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It is a fact that farms can be bought in Morrow county at such low prices that their first coming crop will pay for the land.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fitcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought. CASTORIA

The Running Stallion SCHNITZ Will make the season of 1900 at Binn's Stable, Heppner, on Saturdays and Sundays.

Palace Hotel. J. W. MORROW, Proprietor. Strictly First-Class. A Leading Eastern Oregon Hotel

Drummers' Resort. Stockmen's Headquarters. One of the finest equipped Bars and Clubrooms in the state in connection...

M. LICHTENTHAL, The Pioneer Boot and Shoe Dealer of Heppner, has The Latest Styles of Footwear for Men, Women and Children.

T. R. HOWARD'S STORE, Main street, you can find Groceries, Provisions, Glassware, Tinware and Furnishing Goods.

DO HOGS PAY? If they do not pay, there is no object in Morrow county farmers bothering about them or tolerating their impertinence and eccentricity.

It is said that they pay fairly well in the Wallowa country, but here in the Heppner Hills, where Mr. Sheep is King, opinions on hogs are wide apart.



Tom Davidson, of Democrat gulch, says that he could never make anything out of hogs, but Bud Willingham thinks that the hog business is better than it is cracked up to be.



Polled hog, like that above. Over in the Ochoco country the hogs are thus elevated to the juniper berries, which impart to them a delightful odor of turpentine.

WHEAT, WOOL AND STOCK. Portland, June 13.—There was considerable strength in the wheat market again yesterday, the Chicago market at one time advancing to 74 1/2c on the July option.

INDIAN KILLED. Last Monday evening a party of Indians went into camp on Rock creek, near the home of George Perry.

LOAN WANTED. A man who owns 900 acres of good land and much other property wants to borrow \$3000 on 2 years' time at 8 per cent.

GOLDEN CHINO. Heppner's Chinese colony is not very large, but what there is of it is agitated this week over the passing through of a mysterious old Chinaman who instead of lodging with his countrymen camped overnight up the kreek in Jim Jones' alfalfa field.

This supposed to be the same Chinaman who has been placer-mining all the spring on the Middle Fork, south Heppner. He has hiked it across country from there, and troked over kopjaks and bootjaks and flapjaks.



This gold-dust Chinaman is not wasting wealth on railroads, and was seen yesterday streaking it past Willard Herren's ranch on Lower Smile.

WOOL. Frank Bowman, of Fox Valley, on Saturday sold his entire 1900 clip of choice lamb wool to R. F. Hynd at 15 cents.

The Columbia River Indians have brought in this month several small pack train loads of wool that they pulled from dead sheep throughout the great John Day country.

PRISONERS PASSED. The stage Sunday evening brought to Heppner the sheriff of Grant county with three prisoners sentenced to the penitentiary.

ACCIDENT. Heppner Blackman has been taking the census in the Eight Mile country since the first of June, and was doing good work and getting on very well.

HEPPNER CHURCHES. M. E. church—C. D. Nickless, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Everybody wants to know what The Oregonian has to say.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Absolutely Pure. No other aid so great to the housewife, no other agent so useful and certain in making delicious, pure and wholesome foods, has ever been devised.

There are imitation baking powders, sold cheap, by many grocers. They are made from alum, a poisonous drug, which renders the food injurious to health.

FOX FARMS. Uncle Sam has a considerable reputation as a landlord, but few persons know that part of his rent roll income is derived from leasing islands for the culture of foxes.

BIRD NOTES. These beautiful summer mornings the birds of Heppner begin business bright and early. At exactly 10 minutes past 3 there is a fluttering in the foliage, then a few more flutters, then a general flutter with an occasional chirp.

OPEN RIVER. The Portland Chamber of Commerce in its last circular says: We urge upon every citizen of the Columbia River Basin to interest himself in the effort for an open river by using all his influence to bear on the commercial bodies in his section.

Printing Without Ink. A company has been formed to control the process of printing without ink, by using electricity and chemically prepared paper.

Welcome clouds came into Heppner skies Wednesday morning, and are still here and dropping an occasional drop of rain. For a few days previously the sun shone very warmly, and all sorts of talk was heard about coming crops.