

The Week's News

Local and Personal Happenings in and About the City.

L. Jordan was in the city from Ione Tuesday.

Phil Metechan, Jr., went to Portland, yesterday.

County Assessor Conner returned from Portland Monday.

Geo. Vincent, of Butler creek, was a Heppner visitor, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Farnsworth were in Pendleton this week.

Mrs. M. B. Metzler is visiting relatives and friends in Pendleton.

Dr. Higgs, Eyes, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses properly fitted.

Deputy Sheriff W. O. Hill and S. E. Notson visited Lexington, Tuesday.

Semi-Weekly Portland Journal and Heppner Gazette only \$2.00 per year.

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

Chas Bockler and Miss Bockler, of Monument, were registered at the Palace Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Redfield returned from Condon Friday evening. Mr. Redfield was attending to legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. VanVactor returned from Condon Tuesday evening, where Mr. VanVactor was engaged in legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Farnsworth and daughter, Misses Mary and Emaline, left the city Tuesday, the former to spend a couple of weeks in Portland, while the young ladies will visit friends at Hilgard, Fort Lake and Baker City.

Cards have been mailed announcing Thursday, February 11, as the date of the marriage of Miss Nina Garrigue and Joseph B. Snyder, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Garrigue, at Sellwood, Oregon. Miss Garrigue and Mr. Snyder are both former residents of Heppner.

The Great Eastern Vitagraph company, under the management of the Groesbecks, appeared at Roberts' opera house Monday and Tuesday evenings. The sketches as well as the effect of the moving picture machine were conceded to be the best that ever visited Heppner. An evening with this show can truly be enjoyed in watching the effects of life like scenes as they are thrown on the canvas.

Meetings continue at the Christian church. The Evangelists are having a good hearing every evening; 37 added thus far. Subject tonight, "Songs of the Night." The speaker is by Geo. A. Webb and wife will be a feature. Friday night, "The Dearest Gift of Heaven." Saturday night, "A Glimpse into the Future." Sunday Bible School 10 a. m. Communion 11 a. m. 3 p. m. Meeting for women, only. Subject, "Are All Women Angels?" Every woman in Heppner should hear this lecture. Sunday evening 6 o'clock, Christian Endeavor. 7 o'clock preaching, subject, "The Angel that Blocks the Way." Everybody invited to these services.

The elocutionary entertainment given by Miss Bertha L. Matlock, of La Grande, assisted by Heppner musical talent, under the auspices of the ladies guild of the Episcopal church, at Roberts' opera house, last Friday evening was an event highly pleasing to the large audience in attendance. Miss Matlock is a charming young lady with undoubted elocutionary ability. Her reading shows the mark of careful training in which natural talent brings out pleasing personality and force. She is possessed with a good voice and has that faculty of impressing her hearers with the reality of her subjects in depicting human nature and delineating the conditions that surround her characters. Whether it be pathos or humor, the audience is constantly absorbed in the subject as if real. Oscar Borg's mandolin selections were highly applauded. Will H. Dutton, who was on the program for a vocal solo, acquitted himself with much credit and received a storm of applause. A vocal solo by Mrs. C. O. Hualat was a pleasant feature of the occasion. Mrs. Hualat has an exceptionally good voice. Mrs. M. B. Metzler presided at the piano as accompanist.

The great increase in tax values in the state of Oregon is a good showing and is an encouraging feature in the growth of the state. Some of the counties show an increase of 100 per cent. The total value of taxable property as shown by the assessment rolls of 1905, is \$309,156,685.19, as compared with \$188,058,281.11 in 1904, an increase of \$121,000,000, or nearly 70 per cent.

The news of both hemispheres—in The Weekly Oregonian—Heppner Gazette.

The first part of the year 1906 starts off with unusually bright prospects in Morrow county. The wheat acreage is large, the acreage of winter wheat being fully 25 per cent greater than last year. The winter so far has been very favorable, the mild weather giving the grain a good chance to get well rooted and making a growth so that plants are strong and in proper condition for rapid spring growth. There is every indication now that the coming crop will be a big one. The sheep industry is one of Morrow county's strong pillars and the conditions were never more favorable for the sheep men. Prices are high and sheep are fat with plenty of feed. The indications are certainly for a year of prosperity.

TEACHER'S EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Morrow county, will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at the county court house as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS

Commencing Wednesday, February 14th, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, February 17th, at four o'clock p. m. Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law. Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book keeping, physics, civil government. Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography. Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS

Commencing Wednesday, February 14th, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, February 16th, at four o'clock p. m. First, second and third grade certificates. Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading. Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology. Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.

PRIMARY CERTIFICATES.

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, reading. Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, physiology. Respectfully,
S. I. STRATTON, School Sup't.

INFORMATION CONCERNING EIGHTH GRADE FINAL EXAMINATION.
Dates: Three examinations, annually in each county. County superintendents to select months for their respective counties. February 1, 2, 1906. May 17, 18, 1906. June 14, 15, 1906. September 27, 28, 1906.

Program: Thursdays—Arithmetic, writing, history and civil government. Fridays—Grammar, physiology, geography and spelling.

Sources of questions: Questions in the following subjects will be taken from the following sources:

Geography—State course of study; the course print in Fry's Elements of Geography; map questions in both course and fine print in Fry's Elements of Geography.

Spelling—Eighty per cent from miscellaneous test words in Reed's Word Lessons, and twenty per cent from manuscripts.

Writing—Specimens of penmanship as indicated in copied matter and from manuscripts.

Language—Reed's Graded Lessons in English, no diagramming.

Civil Government—United States Constitution.

History—List of topics from history outline in state course of study and current events.

Respectfully submitted,
J. H. ACKERMAN,
Sup't Public Instruction.

Notice of Sale of Bankrupt Property.

Notice is hereby given that I will offer for sale, at private sale, the stock of liquors, furniture and fixtures of C. D. Matlock and E. L. Matlock, bankrupts, formerly doing business under the name of Matlock Brothers, at the Abrahamsick building in Heppner, Morrow county, state of Oregon, on the 7th day of February, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m. I reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

J. P. WILLIAMS, Trustee of the property of said bankrupts.
Independent and reliable—The Oregonian.

Saturday,
January 27,
8 a. m.

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January 27,
8 a. m.

We consider ourselves extremely fortunate in being able to secure, at a big discount, the entire Sample Line of a number of our Eastern Manufacturers.

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THE FAIR

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Advertised Letters.

A fee of one cent each will be charged upon the delivery of an advertised letter.

Cobin, F. J. Russel, M. A.
Culson, Dick. White, Mr. Ray
Howard, John L. Wilkes, Mrs. F. na
Janson, Mr. O. Will, Mrs. Fred
Kriens, Harry. Wilbur, J. W.
McVeigh, James Young, Mr. Joseph
Peterson, Charley
When calling for these letters please say advertised.
Jan. 25, '06. W. W. SNEAD, P. M.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard, of W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at Patterson & Son's drug store.

Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood and system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you need to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them. At Patterson & Son's drug store, 25c, guaranteed.

For Sale.

Three-fourth acre land, bearing orchard, 6 room cottage nicely finished. Beautiful location in city limits of Hood River. Price \$2000. Also 10 acres fruit land, one mile of town. Price \$3000. Inquire of

N. T. CHAPMAN,
Hood River Or.

Money to Loan.

On farm lands at long time at 8 per cent per annum.

E. L. FREELAND.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Heppner Mining Co. will be held at the office of Redfield & Van Vactor, in Heppner, Oregon, on the second Wednesday in February, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing the officers and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

T. W. AYERS, Sec.
Heppner, Or., Jan. 4, 1905.
Jan 4-25.

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

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