

THE OREGON SCOUT.

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The Oregon Scout has as large a circulation as any three papers in this section of the State, combined, and is correspondingly valuable as an advertising medium.

Friday, Sept'r. 7th, 1888.

GATHERED IN.—Monday, warrants were sworn out, in the recorder's court for Jesse Thompson, Ed. Goodwin, W. L. Leathers, Dave Weston and W. H. Mullan, and placed in the hands of the city marshal, who, in company with Ed. Cates, went down among the cane brakes and luxuriant tules, after their men. Some were found in one place and some in another, while others were found at the place of garnered sheaves. They were all taken under the fostering care of those efficient officers and brought into town, when they were duly arraigned before the recorder, on the charge of being disorderly upon the streets of the city of Union. Goodwin, Leathers and Mullan at once plead "guilty," and were fined \$5 and costs. Thompson and Weston plead "not guilty," and were bound over in the sum of \$25 each, to appear for trial on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, but when the hour arrived they came into court and plead "guilty" and were also fined \$5 each and costs.

RATHER REMARKABLE.—Advices from Grant county report that Lake Malheur, a body of water that covers more than 75 square miles, and has been without outlet, is rushing through a subterranean passage with a great roar. The noise is so loud and the shrinkage of water so great as to attract much attention. It is said that miles of formerly submerged land is now visible. The account is meager. The lake receives the water of the Blitzen river and never overflows. It is situated on a rich, level plain with low shores. It is connected with Lake Harney by a shallow channel sixty feet wide and 600 feet long. If the subsidence proves permanent it may throw the Oregon Pacific survey company some miles further south.

ATTEND TO IT.—We have been requested by the committee of ladies having in charge the improvement of the Union cemetery, to say to those having relatives buried there, that many of the graves have been neglected so long that it is hard to distinguish where they are. On these, new mounds have been made and headboards set up. It is the wish of the committee that the names of those who sleep beneath shall be marked on the head-boards, by their living friends, so that the graves may be identified hereafter. A notice of this kind ought not to be necessary. It is to be hoped that those interested will attend to the matter at once.

DESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS.—This country is rapidly filling up with eastern people and their peculiarities are noticeable to the old-timer. One of them recently stepped into an Ellensburg store and asked for five cents worth of nice fresh crackers and ten cents worth of cheese, cut from the soft side of the cheese. Another wanted six cents worth of blueing and still another wanted a couple of peanuts or the odd half cent due her for change. Verily the good old days are fast vanishing.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT BAKER.—A dispatch from J. G. Canaday, informs us that a destructive fire occurred at Baker City Wednesday morning. The fire broke out in the old Pat. Campbell building and burned all that block except three buildings. It is impossible to tell what the loss will be at this time. The building where the fire broke out was unoccupied, and it is without doubt the work of an incendiary. Considerable excitement prevails.

FIRE AT THE DALLES.—At 2:30 o'clock last Monday morning a destructive fire occurred at The Dalles, consuming property amounting to twenty-five thousand dollars. It started in an alley back of the Second-hand store of S. Kline, Washington street, between Second and Third. There was no wind, otherwise the flames would have swept the whole eastern portion of the city. The insurance amounts to about half of the loss.

DIPHTHERIA IN BAKER.—The Baker City Reveille says: "Mr. W. T. Merwin who resides in Kellogg's addition, informed us to-day that he now has the diphtheria in his family, and that he felt it his duty to make this public mention of the fact in order to warn his friends, who, not being apprised of the situation, might bring their children to his house, and thus spread the disease."

STOP IT.—A Missourian has just stopped his paper for the following reasons: "I have paid to much already and you don't give us any funny oycetums yu ar awel the time riting up pollytics en wot yu no abot a pollytic woodent fill a the's year."—Ed.

Union and Vicinity.

For elegant livery rigs, call on Elliott.

Buy your boots and shoes at Vincent's.

Saddle horses for ladies at Boothe's stable.

Drop in at the "Kentucky" and refresh yourself.

Furniture of all kinds at Wilson & Miller's, cheap.

The public school opened last Monday with a fair attendance.

None but the best of wines and liquors at the Cornucopia saloon.

A disastrous fire occurred at McMinville, Yamhill county, last Tuesday evening.

Exchange sold on Portland, Oregon, and San Francisco, Cal., at the Mortgage Bank.

Residence property for sale in North Union. For particulars enquire of Mrs. N. Howland.

For bargains in all lines of goods go to Jaycox & Fester. New goods constantly arriving.

Money loaned on Real Estate at the Mortgage Bank, on long or short time, at a low rate of interest.

Mrs. L. R. Thomas offers her home at Cove, for sale. Any one wanting a pleasant home can find it here.

Travelers will find good accommodations at the City hotel, opposite the court house, and charges reasonable at all times.

Smith's walking gang plow, something new and just the thing. For sale by Frank Bros. Implement Co., Island City.

Tax-payers of Union county will see by advertisement in this issue that the Board of Equalization will meet at the court house on Monday Oct. 1st.

For a few days rest and recreation no better place can be found to stop at than the Depot hotel. Excellent baths in connection with the house.

Buy a Cyclone windmill of Thompson & Puseel. There is no better mill manufactured. They recently put up one for Mr. Shirley, at his place below town, and he is delighted with it.

Last Sunday a foot race took place near town between Harvey Moreland and John Green which attracted considerable attention. Harvey came out ahead.

The recent disastrous fires at Summerville, The Dalles, McMinville and Baker City should be a warning to the citizens of Union and cause them to be very careful.

Three hundred and twenty acres of good valley land for sale, for \$3,500; \$500 cash; balance on time with interest at 7 per cent per annum, at the Mortgage Bank.

Last Wednesday evening the Jewish New Year commenced. A. Levy, the merchant, closed his store from Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock till Thursday evening at 6 o'clock.

A waterspout visited Fourth of July creek, in Mormon Basin a few weeks ago. Sheriff Murry crossed the creek next day and picked up a nugget of gold that he will have made into a pin.

Next Friday evening, the 14th inst., at 6 o'clock, the Jewish Day of Atonement will commence, ending Saturday evening at sundown. All Jews will close their places of business during that time.

If you need a gun write to the Cove drug store for prices. Winchester 40-60, 45-70 model 1886 repeaters, single shot 38-55, 40-60, 45-70, etc., etc., constantly on hand. Also all kinds of cartridges and reloading tools.

B. M. Lombard, of the Lombard Investment Company, has come up from Portland, and will take charge of the business at La Grande. He has plenty of money to loan at a low rate of interest. See advertisement in this issue.

Disorders of the stomach, liver, and kidneys, can be cured by restoring the blood to a healthy condition, through the vitalizing and cleansing action of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the safest, most powerful, and most highly concentrated alterative available to the public.

Read Levy's new ad. in this issue. He now has a larger and better assortment of goods than he ever carried before, and is prepared to offer inducements to purchasers. Look through his immense stock and you will be sure to see something you need.

Don't skip the advertisements in reading your paper. The advertisements show you who the live business men are. All persons who have trading to do, will find that it pays to deal with those who advertise. The man who hangs out his sign though a newspaper is not ashamed of his goods or his prices.

An interesting letter from ex-Mayor D. B. Rees, who is now in Tacoma, appears in this issue. His suggestions in regard to water works, and other improvements in Union, are good, but we have but little hopes of the town progressing much under the present state of affairs. Union is a pretty good town and will no doubt increase considerably, in spite of the apathy of a majority of its citizens, and the persistent efforts of some of its business men to prevent it from doing so.

The sheriff of Columbia county, W. T., was in the city this week and took in charge John Albright and Jane Patterson, who had been arrested by Sheriff Hamilton. The couple, it seems, had run away together, and taken with them a horse which it is claimed did not belong to them. The woman having several children, and one of them being very sick at the city hotel, could not be taken away, but the sheriff took Albright back with him.

Personal and Social.

Mr. Fred Jamison is but little improved as yet.

Mr. J. M. Selder, of the Cove, was in Union, yesterday.

Miss Rosa Wiloy was visiting friends in Union this week.

Mr. Jap Stevens, of the Cove druggist, visited Union, Friday.

Mr. Tom Childers, of Summerville, called on us last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren were visiting in Baker City this week.

Mr. Wm. James, of La Grande, is employed at the Cornucopia.

Mr. J. H. Fisher and family, of the Cove, visited Union yesterday.

Miss Carrie Martin is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. White.

Dr. Thomas, of the Cove, made our office a pleasant visit, Wednesday.

Mr. Luther Busick is trying his hand at type setting in this office.

Mr. Z. T. Nelson called in and subscribed for THE SCOUT this week.

Mr. F. B. Collins, of Summerville, called on us the fore part of the week.

Deputy Sheriff Williamson was trying his hand at assessing this week.

Mr. T. E. Jones, of Island city, has our thanks for favors shown us this week.

Mrs. Corbin will return from Kansas in a week or two, accompanied by her father.

Mr. J. S. Edwards of Dell, Malheur county, orders THE SCOUT sent to him for one year.

Hon J. L. Roe and county commissioner J. McDonald were in the city this week.

Mrs. Steele and Mrs. Dean, of Lower Powder, were in the city the fore part of the week.

Mr. Mose Angel, who has been stopping with L. B. Rinehart for some time, is quite sick.

Mr. Jake Canaday came down from Baker City, Saturday, and spent a few days with friends in Union.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at Mrs. Deering's this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. John A. Tucker was down from Kooting the fore part of the week. He looks just as solid and jolly as ever.

The name of Mr. James Parker, of the South Prairie coal mines, W. T., was added to our subscription list this week.

Mr. S. M. Seamons and Mr. Dotson returned with their families from the North Powder saw mills a few days ago, and will remain in Union.

Mrs. H. L. Dougherty came up from the Cove, yesterday, to meet her mother and little brother who arrived on the train from the east. It is many years since they met.

Mr. Frank Johnson and wife visited relatives near Summerville a few days ago. Miss Viola Kuhn, Mrs. Johnson's sister, returned with them and will attend school here this winter.

Mr. J. E. Robinette and family, of Pine valley, were in Union, Wednesday, to meet some relatives who arrived on the cars from Missouri. After visiting friends in High valley they will return to Pine.

A merry party consisting of Whit Hall and wife, Sam Benson and wife, Willie Warren, Miss Sallie Warren, Miss Ida Davis, Miss Jennie Benson, George Gignac and John Blize left on Monday morning for a trip to Cornucopia and Pine valley. We wish them all the fun imaginable.

Thursday evening last as we were going to press, our office was brightened by the presence of a party of ladies consisting of Miss Sallie Warren, Miss Jennie Benson, Miss Lora Warren, Miss Lillie Levy, Miss Helen Levy, Miss Hettie Stevenson and Mrs. Gillfillin. The young ladies tried their hands at folding the papers and the way they made them fly around would cause a folding machine to weep with envy.

B. W. Huffman, one of our most valued correspondents, received the following deserved tribute in the San Francisco Freethought of last week: "Our young friend, Bertram Huffman, is a worker, but amid his matter-of-fact labor comes the poet's delicate insight and the journalistic ardor. He has the literary faculty, which with cultivation in the rough-and-tumble of life will some time make him a power. He has written for the Investigator, Oregon Scout and Freethought, and has a facile pen. In the school of experience he will find the trenchant blade, for he is not merely a dreamer in the sunny fields, but a true soldier of humanity, ready for the toil and sweat through which only the real song can be sung, and the true music of manhood sounded."

WONDERFUL CURES.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., wholesale and retail druggists of Rome, Ga., says: "We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salvo for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold at Wright's drug store."

EAGLE COOPER SHOP.

S. B. Ayles, proprietor. Manufacturer of butter barrels and kegs. A good supply always on hand. Shop south of school house, Union, Oregon.

The Mortgage Bank guarantees all losses by fire promptly paid in full on all policies procured by them.

LETTER FROM DR. SAYLOR.

North Powder, Sept. 4, 1888.

Ed. Scott:—One "Dr." Boyd, of Baker City, after treating me very ungentlemanly and unprofessionally in a case over in Baker county recently, resorts to public print through the Reveille of last issue, vainly trying to case a guilty conscience, exemplifying the old adage of, "a guilty conscience needs no accusing" but accuses itself. He assumed all responsibility in the case by making a diagnosis at his office, prescribing and administering medicine to the patient without any consultation, to which he was called. We left the patient in his hands at 6 o'clock on Sunday evening, and he died about the same time next evening, some 24 hours afterwards. He not even knowing our diagnosis or treatment, unjustly condemned it with a motive too patent to any observing individual. If he was not the consulting physician (consulting himself) as well as the attending physician, (which he denies) what position did he assume in the premises? His actions are too well known by the laity as well as the profession, to undertake to shift the responsibility where it does not belong. We have plenty of charity and respect for any up right professional conduct, but actions tending to injure one and elevate another, is not professional or gentlemanly, and we detest and condemn it by whomsoever practiced.

A. L. SAYLOR, M. D.

VETERINARY SURGEON.

Prof. J. F. Smith, the well known veterinary surgeon, arrived in this city a few days ago, and will be at the Centennial hotel for two or three weeks. Those desiring his services, should call on or write to him, here. He will go to any town in Union county, or to Baker City, if called. He has no superior in his line. The Kearney, Neb. Journal says of him:

"Prof. J. F. Smith, of Illinois, whose arrival from the east Wednesday night was mentioned in the Journal, has done some skillful and very difficult work in his specialty of veterinary surgery by castrating that noted ridgling horse over which the suit pending in court for the last year or two between two of our prominent citizens owing to that peculiar and very troublesome malformation so common to the horse and heretofore considered beyond the reach of science to remedy. We are told by good judges that Prof. Smith's operation was scientific and seemingly safe and certain. This case had baffled the skill of several good veterinarians who had made unsuccessful operations and was finally left to the courts, the true condition of the horse which is now plainly demonstrated. We congratulate Prof. Smith who has our well wishes for his future success."

MARRIED.

HULSE—APPLINGTON.—At the residence of M. L. Hulse, near Island City, August 20, 1888, by T. E. Jones, J. P., Mr. Myron W. Hulse and Miss C. A. Applington, both of Union county.

BRIGGS—HAMILTON.—Aug. 26th, 1888, Rev. Connel Cox officiating, Mr. W. W. Briggs and Miss Ida M. Hamilton, both of Wallawa county.

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