

Brief Local News

COUNTY NEWS BY ENTERPRISE REPORTERS

Arnold Breshars, captain of the Caldwell basket ball team, stopped over Saturday with friends in Vale, and the young folks of the city demonstrated to him that they were trained as well in the art of showing a stranger a good time as they are in the basket ball game.

R. H. Lockett, one of Malheur county's most respected and popular pioneers, spent a few days the first of the week with friends in Vale, and states that the Willow Creek country continues to be one of the most prosperous and rapidly developing sections of the county.

John Kennedy, manager of the Brogan Mercantile and Lumber company, spent several days the past week visiting with Vale friends and looking after business matters connected with the Brogan firm.

Louis Spier, one of Nyssa's prosperous and popular business men, was a visitor in Vale the latter part of last week. Mr. Spier conducts Nyssa's only exclusive gent's furnishing store.

C. B. McConnell, the rustling irrigation promoter of the Harney country, was in the city from Burns during the latter part of last week.

Mrs. L. L. Hope arrived home Tuesday from a visit to her parents at her former home, at Centralia, Wash., having been absent several weeks.

C. C. Wilson, the Nyssa attorney, was among the Saturday visitors in Vale.

Edna Griffin, of Ontario, was a Friday visitor in Vale.

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46 E. W. M. 24.00 Lovington, Bertha, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 12, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

46 E. W. M. 4.00 Frye, Leonard B., SW 1/4, Sec. 12, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

16.00 Hillier, Edw., S 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 13, W 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 24, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

16.00 Sinclair, Mrs. Amy, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 14, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Foster, L. L., S 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 14, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 McDonald, R. J., NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 14, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Straus, Edw., SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 14, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Emison, Eva E., NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 14, E 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 15, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

16.00 Kinley, Samuel D., E 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 15, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Hoxie, Julia L., NW 1/4 SE 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 23, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

10.00 Boydell, H. P. F., N 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 26, Twp. 22 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Tonningson, Chas., SE 1/4, Sec. 24, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

16.00 Klien, Melville, N 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 24, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

8.00 Cockerum, A. L., S 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 24, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

4.00 Test, Edgar H., NW 1/4, Sec. 25, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

8.00 Tonningson, A. F., SW 1/4, Sec. 25, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

16.00 Matthiessen, B. B., SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 25, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

4.00 Nelson, Gustav L., E 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 23, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

12.00 Cottingham, Geo., S 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 24, Twp. 20 S, range 45 E. W. M.

8.00 Fairchild, Ed. G., S 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 26, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Sturm, Bertram R., SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 28, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Ruth, Harry H., SE 1/4, Sec. 28, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

16.00 Payette, Adolphus, SW 1/4, Sec. 28, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

16.00 Brown, A. A., Estate, NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 30, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

2.00 McGregor, A. D., SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 30, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

4.00 Griffin, Katherine L., SE 1/4 NE 1/4, E 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 30, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

12.00 Case, Bert, E 1/2 NE 1/4, Sec. 32, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Lewis, Michael, W 1/2 NE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 32, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

16.00 Huitala, Leonard J., W 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 32, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

8.00 Miller, Samaria, W 1/2 NE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 34, Twp. 18 S, range 46 E. W. M.

16.00 County of Malheur

STATE OF OREGON

I, D. H. KERFOOT, Sheriff and Collector of Delinquent Taxes of said State and County, do hereby certify that the above list of delinquent taxes for 1913 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. H. KERFOOT, Sheriff By Ross A. Soward, Deputy.

For milk and cream, leave orders at Chester's Meat Market. — Sunnyside Dairy. Dairy.—adv., 1-30tf.

E. A. Fraser was in the city from Ontario Tuesday.

J. S. Woods returned home Saturday from a trip to Eagle Valley, Baker county, where he went last week on a business trip.

R. Williams, of Skullspring, visited Vale Friday.

E. B. Nedry of Nyssa, visited Vale Friday.

W. W. Wood, the Ontario attorney, was a Vale visitor Friday.

H. C. Boyer was in the city from Ontario Friday.

Roe Buchanan, of Burns, spent a few days in Vale the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lane, of Brogan, were among the visitors at the county seat the early part of the week.

E. E. Kendall, of Jamieson, was in the city a few days the past week.

A. L. Lockett was in the city from Jamieson Monday.

H. H. Williams, of Ontario, was a Vale visitor Monday.

Attorney H. E. Wallace, of Caldwell, was in the city the latter part of last week attending circuit court.

Bob Wright, of Burns, was a Vale visitor during the past week.

Dick Becker was in the city from Westfall Saturday.

J. W. Russell, of Jamieson, was a business visitor at the county seat Monday.

Chas. Kingman, of Ontario, visited Vale Monday.

Thos. Canham, Jr., of Nyssa, was a business visitor at the county seat Tuesday.

John Norwood, the Jamieson rancher, was in the city during the past week.

A. R. Buchanan, the sheepman, was down from Westfall Tuesday.

Attorney P. J. Phillips, of Nyssa, was in the city Thursday.

If you need milk or cream, phone the V. T. Co.—Sunnyside Dairy.—adv. 1-30tf.

WINNEMUCCA R. R.

The Jordan Valley Express publishes the following in its last issue, giving credit for the article to the Capital News:

"The money for building the Boise-Winnemucca branch of the Western Pacific is available. The matter has been presented to B. F. Bush, president of the Western Pacific, who has placed it in the hands of the directors of the system, and there it rests at present. Mr. Bush has promised a letter giving details of the action of the directors when they have completed their deliberations and when that arrives the Boise people will know just what is to be done."

The above statement was made this afternoon by Geo. W. Fletcher, president of the Idaho National bank, who, with Colonel E. R. Place, arrived home today from a trip to Chicago and St. Louis in the interests of the proposed line, for which Boise offered a handsome bonus.

At Chicago, Mr. Fletcher states, they found the representation made by J. Milton Trainer to the small number of business men at the Owyhee hotel when he was here, to be absolutely as represented and \$5,000,000 was taken by them to St. Louis, with a guarantee of a million more should the proposition put up to Mr. Bush be accepted. After the matter was entirely gone over by Mr. Bush, he went to New York to have a conference with the directors of the system and Mr. Fletcher believes he is still there in consultation with them.

Mr. Fletcher and Colonel Place were in the east just a month to the day and spent their entire time in working in the interests of the Boise-Winnemucca line. The trip was the first Mr. Fletcher had taken east of the Rocky mountains in 33 years and as the weather was bad and he was attending so many meetings he did not get out much but from what he could learn business conditions are improving.

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RIGBYISMS

The Submarine. I lurk in the caves, where still are the waves,

While above me ships sail serenely by: I pass through the bays and devious ways,

Where fearlessly dreadnaughts stealthily lie.

I sail with the squid, or with him lie hid,

In the waving grass of the deep salt sea,

While brother of mine, the fierce floating mine, Joyously joins in destruction with me.

On billowy breast, in storm or at rest,

The warships float over the silent sea: Leaping from her lair, swiftly thro' the air,

My sister brings death o'er sea and o'er lea.

No fast bolted keel, though laid down in steel,

Can resist the power of my flaming death:

From the deep sea swirl, thunder bolts I hurl,

Enveloping brave men with my sulphurous breath.

My brother afloat, with his flaming throat;

My sister sailing o'er sea and o'er land;

I laugh at the pride of the human tide

Meeting death from them, or my steel clad hand.

Well! Well! It takes the "Ontario Democrat to get on both sides of the question. They say, editorially:

"There has been too much lawmaking but there has been too little of it."

Also: "Lawmaking has been hysterical and hypochondriac." Both of these latter words commence with "h" and that's as far as their application goes.

Good roads and irrigation are Oregon's greatest needs. Whether the funds come through credit at a low rate of interest or from a direct tax matters little as far as the investment goes, but the direct tax is felt by the present workers more than would the credit by those who come after. The state wins in either case.

The Argus evidently got a scoop on the "Democrat" with the horse purchase story. Too bad! Too bad! Wonder who gets the rent of the county's property, the county or the Fair Association?

Congress seems too busy to pay any attention to the rural credit bill. Thus go glimmering the hopes that the farmer would get any consideration. They may get a chance to enlist for the war, if the ship purchase bill passes.

"Will you walk into my city?" Said the spider to the fly.

"We've the cutest little jackass That ever you did spy.

Its ears are long and hairy, But its business ways are airy, And its bray doth make us cry."

"Will you step into my city?" Said the spider to the fly.

We've the nicest little office That ever you did spy.

But our jackass wants to get it, Though the people will not let it; And his bray is now a sigh."

Speaking of "ancient history," the Democrat is still fighting the county seat matter and is once more showing how the patriots of Ontario are working for the county. They also seem to advise a cessation of hostilities. If they mean it, why not quit? "Silence is golden," it has been said. Frankly, the fight started in that city. When that city stops fighting, hostilities will cease in Vale. Meanwhile, the word "for" is used in this article; omit it, and the sense remains in a greater degree.

RABID COYOTE ENTERS HOUSE

Lady on Little Malheur has Thrilling Adventure with Coyote--Ironsides Items.

IRONSIDE, Or., Jan. 25.—Grandpa Gardner and Ed Rose, of Malheur City, are guests at the home of Francis Rose.

At the home of Trueman's, on the Little Malheur, last week, an unusual noise was heard outside, and on the opening of the door by Mrs. Trueman, a rabid coyote seized her by the apron and was dragged into the house, but before he let go of her apron the dog took hold of said coyote and with the assistance of Mr. Trueman and his sons the coyote was soon put to an end. Mrs. Trueman was fortunate enough to not be bit by the rabid animal. This is the third one that has been killed in the door yard during the winter.

John Rouse, stockman of Unity, was in the vicinity last week, looking after his stock which are being fed in this locality.

Wm. Allen returned from a two weeks visit in Eastern Oregon Thursday.

Jonse Elms and family and Millons Elms, of Unity, have been guests at the Jim Elms residence the past week.

Hardy Murray and family were guests at the J. H. Rose residence last week.

Lewis and Sylvester Rose left for Baker on Saturday on business.

C. Smith went to Unity on Saturday looking after stock. He returned on Monday.

A. W. Anthony returned from a two weeks stay at the county seat on Saturday. Mr. Anthony served on the jury.

Billie Thompson, of Vale, Oregon, arrived on Saturday's stage on business. Mr. Thompson taught school in this precinct several years ago.

Julia Smith has been on the sick list for several days.

Arthur Van Buren and family spent Sunday at the home of E. J. Beam.

Gladys Young is the guest of Mrs. Conroy Young.

Lin Tureman, of Little Malheur River, is the guest of Fred Lawrence.

Rev. Harper, of Milton, Oregon, arrived on Saturday's stage to hold meetings here during this week. Services held here during the past week were not attended very well on account of the severe cold weather. Rev. Harison left for Malheur on Sunday afternoon to hold services there this week.

Miss Mary Lawrence and Fred Lawrence have been suffering from a serious attack of neuralgia the past week.

Mrs. C. E. Boon and two little sons left for Fruitland, Idaho, on Sunday. Mrs. Boon will spend some time visiting with relatives and friends.

Bert Lawrence and Wife and Gus made a trip to Unity last of the week.

Guy Carnegie and Mrs. Henry Carnegie, of Unity, passed through the first of the week enroute to Brogan.

Mrs. Sam Faust and son, Lee, have been on the sick list the past week with an attack of La Grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Horton and Ralph Harvey, of Cow Valley, attended services on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Howard has been sick the past week from a gathering in her head.

Ethel and Ben Jones Sundayed at their grandparents, Mr. J. H. Rose's.

This locality at the present time and for the past week has been visited with an extreme cold spell. The mercury has dropped to 28 below zero several nights.

A great many little calves and pigs are found frozen every morning of late, also chickens and turkeys.

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ENJOYING LIFE AT JAMIESON

Dancing Away Long Winter Nights--Facts About Jamieson--All the News.

JAMIESON, ORE., Jan. 26.—The dance at the Bogg's home on Friday night was decidedly a success, with a large crowd in attendance, coming from Bully Creek, Vale and the nearby vicinity. Music was furnished by Allen, Harris and McPherson. All enjoyed themselves till the early hours of the morning, and with many regrets at the short nights, started on their long, cold drive home.

In answer to Mr. O. C. Houser's request for information, will say that Jamieson is located 22 miles north of Vale, in the Willow Creek valley, at an elevation of 2202 feet. Good carriage roads to the county seat, also train service on the O. S. L. to and from Vale daily, except Sunday.

There is reported to be a dance and social at the Jamieson Hall on Friday night, January 29, by the Jamieson Social Club. All are invited to attend and enjoy themselves.

Everyone in this vicinity is excited over the rabies scare, there having been several cases here of late, but the coyotes seem to be scarce here at present.

J. W. Russell was a business visitor to Vale Monday, returning Tuesday.

E. E. Kendall was a passenger to the county seat Monday.

A show and dance was given at the Jamieson Hall Friday night by a Mr. Lindsay, he being a sleight-of-hand performer. Everyone reports a good time and that the gentleman is quite an adept at his profession.

Elmer Gunderson and wife, of Bully Creek, attended the dance at the Bogg's home Friday night.

There is said to be a haunted ranch near Jamieson, and we believe it, for the ghost put in an appearance as the people were going home from the dance Saturday morning.

Pretty cold weather at Jamieson. A certain lady placed her teeth in a glass of water at night, and behold, in the morning they were froze solid in a cake of ice. No visitors were admitted till they were thawed out.

Earl Struthers and family have moved to Jamieson from their ranch near Lancaster.

Miss Lena Doris is spending a few days with friends at Vale.

Albert Lockett was a visitor in Vale a part of this week.

Lockett Mosely is reported to have gone to St. Paul, Minn. He should have waited a short time yet, for it is awfully cold in those eastern states. We know, for we have tried them. They are all right in the summer, but we prefer Oregon in the winters.

A CORRECTION FROM BIG BEND.

Editor Malheur Enterprise: Will you please print the enclosed article in the next issue of your paper, as we do not want to be misjudged by the balance of the exhibitors at the Corn Carnival. Other entries won at the Walla Walla show as well as Big Bend.

By E. L. Tate For the Contestants.

An article published in the Malheur Enterprise of January 16, 1915, under the heading of "Items from Big Bend" places Big Bend in a false light before the rest of the county.

When the Pomona Grange laid down the rules of the Corn Carnival, one of the rules was that each contestant must exhibit two bushels of corn, the corn thus exhibited to be donated to the Grange, to be sold to help defray the expenses incurred by the contest. After the awards were made the county bought the corn to be exhibited at the Walla Walla corn show or where ever they saw fit, the corn thus passing out of its former ownership to be used to advertise the county and not any one community.

The contestants knew before the awards were made that they did not have the only corn in the county and knew still better when another district had five contestants with a yield of over 100 bushels per acre that there were other places in the county that could raise corn about as well as Big Bend.

If the Walla Walla corn show should bring any settlers to Malheur county they would naturally inquire where the corn was raised, if that was what they were after.

The contestants from Big Bend are proud to be able to give to the county their share of the records of the Corn Carnival to advertise the county.

(Signed) Bert Robertson, Dale Robertson, Alex Wade, Geo. W. Swigert, Harvey Hatch, Chas. Purdy, Arthur Holly, Everett Tate.

BROGAN MAN BADLY HURT

By Accidental Discharge of Revolver--Other News of the Brogan Country.

BROGAN, Oregon, January 28.—Mr. Chinn came home from Weiser on Saturday where he had been visiting with Mrs. Chinn. He reports Mrs. Chinn and one of the twins as doing very nicely, but also reports the death of the second baby. Everyone extends the hand of sympathy, and hopes Mrs. Chinn will soon be able to come home.

While cleaning an automatic revolver on Monday, it was accidentally discharged, and as a result, Phil Edwards is laid up for repairs. The bullet entered his breast above the heart and came out at the upper part of his left arm. He was taken to Vale, accompanied by Will Jamieson, who reports everything as progressing favorably. Phil thinks he will be able to attend the dance at Jamieson on Friday.

Mr. Kennedy spent Sunday and Monday in Vale.

Clarence Lane broke a bone in one of his hands last week and went to Vale Monday to have it attended to.

Mr. and Mrs. Wachter went to Boise on Monday where Mrs. Wachter will consult doctors.

Dick Breedlove made a business trip to Jamieson on Saturday.

Pat Coleman is suffering with quite an attack of rheumatism.

Miss E. Hudson entertained the members of the bridge club and their husbands on Tuesday evening. A pleasant time is reported by all.

The boys and girls of the upper room at school had a scare on Monday afternoon when Bessie Lockett fainted. She soon recovered under the care of the care of the teachers. We are all healthy here that when anything like that does occur it frightens the boys and girls.

Frank Crowley spent Sunday in Ontario visiting with friends.

We are having fine winter weather here, with plenty of sleighing for those who have the sleighs and the horses. Fine weather for hog killing, several having been killed to supply both fresh and salt meat.

—Brogan Correspondent.

WHITE SETTLEMENT NEWS OF THE WEEK

Items of Interest from Reporter in the Lower Malheur Valley.

A very successful revival at Lincoln 64 school house closed Sunday night.

Ora Clark made a flying trip to Ontario Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hodgson are spending the week with W. J. Roberts and family. They leave for Portland, Ore. Monday.

J. A. Winslow butchered twelve hogs last week.

Mr. Adams is working at St. Paul Orchard Ranch.

Mr. Hagood and daughter, Lovica, made a business trip to Ontario Tuesday.

Ex-Sheriff Kerfoot passed through our settlement Tuesday eve.

H. M. Holloway completed a water well Tuesday. 71 feet deep and water raising within 30 feet of top.

S. J. Bean and brother, Paul, were business callers at Ontario Tuesday. Ask them which train they went in on.

Clifford Waldron is able to be out again after being confined to the house for several weeks with a broken limb.

Carl Brown and Ray Scott were callers