

THE OREGON SCOUT.

AMOS K. JONES EDITOR. City and County Official Paper.

Saturday, June 4th., 1887.

NOTES.

The new county of Malheur starts out \$30,000 in debt. This gives the people there a chance to get in and rustle. Nothing like a moderate incentive to work.

Apothecaries and physicians must, under the new law, secure license from the county clerk to sell morphine and other opiates. The license costs a dollar, and failure to comply here-with may result in a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$250.

Days of voting on prohibition amendments in the states in which they have been submitted: Texas, Thursday, August 4, 1887; Tennessee, Thursday September 29, 1887; Oregon, Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1887; West Virginia, Tuesday, Nov. 6, 1888

We don't know what the probabilities are for the end of the railroad division to be taken away from La Grande, but the mere thought of it causes each separate hair of the average citizen to "stand on end like quills upon the fretful porcupine." It is quite amusing. Probably while this set-to between Baker and La Grande lasts, Union will get a little rest.

It is now discovered that the session laws just published are full of blunders, as usual. One of the most glaring is in the act creating the office of county recorder in certain counties. In the title to the act the counties of Linn, Marion, Washington and Yamhill are the only ones mentioned; while in the body of the law Umatilla, Union, Clackamas and Clatsop are also included. The law will doubtless be void as to these latter counties.

Talk is a good thing, but talk alone won't boom a city worth a cent. Take hold and make things go, and then there will be something worth talking about. Capital is a good thing, but idle capital is of no more benefit to a community than as much sawdust. Some man will talk about what ought to be done way into the next century without turning a hand towards doing it. The above words of wisdom are from the Spokane Review and will apply to our town as well as to Spokane.

Our Baker exchanges announce that the prohibition campaign has commenced in Baker county. An outdoor meeting was held Tuesday evening under the auspices of the temperance organization of that city, and was addressed by Prof. Crowhurst, Mrs. Skelton and others. The campaign has not opened in Union county yet to any great extent. Prof. Crowhurst, we believe has been figuring around in the rural districts of this county, for some time, but has not shown up in the metropolis. Probable thinks we are past saving.

The Wallowa Chieftain in an article concerning the report made by the board appointed to adjust matters between Union and Wallowa counties, says:

"... As for the positions taken by Mr. Goodall and his colleague, we shall give them credit for a too strict regard to the interests of Union county to the injury of Wallowa county's rights, and sincerely hope their legal advisors will not lead them into a useless and losing suit at law."

This is the same old song that we have heard from that source for several years past. If everything don't go to suit, a howl of dishonesty is raised. Should Wallowa county see fit to have this matter ventilated in the courts, we are of the opinion that the majority report of the commissioners will be found not far from just and equitable.

Union has had another loss by fire, which would not have been the case had the city been equipped with a good engine or proper water works. We have said this same thing a number of times before, but to no avail. That a town of this size is without ordinary means of protection against fire, does not speak very well for the business sagacity of its business men. Had we a good steam fire engine, the consequent reduced rates of insurance would pay for it in two years. If the business men and property holders of the city are too short sighted or too hide-bound to care for their own interests, the city council should take the matter into their own hands and see that the proper means are procured to protect us in this respect, and levy taxes to pay for the same. Talk is cheap and a man can only be judged by his actions. For the purpose of buying a fire engine or putting in water works, we will give fifty dollars, or as much according to our possessions, as any man in the city will give. This is a standing offer.

Eagle Feathers.

May 30, 1887.

Health good with the exception of a few who are suffering from ague. Fruits will be abundant in the upper part of our valley, but a little scarce elsewhere. The young folks are thinking a great deal about the 4th of July, expecting to have such an enjoyable affair.

Weather very warm and everything looking very nice. The little streams around are high on account of the warm weather.

Our singing and Sunday schools are still progressing as well as ever. The superintendent, Mr. Wise has left us and gone to Pine Valley to teach school.

Messrs. Beezley and Wilson left for Long valley some two weeks ago and have not returned yet. Hope they are having a pleasant time and will return with good news from that part, but we do not want them to take their families away. DAISY.

Portland Stock Yards Report.

Portland, Or. May 30, 1887.

Receipts of beef not up to the former weeks, on account of an inclination to weaken prices last week; on account of heavy supplies, which resulted in making a healthy market at last week's figures or nearly so. Supply of sheep ample for the trade, and in quality improving; those now coming forward are mostly shorn. Lambs arriving more free, though trade good. Butchers take all hogs offered, readily. Work oxen, most go to lumber camps; draft horses, to California.

ARRIVAL OF STOCK FOR THE WEEK. May 24.—Sheep, 67 head; beef, 60 head. May 25.—Sheep, 67 head; beef, 40 head. May 26.—Sheep, 180 head; beef, 60 head; draft horses, 15 head; hogs, 120 head. May 27.—Sheep, 600 head; beef, 20 head; oxen, 14 head. May 28.—Beef, 40 head; lambs, 240 head. May 29.—Beef, 40 head; sheep, 60 head. May 30.—Beef, 28 head; sheep, 180 head.

Quotations.—Beef, 3 @ 5 c. gross; sheep, 3 @ 4 1/2 c. gross; hogs, 4 @ 5 c. gross; lambs, \$2.25 each. Market steady. J. H. RATHBUN, Manager Portland Stock Yards. Stock of all kinds sold on commission. Stock fed, transferred and re-shipped.

A Letter of Recommendation.

Yreka, Cal., Feb. 25, 1886. This is to certify that Dr. S. Harmon has been at this place the past two months and that from observation of him, and of several cases under his treatment, I can safely recommend him as an oculist of over average ability, and as a first-class optician of high skill. My friends in Oregon who may need his service, can rely that he is not a charlatan, but a gentleman of merit and one whose skill will be recognized by all whose eyes are afflicted. E. H. AUTENRETH, Attorney at Law.

A NEW PAPER.

A new paper is to be started in Wallowa county. The Yaguna Mail published at Newport, says: "Last Wednesday, Mr. A. H. Phelps and wife started for their new home in Wallowa County. Mr. Phelps having severed his connection with the firm here, he goes to new fields, and with Mr. Scott E King, will immediately embark in the publication of a new paper. They hope to build up a fortune by laying the corner stone in a new county, which is rapidly developing, and with which they will be identified." We are afraid that the gentleman mentioned will find that the newspaper business is a very soft corner stone upon which to build their fortunes, especially in Wallowa county.

BOISE CITY, Idaho, Jan. 17, 1887. The undersigned, old residents of Boise City, cheerfully and with testimony to the professional skill of Dr. S. Harmon, the oculist. He has demonstrated beyond dispute and to the entire satisfaction of all that he is an oculist of the highest order. During his stay here of two months he treated many cases of diseased eyes, and success crowned his efforts in every instance. Several of these cases were of long standing and of a most aggravated nature, and their cure is regarded as remarkable. The statements in the press of our city, giving names of a number of his patients, and a few of the particulars in each case, are strictly true. Success is the only criterion by which to judge skill. Dr. Harmon succeeded in his practice in this city where pretended oculists who preceded him met with signal failure. This testimonial is voluntarily presented, unasked, to one whom we firmly believe deserves it. WM. JAUMAN, Member Boise City Council. A. J. BOYAKIN, Editor Idaho Democrat. SECRETARY'S OFFICE, BOISE CITY, Idaho. January 7, 1887. I, Edward J. Curtis, Secretary of Idaho, do hereby certify to the correctness of the above statement as to Dr. S. Harmon's high standing and skill as an oculist and gentleman. E. J. CURTIS, Secretary Idaho Territory.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, May 23, 1887. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on July 6, 1887, viz: BERNARD LOGSDON, H. No. 240, for the SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Sec. 1, S. 14 of NW 1/4, and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 12 T. 4 S. R. 40 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land viz: John W. Minick, Josiah Davis, William Wilkinson and Thomas Wilkinson, all of Union, Oregon. HENRY RISEBART, Register.



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Strayed or Stolen.

One white horse, newly shod off found, hind of tail cut square off small brands on lip and shoulder, but don't remember what they were. Will pay a reasonable reward to anyone bringing him in, or information concerning him. The horse weighs about 1050 lbs. in good condition. 5-21-87. THOS. P. BEARD.

NOTICE TO STOCKMEN.

New Bridge, Union Co., Oregon. TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—North of Powder River and east of Eagle creek, the stockmen are being used salt-petre in their salt on the range for their horses and cattle, and parties that are dealing in stock that they are poisonous to, but better be careful where they drive their stock. 4-14-87. STOCKMEN.

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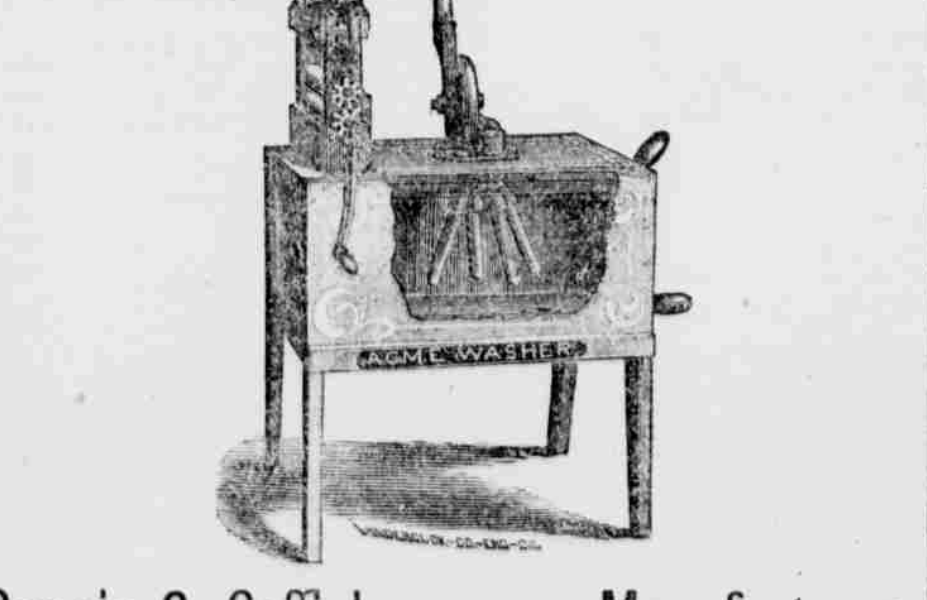
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TESTIMONIALS. Union, Oregon, May 11, 1887. This is to certify that Mr. Charles C. Coffinberry, on May 11, washed with an Acme washing machine at my hotel, in one hour and forty-five minutes, the following named articles: 1 faml washing, 4 blue shirts, 2 pair drawers, 2 undershirts, 2 pairs of aprons, 2 towels, 2 pair socks, 12 handkerchiefs, 6 collars and 1 pair cuffs. Hotel goods, 15 table cloths, 8 sheets, 20 pillow cases, and 70 towels, 179 pieces in all. The above washing gave perfect satisfaction. E. H. MILLER, Proprietor Centennial hotel.

Union, Oregon, May 12, 1887. This is to certify that I have used the Acme washing machine and wringer to do my large family washings, and I give the perfect satisfaction and I think it will do all that it is recommended to do. MRS. CHARLES ROBINS, Union, Or, May 11, 1887.

Union City Hotel, May 11th, 1887. This is to certify that the Acme washing machine has done two washings at my hotel, and it has given perfect satisfaction, and I think it will do all that Mr. Coffinberry represents it to do. L. J. BOOTHIE, Union, Oregon, May 10, 1887.

This is to certify that we have tested the Acme washing machine and wringer on several occasions, and I have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best machine we have seen. MRS. EMMA JONES, MRS. ALLIE JONES.

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"BLACK PRINCE,"

The celebrated English draft stallion, Black Prince, was brought to this county from California in February last, and will make the season in Union County at the following times and places: At the Cove, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at Elbert's stable, Union, Saturday, on other days at the Stanton ranch, north of Union. TERMS: For single service, \$10, due at time of service; for the season, \$15, due at close of season; to insure, \$25, due when mare is known to be with foal. Mares will be pastured at the Stanton ranch free of charge, owner taking all risk of accidents. Should any mare bred to Black Prince be sold, transferred or change hands, then the charges for service shall be due and payable when the sale, trade or change is effected. PEDIGREE: BLACK PRINCE was bred by imported Black Prince, an imported horse from Australia, and owned by Napa. He is a pure bred English draft horse. His dam by Young Kentuck, out of a Glory mare. Black Prince has made stands for three years in Sonoma county, Cal. and shows some of the best colts in the State. For further information inquire of Claude Groves, who has charge of the horse. Union, Oregon, April 23rd, 1887.

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