

Rabid coyote attacks sheep, fights dogs

100 YEARS AGO
May 13, 1915

A coyote undoubtedly suffering from rabies appeared among Jay H. Dobbins' sheep in Tulley creek two weeks ago. It first appeared in the middle of the night in a band of sheep in the charge of W.A. Stanton ... The animal had a lamb down, and was not at all scared at the sound of Mr. Stanton's shouting. Mr. Stanton sent his dog after the coyote, which ran away after a tussle in which the dog was bitten. A few minutes later the large coyote ran into another band of Mr. Dobbins' sheep. It killed two lambs and chewed up a ewe considerably. Two dogs went after it and only after a hard fight did they drive it away. Shortly afterward it came boldly into a road a few



A short piece of text submitted with this photo declares this to be the "first train for Wallowa County," crossing the bridge at Minam at the junction of the Wallowa and Grande Ronde rivers, Sept. 20, 1908.

Courtesy photo/Jerry McCully

feet from the herders and they shot and killed it. The lamb in Mr. Stanton's flock died two

days later and after about ten days his dog became very sick and developed unmistakable symptoms of hydrophobia, and the herder killed it.

The two large grizzly bear skins E.M. Pratt brought to town last week were sold to Mrs. S.D. Taylor, the price paid for these rare specimens being \$50 each. It will cost about \$50 to have the skins properly made into rugs.

70 YEARS AGO
May 10, 1945

A VII Fighter Command Base on Iwo Jima — Piloting a P-51 Mustang fighter plane, Second Lt. Keith H. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Miller of Enterprise, participated in the first 7th fighter command attack against Japanese mainland installations.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Green have received newspaper clippings from their son,

OUT OF THE PAST

Compiled by
Rob Ruth

Pfc. Kenneth F. Green, describing the operations of the task force to which he is assigned some 30 miles south of the junction of the Ledo and Burma roads. The Mars task force to which Pfc. Green is attached has been operating over country so rugged that mules have to be used for transportation and the accounts tell of mules which were lost slipping off the trails into the deep ravines and canyons. With reference to one march the account states, "some marched by linking hands as they crossed treacherous bogs, swamps, creeks and precipices."

Ross Carl Downing F 1-c and son of Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Downing of Enterprise, is a member of LSM group 14, flotilla 5, which on March 31 received the commendation for the work performed in the Iwo Jima campaign. Ross sent his citation home to his parents, who are very proud of the part he played at Iwo Jima.

WANTED: To buy or rent baby carriage. Mrs. L.L. Hall, c-o Geo. Dawson, Joseph.

50 YEARS AGO
May 13, 1965

The Small Business Administration in Boise received the application for loan from Wallowa Scenic Development, Inc., this

week. Total costs involved for the proposed gondola project to the top of Mt. Howard would be approximately \$400,000. The operating company, High Wallowas, Inc., also sent their organizational structure and financing plan to the Small Business Administration and Forest Service for examination.

A Recreational Use Plan for the 58-mile reservoir to be created behind the multi-purpose High Mountain Sheep dam in the scenic Snake river canyon between Idaho and Oregon has been filed with the Federal Power Commission by Pacific Northwest Power Co ... The basic PNP Recreational Plan is estimated to cost \$577,000.

The Stitch and Chatter Club met last Thursday at the home of Rowena Shaffer, with 19 ladies present. Refreshments of angel food cake with topping, coffee and tea, were served. A new member, Reta Thornburg, was initiated, after which a number of games were played.

LOSTINE NEWS: Berk Lathrop entered the hospital last Friday and had a tonsillectomy. Mrs. Linda Carper is the owner of a 1965 Chevrolet Biscayne.

25 YEARS AGO
May 10, 1990

The Wallowa-Whitman National Forest Management Plan, 10 years in the making, finally arrived from

the printers on Monday — all 2,500 pages of it ... The most controversial part of the new plan according to Regional Forester John Buttrille is the Forest Service's decision to reduce the annual supply of timber available for sale by about 10 percent — from 159 million board feet (mmbf) a year to 141 mmbf ... Perhaps more significant, according to Erickson, is that timber offerings would contain less than half of the amount of ponderosa pine that had been offered for sale on an annual basis during the recent past — 30 mmbf as compared to 60 mmbf ... "Whereas ponderosa pine once constituted half of the standing inventory, it now makes up only about 20 percent," Buttrille continued. "Therefore, there is little doubt that the annual harvest of this species must be reduced."

Over 100 parents, teenagers and other interested county residents attended a youth issues forum in Enterprise last Wednesday and offered dozens of constructive suggestions for ways to help approach youth-related problems in seven areas of concern ... Youth issues under discussion were drug and alcohol use; conflicts with parents; peer loyalty; reluctance to get professional help; the feeling there's nothing to do; prejudice and discrimination among and toward youth; and poor relationship with police officers.

FOLLOW-UP ON PHOTO: On April 22 we published a photo that had appeared in the newspaper in 1915 of a sheep camp on Downey Creek. We have since received additional information about that site from Enterprise resident Don Tippett, who recalls that Tippett Ranch Inc. purchased it from his dad, Jidge Tippett, around 1958. He thinks Jidge Tippett acquired it around 1949. The cabin in the photo burned in 1988. (A check of our archives shows the Teepee Butte fire burned the area in August 1988.) According to Don, the ranch sold the property to the U.S. Forest Service in 1992. Finally, Don spotted two errors in names in the caption we ran on April 22: Blane should be Blanc, and Yarnell should be Yandell.

Student of the Week

Tiara Huffman
Enterprise High School

Tiara has been a solid student at Enterprise since kindergarten. She has taken every Ag class offered and is an active member of the FFA. As a busy senior, she also raised money for breast cancer. Best of luck in the future, Tiara!

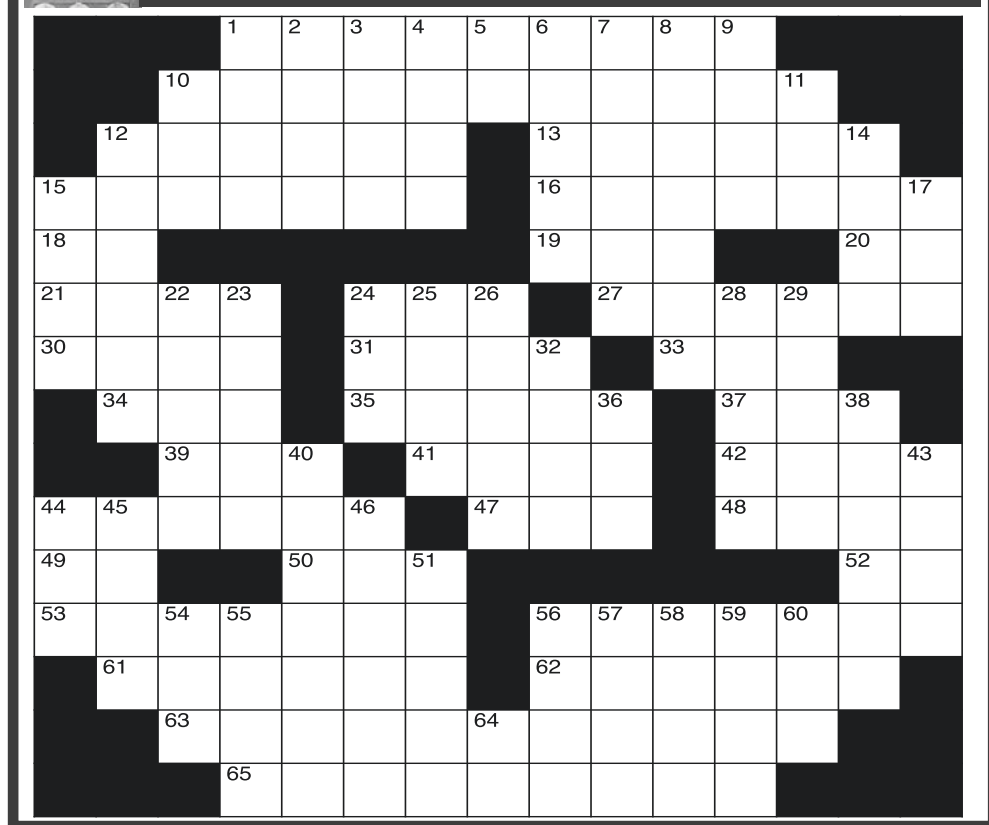
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1. Library furnishings
10. A major N. Am. river
12. Music for a narrative poem
13. A set of steps
15. Shooting stars
16. Keenly perceptive
18. - denotes past
19. "3:10 to Yuma" actress Gretchen
20. Old English
21. Sami
24. Brake horsepower
27. Interlocks
30. Twofold
31. Green, iced and Earl Grey
33. Maddie and _____, singers
34. Bridge-building degree
35. Flat-topped flower cluster
37. A waterproof raincoat
39. A way to ingest
41. Tayra genus
42. Birds
44. 3.26 light years
47. Confederate soldier
48. Body fluids
49. Atomic #35
50. Seize
52. In event that
53. Grassy plain
56. Enzyme in milk
61. Rags
62. Actress May
63. In a way, aided
65. Humilities

DOWN (continued)

5. "Peanuts" creator's initials
6. State in NE India
7. Type of TV program
8. Shoulder adornment
9. Meat-roasting rod
10. Protective floor pad
11. Anger
12. Spread over
14. Blackthorn fruit
15. Commingle
17. Affirmative
22. Horse used to set the pace
23. Appeals
24. British thermal unit
25. Complex red organic pigment containing iron
26. Bura
28. Languages of Sulu islands
29. Raise with great force
32. Dried-up
36. Scientific research workplace
38. Purplish red
40. NYSE symbol TEN
43. Secure
44. Commercial-free TV station
45. Macaws
46. Open and sincere
51. Oldest Swiss Un. (alt. sp.)
54. Very high frequency
55. Name for ancient Syria
56. NFL's "The Big Cat" Leon
57. Jai _____, sport
58. Actress Blanchett
59. Cords
60. Not or
64. Constitutes

DOWN

1. Digestive fluid
2. Capital of Norway
3. Plural of os
4. Young goats

Church Directory

<p>St. Katherine's Catholic Church</p> <p>Fr. Roger Fernando 301 E. Garfield Enterprise Mass Schedule Weekdays 7:15am Saturdays 5:30pm Sundays 10:30am (541)426-4008 stkatherineenterprise.org St. Pius X Wallowa Sundays 8:00am <i>All are welcome</i></p>	<p>Summit Church</p> <p>Gospel Centered Community Service time: 10:30 am Cloverleaf Hall in Enterprise Pastor Mark Garland www.summitchurchoregon.org</p> <p>Summit CHURCH</p>
<p>Joseph United Methodist Church</p> <p>3rd & Lake St. • Joseph Pastor Kaye Garver Phone: 541-432-3102 Sunday Worship Services 8:30 & 11:00 am Child care provided at 8:30 am service</p>	<p>Faith Lutheran Church</p> <p>409 W. Main Enterprise, Oregon Worship 2nd & 4th Sundays - 2 pm Bible Study Tuesdays before the 2nd & 4th Sundays at 11 am LCMS (Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod)</p>
<p>Enterprise Christian Church</p> <p>207 East Main - (541) 426-3449</p> <p>Worship at 8:15 & 11:00 Sunday School at 9:45 Evening Worship at 6:00 (nursery at A.M. services)</p> <p>"Loving God & One Another" David Bruce, Sr. Minister</p>	<p>Christ Covenant Church</p> <p>Pastor Terry Tollefson Church Office: 541-426-0301 Family Prayer: 9:30am Sunday School: 10:00am Worship Service: 11 am 723 College Street • Lostine Providence Academy</p>
<p>Lostine Presbyterian Church</p> <p>Discussion Group 9:30 AM Worship Service 11:00 AM Childrens program during service <i>Blog: dancingforth.blogspot.com</i> 541.398.0597 Hwy 82, Lostine Stephen Kliever, Minister</p>	<p>Enterprise Community Church</p> <p>BigBrownChurch.org 301 N. E. First Street Enterprise Sunday Worship 11A.M. (541) 426-3044</p>
<p>Wallowa Assembly of God</p> <p>606 West Hwy 82 Wallowa, Oregon 541-886-8445 Sunday School • 9:30 Worship Service • 10:45 Pastor Tim Barton wallowaassemblyofgod.com</p>	<p>Seventh-Day Adventist Church & School</p> <p>305 Wagner (near the Cemetery) P.O. Box N, Enterprise, OR 97828 541-426-3751 Church 541-426-8339 School Worship Services Sabbath School 9:30 - 10:45 a.m. Worship Hour 11:00 a.m. - Noon Pastor Jonathan DeWeber</p>

Group offers scholarship for arts

In an effort to encourage the creativity of students in Wallowa County, the Creativity in the Arts Scholarship is being offered for the second year. Sponsors of the \$1,000 award include the Wallowa Valley Arts Council, Beecrowbee, Community Bank, Stewart Jones Designs, and Bob & Helene Hippel.

The deadline for entry is May 15. Applications can be found online at www.wallowavalleyarts.org in the Youth Arts Festival page. To be eligible, a student must be a senior attending any school in Wallowa County. The student must be eligible to graduate but does not need to be planning a formal education at a college or university.