

The Heppner Gazette

THURSDAY.....March 17, 1904

The Week's News

Local and Personal Happenings in and About the City.

Frank Borg went to Portland, Saturday.

Attorney F. H. Robinson, of Ione, was in the city Tuesday.

Geo. Bleakman, of Hardman was a Heppner visitor Saturday.

Chas. Johnson, of Ione, was a Heppner visitor Thursday.

W. L. Campbell started this morning for Hartsville, Mo.

Willard Blake came up from Ione, Tuesday evening.

James Keeney, of Shaniko, visited friends here this week.

Attorney S. A. D. Gurley, died at his home in Arlington, Tuesday.

Mr. D. O. Justus and son Nelson returned from Portland Wednesday.

Dan Stalter was an incoming passenger from Pendleton Tuesday evening.

Rev. J. W. Mount was in Arlington, Sunday where he assisted in services.

Geo. Conser, C. E. Redfield and W. B. Hancock went to Portland, Friday.

Christian Weinschenck came up from Hood River this week to visit his cousin C. S. Lowe.

Geo. L. Horsman, a prominent stock man of Ukiah, was in the city the fore part of the week.

Catholic church services will be held at the Catholic church, Heppner, on Sunday, March 27th.

Mrs. Benj. Patterson will serve tea Friday, March 25th, from 3 to 9 p. m. Good music both afternoon and evening.

There will be no preaching service in the Baptist church next Sunday, Rev. J. W. Mount preaching in Ione on that day.

The Wade herd of thoroughbred cattle, consisting of 105 head, was sold at auction at Pendleton, last Saturday. The herd brought \$16,525.

Minor & Co. this week purchased the grocery and merchandise stock of the T. R. Howard estate. The stock will be moved to Minor & Co.'s big store.

Sheriff E. M. Shutt accompanied by E. J. Slocum took the three Italians, who were convicted of holding up R. Hordon, to the penitentiary Saturday.

W. O. Minor informs the GAZETTE that he has sold since the first of last September, 61 head of registered Shorthorns, averaging about \$170 per head.

Harry Jones who has been in Los Angeles, Calif., for the winter for the benefit of his health returned Saturday evening. Mr. Jones is much improved in health.

E. P. H. Eskelsen, of Lexington, was a visitor at the Gazette office Saturday. Mr. Eskelsen informs us that there was never a better prospect for good crops than this year.

Heppner Camp and Maple Circle, W. O. W., gave a very pleasant joint social at K. of P. hall, Friday evening. There was a short musical and literary program which was highly enjoyed by the large number present. Ice cream, cake, and coffee was served after the program, the affair being very enjoyable.

C. S. Kirk, county stock inspector, will start on his tour of inspection in a short time. Mr. Kirk expects to make the sand country in the northern portion of the county first, and will commence inspecting sheep at lambing time which begins about the 20th of this month. Mr. Kirk informs the GAZETTE that there are near 250,000 head of sheep in Morrow county, and they are in good condition, especially from the standpoint of disease. There are only two bands in the county now that have the scab, which is certainly a good showing.

A party consisting of James Keeney, Mrs. Geo. Conser, Mrs. Campbell, and Misses Elizabeth and Nora Matlock,

while driving along the road leading up Balm Fork, met with a mishap Friday that was certainly an unpleasant experience. In driving over a portion of the road that had been overflowed by the creek, the team mired down and in floundering around in the mud the horses fell down causing a mix up. By the aid of a passerby the ladies were helped out and the horses and vehicle were finally pulled out, all of the participants being well covered with mud.

E. Stewart, of Dayville, was in Canyon City, Monday, on business, says the Blue Mountain Eagle. He recently returned from a trip to Shaniko where he drove two car loads of beef cattle, from which place they were shipped to Portland. These cattle were some that were not fat enough to turn off for beef last fall, so he put them up and fed them alfalfa hay during the winter. While the band averaged him about \$60 per head, they did not net him as much as one would suppose. He fed them continuously since last fall, and the high price hay was held at during the winter, renders the transaction not the most profitable.

Real Estate Transfers

Following are the real estate transactions as recorded at the court house for the month of March:

James P. Land and wife to Charles Allinger, 80 acres, \$400.

J. K. Conner to J. A. Woolery, 160 acres, \$1000.

J. J. McGee to J. A. Woolery, 80 acres, \$1200.

J. H. Ritchie and wife to J. Woolery, 80 acres, \$800.

Dennis Spillane to United States, land in Morrow county, \$1.

D. A. Herren and wife to Frank Natter, parcel of land in Heppner, \$400.

Josephine Johnson and heirs to Lillian Adams Aiken, parcel of land in Heppner, \$50.

T. S. Mahoney and wife to Margaret Low, 320 acres, \$3525.

Egbert L. Young to Pearl J. Smith, 640 acres, \$3450.

F. G. Sperry and wife to Sylvie J. Stratton, parcel of land, \$175.

William D. Ingram and wife to May S. Bailey, 160 acres, \$700.

George W. Maxwell to Anna M. Parker, 800 acres, \$6000.

James Nunamaker and wife to Silas Wright, parcel of land in Morrow county, \$148.

D. O. Justus to Margaret Justus, land in Morrow county, \$1.

Michael Bauner and wife to Edward McDaid, 160 acres, \$800.

James D. McCarthy to Edward McDaid, 160 acres, \$1120.

Geo. Conser and wife to Robert M. Hart, 200 acres, \$4000.

BROUGHT TOP PRICE.

W. O. Minor's Cattle Sold Well at Spokane Sales.

W. O. Minor, the well known breeder of Shorthorn cattle has returned from Spokane and Pendleton where he has been attending the fine stock sales.

Mr. Minor took seven head from his herd. The animals were put up at Spokane where all were disposed of bringing the highest price of anything offered. The other animals offered averaged \$141 per head, while Mr. Minor's averaged \$181 per head, being \$40 per head above the average of the other Shorthorns sold. He not only received the highest average, but also received the highest price for an individual, Chief's Bell bringing \$425.

The Walla Walla sale was declared off on account of a skin disease that appeared among some of the animals offered for sale.

Mr. Minor states that he made many new friends for his cattle on this trip, and that the Pacific Coast breeders were generally well pleased with the results of the sale.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE--

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county judge, subject to the will of the Republican convention, Saturday, March 19th.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES

Passed off Quietly in Morrow County Saturday.

The Republican primaries were held in the different precincts of Morrow county Saturday. Everything passed off quietly, and every precinct will be represented by a full quota of delegates. Following is the result of the election by precincts:

HEPPNER

A. Osmin, C. E. Woodson, A. Rood, Fred Warnock, Jas. Cowins, D. A. Herren, Rob't Watkins.

GENTRY

Milt Morgan, J. W. Rector, W. B. Barrett, A. Andrews.

MATTESON

W. H. Herren, J. C. Kirk, Frank Natter, W. E. Hiatt, A. J. Hicks, A. M. Markham, Phil Metschan.

MT. VERNON

W. L. Campbell, I. N. Prater, Frank Farnsworth, Marion Evans, D. O. Justus, J. A. Thompson.

NORTH IONE

J. A. Williams, Paul Reitman, E. T. Perkins, Rob't Willmot.

DAIRY

E. S. Cox, R. H. Stillwell, C. S. Emery, Frank Ward, M. A. Butis, Geo. Bleakman.

LENA

Paul Hisler, Geo. McKnight, Mike Kenny.

EIGHT MILE

J. W. Beckett, W. W. Brandon, G. D. Coats.

DRY FORK

T. W. Morgan, J. A. Hopper, Nels Johnson.

CECIL

W. F. Palmateer, Alfred Troedson, Frank Dillingham.

ALPINE

Frank Kilkenny, Frank McCabe.

LEXINGTON

G. W. Turner, W. F. McMillan, Geo. McMillan, Dan Doherty.

WELLS SPRINGS

Ed McDaid, J. D. McCarthy.

PINE CITY

Isac Howard, J. H. Barker.

IRRIGON

Adson Bennett.

TO IRRIGATE ALFALFA LANDS.

Water Will be Taken From John Day.

J. J. McGee, the Surveyor, who has been in the John Day country the past six weeks, has returned to this city. Mr. McGee has been engaged in surveying irrigating ditches for private parties between Monument and Spray. The water to be used for irrigating purposes will be taken from the North Fork of the John Day river, and most of it will come from below the lower Junction. This will greatly increase the value of lands that can be irrigated and will add to the hay supply of this district, as the bottoms will be sown to alfalfa, and, as the soil is very rich, will produce immense crops with the application of water. Heretofore the advisability of taking water from the North fork has been questioned, and the proposition was thought not to be practical, but Mr. McGee states that after making the proper surveys the scheme is entirely feasible, and water can be obtained at no great cost.

Frank Templeton, Thos. Huelet and others are taking the lead in this matter and expect to dig the necessary ditches to irrigate their alfalfa fields.

Mr. McGee also states that the stock industry in this section of Grant county is flourishing and stockmen generally are in good spirits, stock having wintered with very light losses. Owing to the fact that there were large holdings, there will be a lot of good stock for sale in this district when spring grass gets good.

MARRIED.

THOMPSON-EDWARDS—At the residence of the bride's parents near this city, Sunday, March 13, 1904, Mr. Richard Thompson and Miss Bessie Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are popular young people. Mr. Thompson is foreman of the Heppner Times. They will make their home in Heppner.

The Fair

THE PLACE TO SAVE MONEY

The Only Clothing Store

is now showing a full
LINE OF NEW SPRING SUITS

New Styles and Patterns.
New Ideas in Colors and Designs.
New Shapes and Cuts.
New Goods and Prices.



The Leading Color is Gray with Small Lines and Figures.
The Most Popular Cut is the Half Round Sack Coat.

A FEW ITEMS OUT OF THE MANY

High grade Fancy Worst'ed Suits.....\$15.00 to \$20.00
\$15.00 Fancy Worst'ed and Tweed Suits for..... 12.50
12.50 Fancy Worst'ed, black and colors, for..... 10.00
12.50 All Wool diagonal black and grey, for..... 10.00
10.00 All Wool Serge, blue and black, for..... 8.50
9.00 Grey Pro'vo Cloth, plain, for..... 6.00

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First class work and fit guaranteed

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W. O. MINOR C. S. LOWE

Heppner Poultry Yards

Breeders of S. C. B. P. Rocks
S. C. Buff Leghorns

From March 1st eggs for setting \$1.25 per 15. Eggs from choice pen \$2.25 per 15.

Single birds or pairs for sale

Roosevelt Club Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Morrow County Roosevelt Club at Roberts' hall, Saturday evening, March 19. A program will be arranged. Come out.

EYES TESTED



Glasses Accurately
Fitted by Graduate Optician

P. O. Borg
Jeweler and Optician.

HEPPNER, ORE.

J. T. MITCHELL DRAYMAN

Having again engaged in the dray and transfer business, I would respectfully solicit a share of the patronage of my old patrons.

Transfer Work and
Heavy Hauling