

# Almost Blind

Scrofula Affects the Eyes—Little Boy Treated by an Oculist Without Relief—But Now He is Well.

"When my little boy was three months old his eyes became very sore and he was almost blind. I took him to an oculist who treated him for six months, and left him as bad as he was at the beginning. Finally Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended and I began giving it to him. In less than three weeks he was able to go into the sun without covering his eyes, and today his eyes are perfectly well, and his ears and nose, which were badly affected, are also well. Hood's Sarsaparilla has certainly done wonders for my boy." Mrs. JAMES H. PAINTER, Amador, California.

# Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists, \$1.50 for 50c. Get Hood's Pills. Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## A GOOD CLUBBING LIST.

Now that the great political campaign is over and the winter season again with us, all will want an adequate supply of fresh and varied reading matter for the long evenings. Cognizant of this the Gazette has made clubbing arrangements with a number of periodicals and now offers the following to all new and renewal subscribers:

The GAZETTE, \$2.50 and Club Rate	
Weekly Oregonian, \$1.50	3.75
" S. F. Examiner, \$1.50	3.75
" N. Y. Tribune, \$1.00	3.00
Inter-Ocean, \$1.00	3.25
" S. F. Chronicle, \$1.50	3.75
Thrice-a-Week N. Y. World, \$1.00	3.25
Webfoot Planter, 50c.	2.50
Leslie's Weekly, \$4.00	5.00

## Here and There.

A. Andrews was up from Alpine Saturday.

Frank Jones is expected home from the East in the very near future.

Geo. F. Roberts, a Portland traveling man, was in Heppner last Saturday.

T. M. R. J. Gilman, a prominent stockraiser of Heppner, is in the city.

Father Briardy will hold services in the Catholic church next Sunday morning.

Pat Spillane and John Hickey dropped in from the Newton ranch Saturday.

Jas. Thompson returned last week from a visit to his home in Canada, and Chicago.

George French was in town Saturday, having completed his spring lambing with success.

R. M. Irvine and M. S. Marks, two jolly traveling men, were in Heppner over Sunday.

You'll find a complete stock of tobacco, cigars and smoker's goods at the Orange Front.

Chris Borchers has added a brand new pool table to the attractiveness of his billiard room.

Frank Hollan's little girl who was taken below recently died last Thursday and was buried on Friday.

Monroe Scroggins and Archie Harris got in from Long Creek yesterday and expect to shear in this locality.

We have advertising space for the professional men. Every doctor and lawyer in town should have his card in the Gazette.

Fresh vegetables and fruits of the season arrive daily at the Orange Front, opposite City hotel, corner Main and Willow streets.

Low Tillard keeps wet goods down at his new place, near the council chambers. Call at The Welcome and make yourself at home.

Sorely eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. Conser Brock.

Casey Roberts, of Eight Mile, and Ed. Palmer, of Lexington, were seen on our streets last Saturday.

J. H. Wyland, the stock inspector, is preparing to look after sheep that are to be moved out of the country.

John Lyette, head sorter of the Pendleton Sounding and woolen mills, says wool shrinkage will be light this year.

F. K. Bartholomew and his nephew, Harry, came in Wednesday. Fred talks strong language when you ask him how he likes lambing.

John Crisman came in from Long Creek yesterday for freight, leaving today for home. The roads are bad enough through the mountains.

Mrs. E. A. Vaughan left Friday for her home in Pendleton, accompanied by her sister, Miss Bertha Matlock, and the two little daughters of Price Florence.

Part of the shearing crew that went down to "the sand" to work recently, were in town Saturday. The "breaking in" experience had gone pretty hard with them.

R. A. Ford left for Portland on Saturday last to have his eyes treated. The charitable people of Heppner contributed nearly \$100 towards paying his expenses below.

Posters are out for the Heppner races.

Bob Johnson was in from Rhea creek bridge Saturday last and informed the Gazette that crops are growing nicely out in his locality.

A party of Heppnerites went out squirrel hunting last Sunday. From the amount of ammunition taken out by the hunters there ought not to be a squirrel left in the county.

In the last issue an article from the Philadelphia Times appeared on the local page, somewhat abbreviated. This sort of an accident is liable to happen to any well-regulated newspaper.

Last week a pair of Angora rabbits came in from Portland, addressed to C. Scharrf, of the John Day section. Being sadly in need of food and rest, Wilson Brock kept them over a few days and the little fellows enjoyed a feast.

Dr. D. J. McFaul returned Sunday morning from Adams where he had been to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Chas. Bowling. Mr. Bowling's death was caused by an overdose of morphine, taken medicinally.

Last evening quite a number of Heppner's "four hundred" dropped in on Mrs. W. P. Dutton, at her home below town, their coming not having been announced. The surprise was complete and the Gazette is informed that the occasion was a most enjoyable one.

Jas. P. Rhea calls the attention of the Gazette to the unusual number of cattle that are being shipped off Rhea creek this season. On Mitchell recently made a shipment to the Union Meat Co., and about May 20th, Wm. Matlock, Jas. and E. W. Rhea will ship 1,000 head from Arlington. Cattle are a better price this season than usual.

Recently C. A. Rhea and Chris Letellier found a den of rattlesnakes down near the former's lower ranch, killing twenty-five and capturing five more. Wilson Brock has the live reptiles on exhibition down at the drug store. When first caught they had hardly shaken off the lethargy of winter and were an easy game.

Tonight at the M. E. church, South, Mrs. Ada Wallace Urarh will deliver a lecture on the subject, "That Old Bachelor." Tomorrow night she will lecture at the Christian church, commencing at 7:30. Mrs. Urarh has a national reputation as a speaker and no person who can possibly attend should miss these lectures.

The all-absorbing topic, the Cuban question, is agitating congress, but in Heppner the citizens are striving to ascertain how R. C. Wills, in Blackman's old stand, can offer such bargains in shoes, spring and summer dress goods. Mr. Wills is making a specialty of these lines, but he will give you bargains in thousands of other articles. It will pay you to see R. C. Wills before placing your order. Mail orders a specialty. Don't forget the place.

Henry Heppner is sporting a new buggy.

M. S. Carrigol dropped in Wednesday from Galloway.

Bill Matlock is over from Lone Rock looking after cattle.

John R. Laks left last night for a brief visit to Portland.

Joe Mason was in from lower Rhea creek last Wednesday.

Harrison Hale and wife were over from Rhea Creek Wednesday.

Wool has already advanced from one to two cents and will go higher.

Special sale at the Orange Front. Fifty-cent pipes at 25c, 25c pipes at 15c.

John Carmichael and family were in from their home ranch near Lexington, Thursday.

Dan Rice, who was seriously ill some time ago, was down from Hardman Wednesday.

Geo. Muir, who lives below Lexington, has embarked in the sheep business. He commenced at a good time.

Tomorrow a new time card goes into effect on the branch and main lines. See time table on first page of this issue.

O. D. Allison, of Eight Mile, called on us last Friday. He thinks that the squirrels are going to be pretty thick this season.

Fresh vegetables and fruits of the season received today at the Orange Front, opposite City hotel, corner Main and Willow streets.

Messrs. Rogers & Roberts, the contractors, are building a wagon shed for S. P. Garrigues who will shortly add an additional line to his business.

Mrs. Ada Wagner, daughter of Mrs. Sam Donaldson, of Fossil, is back from Hawaii to make a short visit. Mrs. Wagner is well pleased with her new home.

Hebrew News: His many friends in Portland are pleased to learn that Hon. Ed. Hirsch is to be appointed postmaster at Salem. He is a very popular gentleman.

Last Saturday and Sunday were scorers, the thermometer registering up close to 100 in the shade, but the shower of yesterday has cooled off the atmosphere, besides doing a countless amount of good.

The Chicago store at La Grande was robbed recently, and J. E. Smith, Columbus Weir and Andrew Geary were accused of doing the job. Smith and Weir were brought to Pendleton a few days ago under accusation of detaining mail not their own, Smith being held as the principal and Weir as a witness. They were taken to Portland to Judge Bellinger's court. It appears now that Geary has made a confession relating to the affair, says the E. O.

The well known musicians, Messrs. Jack Wattenberger and Chas. Ingraham, have decided to give a grand May Day ball on May eve, April 31, 1897. The success of all terpsichorean entertainments under the management of these gentlemen in the past, is a guarantee that the May Day ball will be a pleasant affair. Good music will be provided. P. pular prices. 30-33

Mrs. C. L. Andrews and children arrived last week from Seattle to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Swagart, and other relatives. She was joined yesterday by Mr. Andrews who came from Arlington to Heppner on his wheel. This is Clarence's first visit to Heppner since leaving for Seattle nearly seven years ago. These years have not brought him much trouble, for he looks as young as ever.

A. W. Patterson, who has been connected with the Gazette for the past six years, departed for Indianapolis, Ind., on last evening's train, and will visit his parents, whom he has not seen since coming to the West, and other relatives and friends. This fall he will enter law school where he will remain till he completes the course. Alway will continue to take an active interest in newspaper work, however, and may return to Oregon at some future date, though he is undecided at present as to location.

"Not Exactly Right." Thousands of people are in this condition. They are not sick and yet they are by no means well. A single bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla would do them a world of good. It would tone the stomach, create an appetite, purify and enrich the blood and give wonderful vigor and vitality. Now is the time to take it.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic. Easy to take, gentle, mild. 25 cents.

"Excuse me" observed the man in spectacles "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." Never you mind where the liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear DeWitt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your rug-lamps." Conser & Brock.

Mrs. John Jenkins has lately purchased one of the celebrated Newcomb Fly-Shuttle looms and is now prepared to do all kinds of carpet and rug weaving. Any one desiring first class work should call on her at her home on lower Main street. Low prices and all work guaranteed. 9-37

Americans are the most inventive people on earth. To them have been issued nearly 600,000 patents, or more than one-third of all the patents issued in the world. No discovery of modern years has been of greater benefit to mankind than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or has done more to relieve pain and suffering. J. W. Vaughn, of Oakland, Ky., says: "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in my family for several years, and find it to be the best medicine I ever used for cramps in the stomach and bowels. For sale by Conser & Brock.

Mrs. A. Inveen, residing at 720 Henry St., Alton, Ill., suffered with sciatic rheumatism for over eight months. She doctors for it nearly the whole of this time, using various remedies recommended by friends, and was treated by the physicians, but received no relief. She then used one and a half bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which effected a complete cure. This is published at her request, as she wants others similarly afflicted to know what cured her. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Conser & Brock.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Itches or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Conser & Brock.

The old lady was right when she said, the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. Conser & Brock.

The length of life may be increased by lessening dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. Conser & Brock

Lost—In Heppner, a red leather pocketbook, silver bow on corner, containing a five-dollar greenback, a ten-dollar gold piece, \$23 in county scrip in the name of Thompson & Bins and other valuable papers. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Thompson & Bins' stable. 56

Gid Hatt and Charley Jones are associated together down at Obarley's old place in the tansorial business. Call on them and get your whiskers pushed in.

The crescent waves on Cretan shores, The cross of Christ goes down; The Turks are helped by Christian powers Who bombard fort and town. Columbia's eagle hears not heeds Poor Cuba's piteous cry. Then let us drown these shameful deeds In Sperry's "Linwood Blye."

For sale at the Beldeders saloon, E. G. Sperry, proprietor. 11

Hick Mathews and V. Gentry, under the firm name of Mathews & Gentry, are associated together in the barber business in the new stand, two doors south of the postoffice. They solicit a call. 11

# I am not Running

THE WEATHER. IF I WERE SPRING WOULD HAVE BEEN HERE LONG AGO.

# I am Running

A store, however. You need supplies for the sheep camp; I have them. You want some gents' furnishings; no trouble to supply you. You require groceries of all kinds; call at my store.

"Live and let live" is a good motto. I sell as cheap as possible, to be consistent with good business management.

I want to do business. I can please you. My goods are fresh and well selected.

# T. R. HOWARD,

Main Street, Heppner, Oregon.



# RACES! RACES!

THE HEPPNER SPEED ASSOCIATION Have Decided to Hold a

# Race Meeting

At HEPPNER, ORE.

ON FOUR DAYS AS FOLLOWS:

# Saturday, May 29,

—LAND—

# Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,

JUNE 1, 2 and 3.

**\$700.00 IN PURSES! \$700.00**

PROGRAMME:

FIRST DAY—Saturday, May 29—Race 1. Quarter mile dash, match race between Sunner, owned by Low Tillard, and Sawback, owned by Ben Swagart, for \$100 a side. Race 2. Four and one-half furlongs, free for all. Purse, \$100. Race 3. Three-eighth mile dash, free for all. Purse, \$75.

SECOND DAY—Tuesday, June 1—Race 4. One-half mile dash, free for all. Purse, \$100. Race 5. Six hundred yard dash, free for all. Purse, \$75.

THIRD DAY—Wednesday, June 2—Race 1. Quarter mile dash, free for all. Purse, \$50. Race 7. One thousand yards, free for all. Purse, \$100.

FOURTH DAY—Thursday, June 3—Race 8. One-half mile, handicap, free for all. Purse, \$100. Race 9. One half mile, consolation race, for defeated horses. Purse, \$75. Race 10. Mule race from wire to wire, open to the world. Purse, \$25.

CONDITIONS:—These races will be governed by the rules of the Pacific Blood Horse Association. Entrance fees in all races, not otherwise specified, 10 per cent of amount of purse, five or more to enter, three to start. In case that purses above given do not fill with five complete entries, the board has the power to reduce the amounts of the purses as in their judgment seems proper. The directors reserve the right to postpone any and all races on account of inclement weather. If above races do not fill, purses will be given for special races, to be substituted by the directors. Purses will be divided 70 per cent to the first horse, 30 per cent to second. All entries to close by 8 o'clock, p. m., on the evening preceding the race.

ALL PURSES WILL BE PAID IN FULL.

A. W. PATTERSON, Secretary. W. Q. MINOR, President.  
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With McKinley in the White House, we predict higher prices for wool during the coming season, and feel assured that Heppner will attract more Eastern buyers than formerly. Their headquarters will be at the

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and it will be to your interests to store your wool with us. Insurance rates are also much cheaper than last year.

We furnish wool sacks and twine to patrons payable when wool is sold. We pay freight to teamsters, and furnish blank receipts to woolgrowers on application. We have on hand rolled barley and feed for teamsters.

We pay the highest cash price for sheep pelts and hides.

We are agents for Little's Fluid Dip, and the famous Black Leaf Tobacco Dip.

Mark your wool sacks (C) and direct your teamsters to the lower Warehouse, Heppner, Oregon.

# R. F. HYND, Manager.

The GAZETTE, \$2.50 A Year for CASH.

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# Mrs. Julia Bradley, Prop

Guests will find the best of accommodations in every respect.

# GILLIAM & BISBEE,

At the old stand, have the usual spring outfit of

# FARMING UTENSILS, HARDWARE AND CAMP OUTFITS,

Besides the thousand odds and ends that are too numerous to mention.

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# NO TWINS!

# Am also a Merchant and Want Your Patronage.

And in order to get it we have procured the finest line of General Merchandise ever shown in this city.

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OFFICE HOURS—Day and Night. Leave your orders "Any Old Place" and Rog. or Jim will get 'em. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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New Shipment Received this Week from Chicago.

This season Shirt Waists will be very much in favor among the ladies. We have just what you want.

We are also displaying our fine line of

# STRAW HATS

And our present warm weather has no doubt suggested to you the need of more comfortable and appropriate headwear. This ad. suggests to you the place to find it.

Our new stock of Spring and Summer dress goods will arrive in a few days.

# E. W. RHEA & CO.,

The First National Bank Building, HEPPNER, OREGON.