

NOTICE TO STOCKMEN.

On or about July 15th, I will be in Canyon City with a choice lot of Thoroughbred Herford Pedigree Bulls for sale.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Jugwumps is the name applied to prohibitionists who bolt their ticket this year.

Ed Sels arrived home from Forest Grove Tuesday evening. Webfoot life has agreed with him.

Geo. Jones, last Thursday, was arrested and fined \$5 for running his horse through the street, contrary to law.

Win. Luce has a brother-in-law visiting him from California. He came 1270 miles to spend the 4th in Janquin Miller's old orchard.

Geo. Biesen and his son Philip returned this week from "Webfoot" to which place they took a band of horses, having found a tolerably fair market.

Colin Campbell, a miner of Baker City, was shot and killed on Snake river one day last week by a man named Stutz, who was in the employ of Mr. Campbell.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Cobb, in John Day, July 8, 1888, by Rev. J. H. Wood, Mr. Reuben F. Chittenden and Miss Wilma Shepard, all of Prairie City, Oregon.

Mr. A. R. McCallum is at Milton, Umatilla county, and is reported to be in a very critical condition. Dr. Pruden is giving him treatment for the cancer on his hand.

Huprich has given his boot shop a new coat of white paint. That's right. Paint the town and it will greatly improve its appearance and thereby enhance the value of property.

Married, at the City Hotel in Canyon City, July 10, 1888, Mr. J. N. Thrash and Miss Arvilla Bunyard, both of Harney valley, County Judge N. R. Maxey officiating.

The remains of Robt. Lockwood were interred in the city cemetery on Saturday, July 7, under direction of Homer Lodge No. 78 Ancient Order of United Workmen. He was born in Australia, and was aged 45 years.

Constable Todhunter was arrested last week and taken before W. H. Kelly, J. P., at John Day on a charge of assaulting Doc Jones on the 4th inst. He waived examination and gave bonds in the sum of \$300 to appear before the next Grand Jury.

Cresap swears or affirms that he caught 36 trout in Canyon creek one day lately with one bait, manufactured out of beefsteak. Bill Gray thinks it a slam on his tough beefsteak and they two will fight a duel at long range with bologna sausages.

See "ad" of the State University under "New today." This college was established by act of the legislature, and allows every county in the State a number of free scholarships. This county is entitled to one, we believe. Application should be made to the county superintendent for free membership. For catalogue address J. W. Johnson, President, Eugene City.

County court was still in session as the News went to press this week. As usual, plenty of business comes before that body at the first session. McHaley and Davis, the new commissioners, became initiated to their duties in fine shape and short order. Grant county has a court composed of three of the heavy taxpayers, and people can rest easy.

Chas. Ferrel was arrested and taken before the justice at John Day the other day, charged with being a party in the trouble at this place last Wednesday. We refrain from making any comment on this, but believe that justice will be done to all parties concerned. There are various opinions in regard to the origin of the difficulty, and those who know anything about it will have an opportunity to testify at the proper time.

Last Thursday evening the alarm of fire was sounded, and in double quick time the fire ladders were on the scene with water. The fire originated in the Horsley drug store building, which was occupied by M. Dustin and family, and was caused by a candle which one of the little girls had in her hand coming in contact with some papers. Not much damage was done to the building, but the family lost considerable.

MURDER MOST FOUL!

Robert Lockwood, Deputy Sheriff and Jailer, Assassinated.

Pat McGinnis and Buccaroo Jim Eezepe.

Have Been Captured, and Will Expiate their Crime on the Gallows!!

Scarcely within the history of this county has the community been thrown into such a fervor of excitement as was occasioned by the killing of jailer Lockwood by the prisoners confined in the county jail, on the evening of July 5th, and their subsequent escape from confinement, and recapture.

As was his custom, Mr. Lockwood went to the jail about 9:30 in the evening to see that everything was all right. Residents of the vicinity of the Court house heard two shots fired shortly after that hour, in rather rapid succession, which attracted no attention at the time, but which afterward proved to be so full of import.

Becoming alarmed at his prolonged absence from home his wife made inquiries, and search was instituted. His office door was found unlocked, and then the horrible truth flashed upon the searchers. A light was procured, and they entered the jail corridor, the door of which was ajar. There they met the object of their search, lying in the doorway to the iron cell, cold in death, with a ghastly wound in the back of his head, and the two prisoners to whom he had always been so kind and attentive were nowhere to be found.

This was near one o'clock in the morning, and after caring for the remains of the deceased the citizens were aroused and searching parties sent in every direction after the escaped prisoners.

Upon the convening of the County court in the morning a reward of \$500 each was offered for the capture and return of the prisoners, and Sheriff Gray offered a reward of \$250 each, making in all, \$1,500. Towards evening Joe Coubs came to town after reinforcements, reporting that McGinnis was hiding in the brush near Alex Fisher's ranch down the river. Every man and boy in town who could procure a gun joined the party, and about 60 or 70 persons repaired to the scene of action, arriving there shortly after dark.

Fisher's family were in communication with the culprit, having given him breakfast that morning, and were cooking something for him to take with him as soon as night should fall. Upon being promised a sum of money they divulged his hiding place, and in company with Joe Tvee, Hank Workins and Bill Whit persuaded McGinnis to come out of his hiding place, when he was taken into custody. Hank loaded the prisoner on his buckboard, and passing the guard at the bridge, with his team on the run, came to town and delivered him to the sheriff.

A party went in search of the Indian, also, and as they had supposed, he took a course direct for the Indian camps in the Malheur. As an extra precaution they had placed guards around the camp and captured the arnau and cayuses. "Buccaroo Jim" was found about six miles from Indian John's camp, about 16 miles from Drewsey. He was first seen by Joe Prewett, and when he discovered that he was pursued he hoisted a white flag. There were about six persons in this party, and they arrived here with him late on Sunday evening.

McGinnis had been confined in prison since last May, on a charge of horse stealing, and the Indian was awaiting the action of the next grand jury, charged with the murder of J. M. Bright in Harney valley. Before each told conflicting stories in regard to the killing of the jailer and their escape. Pat McGinnis even attempted to make believe that Lockwood committed suicide. All will come out before Court meets in November, as one or both of them will make a confession and all will be plain enough. Should sufficient proof be obtained these two fiends will end their miserable existence on the gallows, and justice will prevail. They will have a fair and impartial trial—we predict by an intelligent jury, for good and responsible men learned a lesson at the Spring term of Court, 1887, and will not make or express an opinion merely for the sake of escaping jury duty, but will use their influence to see that justice is meted out to offenders of the laws of God and man.

The coroner's Jury, held by N. Rulison, acting coroner, found that the deceased came to his death on the night of July 5th,

from a pistol shot inflicted by Pat McGinnis or "Buccaroo Jim," prisoners confined in the county jail.

A post-mortem examination was held and the bullet which killed him found in the front part of the brain, a little to the left of the center. It entered just under the occipital bone in the center, and cut the spinal cord.

LATER:—The Indian has made a statement to the effect that McGinnis did the shooting, and showed in what manner it was done. A preliminary examination is being held before Justice of the Peace N. Rulison, but up to the hour of going to press nothing of importance has been ascertained, farther than the facts above stated.

Robert Lockwood had acted in the capacity of deputy sheriff of Grant county for eight years, and prided himself upon his record as an officer. It was rather a singular fact that after that long a time he should meet death in the very last hours of his service in that capacity. Mr. Gray had taken charge of the office that very day, but retained Mr. Lockwood until the day following.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned for meat furnished and delivered at the Canyon City Meat Market, will please come forward and settle accounts by cash or by note as I want to balance my books by July 1st, 1888. Having leased the Butchering business, said lease to take effect on that date (to-wit, July 1st, 1888). All accounts not settled by the 20th day of July, 1888, will be placed in the hands of a collector.

LONG CREEK LYRICS.

LONG CREEK, July 6, 1888. The Fourth passed off very quietly; there was not a drunken man in town.

Senator Hamilton and wife came up from Hamilton to attend the picnic. The "Ping Uglies," under command of C. F. Goff, made quite a creditable appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Cresswell, also Mrs. Cary passed the Fourth with their mother, Mrs. Blackwell and attended the celebration.

Mrs. Rosendorf came very near meeting with a serious accident while out horseback riding at a rather fast gait. The horse stumbled and fell throwing her and the three year old little girl which she had in her arms to the ground. They were both badly bruised but otherwise escaped serious injury.

Quite a crowd went from here to Hamilton on the 5th to attend the races. One of the boys stole somebody else's girl and took her along. When the other fellow found out his girl had left him and, instead of being in bed resting after the dance, had gone to the races with a better looking man, he was not mad. Oh, no! He was only raving; and to cool himself he just started in and drank Long Creek whisky until he did not know whether it was a girl or a white cayuse that he wanted.

It is hoped the County Court will offer a good big reward for the apprehension of the murderer of Mr. Lockwood, as the county will never be called on to pay the expense of trial for if there are not men enough in Canyon to Lynch these devils Long Creek will help them. No Court trial for such fiends is the verdict here.

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I am awful busy just as I expected to write you lots of news, will do better next time.

LETTER LIST. List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Post Office at Prairie City, Grant Co., Oregon, July 1st, 1888, viz: Brown, John Owens, Israel (2) Ebling, Mrs. Mary Rollins, Mr. Ed Intridge, Mr. H. P. Romig, E. T. Mairs & Co. Thomas, Hon. O. B. Williams, Mr. Geo. Persons calling for above will please say "advertised."

J. W. Mack, P. M. A railroad is to be built up Mt. Hood to the snow line.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Last Office at La Grande, Oregon, June 12th, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof to support his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Grant county, at Canyon City, Or., on July 27th, 1888, viz: CHAS. E. UTLEY, D.S. 722, for the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 17, and the NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 20, T. 15, S. 8 of R. 26, E. of W. 3. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, to-wit: David Magill, Walter Brown, W. B. Offer and D. E. Atkinson, all of Rose Bud, Oregon. 1278 HENRY RENEHART, Register.

THE DAY WE CELEBRATED.

What Was Done, and by Whom—The Ladies' Cornet Band.

Evergreens and Banners and Picnic Dinners—Furious Fights, and the Fireworks a Failure.

Our National Independence day dawned a perfect day so far as the weather was concerned, only it was rather warm, as must be expected in midsummer. Everybody felt patriotic, and Canyon City was made lively by the appearance of an immense throng of friends from the neighboring country, and it was hoped the spirit of prejudice and antagonism which has so long marred the feeling of sociability between this and other sections of our county had been forever laid aside and supplanted by a common desire by all for harmony of action in every measure having for its object the advancement and enlightenment of the people of America, and of Grant county in particular.

The streets were gaily decorated with evergreens and the ever glorious "red, white and blue," and a handsome arch stood over the very gateway to town, bearing the word "welcome." The procession, which formed at the Court house and marched to the grounds, was of considerable magnitude, and reflected well to the credit of young America. Headed by Tiger Hose Team No. 1, the procession moved off, followed in this order: 1st, the Broom Brigade; 2nd, The Grand Army of the Republic; 3d, The Ladies' Cornet Band; 4th, The Liberty Car, containing Miss Columbia and 38 young ladies; 5th, Old Mother Goose's Car, and herself and family; 6th, Citizens and everybody.

Arriving at the grounds, after music by the band and glee club, Rev. J. H. Wood was introduced, and invoked the Divine blessing on the occasion of our meeting, and for the prosperity of our nation. The Declaration of Independence was read by Mr. J. J. McCullough. Rev. E. Hayes was then introduced to the multitude, and delivered a concise, yet very logical oration, not forgetting to mention the fact that we were celebrating on an historical ground—the orchard planted by the world-renowned Joaquin Miller, to whom Canyon City gave the first official honor when she elected him Justice of the Peace away back in the '60s. At the conclusion of the address Miss Manie Overholt delivered a recitation, and the glee club sang "America," after which a free dinner was announced for all who had not come prepared. A long table had been erected, and filled, that everyone might partake without leaving the hospitable shade where cooling breezes blow. After dinner the hours were spent in sociability until the time arrived for the racing, when all repaired to the most convenient positions along main street to witness the different contests, which had been advertised to take place. They did not come off in the order intended, however, but were as follows:

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because they extended a general invitation to every one to meet with us on that day and observe the natal day.

The display of fireworks in the evening was almost a failure, owing to a series of distressing accidents. Some of them fell into the ditch and became wet, and an explosion occurred which prematurely destroyed another lot, and seriously burned some of the manipulators. In the strength of all these adverse circumstances only about one half of the pieces were displayed, and that being only the plainer ones, such as rockets, candles, etc.

But what enjoyment was lost in the pyrotechnical display was made up at the ball. Over 70 couples were present, and the music furnished by Messrs Hazeltine, McCoy and Baldwin, and Mrs. McCoy, was perfection. The ball rolled serenely until daylight, not a hitch nor a jar to mar the pleasure of the diaphes of tersichore.

The Ladies' Cornet Band of Prairie City which discoursed such excellent music, is under the immediate supervision of Prof. W. D. Baldwin, who has been their instructor since their organization a few months ago. Their playing called forth general applause, and the proficiency is due in a great measure to the untiring efforts of Mr. Baldwin, who organized the first brass band in Grant county. Following is a list of the members of the Ladies Cornet Band:

Leader, Clara McHaley, Eb; Iniz McHaley, 2 Eb; Solo Bb, Josie DeMoss; 2 Solo Bb, Georgia Rice; 1 Tenor, Hattie Mack; 2 Tenor, Josie Johnson; 1 alto, Ettie Cleaver; 2 alto, Mary Coats; 3 alto, Georgie Armstrong; Bb Bass Louie Laurance; Tuba, Rose Dustin.

NOTES: In running a race while blindfolded, some one ran over Mrs. McCallum, a lady aged over 80 years, injuring her slightly. The jumping match did not take place neither did the sack race. Only one wheelbarrow was entered for the wheelbarrow race.

MT. VERNON MURMURS. Mt. Vernon, July 10, '88. Haying has commenced. Jas. Pope is cutting some. J. F. Thompson has harvested his first crop of alfalfa. Rev. Clapp discoursed to the people of Mt. Vernon last Sunday. Grain is beginning to ripen. There will be considerable in this section of country. The latest excitement was the capture of McGinnis. The funniest part was in Hank Workins taking him off to town right from under the noses of 40 or 50 men, and they standing around guarding, as they supposed, all the avenues of escape, till nearly morning before they found out he was caught. Their feeling can better be imagined than described. They say that Joe Coubs showed considerable courage in searching Alex Fisher's house all by himself. It is thought that had he discovered McGinnis he would have taken him in like—well, like we took the Indians in '78. The people of this vicinity are highly incensed at the outrage perpetrated at Canyon City on the 4th inst., on a quiet citizen of this place. One or two more transactions of the same kind and us country jakes won't come to town at all. It is claimed by eye witnesses that the proceedings were entirely unnecessary and uncalled for, and had those claiming to represent the law manifested the proper spirit it would never have occurred.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES. The Rev. Mr. Goss, Minister in charge of St. Stephens Church, Baker City, Oregon, will (D. V.) hold services and preach as follows: Sunday, July 22nd, in the morning at Prairie City, in the evening at Canyon City. Wednesday, July 25th, both morning and evening, at Dayville. Sunday, July 29th, in the morning, at Canyon City, in the evening at Prairie City. The Holy Communion will be administered at every morning service. Holy Baptism will be administered at any service if desired. All who may be interested in those services are requested to extend the notice as wide as possible. J. N. T. Goss, Missionary.

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