

The Week's News

Local and Personal Happenings in and About the City.

Hardman will celebrate the Fourth of July.

Geo. Beck, of Cottonwood, was a Heppner visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Warren, of Spray, are visiting in the city.

Semi-Weekly Portland Journal and Heppner Gazette only \$1.75 per year.

Frank Engleman and Jack Lane were up from Ione Monday.

FOR SALE—No. 1 wheat hay, baled. Call on or address J. H. Edwards.

Miss Romeo McKnight was a passenger Friday morning for Ontario.

Wells & Warnock will handle your real estate and charge only the usual commission.

List your lands with Wells & Warnock. We sell only on a straight commission.

Miss Vallijo McAtee, who has been attending Whitman College, came down Tuesday evening for vacation.

The little daughter of E. D. McMillan, of Lexington, received a fracture of the arm Wednesday, from a fall.

Miss Ella Ayers, who has been attending Whitman College, at Walla Walla, returned to this city Tuesday for summer vacation.

Mose Ashbaugh, the rustling Eight-Mile real estate man, this week sold 440 acres of wheat land, belonging to A. M. Markham, to John Tash, of Hardman, for a consideration of \$4400.

Notices are up announcing the annual school meeting to be held at the council chamber on Monday, June 19, for the purpose of electing one director and a clerk.

Alfred Ayers, who returned from Montana Friday where he had been with a trainload of sheep, left Monday morning for Wyoming, where he goes to take another trainload of sheep.

Rev. John Warren, who has been missionary in charge of the All Saints Memorial Episcopal church, in this city, will turn the work over to another pastor and will leave Heppner in a short time. Rev. Warren has made many friends in this city and has been a tireless and earnest worker for his church. Rev. Warren has not yet decided where he will be located.

Among the students who received degrees at the Boston University commencement Thursday was Webster A. Chandler, of Heppner, who graduated with high honors, and one of the most coveted degrees. He received the master of jurisprudence degree cum laude, which was within one of the highest honor grade. Webster A. Chandler is a son of Rev. Chandler, pastor of the M. E. church of this city.

The fifth annual Good Roads Convention will be held in Portland from June 21 to 24. This will be an important meeting and will be of benefit to the state of Oregon if the people take the proper interest. There will be in attendance men from all over the United States who have made a special study of good road construction and from their experience and observation much can be learned by the people of this state. The Object Lesson Road, demonstrating modern construction, and the use of the latest improved road machinery, is in process of construction and will be

completed in time for the convention. The question of road improvement is something of vital importance to everyone. Ninety-five per cent of every load by railroad, steamship or express, must be carted in a wagon or truck over a highway, it costs the farmers of the United States nearly three times more than those of Europe to market an equal tonnage of farm products over primary roads.

Sunday School Rally.

The county Sunday School rally held at Lexington last Thursday was a decided success. The day was an ideal day for an outdoor gathering.

About one hundred people—the majority children—went on the train from Heppner. They were met at the station by quite a large crowd of the Lexington Sunday School workers, with the Lexington band. After a few selections the crowd marched to the grove, where quite a crowd from Ione, Lexington and the surrounding country had already assembled.

The grove had been nicely prepared by the citizens of Lexington. A speaker's stand and seats for the people had been placed on the grounds.

People continued to arrive until a crowd of 350 to 400 had gathered. At 10 o'clock the exercises were opened with music by the band. A splendid program had been prepared by the different schools of the county under the direction of the county president, Rev. J. L. Jones. There were songs, recitations and addresses. At 12 o'clock an adjournment was made for dinner, nearly everybody having brought well filled baskets, and there was an abundance for all.

After an hour and a half of feasting and visiting, the afternoon program was taken up. Rev. H. N. Smith, of Portland conducted a round table for half an hour, then followed more music, recitations and addresses. All parts were well rendered and each deserves special mention, but space forbids. At 4 o'clock the rally adjourned and every one went away feeling that they had enjoyed a most pleasant and profitable day. No doubt the Sunday School interest will be furthered by this rally. We hope that next year may see another equally successful rally.

A Plowing Record.

Joe Woolery wound up his plowing operations at the close of last week and he established a record that will probably stand for some time. Altogether he plowed 1840 acres of wheat land. One of the records is of continuous work. The crew was out 59 days and worked 55 days. This will give the people of the east an idea as to the mildness of our spring weather. Three 3 bottom and one 2 bottom plows did the work and they turned the ground over at a rate of about 33 1-2 acres a day for the entire 55 days. This is fast work in any country.

Another innovation was Mr. Woolery's style of harrowing. Everybody hereabout leaves harrowing till the plowing is all done, but Mr. Woolery harrowed right after the plows and when the plowing was done everybody had finished.—Ione Proclaimer.

Woodson-Rec.

C. E. Woodson, of this city, and Miss Ida B. Roe, of Eugene, were married at the residence of the bride's mother in Eugene, Thursday, June 8.

Mrs. Woodson is a very popular and accomplished young lady of Eugene.

Mr. Woodson is a bright and rising young attorney and has built up a good practice here.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodson have taken up their residence in the Wells property on Chase street.

Call at the Gazette office and learn of our clubbing offer with the Weekly Oregonian.

DIED.

LEACH—At the farm near Lexington, Friday, June 9, 1905, James Leach, aged 58 years and four months.

The funeral was conducted Monday by the Odd Fellows, Rev. F. C. Adkins preaching the funeral sermon. The remains were buried in the Odd Fellow's cemetery at Lexington.

Deceased was a well known and highly respected citizen of Morrow county. He was born in Jefferson, county, Iowa, February 9, 1847.

With his parents in 1852, they crossed the plains to Oregon and settled on a donation claim near Harrisburg.

On February 8, 1866, he was married to Miss Isabella Francis Brown. They came to Eastern Oregon in 1871 and settled near Weston in Umatilla county.

With his family in 1884, Mr. Leach came to Morrow county and located on a farm near Lexington, where he has since resided. His wife died at Lexington, Feb. 7, 1893.

He has two sisters and six brothers living and leaves a family of seven children as follows.

N. A. Leach, Walla Walla; W. E. Leach, Lexington; M. A. Leach, Heppner; Altha Leach, Lexington; Amey Standish, Brownsville, Or.; Johnie Leach, attending school at Corvallis; Ralph Leach, Lexington.

LOWELL AS JUDGE?

Pendleton Man May Possibly Go on Federal Bench.

Washington, June 8.—It developed today that the President is quietly getting information about the candidates for the District Judgeship in Oregon made vacant by the death of Judge Bellinger, so that he can be ready to make an appointment as soon as the land fraud trials are over. With a view to getting information at first hand, he sent Assistant Attorney-General Robb to Oregon some time ago to investigate and report on the ability of all the candidates.

Mr. Robb returned last week and since then has been preparing his report to be submitted to the President through Attorney-General Moody. All information regarding his report is refused at the Department of Justice, but it is said by those who claim to be in a position to know that Mr. Robb has recommended or will recommend S. A. Lowell, of Pendleton, for the appointment.

The President does not expect to make the appointment for some time, and meanwhile will continue his inquiries in other directions in an effort to get a good man for the place.

An Elegant Summer Book.

"Restful Recreation Resorts," the 1905 Summer Book issued by the passenger department of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company contains forty-eight pages and cover. The book is printed on heavy white paper, fifty-eight cuts being used to illustrate the trips up and down the Columbia river, to the mountains, beaches, inland resorts and fountains of healing. The cover is done in three colors, adding materially to the beauty and effectiveness of the publication, which may be had by sending two cents in stamps to A. L. Craig, General Passenger Agent of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, Portland, Ore. It is a good thing to send to your friends in the East who expect to visit the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

No Secret About It.

It is no secret that for Cuts, Burns, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Sore Eyes, Boils, etc., nothing is so effective as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "It didn't take long to cure a bad sore I had, and it is all O. K. for sore eyes," writes D. L. Gregory, of Hope, Tex. 25c at Patterson & Son's drug store.

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20c Ribbons for	-	-	13c
25c Ribbons for	-	-	15c
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Huge Task.

It was a huge task to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease as that of C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, headache, and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver, or stomach. Guaranteed by Patterson & Son, druggists; price 50c."

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late James Leach desires to extend the most heartfelt thanks to all the friends who so kindly assisted during the sickness and death of Mr. Leach and also take this method to thank the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

Don't let the children suffer. If they are fretful, peevish and cross, give them Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. The best baby tonic known. Strength and health follow its use. 35 cents—W. P. McMillan, Lexington, Or.

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