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—FOR—

School Superintendent.

IF YOU WANT JUSTICE,

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Without Fear or Favor.

Here and There.

Note City hotel ad. in this issue.

S. I. Stratton was in from Lone Rock this week.

Hon. J. N. Brown returned from Canyon City yesterday.

H. Wade noticed a nest of jet black squirrels a few days ago.

Arthur Smith will clean watches at the reduced price of $1. *

Mrs. Mark P. John, of Pendleton, is visiting her relatives here.

C. N. Peck arrived from Sunbury, Ohio, with his bride last Saturday.

Andy Stevenson did valiant service Wednesday as color-bearer of the Post.

Wanted—A few more customers for the home laundry, Mountain House. *

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner Pills, assist digestion, cure headache. Try a box. *

It seems strange to be isolated from the rest of the busy world, but such is our present condition.

Those that have county scrip for sale should call on George Conser at The First National Bank. 2-tf.

Photographs $1.50 per dozen at Sheppard's gallery, near opera house, north Main St., Heppner, Ore. 26tf.

Green Mathews has opened up his barber shop, next door to Hayes Bros. Shaves, etc., on tap as usual. *

A delegation of Morrow men, laden with the "spoils of war," pulled out in different directions early Thursday morning.

Mr. Johnson, son-in-law of Mr. Gentry, is visiting in Heppner. Mrs. Johnson has been with her parents for the past two weeks.

The present flood down on the Columbia and Willamette rivers is higher than ever before in the memory of civilized man.

Joe Gibson, Rev. B. F. King, W. B. Ewing, Uncle Billy Gilliam and C. M. Hogue, people's party candidates, were with us this week.

Henry Thompson left at 4 o'clock yesterday for The Dalles with some people from John Day, en route to California. At that place they desire to catch the boat.

A. M. Moore, representing V. H. Pease, yesterday leased to B. A. Hunsaker the Heppner-Monument stage line, the consideration being $2,300 for carrying the mail for one year.

Echo stage leaves Heppner for Echo Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Arrives Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Fare, one way, $2.50. Phill Cohn, agent, A. Andrews, Prop. *

We know that the babies are very dear to their respective mammas, but they should not impose them on people at public gatherings. The speaking Monday and the exercises Wednesday were much disturbed by youngsters.

Sunken eyes, a pallid complexion, and disfiguring eruptions, indicate that there is something wrong within. Expel the lurking foe to health, by purifying the blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Cures erysipelas, eczema, salt rheum, pimples and blotches.

The martial band, with Rev. J. M. Denison as fifer, Andrew Ashbaugh snare drummer and A. G. Bartholomew with the bass drum, enlivened the exercises much Wednesday by their music. Nothing so raises the spirit of patriotism in an American as good fife and drum music.

A lady at Tooleys, La., was very sick with bilious colic when M. C. Tisler, a prominent merchant of the town, gave her a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says she was well in forty minutes after taking the first dose. For sale by Slocum-Johnson Drug Co.

Dr. S. F. Scott, Blue Ridge, Harrison Co., Mo., says: "For whooping cough Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is excellent." By using it freely the disease is deprived of all dangerous consequences. There is no danger in giving the Remedy to babies, as it contains nothing injurious. 50 cent bottles for sale by Slocum-Johnson Drug Co.

Thursday word was received to tie up the Heppner branch till further notice. It may be three weeks before the main line is open. In the meantime, we are getting no outside papers, no letters, no duns and no remittances, hence Morrow county must live within itself till communication with the outside world is re-established.

The regular subscription price of the Semi-Weekly Gazette is $2.50 and the regular price of the Weekly Oregonian is $1.50. Any one subscribing for the Gazette and paying for one year in advance can get both the Gazette and Weekly Oregonian for $3. All old subscribers paying their subscriptions for one year in advance will be entitled to the same. *

IONE ITEMS.

The grain is in excellent condition.

It will not be long ere haying will commence.

The squirrels do considerable damage, but we hope for the best.

Mr. Reub Sperry and family are visiting their Ione relatives and friends.

Mr. S. Froedson lost several of his best work horses from sickness this spring.

Messrs. Tom Woolery and Frank Mason killed a number of coyotes the other day.

The Rhea creek school closed on Friday afternoon May 25, with appropriate exercises.

Miss Anna Balsiger and Mrs. E. L. Freeland recently visited relatives and friends in this vicinity.

The republicans and populists recently held their political speech-making meetings at the Ione school house.

It is reported that a second school has held its graduating exercises at Grange Hall. Mr. John Ely was present to assist.

A few knap-sack job hunters have already put in their appearance, but were told farmers could not afford to hire help.

The last heavy rains have been a blessing to the farmer. With a few more June showers Morrow county will see a bountiful harvest this summer.

If there are some who would talk lightly on the subject of irrigation, as instigated and promoted by Messrs. Smith, of Arlington, and Holloway, of Douglas, they will see the day when their idle words have availed them nothing, and they themselves will be benefitted by the refreshing moisture, which will transform their desert land into a garden of Eden, and fill their dry wells with water, to quench the thirst of man and beast. The originators of this irrigation plan, have so far realized every encouragement in their work, and it is the duty of every farmer and citizen to do his share, for after the meetings in June, work will commence in earnest and if we enter into the work with some enthusiasm, success is sure to follow, and our land will soon flow milk and honey. JAKE.

May 28, 1894.

THE SHEPHERDS.

(Contributed by Dick Beaman.)

Down in the gulch below the rock,
The humble sheep-camp stands;
The shepherd from long keeping batch,
Has greasy clothes and hands.

Upon a hill, a mile away,
Where coyotes nightly howl;
He meets a crowding neighbor's band,
And the sheep-herders growl.

They talk about free-trade, wool and range,
They speak about their pay;
"Its h—l," says John, "that we have to herd
For eighty cents a day."

"I hope wages will come up again,
But the chances are mighty slim."
"I voted for Cleve myself," said Dick,
"But I'll get even with him.

"I'll tell you what we'll do," said he,
"For we're bound to have some fun;
Get Nels and John and Pat and Tom,
And we'll go to Washington.

"We will take all our dogs,
Slick, Bess, Nell and Tute,
We'll send them round, we'll drive them in,
And run them throught the shute.

"We'll separate the D's from the R's,
And bring the D's out West;
We'll make them herd all our sheep,
And we will take a rest.

"We'll put fat Cleve right in the lead,
And make him wear the bell,
The others will surely follow him,
And we'll let them go to h—l."

DEATH OF BOB THOMPSON.—On last Tuesday at 7 o'clock, p. m., at Pendleton, occurred the death of Robert G. Thompson who was shot by a sheepherder about a month ago. His death was not unexpected as the wound was a most serious one. Mr. Thompson's brothers, Press, Alex and Holland, who reside in Morrow county, were summoned immediately, and were present at the funeral, Alex being at his bedside when the dread messenger made the final summons. In the death of Mr. Thompson, Umatilla county loses one of its best citizens. He was a kind and generous neighbor, an enterprising citizen and a true friend. He was a member of both the Blue Lodge and Chapter, A. F. & A. M., at Pendleton, and was buried under the auspices of these orders. The memory of Robert G. Thompson will ever be revered by all who knew him.

DIDN'T ADVERTISE.—An exchange says: A few days ago a citizen cut into a pound of butter which he had purchased at a store whose proprietor does not advertise, and found therein a small tin box, which contained a piece of paper bearing the following, written in a neat feminine hand: "I am a girl 17 years, old, good-looking and an excellent house-keeper. Should this be found by some unmarried Christian gentleman, will please write to the following address," etc. The finder being a bachelor, decided to unravel the affair, and succeeded, only to destroy the romance. The girl had died many years ago leaving an aged husband and a grown family.

FROM IDAHO.—Whittier Bros. write from Mineral Ferry, Idaho, that they are located twenty miles from Huntington. Their lambing was a good one, and their wool is clean, being free from dirt and greese, but it won't bring much, owing to the threat of "free wool." They got $1.25 for their yearlings and $1.60 for two-year-olds. W. A. Fisher and Scott Brundage are located near that section. Whittier Bros. formerly resided in this county and are very well known.

CITY HOTEL OPENED.—Last Wednesday, the 30th, the City hotel opened under the charge of Mrs. Tom Bradley. Although Mrs. Bradley has to care for her husband, who is seriously ill, thereby interfering much with her business, the hotel has had considerable patronage since the opening day. It will be run in first-class order and the patronage of the people of Morrow county is solicited.

SQUIRREL POISON.—Ben Swaggart has a new kind of squirrel poison which is a dead shot on squirrels. It is for sale at Phill Cohn's, at the low figure of $1 per gallon, in bulk. This poison is guaranteed, or money will be refunded. It is something that squirrels will eat, even at this time of the year. Now is the time to kill them. *

MACHINE OILS.—Penland & Co. have on hand a fine assortment of machine oils, for sale cheap. *

TO THE VOTERS OF MORROW COUNTY.

I am decidedly opposed to newspaper notoriety, but the occasion demands that I make a short statement regarding various reports that have been circulated concerning myself. I had hoped that the present campaign might be carried through in a fair and honorable manner; and in all justice I believe that to be the wish of all, except two or three men of our county, and I am glad to say that those two or three men are not among the candidates.

Now, gentlemen, the reports that I am trading, or offering to trade, any candidate; that I have money deposited with the Heppner saloons; that the county books are not correctly kept. That I am using funds belonging to the estate of Chas. Linde, etc., are contemptible lies, and circulated purely to injure me as a candidate.

The county books are subject to, and I invite the most careful inspection of, the citizens of the county. I have not made one cent, nor have I ever made any proposition by which I might make one cent out of the funds belonging to the above named estate, or any other estate, as will be seen by the affidavits of Bishop & Conser. I expect to be elected in a fair and honorable way. I have not used, nor do I intend to use any other means to secure the same, and with this end in view, to all who can consistently and conscientiously give me their support I shall be very thankful. J. W. MORROW.

STATE OF OREGON, } ss
County of Morrow, }

I, George Conser, cashier of the First National Bank of Heppner, and Ed. R. Bishop, cashier of the National Bank of Heppner, being first duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says, in relation to the funds in our hands belonging to estate of Chas. Lind, deceased, that our respective banks have in no way or manner paid to either J. W. Morrow or Julius Keithly one cent for interest on said funds, nor have they, or either of them, asked for one cent for the use of said funds, they being deposited payable on demand, subject to the order of the court.

GEO. CONSER,
ED. R. BISHOP.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of May, 1894.

{SEAL} J. W. DAWSON,
Notary Public for Oregon.

I suffered from biliousness, indigestion etc. Simmons Liver Regulator Cured after doctors failed.—W. D. Bird.

Catarrh in the Head

An Unfortunate Inheritance—How It Was Destroyed.

"Spokane, Wash., Aug. 9, 1893.
"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:
"Gentlemen:—I wish to add my testimony to the worth of Hood's Sarsaparilla. My little girl has been cured by it of inherited catarrh. She had colds continually every month and yellow discharge, but since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla has been entirely cured. Hood's Sarsaparilla I have found of great help to my other children." MRS. L. M. GILLETTE.

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Frank Kellogg,

Of Morrow County.

DECORATION DAY.

The Exercises Largely Attended—Many Old Soldiers and Others in Attendance.

The exercises on Decoration Day began at the opera house at 10:30, a. m., Commander Geo. W. Smith, presiding Rawlins Post was well represented, as well as the surrounding country, and the exercises at the opera house were listened to with marked attention. However, much that was said at the former place was not heard, owing to the noise made by young children.

The program was carried out as follows:

Prayer, Rev. F. Adkins.
Song, "Dropping From the Ranks."
Address of Welcome, P. O. Borg.
Reply, Comrade J. G. Young.
Oration, A. W. Patterson.
Recitation, Miss Kennie League.
Song, "Hushed O'er the Sacred Mound'
Recitation, "The Story of Lomyre," Mrs. N. A. Kelly.
Recitation, Mrs. Wolfe.
Lee's Surrender, by the children.
Remarks, Rev. J. M. Denison.
Remarks, Prof. A. W. Wier.
Solo, Miss Effie Warren.
Recitation, Mrs. N. A. Kelly.

After the conclusion of the exercises at the opera house in the afternoon, the procession was formed, led by the martial band, followed by the G. A. R. veterans and S. of V. under Capt. T. J. League, the Uniform Rank, K. of P., under Capt. F. J. Hallock, and the children under the direction of Mrs. J. B. Sperry, and then came a long procession of carriages. The exercises at the cemetry were plain, though touching, and were heard in respectful silence by many a bowed head.

CARD OF THANKS.

Rawlins Post No. 43, G. A. R., desires to express its thanks for the very kind treatment received from the hands of the citizens of Heppner. Also for the assistance given in the exercises and parade. We are especially thankful to the U. R. K. of P., of Heppner, for their assistance in the parade. GEO. W. SMITH, Commander.

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NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS.

The hours for irrigating will be from six to eight, p. m., and six to seven a. m. Persons violating above rules will be shut off without further notice.

HEPPNER LIGHT & WATER CO.

EIGHT MILE MATTERS.

T. H. Woolery, of Ione, attended the populist meeting at Eight Mile Saturday afternoon.

We extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan, and hope their lives may be prosperous and happy.

The Christain church held services at Liberty school house. They had a basket dinner and a very good time. The house was crowded.

Frequent showers or it might be called a steady rain, has made the ground in good condition for breaking sod, but has detered the farmers from hauling from the mountains.

On the first Sunday in June there will be a union of three or four Sunday Schools to meet at Adkins grove, to hold Children's Day services. All are invited to come, bring their folks, and lunch baskets and have a good time. A fine program is being prepared.

"Nasby" spoke in his last letter about the "sesser" writing such a long "speek." Well, the advantage Mr. Gowan had over the other was that his was more in style. He used a typewriter, the other used a lead pencil. Whether either one was original or not is the question. If a man has intelligence enough to hold office he ought to be able to make a speech without writing it off.

Last Friday evening Mr. Gowan read a paper on "tariff." After he got through several made short speeches. Mr. J. F. Willis, who is always witty, said he (Willis) was the best speaker the republicans had, but he was not prepared, so declined making a speech, but he said he had always voted the republican ticket *straight* ever since he was 18 years of age. He must be a full grown republican by this time. They had a lively meeting not soon to be forgotten. For particulars, inquire of candidates Willis and Boothby, or any other republicans who were present. Inquire of Messrs. John Evans, Luther Houston, Oliver Cox or any other democrats who were present. Inquire of candidates Hayes, King and Ingraham, or any other populists who were present, and you will think it was a remarkable meeting. No doubt Mr. Gowan will remember it as such. E. M. C.

EIGHT MILE, Oregon, May 23, 1894.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

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"Hardware" did you say? Why, yes at P. C. Thompson & Co.'s stand, and the place for bargains. a

The Keeley Institute, at Forest Grove cures liquor, opium, morphine, cocaine and tobacco habit. See ad. *

The Palace is the leading hotel in the city. Well furnished rooms with plenty of light are provided for everyone. a

If you want to buy groceries, and bread stuff cheap, go to the Enterprise Grocery. Kirk & Ruhl, proprietors. a

The general merchandise establishment formerly owned by Coffin & McFarland, has lately changed hands, now being under the control and management of The McFarland Mercantile Company, which continues business at the old stand with a larger stock than ever. a

Gid Hatt has now established a tonsorial parlor, at the Matlock building next door to Simons' blacksmith shop where he invites the patronage of his old customers and all who desire strictly first class work, shaving, shampooing and hair-cutting at living prices. Don't overlook *

LAND FOR SALE.—480 acres over in Wilson prairie. A good stock ranch and will be sold cheap. Call at Gazette office for particulars and terms tf.

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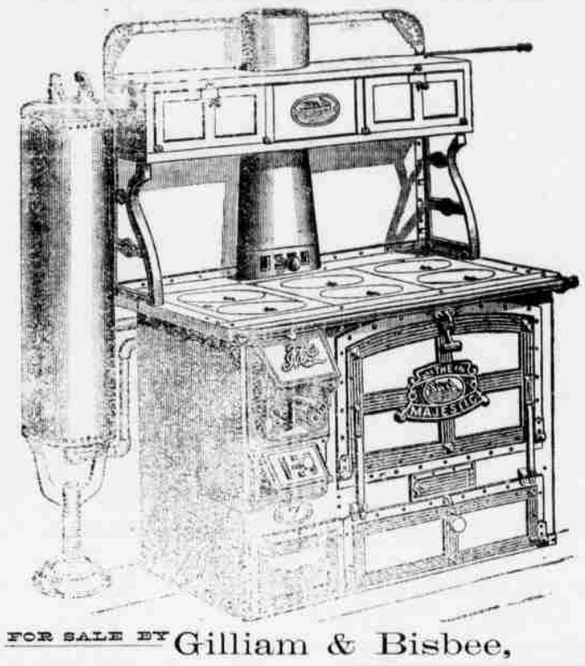

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• • AT • • PETTEYS' GROVE, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 14.

A good program is being prepared, consisting of Music, Recitations, Essays, Select Readings and papers on various subjects of interest to Sunday school workers.

BRING WELL FILLED BASKETS.

A large general table will be provided for the accommodation of those in attendance.

☞ Sunday schools are requested to have their banners draped in mourning and Superintendents to wear crape on their left arm, out of respect for our late President, J. B. Ely. 3-6.

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You'll get something too if you run in and see the new lines of Dress Goods we open out this week—you'll get an agreeable surprise and perhaps a dress. We have opened 15 cases of new dress materials and laces that left the other side of the fish pond only four weeks ago.

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