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HEPPNER, - ORE.

First Anniversary of the Ter- hereafter. rible Heppner Flood.

DAY OBSERVED IN MOURNING

Sad Recollections Recalled in Dec. orating the Graves of the Many Victims.

Memorial services were held here last Tuesday, the 14th of June, in honor and remembrance of the victims of the terrible Heppner flood.

It was a sad day in Heppner. With flags at half mast and every business house closed, everything was dropped and all assisted to help observe in a fitting manner this sad and memorable day, when almost 200 of our citizens, friends, loved ones and relatives were carried away by that cruel torrent of water amid scenes that can only be realized by those who were actual eye wit-

Mayor Frank Gilliam and Banker Geo. Conser, who had charge of the arrangements, and who will be long remembered with Sheriff Shutt, who constituted the relief committee, who all performed their duties and shouldered the great responsibility of this trying ordeal in those terrible times, so well as to command the respect and admiration of the people, were again active in attending to every detail of the gad duty which logically fell upon them." And for the care of the flowers for the decoration of the almost 200 mounds in the silent city, they were ably assisted by Mrs. D. O. Justus and Mrs. M. B. Metzler.

For several days people had been at work in the cemetery is beautifying the ple who had left Heppner to try and forget the awful scenes were back to help with the exercises, while many others of June one year ago left town for the

While the people from the outside manent sluggishness of the market. were so generous in assistance one year ago, they were again generous in sympathy and in the sending of flowers. Monday evening's train brought from sympathizing friends more flowers than were ever before seen in Heppner. From all over the state great boxes were sent. To bring them from the depot a big dray was loaded to its fullest capacity while two large express wagons also had all they could carry.

Morrow county commenced to arrive and they kept coming until noon.

As previously arranged the procession formed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The procession formed on Main street headed by the I.O. O. F., followed by the Rebekahs, K. of P., Elks and citizens on foot and in carriages, and the plus stock can be held this season, the procession more than one half mile in O. R. & N. company will take pleasure length marched slowly to the cemetery. in assisting in carrying over the stock

arranged. The services were short and appropriate. The exercises were opened with a song from a select choir, followed are better than they have been for 11 by prayer by Rev. H. L. Bightol. After another hymn by the choir Rev. J. W. Mount offered the benediction.

flowers which were in readiness were then distributed. In some cases only one was left to decorate the graves of the entire family, while in others the by sympathizing friends.

tear stained faces, the work was quickly | tion.

It is one year since the Heppner flood. Memorial services will be held on the 14th day of June every year

Mrs. Mary K. Brittan, of The Dalles, who will be so kindly remembered by Heppner people for her untiring work while here in the relief of the flood sufferers, was a prominent figure here during the memorial services.

OUTLOOK IS BETTER.

C. J. Millis, livestock agent for the O R. & N., who is in the city attending the wool sales, is hopeful of better prices for both cattle and sheep later in the season, and confidently expects a good movement of stock after they are placed in better condition for market, on the summer ranges, says the East Oregon-

"Beginning at the Missouri river," said Mr. Milhs, "all the great stock producing states of the west are more or less overcrowded with stock. Those in the west being more seriously affected in this way, than the eastern and central states, because of their isolation from the great market centers.

"It happens that the surplus for the past few years has been held on the ranges, which causes only a temporary

"The country is gradually adjusting itself to the condition, and there must be a movement of stock to supply the increasing demand.

"This sluggishness of the market is not a permanent thing. History repeats itself in the sheep and cattle markets as in the political and financial history o

"People decline to ship out their surgraves of loved ones. A number of peo- plus last year and the result is that the ranges are overcrowded and the country filled up with sneep that cannot be handled at a profit by the buyers. The fact feeling not able to have recalled the 14th | that all the country between this coast and the Missouri river has a surplus of sheep just now, does not presage a per-

"As the eastern surplus, nearest the great markets is gradually turned off, the movement will gradually extend to the far west and the surplus, it is hoped, will be marketed later at better prices than are now offered.

"Even then the prices may not be what are considered good prices, but everything points to better prices.

"If the O. R. & N. can assist the stockmen of Oregon in finding ranges where Early in the day people from all over sheer sheep can be held until marketed or until time to return to winter ranges, it will be glad to do so.

"It will offer every inducement in the way of moderate rates, to help relieve the situation here. If the sheepmen know of a summer range available anywhere in the Northwest, where the sur-At the cemetery everything was 'well until such time as the market suits the

Mr. Millis rejoices that wool prices years in Oregon. The active wool prices and the good prices at which the clip is being sold, takes away much of the un-The great amount of beautiful cut easy feeling that would otherwise prevail in the stock situation in Oregon, and in fact, in the entire west.

Speaker Cannon, of the house, graves of whole families were decorated declares that under no possible combination of conditions will be LAST OF CLIPS.

Nearly 200,000 Pounds of Wool Sold at Pendleton.

Practically all the wool clips in Umatilla county have now been disposed of, the last batch having been sold Friday. The sales day was the second and last given under the auspices of the state woolgrowers' association and in the matter of better prices it was more successfal than the first day. The highest bid was made by O. Frankenstein, representing a large Boston house, being 153g cents a pound. Issac Knotts was the sheepman who sold his clip at that figure. The average prices were about 141/2 cents a pound.

The wool sold yesterday amounted to 197,867 pounds and generally was of a better quality than that sold at the first sales day. The wool will be shipped as soon as possible to the East in its present condition, although some of the heaviest will be scoured before it is baled and prepared for shipment.

The woolgrowers are well satisfied with the prices realized for their product and all agree that the sealed bid system used by the association is better, both for the grower and the buyer. Those who disposed of their clips individually failed to receive as good prices as those who waited for the sales days and accordingly they realize the large loss resulting from the old methods.-Pendle-

Many Russians Want Peace.

Paris, June 11.-in the highest Russophile circles here, a most despondent feeling has been caused by the recent news from the seat of war in the Far East. A Russian of very high position. who is in constant touch with both administrative and court circles at St. Petersburg, remarked this evening:

"In spite of the statements to the contrary," he said, "there is a very strong party among Russians of high rank and in the Czar's immediate entourage who are in favor of peace being arranged as soon as Port Arthur falls. This is not as yet the court policy, nor is the idea shared by the Czar, but it prevails among the very influential set which is auxious for the return to power of M. De Witte, who, it will be remembered, was always opposed to the Russian occupation of Manchuria.

Tour of Labor Commissioner

Salem. Or., June 10.-State Labor Commissioner O. P. Hoff will start next Monday on a visit to those counties in Oregon which he has not yet visited for the purpose of collecting statistics. He will go to Wasco, Sherman, Wheeler, Morrow, Umatilla, Union, Baker, Grant, Harney, Lake, Klamath, Josephine, Jackson, Coos, Curry and Tillamook Counties on this trip and expects to be gone about six weeks. He will make a personal visit this year because he can in that way get a better understanding of the industries of the different counties and formulate a more satisfactory system for gathering statistics.

Hereafter it will be necessary only to secure reports from local men who will furnish information asked for.

Harvey B. Densmore, of the class of '03 of the State University of Oregon, has won the Rhodes scholarship at Oxford. He is 22 years of age and entered the preparatory department of the university seven With tender hands, heavy hearts and accept a vice-presidential nomina- years ago. He was the only Eugene boy taking the examination,

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