

ALFALFA CATTLE OFF TO TUMALO RESERVE

FARMERS BUY CARS AND TRUCK NEAR GRIZZLY

GOOD GRASS ON MILL CREEK

Snow Remains Deep at Hampton Butte—Barnes Postmaster Off to Seattle

ALFALFA ITEMS (By Our Regular Correspondent)

Frank Post and his bride returned from Prineville Tuesday and were greeted in the evening by about seventy-five people with tin cans and horns. A fine supper was prepared by Mrs. Curt Muller, after which nuts, candy and cigars were passed. The party broke up at midnight wishing Mr. and Mrs. Post a happy and prosperous journey through life, and all heartily wishing that all the bachelors in Alfalfa would follow Mr. Post's example.

Frank Ruffe and Harry Aten are working on the roads. A new bridge has been built at the entrance to the Johnston ranch.

Mrs. Ray Leonard is suffering severely from an attack of rheumatism.

Dr. Rasin, of the Millican valley, was in Alfalfa Thursday and purchased two cows and some chickens from C. H. Hardy.

Mrs. Ray Fisher went to Portland the first of the week for a visit.

Several local stockmen will drive their cattle to the Tumalo reserve next Monday.

Geo. Taylor passed through Alfalfa with his cattle and a truck loaded with 20 calves he had shipped from Tillamook.

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GRIZZLY NEWS (By Our Regular Correspondent)

Henry Seethoff, the Metolius miller, was in this vicinity Thursday trying to buy wheat and barley but didn't seem to meet with much success.

There are now three more cars in this vicinity. Andrew Morrow and Roy Chitwood have new Fords and F. M. Simpson has a second hand Reo truck and touring car combined.

Roads are pretty rough in this part of the country but with a little travel they will soon be smoothed down.

Earl Crain, of Prineville and Miss Gracie Bland, of Terrebonne, are visiting at the home of S. W. Compton.

Mrs. George Hamilton and daughter, of Bend, arrived here Thursday.

George Bland arrived home from Madras Sunday.

Ernest McKenzie had the misfortune to be thrown from his horse Wednesday and injured his arm so that he will be unable to use it for a few days.

P. Chitwood is reviewing roads in the Ashwood district this week.

C. A. Newbill had the misfortune to lose a fine cow this week.

LOWER MILL CREEK

The weather is fine and grass is growing well.

The river is high and nearly all of the farmers have to fight the water to keep it from ruining their land.

There was a big time at the

school house Friday, April 27th, which was the last day of school. The children had a program and afterward dinner was served. Every one had a good time. The guests were the Lower School, Dist. 48, their teacher and Mrs. Cowles.

Miss Belle Cowles went to the city Friday afternoon and returned Saturday.

Grover Price went to town last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dishman were out to their ranch Friday in their car.

Mr. Freund was in Prineville Friday.

Mr. Valpey was in town last weekend.

Leo, Battinger has returned from his homestead to the Crain ranch to put in his crops here.

John Haines, Charlie Crain and Mr. Burmeister were dehorning and branding cattle last Saturday.

HAMPTON BUTTE (By Our Regular Correspondent)

Mrs. Bruce Balfour is spending a few days at the home of Stanley Balfour at Fife.

Calvin Sherman was a visitor at the home of Lester Hall Monday.

William Pausch, who spent the winter in Portland is at home again.

Miss Lela Hall and James W. Shaner, both of Mossyrock, Wash., were recently married in that town.

Mrs. Shaner was a former resident of this locality, and also attended school in Prineville. Her many friends in this county wish her a long and happy married life.

Carl Pausch and Isaac Wilson are helping Charles Sherman do his spring work.

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Those afflicted with car trouble last Saturday were Miss Marian Hoskins, Russell Chapman and George Khole.

Miss Dorothy Rice autoed to Redmond Saturday with her grandfather, George Khole.

Gus Stadig and J. J. Stone were in Bend Wednesday.

Mrs. C. F. Hoskins and daughter, Miss Marion, called on Mrs. David Milburn and Mrs. Frank Newbold Tuesday.

Fred Walters and daughter Margaret and son Fred took supper at the Holms ranch Thursday.

ENLIST the services of The Journal job department if you are in need of anything in the printing line.

HELD ITEMS (By Our Regular Correspondent)

J. B. Davis, of Pringle Flat, who has been very low for some time, died at his home last Saturday night, April 21st. The funeral was held at the home after which the body was taken to Bend for burial.

Mrs. Ella Ramsay was a caller at the home of Mrs. Kennedy last Sunday.

Sid Rogers and Joe Bryson went to Prineville on business this week.

Mrs. S. D. Kennedy and Mrs. Tom Rickman and daughter Lucile were callers at the home of Mrs. Alex Rickman Thursday.

Alex Rickman, Tom Rickman and S. D. Kennedy dehorned cattle yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cross, from near Prineville, were visitors at the home of the latter's mother this week.

HAT ROCK NEWS (By Our Regular Correspondent)

Thurman Moffitt was in Prineville Monday.

Mr. Becker was in Prineville on business Friday.

Jimmie Moffitt has moved his sheep back to his ranch again. He had them out at Rocky Canyon for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Brawn were in Prineville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Becker have been riding for cattle the past week. There are still two head which they have been unable to find.

Allen Grant passed through this neighborhood Thursday on his way to Prineville.

Mr. Hughes was a visitor in this neighborhood last week.

Mrs. Margaret Moffitt spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Becker.

FIFE ITEMS (By Our Regular Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner left on the stage Tuesday morning for their home in Battle Creek, Mich., after spending the winter with their son, Julian Gardner at Fife.

Mrs. Bruce Balfour, of Hampton Buttes, is spending a few days with Mrs. Stanley Balfour, of Fife.

Walter Kerbow lost one of his milk cows recently.

Mrs. Rodkey, of Buck Creek, was a caller at Fife, Friday.

Gus McLough, of Lost Creek, was at Buck Creek this week.

Mr. Tackman, the dentist of Camp Creek, is at Fife for a few days. He goes from here to Paulina.

Mrs. Lester Hall, of Hampton Buttes, was calling on Mrs. Stanley Balfour, the first of the week.

John King and Frank Foster have gone to Hampton Buttes after two loads of seed potatoes. Mr. King expects to plant about 20 acres in spuds on Bob Edgerton's ranch in Glass Buttes.

W. W. Brown's freight wagon has been three days getting through the alkali flat. John Wilson, the driver, had to come to Buck Creek after ten more head of horses to pull out with. That speaks well for the roads in this part of the country.

POST ITEMS (By Our Regular Correspondent)

J. M. Hayes returned from Portland Thursday.

Walt Morris has purchased a new Case tractor. He also has a new Ford car.

O. C. Gray and Will Post went to Prineville Saturday.

Surveyor Kelley was in this neighborhood and in Canant Basin surveying last week.

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WATER RAISES AT NIGHT AND FALLS DURING DAY

Water Master H. G. Kennard, who has been taking the readings from the instrument installed by the Ochoco Irrigation District to determine the water supply, has discovered that the flow as measured by the government, upon which figures the estimates for the water supply for the district are based, was about seventy-five per cent of the actual amount of water that passes down the channel of the stream.

The water which comes from the melting snows each day, causes a marked increase in the flow at night time, and each morning the water has receded again, until the readings were inaccurate, having been taken during the forenoon each day, when the water is at its lowest point.

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ROBERTS ITEMS (By Our Regular Correspondent)

Mrs. Joe Howard visited school Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Walters was in Redmond Tuesday.

Frank Newbold is building a four-room bungalow.

Mr. and Mrs. Landis called at the home of R. S. Towne Thursday.

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Fred Roberts, who has enlisted in the service, was accompanied to Redmond by his mother and father and Mrs. Alice Nelson, Monday.

Dewey Hinderman left for Portland Monday to enlist.

Ben Hinderman was in Prineville Monday.

Seth Dixon moved several hundred head of cattle Monday from Roberts to his ranch near Barnes.

Columbus Johnson passed through here Sunday night with cattle going to his ranch.

Sid Rogers passed through Roberts Monday with several hundred head of cattle on his way to the Mays ranch.

H. C. Nelson met the train in Bend Tuesday morning for the purpose of receiving some calves that had been shipped from Chehalis, Wash.

Tressie and Sumner Houston spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Julia Campbell was in Prineville Saturday to take the Civil Service examination.

Rev. J. H. Gervin, of Prineville, accompanied by about fifty from the Christian Church held services here Sunday afternoon.

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