



TRAVELERS GUIDE

Heppner to Portland by wagon road... The Heppner Steam Laundry does its work with steam and uses the very latest modern machinery...

Here and There

The pulpit of the Christian church was occupied last Sunday by Rev. Victor Carlson, recently from Port Townsend, Wash., who will preach next Sunday also.

A correspondent of the Lakeview Examiner says the snow on the ranges there is just right to furnish water; the grass is good and the sheep are looking well.

Frank Gooding, of Shoshone, Idaho, is enroute home from Canada with 18 cars of Lincoln ewes to be used as the foundation of the greatest flock of pure bred Lincoln sheep in the United States.

At the recent auction sale of land, one 320-acre piece, 14 miles north of Pendleton was first offered. John Timmerman started the bidding with \$6000, which was jumped to \$7000 by J. M. Bentley, who was bidding for John Dand.

Best equipped for city work and trade are Matlock & Hart. They run their own delivery—quick service.

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LOCAL NOTES.

Curtain stretchers at Mrs. L. J. Estes, 50c per day. The Noble ranch on McKinney creek has been bought by P. Devin.

Mrs. Stella and Lena Rhea have gone to the country for a few weeks' visit. Os. Mitchell has been shipping some fine, fat mutton sheep to the Portland market.

S. H. Forshaw, of Pendleton, is in Heppner in the interests of his stock journal. Anyone wishing to purchase a Singer sewing machine will do well to call on Mrs. L. J. Estes.

N. B. Potter, of Hood River, is visiting with his son, W. B. Potter, of Minner & Co.'s store. At Milton Wednesday night N. A. Davis' rabbit was burglarized by dogs and 5 hares killed.

O. P. Sloan has bought a half interest in a mine at Susanville, and considers it a bonanza. Jas. Mitchell and Lee Cantwell left for Portland yesterday morning. They will be gone several days.

Don't forget that Mrs. L. J. Estes has the latest styles in shirt waists and dress skirts, at the right prices. Statisticians say that the farmers of the nation are still holding 123,000,000 bushels of their 1900 wheat.

J. H. Kinseman is fitting up the building across the street from Wells & Co., in which he will open a meat market. John Day town is going to put up a big school building, and the plans are being drawn by S. B. Hope, formerly of Lexington.

Gilt, braids, all-over-lace, applique trimmings, spikes, buttons, belts, hair switches, corsets, hose, muslin under-wear, baskets, china dishes, etc., can be found at Mrs. L. J. Estes, second door from the postoffice.

Jim Sharp, the barber, was taken seriously ill on Monday night and is confined to his room at Mrs. Morrison's. It is hoped that Jim will rapidly recover and be himself again.

An Iowa farmer this week celebrated his arrival at Lewiston by buying a piece of land at \$500, and took an option on a 35-acre tract at \$175 an acre. He said he had done better in Morrow county.

Spring millinery opening, Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23. French pattern hats and millinery trimmings. You are cordially invited to call and see them whether you wish to purchase or not. Altha Leach, opposite the postoffice.

Around Ione good homesteads are going rapidly, and it is only a matter of a short time until all the government land will be taken and the country settled up by a good, sturdy class of people.

The hog is the mortgage lifter, the sheep the farm fertilizer, the cow the barn builder and the hen the grocery bill payer. The quartette, with man and a woman not afraid of the work in caring for them, will insure prosperity on any farm.—Glacier.

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FIRE AT IONE.

On Sunday night Pearl Jones' residence and store-building at Jordan siding, three miles this side of Ione was destroyed by fire. The furniture owned by Mr. Jones and the stock of the Jordan Mercantile Co. was entirely burned.

Nearly all the sheep men will have plenty of hay left over this winter, says the Grant County News. Those engaged in this industry have grown wise during the past several years, and consequently the loss of stock has been reduced to a minimum.

The warehousemen are loading several cars of wheat which will about empty the houses and complete the largest shipment of any previous year, says the Post. Ione has shipped 325,000 bushels, Jordan 50,000, and Lexington, 130,000, making a total of 505,000 bushels.

Over a half million bushels is not a bad showing for Ione and the two adjoining counties, besides 50,000 bushels in the farmers' hands to be delivered to the warehouses as soon as the roads will permit.

Farmers and stockmen, as well as business men, should write their letters on printed letter-heads and have their cards on their envelopes. It was once thought that no one could do this unless he was engaged in the production of some specialty or breeding some pure-blood farm stock. No one believes that now. The cost is trifling. Call at the Gazette office and see samples.

"The Anecdotal Side of Theodore Roosevelt" gives sharp clear views of the strenuous life of our many-sided vice-president in the March Ladies' Home Journal. These anecdotes reveal the characteristics of his remarkable personality, and are freshly told by his closest friends.

Edward Bok writes on topics of wide-spread interest, and Helen Watterson Moody discusses "Girls Who 'Go In' for Something."

Music lovers will be delighted with the musical setting of Eugene Field's "Armenian Lullaby," and all women with the showing of feminine fashions, apropos of Easter.

The Christian Endeavor Society gave a social last Thursday evening at the home of Prof. Reid. There were a large number of young people present and the evening was pleasantly passed with singing and games. Dainty refreshments were served.

Regular meeting was held on Monday evening. Mayor Gilliam presiding. An ordinance was passed authorizing the council to borrow \$3000 for the purpose of refunding the city's indebtedness.

The Misses Morrow and Redington will have their spring opening of dolls' millinery on Saturday, March 23, at the residence of Miss Morrow. All young girls are invited to call and inspect our line French hats.

I have for sale some fine milch cows, cavalry horses, work horses, driving teams and mules. On hand at all times. Call on me at my stock farm 10 miles north from Heppner, or address me at Heppner, Ogn.

A reward of \$100 will be paid for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons stealing horses branded E. D. or S— on left side. T. J. MATLOCK, J. M. KEENEY.

The county court of Umatilla county has authorized the clerk to transfer by quit claim deed in the name of the county all lands that have been bid in for taxes, to any person desiring to purchase. The price must include the cost price as bid by the county and accruing interests. The lands involved in the order represent \$10,000 taxes. The sales will take place after April 1.

When Morrow county becomes better known, many sturdy stockraisers and industrious farmers will come here and buy lands and double their value and double the population.

Two 1/2 sections of fine farming land 1 1/2 miles south of Weston have just changed owners, at a price which shows that good land in this locality commands a good figure. It was sold by W. H. Stamper to Henry Waddingham and Frank Greer for \$13,500, says the Leader. It has not been many years since that same land was selling as low as the low prices now asked for Morrow county lands.

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ESTRAYS.

The new estray law provides that anyone who takes up animals except according to law shall be fined from \$10 to \$100, or be imprisoned in the county jail not more than 6 months; and such person shall be liable to the owner of such estray so taken up, kept or used, in double the value of such estray.

Any householder about whose premises any estray may be in the habit of running at large may take up the animal, and shall immediately post notices in three public places in the county, one of which shall be in the precinct in which the estray was taken up, giving the description as nearly correct as possible. No estrays shall be taken up from May 1 to Dec. 1, except brachy or vicious animals, which may be taken up in any month.

An indispensable aid to anyone interested in art is the Art Amateur, the old reliable magazine published in New York. It is a periodical of rare beauty, and every issue is an education in itself.

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New Photograph Gallery. Dr. M. T. Miller, artist-photographer, has opened a new and first-class gallery on Main street, Heppner, two doors north of opera house. Enlarging Done to Order.



THE BAIN WAGON Is one that everybody knows. It is one of the best on earth. Gilliam & Bisbee. Have just received one of the largest stocks of Bain Wagons ever brought to Heppner. Prices are Right.

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