



FARMERS BUY GRAIN SACKS

250,000 Engaged from the Manufacturers.

WILL NOT JOIN WASHINGTON

J. A. Woolery Files Order for 74,000 Sacks for Morrow County Farmers.

Another 250,000 grain bags were purchased Saturday by the executive committee of the Inland Grain Growers' Association recently incorporated in Umatilla county. This makes a total of 750,000 grain bags that have been purchased by this organization direct from the importers or manufacturers. Neither the price paid nor the name of the firm from whom they were purchased has been given out, but the price is evidently much lower than that made by the local grain buyers as orders for 285,000 bags were taken Saturday afternoon in a few minutes. It will be necessary to make another buy in a few days as orders are now signed up for 36,000 more sacks than they have purchased.

As this was the first meeting held since the incorporation articles were filed, officers were elected as follows: C. A. Barrett, president; H. C. Willis, secretary; James Johns, treasurer; J. O. Hales, vice president.

The articles of incorporation give the organization the power to buy and sell as well as sack and to own and operate warehouses.

The proposition of E. N. McCaw, president of the Washington association for a union of the two organizations was turned down by the local growers.

The meeting held Saturday was largely attended and was by far the most enthusiastic one held since the organization of the association last fall.

Five bids for the furnishing of sacks were received by the committee and these bids represented firms in Philadelphia, Kansas City, Portland and Seattle. One of the bids for the furnishing of 250,000 sacks was accepted and another one of them may be or more bids asked for.

One of the features of the meeting was the telephone message from J. A. Woolery, of Ione, asking to have his name placed on the list for 74,000 sacks for the farmers of his vicinity.

Funeral of James Flood.

The funeral of James Flood, the unfortunate young man who was killed by a falling roof, while tearing down an old building, occurred at the Heppner cemetery in this city, last Friday. While the day was stormy, a large number of people were out to witness the last sad rites.

Deceased, who was 29 years of age, leaves three brothers in this country.

He was a young man with many friends. Industrious, straightforward and honest, the community loses a good citizen.

METCALF INDICTED

Fearing Trouble From the Law he Skipped Out.

J. C. Metcalf, the insurance man is again in trouble.

It seems that while playing a game of cards with Joe Bannister, in the bar room of the Hotel Echo, Bannister proceeded to take down a pot by sheer force instead of showing the best hand.

In showing his disapproval of this breach of etiquette, Metcalf whipped out a gun and commenced shooting at Bannister. One of the four shots fired took effect in the side of John Venable, the bartender, causing a slight flesh wound.

Metcalf and Bannister were fined \$30 each in the Recorder's court at Echo, but District Attorney Phelps has now taken a hand, and Metcalf is indicted on the charge of assault with intent to kill.

Metcalf skipped out and his whereabouts are unknown at the present time.

Your stomach churns and digests the food you eat and if foul, or torpid, or out of order, your whole system suffers from blood poison. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea keeps you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. P. McMillen, Lexington, Oregon.

SHEEP COMMISSION NAMES INSPECTOR

Dr. W. H. Lytle, of Pendleton, is the Man.

GOVERNMENT SERVICE WILL AID

Dipping Will be Commenced at once Under Supervision of the Proper Authorities.

Dr. W. H. Lytle, of Pendleton, is state sheep inspector for Oregon, having been appointed Saturday just before the close of the all day session of the first meeting of the sheep commission. The three members met early in the day and perfected their organization by choosing T. F. Boylen, of Antelope, president, and Dan P. Smythe, secretary. This means that Pendleton is to be the headquarters for the inspector as well as for the commission says the Pendleton Tribune.

There were two other candidates for the office of state sheep inspector, Dr. W. J. Jones, of Jefferson, and Dr. W. S. Eddy, of Oregon City. Both of these men had endorsements from Western Oregon, but Dr. Lytle was strongly recommended by the state wool growers association, nearly every association in Eastern Oregon and by prominent sheep men from every county comprising this section of the state. His appointment was unanimous.

Dr. Lytle is a graduate veterinarian of the Iowa State college at Ames, Iowa, and has had six years practical experience since graduation. Four of these were spent in the federal service, the last three being in this state in connection with the bureau of animal industry.

Dr. W. S. McClure, head of the government bureau of animal industry for the northwest district, expressed himself as being highly pleased with the selection as he thought that Dr. Lytle would make a very efficient officer. He also feels confident that the newly appointed inspector is a man with whom the government officials can co-operate to the fullest extent in the matter of putting into effect the provisions of the new law, which he regards as a most excellent measure.

Lytle says that the governor will at once be called upon to issue a quarantine proclamation against the states of Nevada, California, and Washington. Idaho has already eradicated scab from among the sheep of that state by this same means and efforts are now being made in this direction in Nevada and California, but nothing has been done in this regard in Washington. The governor will also be requested to ask the bureau of animal industry to co-operate with the state officers in the eradication of sheep disease in Oregon.

Dr. McClure appeared before the commission and assured the members that if this was done the government would put 25 men in the state at once to assist in the cleaning up work.

The commission decided to recommend to the inspector the appointment of these men as special deputies and that they be given the same powers and privileges as the state and county deputies and Dr. Lytle has said that this will be done.

The law also provides that there shall be one resident deputy in-

spector in each county.

He says that it will be his purpose to choose men in every county, according to their fitness and for their ability and willingness to work and to enforce the laws. He proposes to co-operate with the federal officers and he believes in this manner that it will be only a short time until scab and all other diseases now prevalent among the sheep will be totally eradicated from the state.

The members of the commission and the sheep inspector, all announced that they intended to put their shoulders to the wheel and to see that the law was strictly enforced. They say that they expect the co-operation of every sheep man in the state as the law was passed for his benefit and not for the purpose of harrassing anyone.

Inspector Lytle says the dipping will be commenced at once and must be conducted in every instance under the supervision and direction of either the state or federal inspectors. Also that one of the 16 recognized dips must be used. If these conditions are not complied with the sheep man will be compelled to dip his flock the second time.

The preparations which are recognized are of two classes, the old lime and sulphur dip and 15 others comprising tobacco and sulphur dips as well as the proprietary lime and sulphur.

Flock owners are advised to be sure to consult either the government or state inspectors before buying other than the two or three well known preparations.

Wool growers are urged to make ample preparations in regard to dipping vats and to consult the proper authorities as to the best plans to construct efficient facilities so as not to delay the good work when it is once begun.

It is heartily urged that the sheep owners of the state co-operate with the state and federal officers and that all work to one common end and that end to be the eradication of disease from the flocks of the State of Oregon.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Attention of the taxpayers of Morrow county is called to the fact that next Monday, April 1, is the last day on which taxes can be paid without penalty.

E. M. SHUTT, Sheriff.

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DATES FOR WOOL SALES

Officially Announced by State Wool Growers' Association.

Pendleton—May 22 and 23, June 7.

Heppner—May 23 and 29, June 18.

Shaniko—June 10 and 11, June 26, July 16.

Coodon—June 21.

Baker City—July 9.

Elgin—July 11.

The above are the dates that have been officially designated as sales days for Eastern Oregon this year. The schedule was prepared by President Burgess and others of the State Wool Growers' Association, after consultation with the growers tributary to the various markets. Also the schedule has been submitted to Charles H. Green, representative of the wool buyers, and was found satisfactory.

In view of the fact that but little if any contracting for wool is being done this year, practically the entire Eastern Oregon clip will be offered for sale at the dates above named.

DEATH OF STEPHEN IRWIN.

Father of W. R. Irwin, of Heppner, Passes Away in Canada.

The Kincardine Review, of March 14, gives the following account of the death of Stephen Irwin, father of W. R. Irwin, the well known Heppner merchant:

"After a somewhat lingering illness, Stephen Irwin, postmaster at Verdun, passed away on March 7, aged 74 years, 11 months and 7 days. Mr. Irwin was a native of the County Fermanagh, Ireland, and came to Canada about the year 1850. He spent several years in Brantford and London but had been a resident of Huron township for almost forty years. He was a strong conservative in politics, and an honest, outspoken, straightforward man, who earned the respect of everyone with whom he came in contact. He is survived by a widow, three sons and three daughters, who can feel that the sympathy of the community is extended to them in their bereavement. Of the sons, William is a merchant in Heppner, Oregon; Stephen is manager of the Bell Telephone Co., Nelson, B. C.; while Robert resides at home, as does a daughter, Miss Elizabeth. Miss Jane Irwin lives in Detroit, and Miss Susan at Ann Arbor, Mich."

Home Made Catarrh Cure.

Any one can mix right at home the best remedy of its kind known. The name 'Cyclone' is given to the following prescription, it is approved, because of its promptness in driving from the blood and system every vestige of catarrh poison, relieving this foul and dread disease, no matter where located. To prepare the mixture: Get from any good pharmacy one half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

This is a harmless, inexpensive mixture, which has a peculiar action upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys, assisting them to filter and strain from the blood and system all catarrhal poisons, which, if not eradicated, are absorbed by the mucous membrane, and an open sore or catarrh is the result.

Prepare some and try it, as it is the prescription of an eminent catarrh specialist of national reputation.

The date of the Bigge Sing has been postponed until Tuesday night, April 2nd. This was done on account of the basket ball game on tomorrow evening.

Stock Ranch for Sale.

68 1/2 acres (100 head of cattle and few horses if desired) farm implements, fruit trees, berries and bees, fine range for sheep or cattle, running water everywhere, will be sold at a bargain. Write Gus A. Nyman, Mt. Vernon, Grant Co., Oregon.

Homestead Location—160 acres, 12 acres under crop, all under wire fence. Plenty of spring water. Also 3 good timber locations. Enquire at the Gazette office.

Christian Church

Bible School.....10 a. m.
Sermon.....11 a. m.
Y. P. S. C. E.....6:30 p. m.
Prayer.....7:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to these services. J. V. Crawford, Minister

For Sale—A full blooded registered Hereford bull, five years old and in fine condition. Inquire at the Gazette office.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of James F. Irwin, deceased, by the County Court of Morrow County, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same to the undersigned as by law required at the office of my attorney, J. S. Woodson, in the City of Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, within six months from this date.

Dated this 24th day of March, 1907.
J. S. WOODSON, Attorney.

Notice Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern that the partnership heretofore existing between Michael McCabe and Frank McCabe, said firm being known as McCabe Brothers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent of said partners. Michael McCabe retiring from said firm and business. Frank McCabe, the remaining partner will collect all debts due said firm, and pay all outstanding obligations due from said firm, continuing the business formerly run by said partners.
Dated this 24th day of March, 1907.
MICHAEL McCABE,
FRANK McCABE.

S. E. CARR, Pres. B. F. CULP, Vice Pres. W. S. WHARTON, Cashier

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