

The Heppner Gazette.

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Clyde Brock returned Saturday from the seaside.

M. S. Corrigan, the Butter creek stockman, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Mollie Johnson was on outgoing passenger on Tuesday's train.

Mrs. H. M. Bryant and daughter, Miss Myrtle, left Tuesday for Salem.

Prof J. L. Swayne, who is teaching at Eight Mile, was in the city Friday.

Thos. Driscoll informs the GAZETTE that he has sold all of his alfalfa in the stack at \$10 per ton.

Mrs. Phil Cohn has returned from Boise, Idaho, where she has been visiting during the summer.

Mrs. J. L. Ayers and daughters, Misses Mabel and Ella, have returned from a visit to their Grant county stock ranch.

O. P. Hendricson, of Colfax, Wash., has accepted a position with Gilliam & Bisbee. Mr. Hendricson's family will come later.

Miss May Bailey tendered her resignation in the public schools in Heppner and left Tuesday morning for Bakersfield, Calif.

Mrs. W. W. Smead is visiting in Pueblo, Colo. From Pueblo she will go to Marshal, Mo., where she will visit some time with relatives.

Postmaster W. W. Smead announces that for the accommodation of the public, the postoffice will be kept open from 10 to 11 o'clock on Sunday mornings, until further notice.

Pat McDaid, of Ella, was in the city Friday. Mr. McDaid is a sheepman of the Sand country. He says that owing to the dry season, winter range will be short in the Sand country.

A resident of Colfax, Wash., who is now in this city states that the three little girls of Colfax, who went out and earned \$11 which was sent to the flood sufferers, have the letter framed and in their home which was sent to them by Mayor Gilliam. The touching letter sent them by the mayor, they hold as a treasure.

By the consummation this week of a land deal in which 7000 acres of land were transferred by Elrod & Moore to J. A. Woolery the latter becomes the largest individual land holder in Morrow county, he now owning 16000 acres, and the second largest taxpayer, Henry Heppner being the largest.—Ione Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Swaggart returned Friday from a visit to McDuffy's springs. Mr. Swaggart speaks very highly of this popular resort as well as the management. These springs are only 50 miles from Heppner, but the bad roads in the mountains is the cause of keeping many people away. Mr. Swaggart came back by what is known as the short route by crossing the north fork of the John Day river at Potamus creek. He says it would not take a great amount of work to put this road in condition so the people along this road could get to Heppner. These people now go to Pendleton, when Heppner is much nearer.

Jake Wells returned from Portland, Saturday.

Bert Bryant left on Tuesday's train for Salem.

Miss Maude Mills has returned from a visit to Forest Grove.

Patterson & Son are enlarging their store building to make more room.

Miss M. Helen Jones returned Tuesday from her home at Hillside, Wis.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Al Roberts came up from Portland, Monday evening.

Miss Grace Tillard, who spent her summer vacation in Alaska, returned to Heppner Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred McCarter and daughter, Ruth, returned Tuesday after a two month's visit at Milton, Ore.

M. D. Clark went to Portland yesterday morning. He will stay several days and take a vacation at the seaside.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson left Tuesday morning for Portland. They intend to locate in Southern Oregon.

Closing services for the conference year at the M. E. church, South, Sunday, Sept. 6th. A cordial invitation is extended to all. F. C. Adkins.

Rev. J. W. Mount and family have returned from their summer vacation. Regular services will be held at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.

Ruth Chapter No. 320 E. S. will meet at Masonic hall Friday, Sept. 11, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be in attendance. By order Worthy Matron. H. Cohn, Secretary.

Thos. Driscoll who lives on the Wm. Gilliam place on Rhea creek, has made good returns for his summer's work in furnishing Heppner with garden vegetables. He now has 5000 cabbage plants coming on which will be ready to deliver in the Fall.

Fred Andrews one of the many cattle feeders from the Butter creek country, who is spending a few days in the city, reports that there is still some hay that can be bought both on the creek and in the meadows. He himself has 250 tons that he would sell and his neighbor, Ben McCullough has about 200 tons. Both want about \$8 per ton, however, he made it prohibitive. On the creek the Brownells have about 200 tons they would probably sell for \$6 per ton if it has not been bought since Mr. Andrews has been in town. Also Robert Templeton has about 70 or 80 tons to spare.—Pendleton Tribune.

The mail schedule between Heppner and Canyon City was changed a few days ago so that no mail comes to Long Creek on Monday from either way. The Saturday mail for Long Creek and other offices along the route comes to Monument on Sunday and there, within 20 miles of its destination, lays over for 24 hours. The people all along the line from Monument to Canyon City are complaining about this arrangement and the attention of the post office department at Washington will probably be called to this defect in our mail service, and arrangements made if possible to have the mail come on through.—Long Creek Light.

J. A. Hughes drove, or undertook to drive, down Main street Tuesday with a load of Heppner coal, but his wagon was surrounded by an eager crowd and the excitement grew so intense that one would have thought that a real coal mine had been discovered in the street. But with a coal mine right at home, the people of this barren region have double cause for rejoicing. This load of coal is a small sample of what is going on at the mine every day. Several of the farmers as well as the people of Ione have announced their intention of going to Heppner for their winter supply of fuel. E. G. Sperry started two teams to the mine this morning for coal.—Ione Post.

BORN.

EVANS—August 27, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Evans, of Blackhorse, a boy, weight 11 pounds.

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by dyspepsia now, but it will be if neglected.

The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which strengthens the whole digestive system

Dan Stalter left yesterday for the Mayflower mines.

New wheat is being hauled to the Heppner ware houses.

All Saints Episcopal Mission, 13th Sunday after Trinity. Services will be held next Sunday in the Odd Fellows hall. Morning service 11 a. m. with celebration of Holy Communion. Evening service with sermon, 8 p. m.

Attention is called to the notice of Sheriff Shutt in relation to payment of 1902 taxes. This is something that should be attended to immediately in order to save costs.

James Doherty received a bad fracture of the collar bone last Sunday evening. While riding on horseback out at Wells Springs, his horse fell and he was thrown violently with the result as above stated.

The buildings of the American Hare, Coldstorage and Packing Co., have been completed at Echo, and the plant will be operated as soon as the machinery arrives, which will be in a few days. The first work of canning will be on Butter creek fruits. Putting up the jack rabbits will be commenced about October 1. Harry Rogers, one of the directors of the cannery has a contract to furnish 10,000 rabbits alive at \$1 per dozen. The principal market for the canned jacks will be in Germany, where the German government will take all that can be supplied for use in the army.

Overstocked With Cattle.

Jesse Moore, of Butter Creek, talking to the East Oregonian says there are about 2,500 head of cattle on Butter creek this fall that will have to be fed through the winter. The grass on the range is all eaten up, and the cattle are thin to start with. The country is overstocked with cattle throughout the county. In the John Day country the stockmen are offering their cows and calves for \$20, which is the cheapest price that has held in the last 15 years.

The cattle have come out of the mountains from the summer range, poor and thin, and in no condition for the winter, and in part of the county the men have no feed to give their stock during the winter time. The country is overstocked all around, and the men will have a hard time to keep their property, without a loss through the winter and until the grass of the springtime comes.

The range is shorter this year than it has ever before been in the history of the county, and the time when the men who are in the stock business will have to quit holding so many head for the winter is fast coming. In the Butter creek country there is always enough hay to keep the cattle of that section, but it is coming to that pass that there is not enough range to keep the cattle in good condition during the summer.

Salem State Fair.

The O. R. & N. will make a round trip rate of \$10.00 for this occasion. Selling dates Sept. 11th, 14th and 17th.

Tickets sold 11th expire 16th; tickets sold 14th expire 19; tickets sold 17th expire 22nd.

J. B. HUDDLESTON.

To Taxpayers.

Please remember that Monday, Oct. 7, 1903, will be the last day on which the last half of your 1902 taxes can be paid without penalty and interest. All taxes not paid by that time will be collected by levy and sale of property. Better hurry. E. M. SHUTT.

54-55 Sheriff of Morrow County.

BUSINESS LOCALS

and want ads of all descriptions will hereafter be published in a column by themselves.

Rates for Local Ads.

Ten cents a line for first insertion and 5 cents a line for each subsequent insertion. All notices set in brevity type.

Groceries.

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Howard's grocery store is a very popular place for the purchase of supplies for farmers and outfits for outing in the way of extra fine groceries. Almost everything imaginable kept in stock. It's handy where you can get anything you want.

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I have some stock sheep to lease to responsible parties. W. D. LORD. 42-4f

WANTED.

People to build houses to rent, where the Eastern Oregon State Normal School is located. Can make 20 per cent interest on investment. City gives free water for ten years, which means a donation of \$150. In the rain belt where crops never fail. Vacant lots for sale \$50 to \$150. Improved farms for sale reasonable. A heavy electric power plant to be established soon. For information write to Weston Improvement Association, Weston, Oregon.

In a collision at Durand, Mich., between two sections of Wallace Bros.' circus train, 10 employees were killed, none of whom were identified.

The war department has rejected all the bids received for the construction of barracks at Fort Stevens, and will advertise for new bids.

The Trans-Missouri Congress, in session in Seattle, passed strong resolutions favoring the Lewis and Clark Fair, Thursday.

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