

The Week's News

Local and Personal Happenings
in and About the City.

McKanness

The great McKanness, opera house tonight.

There are people who represent little more than the contemplation of an absurdity.

An undertaker is a partner in business with every man who receives his final reward.

Of course the pedestrian should have no rights that the automobile friend is bound to respect.

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

When will the stage hero learn that sane men don't propose marriage after the fashion of a tiger snapping at a piece of meat?

Of course, says the optimist, wars, droughts, pestilences and famines are nice things to have, because everything is ordered for the best.

McKanness, the music wonder, at the opera house tonight, with full company. McKanness opened the Heppner opera house thirteen years ago.

That some people were created for no other purpose than to fill up space is proved by the fact that they do nothing else; but it's hard on space.

W. W. Stabler, who has been in the city for some time looking after the purchase of sheep, will leave tomorrow for his home at Buffalo, Wyoming, with a train load of three thousand ewes.

All persons who have received jars for putting up fruits for the Morrow county exhibit at the 1905 fair will please return same at once, whether filled or not. T. W. Ayers, County Judge.

Newt. Whetstone, of Heppner, is again in this community looking for more sheep. Sheep buyers have been quite numerous this fall, and practically all the surplus stock have sold at a fairly good price. If we could only say this much for the cattle market.—Mormon Enterprise.

Leo Blackman, born and raised in Morrow county, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blackman, is now attending school in Spokane, Wash., taking a complete course of shorthand, typewriting, penmanship and spelling. Leo is a self-made and bright boy and expects to graduate next April so as to fit himself for a four-year course in a mining school of a first-class university.

The Gazette is in receipt of a letter from J. B. Horner, register of the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis. Prof. Horner says: "I mail enclosed a list of students from your county already in college. It affords me pleasure to say that they are progressing nicely as far as I can learn. We want more of the kind." Following are the students from this county: Cleve Johnson Currier, Ione; John Roy Geach, Lexington; Ralph Infield Thompson and Rebec Earnest Wills, Heppner.

A few days ago a frightful accident befell Norris Morgan on Willow creek, who barely escaped with his life. He was driving a team of horses, one of which was fractious, when one of the tugs became unbitched and the horse plunged and kicked until the hack was upset, one of the wheels of which passed over Morgan's head, breaking both jaws. Mr. Morgan is a son-in-law of C. T. Boynton of this city. The injured man was taken to Ontario and Drs. Prinzing, Payne and Hoople were summoned, who successfully performed the operation of reducing the fractures, and at last accounts the patient was resting easy. While Mr. Morgan was badly injured the doctors are of the opinion that he will get well all right, but that he will be confined to the house for some time.—Malheur Gazette.

The news of both hemispheres—in The Weekly Oregonian.

MILLINERY SPECIALS

\$2.50 Hats 68c

All Hats Reduced

The Fair
THE PLACE TO SAVE MONEY

MEN'S HAT

\$2.00 Values 95c

\$3.00 " \$1.50

Great Sale of Ready to Wear

GARMENTS

OUR great two-weeks' sale was a decided success, more so than ever before experienced, which is saying a great deal. As a result of the sales we have an accumulation of broken sizes and remnants that we will offer at great reductions. We can mention but a few in this limited space. There are many more just as good. READ THESE OVER. Then come and see all the good things.

Ladies' Suits and Coats Reduced

\$16 to \$20 values for

\$12.50

Ladies' Box Coats and Tailor Suits in black and brown, and the popular Mixed Goods, \$16 to \$20 values..... **\$12.50**

\$10 to \$12.50 Suits and Coats **\$7.50**. Splendid values here in plain and mixed colors, worth \$12.50 for..... **\$7.50**

Misses' and Children's Cloaks and Coats 50c to \$7.50

Men's Coats and Vests

and
EXTRA PANTS
at Sale Prices

Men's \$7.50 to \$10
Coats and Vests

\$4.95



Men's \$4.00 Dress Pants..... **2.95**

Men's \$2.50 Dress Pants..... **1.95**

Men's \$1.50 Work Pants..... **.95**

FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.

Terrible Experience of Chas. Powell While Being Crushed.

Chas. Powell, while hauling lumber from the Slocum mill to this city, met with a terrible accident Tuesday. Few men would be alive to relate the awful scene under the circumstances.

Mr. Powell is a resident of Spray, and was freighting lumber to Heppner. With a good team of four horses he put on a load of 2000 feet of green lumber and started for Heppner as usual. Everything went all right until he reached the Beeler grade, a dangerous and steep incline. The heavy load and rough grade was too much for the wagon and at this point a hind wheel broke, going all to pieces. The breaking of the wheel caused such a lurch of the wagon that Mr. Powell was unable to keep his seat. He fell under the front wheel of the heavily loaded wagon. He spoke to the team to stop just as the front wheel went onto his legs. With the hind axle grinding into the gravel as a brake, the horses stopped with the front wheel of a wagon loaded with 2000 feet of green lumber resting on his legs. He was in such a position that if the team started it was certain death from the hind wheel which would pass over his body before he could get away. With death staring him in the face and the excruciating pain of crushed and mangled legs, Chas. Powell, all alone, deliberately took out his watch and looked at the time of day and awaited results as a brave man. For two long hours he retained consciousness and waited under the awful pressure of that lead for help. The faithful team

during this time did not stir. R. W. Beardon was the first man to arrive. Later Al. Florence happened along that way. It was necessary to unload the lumber to extricate the unfortunate man. He was brought to Heppner and is under the care of Dr. Kistner. The bone of the right leg above the knee is literally pulverized. The left leg is mashed in many places to a pulp, but Mr. Powell still retains his great courage and there are hopes for him. Whether it will be necessary to amputate his legs has not yet been determined.

A special meeting of Ruth Chapter No. 32, Eastern Star, was held Monday evening at the Masonic hall in honor of an official visit from Mrs. Ella Houston, of Portland, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter. After the meeting of the lodge there was an elegant banquet. Mrs. Houston is an earnest and tireless worker in the grand principles of the order that she represents and made many friends here. She went from here to visit several interior Chapters before returning to Portland. Her husband, Col. Dave Houston, who is now a conductor on the Southern Pacific, was at one time a resident of Heppner.

Injunction Not Granted.

The suit filed last week to enjoin the county clerk from placing the prohibition question on the election ticket was brought up before Judge Sears, of Portland, at the court house in this city Friday evening. Judge Sears returned to Portland, Saturday morning, and decided the case Monday. The injunction was refused and the clerk was notified by telephone.

Victor Groshins is visiting in Pendleton.

E. S. Cox, of Hardman, was a Heppner visitor yesterday.

Frank Engelman and Thos. Brierly, of Ione, were Heppner visitors, Friday.

A runaway team took a lively spin up Main street. There was more excitement than damage.

Mr. Simpson drove a band of 18 wethers through Heppner, Sunday. The sheep will be taken to the Yakima country, in Washington, where they will be fed.

Heppner lodge No. 69 A. F. and A. M. Special communication Saturday evening, Oct. 29, at Masonic hall. All master Masons requested to attend. By order of W. M.

All Saints Episcopal church, 22nd Sunday after Trinity. No services, Missionary being at Monument. Sunday School, 10 a. m. The next meeting of All Saints Ladies Guild will be held at Mrs. Phelps' house on Thursday, Nov. 3rd, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. James D. Brown was quite seriously hurt last Saturday by being thrown from a carriage which was overturned. Mr. Brown was on his way home with his family and Miss Jakes, and when near D. Cox's place the team became frightened at some sheep that were in the road, ran up onto an embankment and upset the vehicle. All escaped injury but Mrs. Brown who received a fracture of both bones of the right leg below the knee. She was brought to the city for medical treatment.

The editorial page of the Weekly Oregonian gives a broad treatment to a wide range of subjects.

Women of Woodcraft Entertain.

An invitation from Maple Circle No. 259 W. O. W. is always synonymous with a pleasant evening. Those who have found this true in the past were not disappointed on last Tuesday evening but only proved more surely the truth of the axiom.

The Stereopticon views, moving pictures, and music not only furnished a pleasant evening but an instructive and amusing one as well. Some interesting facts concerning Woodcraft were thrown on the canvas, relative to the organization, growth and objects of the order also pictures of the Grand officers of the State and Pacific jurisdiction, views of some of the main offices maintained by the order etc.

Some of the most amusing features were Geo. Conser on roller skates and "Woy Frank Kenton cannot keep a hired girl."

Those who were privileged to attend are unanimous in saying that it was an evening well spent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKee have returned from a seven weeks' visit in the East. Mr. and Mrs. McKee visited the World's Fair at St. Louis and made short stops at Minneapolis, St. Paul, Denver, Salt Lake, Seattle and Portland. They report a very pleasant visit.

On the 8th of November it will be up to the voters to say whether the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be prohibited or not in Malheur county. If you want the same conditions to exist here as in "prohi" states vote for prohibition. If you do not, vote against it. The average voter is well posted on this point and should vote according to his best judgment. Let a full vote be cast.—Malheur Gazette.