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THURSDAY, April 11, 1907.

Attend the Development League meeting tonight.

Every business man in Heppner should attend the Development League meeting tonight.

A farmer of Umatilla county recently sold his wheat ranch for \$54,000. The day is coming when Morrow county farmers will be doing the same thing.

The Butte Creek Grange of Wheeler county, is very much opposed to the act of the last legislature creating the Eleventh Judicial District. The grange is sending out resolutions opposing the measure. The grange claims that the district is uncalled for and unnecessary.

The low colonist rates from the Middle West, granted by the railroads, will expire on the 30th of this month. This low rate has been the means of bringing a large number of people to Oregon. The Oregon Development League has been doing much in the way of advertising to induce immigration. Tom Richardson, secretary of the league is active in urging publicity of the fact that the end of the low rates will soon be here. The people of Oregon should do everything possible to induce people to come here. There is no time to lose.

It seems strange, indeed. The imported stallion, Griffon, was sold in Heppner this week at forced sale for the unheard of price of \$750. The horse was put up at public auction, and the highest bid was only \$550. Sheriff Shutt, who had charge of the selling of the horse declared the sale off, owing to the low price offered. But now comes the strange part of it. A little less than two years ago, this horse when only a three-year-old, not fully developed, was sold by the Pendleton importers to Moreland Bros. for \$2,500. The horse has been well kept, is just coming five years old, horses are worth today more than they were two years ago, but when the sheriff telephoned to the parties who sold the horse for \$2,500, asking them to take him back for \$750, the offer was refused. Did not want the animal at that price. Several \$3,000 horses have been sold in this county this year. It begins to look like there might be a little graft in the horse business.

WOOL BUYERS PREDICT LOWER PRICES.

Now that the shearing season is at hand, the wool situation and market in general is a problem that is growing in interest.

Eastern buyers are beginning to arrive. So far no contracts have been made in Morrow county.

Frank Lee, representing Judd & Root is already in Heppner, and Edwin J. Burke, of the same firm will be here in a few days.

Charles H. Greene, E. H. Clarke, Edwin J. Burke and L. Strauss are now in Pendleton and others will arrive in a short time.

All of the buyers recognize a downward tendency in the markets, and predict that prices will be lower this year than last.

The American Wool and Cotton Reporter in speaking of the situation says:

"The feature of the domestic wool situation at present is its quietness, which is in marked contrast to the activity in foreign wools. A year ago a similar condition of things existed in this respect, that foreign wools were relatively much more active than domestic wools, but at that time

there was much more activity in the interior in the way of contracting for the new clips, a much larger percentage of the latter having been bought than is the case at the present time.

"To what extent this change from a year ago is due to the tightness of the money market is uncertain. Naturally, if rates for money had been easy, the wool merchant might have been inclined to contract for the new wools, but the governing factor in determining his present attitude is the very unprofitable experience which he has had during the past year as the result of his operations in the interior at that time; and he is not willing to duplicate that experience if he can avoid it. If the growers had manifested a disposition to sell their clips at prices sufficiently lower than last year to make it an inducement for the trade to contract for them, much more of this business doubtless would have been done by this time; but prices generally asked have been quite as high as those of a year ago, except in some instances where the wools being of lighter shrinkage than last year, they have been actually cheaper even at the same grease cost as a

year ago. "Of course the grower, in the face of a steadily hardening market in London, and reports of an excellent general business and higher wool market values in Australia, can hardly be blamed for trying to secure as high prices as he obtained last year, but the latter, it is contended, were higher than were warranted at that time or any time since then, which has been proved by the fact that in many cases the wools were parted with finally by the wool merchant at a positive loss; and if the wools are to pass from growers' hands at the same prices as were realized by them a year ago, the domestic wool merchant sees nothing else before him than a profitless year.

Don't forget the Development League meeting tonight.

The Farmer's Wife

Is very careful about her churn. She scalds it thoroughly after using, and gives it a sun bath to sweeten it. She knows that if her churn is sour it will taint the butter that is made in it. The stomach is a churn. In the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are performed processes which are exactly akin to the churning of butter. Is it not apparent then that if this stomach churn is foul it makes foul all which is put into it? The evil of a foul stomach is not alone the bad taste in the mouth and the foul breath caused by it, but the corruption of the pure current of blood and the dissemination of disease throughout the body. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes the sour and foul stomach sweet. It does for the stomach what the washing and sun bath do for the churn—absolutely removes every tainting or corrupting element. In this way it cures blotches, pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings, sores, or open eating ulcers and all humors or diseases arising from bad blood. If you have bitter, nasty, foul taste in your mouth, coated tongue, foul breath, are weak and easily tired, feel depressed and despondent, have frequent headaches, dizzy attacks, gnawing or distress in stomach, constipated or irregular bowels, sour or bitter risings after eating and poor appetite, these symptoms, or any considerable number of them, indicate that you are suffering from biliousness, torpid, or lazy liver with the usual accompanying indigestion, or dyspepsia and their attendant derangements. The best agents known to medical science for the cure of the above symptoms and conditions, as attested by the writings of leading teachers and practitioners of all the several schools of medical practice, have been skillfully and harmoniously combined in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. That this is absolutely true will be readily proven to your satisfaction if you will but mail a postal card request to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for a free copy of his booklet of extracts from the standard medical authorities, giving the names of all the ingredients entering into his world-famed medicines and showing what the most eminent medical men of the age say of them.

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