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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
Land Office, La Grande, Oregon,
September 12, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Nancy A. Wade, of Heppner, Oregon, has filed notice of her intention to make final five-year proof in support of her claim, viz: Homestead Entry No 11792, made Aug. 2, 1902, for the N½SE¼ Sec. 22, W½ SW¼, Section 23, Township 3 S., Range 28, E. W. M., and that said proof will be made before J. P. Willirms, U. S. Commissioner, at his offine in Heppner, Oregon, on Nov. 19, 1907.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land viz:

Harry Hays, Thad Moore, Samuel Haworth and Eli F. Neal all of Heppner, Oregon.

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BANK OF HEPPNER

Remarkable Growth of Financial Institution.

Strictly a Home Institution That is Growing With the Country.

The Gazette is pleased to note the success and prosperity of the people of Morrow county.

And why not, for the Gazette is enjoying a share of this prosperity.

Morrow county people produce more wealth per capita than any other county in the state of Oregon.

The thermometer of the business interests of a town are its banks. In speaking of the Bank of Heppner, this is an institution that is worthy of notice.

The Bank of Heppner was organized in August, 1904. The original capital stock was $25,000, but it was only a short time until it was found that the great increase of business made it profitable to increase the stock to $50,000.

W. S. Wharton, the cashier, informs the Gazette that the net increase of the depcsits of the Bank of Heppner for the past six months have amounted to more than 52½ per cent.

Owing to the great increase in business and encouragement given by Morrow county people, Mr. Wharton feels that this bank ought to be a strictly Morrow county institution, and to gain this end has secured personal control of the stock of the bank. In this he has been successful and has succeeded in placing a majority of the stock with people of this county.

One of Morrow county's substantial citizens who has recently become heavily interested in the Bank of Heppner is W. O. Minor. Mr. Minor as a breeder of fine stock, business man and capitalist, needs no introduction to the people of Morrow county. Mr. Minor is a man of large interests in the county and the stock holders of the bank have decided to place him at the head of the institution in the chair of president.

WILL GO TO KANSAS CITY

Dr. Metzler Will Take Post-Graduate Course.

Dr. M. B. Metzler, the well known dentist of this city, left last Wednesday for Kansas City, Mo., where he goes to take a post-graduate course in his profession.

The doctor will be gone about six weeks where he will study the most modern methods in dentistry in one of the best schols in the world. Before returning to Heppner he will visit his aged father at Creighton, Mo.

SHARP-KIRK.

J. Clinton Sharp and Miss Alta Mae Kirk were married in this city yesterday morning, Judge J. P. Williams officiating.

Miss Kirk is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kirk of this city. She is an accomplished and popular young ladv.

Mr. Sharp is a resident of Pendleton where the young man has many warm friends.

Always reliable—The Weekly Oregonian.

BIG WHEAT MARKET

Heppner Will Handle 400-000 Bushels of Wheat.

Thousahds of Acres of Rich Tributary wheat Lands That Have Never Been Plowed.

Heppner will, this season, handle 400,000 bushels of wheat.

The long cherished idea that Heppner would some day handle a large amount of wheat is today, before it is hardly realized, an absolute fact.

And still there are thousands of acres of rich lands tributary that have never been plowed.

Owing to Morrow county's immense crop and the backward harvest caused by unfavorable weather, scarcity of labor and machinery to handle the big crop, making harvest very late. it is almost impossible at this time to get anything like an accurate estimate of the crop of the entire county.

In estimating the yield of the Heppner district, the estimate is based upon the actual number of sacks that have been engaged and have been taken out by the farmers. Yields in almost every instance have been going beyond the estimates of the farmers prior to threshing and it is not unlikely that the present estimate will be swelled considerably when the wheat is threshed.

This is the first season that sacks have ever been received in Heppner in car load lots.

It is said that some of the farmers will be until next harvest in getting this year's crop to market. The seeding season is now here and it will rustle many of the farmers to get their grain threshed and the fall seeding done before winter sets in. This will leave a number of farmers with four and five thousand sacks of wheat with none hauled to market when snow flies.

The heavy rains of the past week have been discouraging. Harvest operations that are already late have been seriously retarded. While the damage has not been great, still there will be a slight loss and future conditions depend entirely upon the weather.

SLOCUM-MORGAN.

The marriage of Lee Slocum and Miss Clara Morgan occurred in Portland, last Saturday.

Both are well known young people of Heppner. Miss Morgan is employed by the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph company, and is a most estimable young lady.

Mr. Slocum is employed by the Slocum Saw Mills, and is a young man well and favorably known here.

THOMSON-CURTIS.

James Thomson and Mrs. Agnes Curtis, both of this city, were married in Seattle, the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Curtis is a well known and popular lady and has many friends in this city.

Mr. Thomson is a member of the firm of Thomson Bros. and is a successful business man in this city.

E. A. Miller, of Fox, was in the city Saturday, on his way to the Willamette Valley.

THRESHERS BURNED

Two Outfits Destroyed This Week.

Heavy Losses in Both Cases—No Insurance—New Outfits Ordered.

Two big steam threshing outfits burned in Morrow county during the past week.

An outfit belonging to Peter Brenner, of Eight Mile, took fire from spontaneous combustion caused by smut. The separator, derrick table and the setting amounting to about 1500 sacks of wheat, were destroyed entailing a loss in the neighborhood of $3500.

Mr. Brenner who has a large crop himself with a number of neighbors depending on him to thresh their grain was not daunted by the heavy loss and immediately left for Walla Walla where he will buy a new outfit which will be put in operation just as soon as it is possible to get it here.

J. C. White's steam outfit was burned this week also in the Lexington country. The Gazette is unable to learn but few particulars of the loss. It seems that the fire started while the crew was at dinner, the origin of the fire coming from a spark from the engine.

It is said that there was no insurance with either loss.

BIGGS LOCAL TO PENDLETON

Extension of Local Train Ordered By The Railroad Commission.

As a climax to the agitation for better train service on the O. R. & N. system, the Oregon railroad commission has ordered No. 8, the Biggs local passenger tratn, extended to Pendleton, as a daily local train, to be reasonably equipped to handle the local travel with comfort and to make connections with branch line trains at Biggs, Arlington and Heppner Junction.

This order is a surprise to both the people of Eastern Oregon and the O. R. & N., as it has been supposed all along that the addition of a clean coach to train No. 1 at Pendleton, for the accommodation of local travel, was an end to the matter at present at least, says the East Oregonian.

However, since the colonist rush has started, not only have main line trains been crowded to the limit, but they have also been very much behind their schedules, and it is supposed that the commission has acted on its own initiative, in ordering the Biggs local extended to Pendleton to relieve the situation.

What the O. R. & N. company will do in the matter is problematical. The order of the railroad commission gives the company 30 days in which to place the train in service, and it is gederally believed that the matter will be resisted and the railroad commission's authority tested in the courts.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a Constitutional disease, requires a Constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucnous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

FAIR AT PENDLETON

Special Train From Heppner on Wednesday.

Morrow County Will Have Good Exhibit at Third District Fair.

Much more interest is being taken by Morrow county people in the Third Dirtrict Fair at Pendleton this year than last.

O. P. Hendrickson who will have charge of our exhibit at the fair has been a busy man this week in getting the samples together to put on display.

The cereal and fruit exhibit as well as the grasses, wool and other products will be very attractive.

In the livestock exhibit W. O. Minor will be there with his great show herd of Shorthorns which will not only be a credit to Morrow county but will be an attractive feature of the fair in general.

Among the samples being sent are oats seven feet in heighth, grown by D. Cox that yielded 80 bushels to the acre. While the wheat exhibit both in the berry and sheaf will be good, still some of the best specimens were not saved. Take for instance, wheat grown by Winnard Bros. that yielded as high as 68 bushels to the acre was not sent owing to the fact that none of this wheat in the sheaf was saved. Henry Scherzinger brought in some corn that was 13 feet tall.

Lexington, Ione, Irrigon and other districts will be represented with a good showing of the products from their respective districts.

There is every indication that there will be a large number of Morrow county people go over on the special on Wednesday. For the people who want to come back on Thursday, a special car will be attached to No. 5 which will be met at Heppner Junction by an engine from Heppner.

The fair management is making every effort to make Morrow county day one of the features of the fair. Wednesday afternoon will be devoted exclusively to Morrow county. There will be a big meeting. Joe Woolery, of Ione, will act as chairman. There will be speeches by S. E. Notson of Heppner, Clarence White of Ione, A. Bennett and Rev. Myers of Irrigon.

In fact Pendleton will do everything possible to show Morrow county people a good time.

As a source of good clean entertainment the fair this year will be a never ending joy. Good music, interesting speakers, clever specialties and parades will be daily features and no two days will be alike. Monday the opening day, will be Pendleton day; Tuesday, Portland and agricultural day; Wednesday, Morrow county and livestock day; Thursday, Elks day; Friday, children's day, and Saturday, Political day.

The McElroy band, which will play daily throughout the week, is one of the finest organizations on the coast. It is the official band at the state fair in Salem now and is one of the best drawing cards there. Among the players are some of the best known musicians in the west and include Signor De Caprion, leader of the Pendleton fair band last fall, B. F. Driscoll, director of the Eagles band in Pendleton until recently and his brother, Sam Driscoll, who has been leading the orchestra at the Hotel Portland.