartwright, Jr., who becomes involved in a love affair he cannot follow to the natural end because of his father's actions. The story is one that reveals the application of the old principal of retributive justice.

#### "The Chorus Lady."

On Wednesday, August 26, James Forbes' striking play of theatre life, "The Chorus Lady" will be the magnet to draw the crowd. "The Chorus Lady," as the name implies is a story of scenes behind the foot lights. It is the most accurate picture of stage life ever told and as shown on the film it loses none of its detailed interest or strength of presentation.

"The Chorus Lady" was produced for the photoscreen by Jesse L. Lasky company whose all-star cast does full justice to the story. It is the story of Patricia O'Brian, the brave little chorus girl whose efforts to keep her sister Nora from the stage furnishes a heart throb as well as pointing a moral that gets a tear, while the humor of the situations makes smiles intermingle.

#### "The Secret Sin."

For Saturday night, August 26, Dreamland offers a great expose of the drug evil in the story, "The Secret Sin." Nothing more remarkable in the career of Blanche Sweet, the talented actress who has the leading role has been shown than the manner in which she realizes the possibilities of this play.

In this photoplay we have the combination of a great star and a great play. "The Secret Sin" is a bitter pronouncement against the drug evil and the trade in opium against which the United States government for years has waged an unceasing battle.

With all the skill of the Lasky artistic forces centered on this photoplay, "The Secret Sin" from the viewpoint of photography, attention to minute detail and sheer sincerity will take its place with the masterpieces of the screen. As Miss Sweet appears as "twins" there are episodes in the play when she appears in two characters simultaneously.

#### GREATER TIRE MILEAGE.

Frequent use of our Sunday and Week-end rates will add many miles to the life of your auto tires. It makes a nice change, too. Ask about our cheap excursions. Agent O. S. L. R. R. Co. 33-36

## DREAMLAND THEATRE Thursday, Aug. 31

TRIANGLE PLAYS PRESENTS

# BILLY BURKE

—IN—

# "PEGGY"

"Billy Burke in "Peggy" brings to motion pictures more vivacity than the average actress and her first appearance before the camera was a complete success."—N. Y. Sun.

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Charlie Chaplin in "The Tramp" Dreamland, Tuesday, August 20th