

At the Gourthouse

The county clerk's office is still a busy place with an extra force of clerks.

Following marriage licenses were issued Tuesday:

Milton B. Metzler and Julia Rose Hart, G. W. Phelps, witness.

Matthew C. Smith and Letha E. Devin, Frank Brown, witness.

The regular meeting of the county court opens on Monday, the 5th inst.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. O. Mags to Jessie Brackett, lot in Lane. \$200.

Egbert L. Young to D. E. Gilman, 100 acres sec 7, 8, 13 s r 25 e. \$600.

C. W. Drew to Egbert L. Young, 480 acres s 30 t 3 s r 25 e. \$4300.

J. W. Baymar to Egbert L. Young, 100 acres, sec 30, t 3 s r 25 e. \$1200.

Frank E. Everson to J. L. Kincaid, 100 acres, sec 15, 22, t 2 s r 23 e. \$600.

Mary Earnst and husband to William T. Campbell, 80 acres, sec 23, t 2 s r 25 e. \$700.

M. C. L. & T. Co. to L. A. Williams, lot 2 blk 19, Mt. Vernon add. to Heppner. \$75.

O. E. Farnsworth and wife to James Pearson, 100 acres, sec. 5 t 3 s r 26 e. \$600.

A. J. Black and wife to T. J. Davidson and L. P. Davidson, 100 acres, sec. 30 t 3 s - 22 e. \$500.

W. H. Smith et al to Ellen A. McArthur, 100 acres, sec 35, t 6 s r 25 e. \$400.

Mary I. Marfield to Mrs. M. C. Cochran, 100 acres, sec 7 t 2 s r. 23 e. \$700.

Anna Drake to Eugene Corley, 100 acres, sec 22, t 3 s, r 20 e. \$350.

Jessie Davis and husband to Elizabeth J. Corbin 145 acres, sec 1 t 1 s r 24 e. \$750.

Elizabeth J. Corbin and husband to W. H. and H. A. Moore, 145 acres, sec 1 t 1 s r 24 e. \$975.

Annie B. Chapin and husband to James H. Wyland, 120 acres, sec 30, t 4 s r 24 e. \$300.

D. E. Campbell and wife to W. L. Smith, 320 acres. \$950.

C. A. Rhea and wife to Emma Cummings, land in Morrow county. \$600.

Chas. D. Ashbough and wife to Chas. R. Pater, 320 acres, sec 3 t 4 s r 24 e. \$2750.

Chas. P. Barrett to W. B. McAlister. Parcel of land in Lexington. \$60.

Thomas A. Rhea et al to Mrs. E. J. McAlister, lot 3, blk 15, Lexington. \$30.

Chas. R. McAlister to W. B. McAlister, lots 7, 8, blk 18, Lexington. \$900.

Jane Penland to W. B. McAlister. Parcel of land in Lexington. \$45.

Hermann Will Resign.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Binger Hermann has finally been forced out of the general land office. At a recent conference with Secretary Hitchcock, it was strongly intimated to the commissioner that his resignation would be acceptable, and Hermann has decided to comply with the wish of his superior and resign, to take effect February 1, when he will probably be succeeded by his assistant, William A. Richards, of Wyoming. The resignation has not yet been tendered, but will be forthcoming in a short time.

This is the culmination of a long and persistent fight made on Hermann by the Secretary for the past two years. There has always been a tension between the two officials, which, on several occasions, threatened to force Hermann out of office, but up to now without result.

A Remarkable Case.

The GAZETTE has made special arrangements with the Young People's Weekly, published in Chicago, to furnish the interesting and valuable paper with the GAZETTE, both papers for \$1.00. The Young People's Weekly is one of the leading story papers of America with 16 pages, nicely illustrated every week. It is always interesting to the young people.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

In Germany savings bank officials visit workmen's homes on pay day to collect their savings for banking.

The largest deal for cutover lands in the northwest was recently made by James L. Gates, of Milwaukee. He has purchased 10,000 acres.

The word tinsel once meant brilliant, shining. Milton uses it in this sense when he speaks of "the tinsel-slipped feet of Thetis."

When free from ice the Yukon river is navigable for large steamers 1,365 miles, a distance more than twice as great as that from Chicago to New Orleans.

One thousand pounds of dough for bread can be rolled out and prepared by machinery in three hours 54 minutes. By hand the same work would take 54 hours' labor.

The rose is the emblem of secrecy in Greece, and was formerly hung over the table where guests were entertained in token that nothing heard there was to be repeated.

The number of milk cows in Kansas is approximately the same as of horses, being a little over 800,000, and their value a year ago 1500 spring was estimated at over \$25,000,000.

At Lord Rothschild's beautiful house in Piccadilly, at his country seat at Tring and in all the other Rothschild residences, either in England or on the continent, there is always in a conspicuous place, often among the cornices, a piece of stone or marble left in a rough and unfinished state, which invariably catches the eye, so strongly does it contrast with its surroundings. This is in obedience to the rule among orthodox Jews that they should have no permanent abiding place until they return to the Holy Land, and this bit of unfinished stone is a token that the building is temporary and incomplete.

Finds Way to Live Long.

The startling announcement of a discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by editor O. H. Downey, of Churubasco, Ind. "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for Coughs, Colds and Grip. It's invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine no one need dread Pneumonia or Consumption. Its relief is instant and cure certain." The Slocum Drug Co. guarantee every 50¢ and \$1.00 bottle, and give trial bottles free.

Three prisoners escaped from the Portland city jail Christmas morning.

Nearly all of the large sawmills of the Sound gave their employees a four-day holiday this week.

New Century Comfort.

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Bruises; conquers Ulcers, and Fever Sores; cures Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Boils and Felons; removes Corns and Warts. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25¢ at Slocum Drug Co.

The excessive rains of the past two weeks have retarded the construction of the Lyle-Goldendale road. The wagon roads over which supplies must be hauled are almost impassable.

Thirty people were mangled by a gas line explosion in a pool room in Hot Springs, Ark., Wednesday. A driver of a gasoline wagon was filling a tank in the cellar under the room when it exploded.

A Cure For Lumbago.

W. C. Williamson, of Amherst, Va., says: "For more than a year I suffered from lumbago. I finally tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me entire relief, which all other remedies had failed to do." Sold by Slocum Drug Co.

John Madsen fell into the bay at Edmonds, Wash., Thursday and was drowned. The body has not been recovered.

A 10-year-old son of a preacher in Lincoln, Neb., shot himself Wednesday. He told the doctors before dying that he had bought Christmas presents, had a good time and wanted to die.

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Clergy Half Fare Permits For 1903.

The issuance of the customary form of O. R. & N. individual half fare permits will be discontinued with the close of the year 1902, and for 1903, Joint Clergy Certificates issued by the Trans-Continental Passenger Association will be honored on our line. These permits will be good in the combined territories of the Western, South-Western, and Trans-Continental Associations, embracing practically the territory west of Chicago and St. Louis. A charge of \$1.00 is made by the Trans-Continental Association to cover the expense of issuing these permits. A. L. CRAIG, General Passenger Agent.

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Table with columns: Daily DEPARTS, TIME SCHEDULES HEPPNER, OR., Daily ARRIVES. Rows for 8:15 a. m., 8:15 p. m., 8:15 a. m., 8:15 p. m.

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Eugene Field's Field's Views on Ambition and Dyspepsia. "Dyspepsia," wrote Eugene Field, "often incapacitates a man for endeavor and sometimes extinguishes the fire of ambition." Though great despite his complaint Field suffered from indigestion all his life. A weak, tired stomach can't digest your food. It needs rest. You can only rest it by the use of a preparation like Kodol, which relieves it of work by digesting your food. Rest soon restores it to its normal tone. Strengthening, Satisfying, Invigorating. Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The \$1. bottle contains 2 1/2 times the 50c. size.

Flat Irons wear out. So do Kingsbury Hats. But it takes a long time to ask your merchant. Kingsbury Hats. Ask your merchant.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LAND OFFICE at La Grande, Ore., Nov. 21, 1902. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Yamhill County, at Pendleton, Oregon, on Jan. 14, 1903, viz: B. E. No 1035, JOHN WILEY FRANKLIN, of Pendleton, Ore., for the 1/2 sec 24, and 1/2 sec 22, tp 2 s, r 29 E. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Armand B. Chapman, of Pendleton, Oregon, Frank W. Chapman, Lee Blevins and John Green, all of Visson, Oregon. 15-20 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878 NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, Oregon, Oct. 14, 1902. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

George A. Stevenson, of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 181, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 sec 14, tp 1 s, r 28 E. W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1903. He names as witnesses: John N. Beeler, Norman A. Kelly, Walter Crosby and Andrew J. Clem, all of Heppner, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of January, 1903. 9-18 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, Oregon, Oct. 8, 1902. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

Martin D. Hayman, of Heppner, County of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 182, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 sec 14, tp 4 s, r 28 E. W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at Heppner, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1903. He names as witnesses: George A. Stevenson, Andrew J. Stevenson, Arthur P. Florence and Lewis P. Florence, all of Heppner, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of January, 1903. 9-18 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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BUNEA V. RYERSON, of Palouse City, county of Whitman, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 183, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 sec 1, and east 1/2 sec 2 of section 2 in township 5 s, range 27 e. W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Saturday, the 25th day of Jan. 1903. She names as witnesses: John Zwilling, of Heppner, Oregon; Otis A. Turbow, Charles W. Sanderson and Elmer E. Klotz, all of Palouse City, Washington. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 25th day of Jan. 1903. 13-22 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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