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THURSDAY..... June 8, 1905

## Opening of the Portage.

What does the opening of the portage road mean for the inland empire?

It does not mean immediate reduction of freight rates on railroads, but it means an immeasurable triumph for a patient and persistent people.

It means an entering wedge into a one-sided transportation situation that has been the leading issue in this eastern Oregon and Washington and northern Idaho empire for a quarter of a century.

The portage will be a half a loaf, at least, for a people's dire need. Lewiston, lying on the river bank, and having river transportation, will literally leap forward.

Unsettled district tributary to the Snake and Columbia rivers will be planted in wheat and alfalfa, and a commerce not now in existence will be wrung from the arid deserts of the river counties.

The modest exercises carried out at Celilo at the formal opening of the portage, will stand in future history as the beginning of an epoch in the Inland Empire!

Growing out of the portage will gradually come the ship canal and increased railway facilities.

It is really not an end but a beginning of an interstate struggle.

Fearing lest the river should really capture the multiplying traffic, the great railroad systems will build branches, reduce rates and prepare to meet the situation.—East Oregonian.

The president has set aside 1900 acres of land in southeastern Idaho as the Saw Tooth timber reserve. It is unsurveyed, and valueless except for timber.

H. L. Corley, station and express agent at Seligman, Ariz., confesses himself a defaulter and shot himself through the heart.

June 3, two new cases of yellow fever on the Isthmus of Panama were officially reported by Governor Magoon, of the strip.

At Warwick, England, lives Miss Charity Owens. She is 92 years of age and has taught in the Sunday Schools of that place 72 year.

Hoke Smith, secretary of the interior under President Cleveland, and at one time editor of the Atlanta Journal, announces himself as a candidate for governor of Georgia.

It is learned from authoritative Mexican sources that the government is considering reducing or removing the duty on wheat, owing to the prohibitive prices prevailing on flour, the officials alleging the existence of a trust.

Discoveries of relics of the mound builders have been made by N. D. McEvers near Montezuma, on the Illinois river. In a mound 80 feet high he excavated many implements of war, with fully 1250 discs of flint, each about three by four inches in size.

Driving at a mad gallop to a fire, the driver of an engine in New York City suddenly saw a woman and child loom up in front of the racing horses. To one side there was a pillar; the man's brain acted quickly and he turned the team into the obstruction. The engine stopped, one horse was killed, and the driver was thrown far ahead, but the woman and child were saved.

## A CLOSED TOWN.

All Business Houses Ordered Closed in Heppner.

Heppner will be a closed town on Sunday. Everything will shut up tight and solid with the exception of drug stores for the sale of drugs only and bakeries for the sale of bread only.

This action was taken by the city council at the regular meeting last Monday evening. The marshal was instructed to enforce the Sunday closing ordinance which provides for the closing of all business houses with the exceptions as above stated.

## BIG BARGAIN.

Choice Wheat Land Only \$10 Per Acre.

Two hundred and fifty acres of good wheat land only five miles from Lexington with down hill grade all the way to railroad station, seven miles from Heppner, all fenced, only \$10 per acre. This is a bargain that will soon be taken up at this price. Call on or address Wells & Warnock for further description, Heppner, Oregon.

The financial statement of the First National Bank of Heppner published in this issue of the Gazette is a good showing for the prosperity of this county. The fact that a town as small as Heppner with bank deposits close to the \$700,000 mark shows not only a strong banking institution, but also that somebody in Morrow county must have some money.

Tired out, worn out women cannot sleep, eat or work; seems as if she would fly to pieces. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes strong nerves and rich red blood. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—W. P. McMillan, Lexington, Ore.

If you want a pretty face and delightful air, Rosy cheeks and lovely hair, Wedding trip across the sea, Put your faith in Rocky Mountain Tea.—W. P. McMillan, Lexington, Oregon.

## Notice to Milk Consumers.

This is to notify my milk patrons in Heppner that I will deliver no more milk on Sundays.  
JACK MATLOCK.

## HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Day Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A Specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Biliary Troubles, Eczema, Impure Blood, Headache, Rheumatism, Bowels, Headache, etc. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form. Contains no opium, cocaine, or any other harmful ingredients. Made by W. P. McMillan, Lexington, Ore. 35 CENTS PER SALLOW PEOPLE

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We have the best line of Builders Hardware that ever struck the town. If you are going to use anything in this line, call and see our goods and get our prices. They are right. We carry a good line of Farm Wagons, as well as Hacks and Buggies.

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## The Cash Shoe Store

— 798 —

Is the number that gets the Round trip Ticket to the Fair, is it yours?

30 Cases of Shoes, Oxfords and Hose received this week

The latest styles and best values in footwear are to be had here. We have all sizes and widths, we can fit your feet and please you.

The new Tan Oxfords are beauties, see them \$2.25 to \$4.00

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## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, May 24, 1905.

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 Morrow County, Oregon, at Heppner, Oregon, on July 22, 1905, viz: H. E. No. 9115, Charles Klob, of Heppner, Oregon, for the S1/2 SE1/4 and S1/2 SW1/4 Sec 15, Tp 5 S, R 27 E W 3.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Lafayette Penland, Daniel O. Leary, Longhy Stewart, Leander Copple, all of Heppner, Oregon. June 8-13 1905. E. W. DAVIS, Register.

The news of both hemispheres—in The Weekly Oregonian.

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