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THURSDAY..... March 14, 1907.

IT PAYS TO BE HONEST

Smart Young Man Tries to Work
Surveyor and Gets Pinched.

A fresh young man hailing from Iowa came to Heppner one day last week, with the thoughts of getting a timber claim uppermost in his mind.

The thought that Heppner people were easy has been entirely removed from the mind of the young man who finally landed in jail.

Going to the office of County Surveyor Heath, the young man whose name is Hess, made known his wants and employed Mr. Heath to take him out and show him the timber.

Mr. Heath after a couple of days of hard work succeeded in pleasing the looker for timber. Hess was shown the timber, was given the proper description of the land and the matter was to be all fixed up Monday, when Mr. Heath was to be paid for his work.

But Hess had the description of the land and had no more use for the surveyor. He skipped out Sunday for Ione and Monday morning took the train from the latter place for The Dalles where he intended to file on the land.

Mr. Heath heard of Hess's movements and went to Ione Monday morning, where he got a cold reception from the foxy land looker.

To shorten the story, Mr. Heath telephoned to an officer at The Dalles and Hess was placed under arrest as soon as he arrived at the latter place. He was placed in jail and now wants to settle.

WHEATGROWERS COMBINE

Farmers Will Buy Sacks Direct
From Manufacturer.

Umatilla and Morrow county farmers will join in the purchase of grain sacks in wholesale lots, this season, if plans of the Wheat-growers' association are carried out as contemplated.

At a meeting of the association held in this city last Saturday evening it was planned to incorporate the association and place it on a legal footing that its acts might be binding and that it may be recognized in the northwest as a bona fide concern. Judge S. A. Lowell is now preparing incorporation papers and the organization will be completed within a short time.

An order for several hundred thousand grain sacks was sent to Seattle firm Saturday afternoon. The price of sacks will be no more than 9 cents and a number of large farmers have signed an order for large quantities at this price. As soon as the organization can be finally incorporated it is the intention to furnish sack for a large portion of the wheat-growing area of eastern Oregon.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

Will Open up April 1.

F. C. Marquardsen who will open up the big new store in The Fair building, informs the Gazette that owing to delay in the arrival of goods from the East, he will not be able to open up until about the first of April.

Mr. Marquardsen states that he has decided to put in a complete stock of groceries.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrow and family, of Portland, were in the city the first of the week visiting friends and relatives.

Peter Bauzenliend, of Cecil, was in Heppner yesterday transacting business.

GIVEN RANGE

Stockmen Get Satisfaction From
Reserve Officials at Heppner
For the First Time.

It seems that the forest reserve officials have at last agreed to consider the needs of the Grant county stockmen for the stockmen who went to Heppner to the meeting returned with smiling faces. They are well satisfied with the distribution of the range; satisfied because they got what was their dues and nothing more. In other words they all received range in the Heppner Forest Reserve and were given range in accordance to the rulings of the department which state that the men who live next to the reserve shall be considered before those who live at a distance. Furthermore, it is reported that the Columbia river stockmen were only given a narrow strip for passage through the reserve. This considerate action on the part of the forestry officials comes in the nature of a surprise and is scarcely understood.

The Thomson boys, of this city received a letter from a sister who lives in the Alberta country, stating that they were experiencing the coldest weather in the history of that country. She said that the thermometer had registered as low as 75 degrees below zero, and that stock were dying in large numbers. But very few stockmen had hay and those that did could not look after their cattle owing to the severe weather, and were offering their cattle for sale as low as \$1.50 per head. She said further that now since the weather has moderated they were hearing of people that were frozen to death, daily, most of them being stockmen. There seems to be worse places than Oregon. Better stay with your Morrow county ranches, where you have a sure thing.

The Oregonian refers to Slusher's bill relating to certain fees for the sheriff of Morrow county, vetoed by the governor, as "a bill to restore the sheriff of Morrow county to the fee system." But this is not correct, says the Pendleton Tribune. It had no reference to the duties of the sheriff—only to those of county coroners in such cases as, for any reason, the sheriff was called upon to discharge them. It was a good law, is the law now as to Umatilla county, was permitted by the governor to pass two years ago and would not cost the taxpayers a cent more than will be the case without it. But Slusher was a member of the legislature and necessarily was looked upon with suspicion.—Pendleton Tribune.

Adams Brothers yesterday morning purchased of Oscar Rust, of Pilot Rock, 150 head of stock cattle. The purchasers took immediate possession and started the cattle for the Adams ranch near Ukiah. The purchase was made by Clarence Adams, who has been in charge of the ranch this winter and who is secretary of the Ukiah Cattlemen's Association.—Pendleton Tribune.

Jacob Bortzer, of Ione, was a business visitor in Heppner, Tuesday.

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Frank Beagle	20 00
J H Allen	30 25
J D Allen	13 00
A Burton	15 75
Robt Warren	14 25
Robert Young	6 75
H P Long	39 00
J W Nolan	13 00
G W Smith	17 50
B F DeVore	45 00
Klein & Ashbaugh	18 70
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Chas Ridgeway	11 00
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Wm McFerrin	36 09
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W H Clark	29 00
E M Shutt	22 85
John Kilkenny	4 48
John Olden	2 76
V H Heath	21 40
W O Minor	2 40
Wm Ayers	2 40
Gilliam & Bisbee	50 00
H Tash	3 44
W G McCarty	19 50
F M Griffin	33 80
A M Slocum	185 95
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Banker T. J. Mahoney, of Ione, was in the city Friday.

Erb Hayes came in from Rhea Siding Tuesday evening.

Goose Eggs For Sale—Cross between Toulouse and Endem. Price \$1.50 for five. Geo. B. Hufford, Heppner.

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Stockmen

The Gazette is well prepared to turn out horse bills on short notice. Good line of cuts to select from.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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

Jan. 20, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Lizzie L. Cox, of Heppner, Oregon, one of the heirs and for the heirs of Martin D. Hayman, deceased, has filed notice of her intention to make final five year proof in support of her claim, viz: Her vested entry No. 1629 made Nov. 16, 1901, for the W 1/4 Sec. 3, W 1/2 Sec. 34, Township 14 N., Range 28 E., W. M., and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Ore., on Mar. 22, 1907.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: O. E. Farnsworth, S. P. Florence, John McCullough and G. B. Hattall of Heppner, Ore. Feb. 7-Mch 14. E. W. DAVIS, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Oregon.

February 11, 1907.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Laffie Penland, contestant, against homestead entry No. 12942, made May 29, 1905, for sec. 34, sec. 25, W 1/2, NW 1/4 Sec. 34, Township 14 N., Range 28 E., W. M., by William N. Johnson, contestant, in which it is alleged that William N. Johnson has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that he has never resided upon said land and that said absence from said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy, or in the corps of the United States. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at the closing of the hearing on March 23, 1907, before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 1 o'clock a. m., on March 28, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in La Grande, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed February 4, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given due and proper publication.

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Feb. 14-Mch 21

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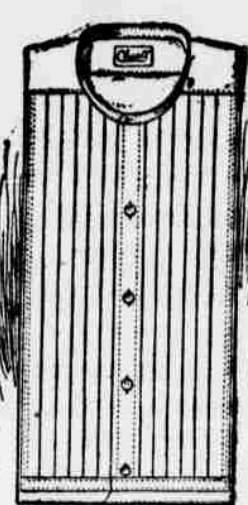
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