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Entirely Under Local Control and Management

Bank of Heppner

Capital $50,000

Fully Paid

Officers	Directors
W. O. MINOR, President	W. O. MINOR
J. H. McHALEY, Vice-President	C. E. WOODSON
W. S. WHARTON, Cashier	W. G. SCOTT
VAWTER CRAWFORD, Asst. Cashier	J. H. McHALEY
	W. S. WHARTON

Loans Made at Eight Per Cent.

FOUR PER CENT INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

WE ARE GROWING

Gain in Deposits, month of January.....$19153.53
" " " " February..... 8593.01

Total gain for first two months, 1908..... $27,746 54

NOT BAD FOR THE DULL SEASON.

Big Sale of AIR TIGHT HEATERS

FOR CASH ONLY

Beginning Saturday morning Feb. 29, and Saturday Eve., March 7. We do not wish to carry them over the summer months and will sell them at the above discount.

20	inch	top draft	regular price		$3.50	now	$2.80
20	"	bottom	"	"	3.25	"	2.60
20	"	top	"	"	3.00	"	2.40
22	"	"	"	"	3.50	"	2.80
24	"	"	"	"	4.50	"	3.60
24	"	slide	"	"	5.50	"	4.40
24	"	bottom draft		"	4.50	"	3.60

These are a few of the many styles we carry Now is the time to buy at wholesale prices.

Be Wise and buy of

The Wise Furniture Co.

The up-to-date Store

Ideal Gentleman's Resort

BILLIARD AND POOL ROOMS

We take special pride in keeping our Tobacco and Cigars in excellent condition. Forty different brands of high grade cigars constantly in stock. Try one of our Havanas. Cigars wholesale and Retail.

THE PASTIME

REMAINS AT REST

J. A. Woolery's Funeral Biggest Ever in County.

There Was a Special Train From Heppner Bearing a Large Number of People.

Never in the history of Morrow county has the death of one its citizens attracted so much attention, as the death of Joseph A. Woolery, of Ione. Mr. Woolery was taken with pneumonia on Saturday, February 29th, and died Thursday morning, March 5, at six thirty.

In the passing of this man Morrow county has lost one of its most valuable citizens and the city of Ione has lost the main spirit of the the town.

He was a leader in every movement which has for its object the advancement of the town in which he lived and for the upbuilding of the county. He was public spirited and progressive and upon his shoulders first rested the responsible duties of mayor of Ione. It was through his efforts largely that the town received the blessings of incorporation and at all times he has been the hub to the wheel in all movements for the betterment of his town.

Mr. Woolery was a native of Cass county, Missouri, born November 28, 1859. In that county he grew to manhood and received such educational discipline as the public schools afforded, but when the time arrived for him to begin on his own account the struggle of life he moved to Texas. In that state and Indian Territory he continued to reside until 1884, which year is the date of his advent to Morrow county. For a few years he worked for Parker & Gleason in their sawmill, then turned his attention to stage driving, it falling to his lot to take charge of the first stage between Heppner and Monument. Later two years were devoted to the sheep business in this and Grant county, then until 1890 he was one of the prosperous merchants of Hardman. In this same year he moved to Ione, where nearly all the time since he has maintsined a general merchandise, hardware and implement store. In this connection it is pertinent to remark that during the hard times and many other instances he had it mithin his power to confer a great benefit upon many farmers, carrying them from year to year and making it possible for them to remain on their farms until the better days came. Besides his extensive mercantile establishment, which he had just recently reopened, he was the owner of an immense domain of nearly twenty thousand acres, all within the confines of the county and the principal part of which he has brought under the plow.

Perhaps no other man in the entire West has paid out more money for advertising the county and state in which he lived than has Mr. Woolery. He has been instrumental in bringing many people to Oregon and Morrow county and if he had been favored with a longer lease on life it is useless to say that he had only started to reap the benefits of what he had sown along this line. He was a community builder, one of the largest individual land holders in the state and the largest individual taxpayer in Morrow county. He also owned

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COUNTY COURT

Usual Routine of County Business.

Commissioner Griffin Resigns to Make the Race for County Judge.

The county court met in regular session last week at the court house with Judge Ayers presiding and a full board present.

One hundred and four claims against the county were audited, aggregating $4,509.83. Of this amount $480 25 were taken from the road fund.

The resignation of L. D. McCall as deputy county clerk was accepted and W. P. Cox was appointed to fill the vacancy at a salary of $75 per month.

J. M. White, of Lexington, was appointed Justice of the Peace for the fourth judicial district.

The following persons were appointed to fill vacancies in the different election boards of Morrow county:

Alpine—H. C. Scott, 3rd clerk, republican.

Eight Mile—E. L. Young, 2nd clerk, prohibitionist.

Gentry—R. W. Turner, chairman, democrat. Ike Howard, 3rd clerk, republican.

Irrigon—H. S. English, 3rd judge, democrat.

Matteson—H. Scherzinger, chairman, republican. Oscar Davis, 2d clerk, socialist.

Mt Vernon—Marion Evans, 2nd judge, republican. A. S. Akers, 3rd clerk, socialist.

North Ione--W. C. Cason, 1st clerk, republican. L. V. Calkins, 2nd clerk, democrat.

Pine City—John Jordan, 2nd clerk, democrat.

South Ione—M. R. Morgan, chairman republican.

Wells Springs—Patrick Carty, judge, republican. Chester Edwards, 2nd clerk, democrat.

O. L. Bates was appointed road supervisor of district No 5.

Sam Hughes' assessment was cut from $6,000 to $4,500, Mr. Hughes having presented the proper affidavit.

In the matter of the petition of J. H. Wyland and 275 others, praying that on Monday, June 1, 1908, an election be held to determine whether the sale of intoxicating liquors be prohibited in Morrow county, as a whole, granted.

Dr. F. B. Kistner was appointed county physician for the year 1908.

The resignation of F. M. Griffin as county commissioner was accepted.

The emergency fund of the county was increased to the amount of $150.

RELIC OF THE FLOOD

Wm. Barratt Finds Cane That Was Washed Away.

Wm. Barratt, of this city, while returning from Ione last Sunday, found the only relic left of his entire household effects which were washed away in the Heppner flood.

The relic found was a cane, and it was in the hands of Mr. Booher of Lexington, The cane was found by Mr. Booher in his orchard at Lexington, where it had been washed for nine miles in the high water.

The cane was purchased by Mr. Barratt's brother in Constantinople 30 years ago and is valued very highly not only as a relic of the flood but a family heirloom as well.

Roseburg is to send out 30,000 booklets, to cost $2,750.

For Sale.

A choice stock ranch of 480 acres, finely situated on the John Day river, 12 miles below Dayville, in the "Big Basin," a fine stock country, 130 acres level bottom land, 50 in alfalfa, balance hill grazing lands; plenty of good water, good orchard; raise all kinds of fruits and vegetables; over 5 miles of wire fencing; good dwelling house, barns and other out buildings, corrals, etc; also about 400 head of well bred young cattle would sell to purchaser of ranch. This is a choice ranch for sheep or cattle, and will be sold at a bargain. For prices and terms write to T. F. Hall, Mt. Vernon, Oregon.

3000 FARMERS VISITED TRAIN

Demonstration Special of O. R. & N. a Great Success.

O. R. & N. company officials returned last night from a tour of eastern Washington with a farming demonstration train that visited all points in the Palouse country and gave Pullman Agricultural college professors an opportunity of lecturing to the farmers. It is estimated that more than 3000 farmers visited the train during its two days' run.

The purpose of the demonstration was to urge upon wheat farmers the advisability of diversifying crops and planting all their lands every year instead of following the old practice of exclusive wheat farming, which means permitting one-half of the lands to lie fallow every alternate year.

It is said the tour of the Pullman professors did a great amount of good, and that the results will be seen in the next few years by a large increase of the products of the Palouse country. Pendleton men heavily interested in the agricultural industry have asked that a similar train carrying Oregon's State Agricultural college experts be run through eastern Oregon, to demonstrate the possibilities of more modern farming methods applied to Oregon soil.

The Palouse tour was a great success, as a result of the extensive advertising given freely through the newspapers all the way from Portland to Spokane and Walla Walla, and the complete arrangements made by the railroad and the Pullman college people. There were big crowds awaiting the arrival of the train at nearly every point visited, and the farmers who attended the demonstration lectures were not idlers but earnest and deeply interested men, who were seeking to learn something for the advancement of the farming industry. At many places they had arranged receptions and luncheons for the party of educators and railroad men.

"I never saw more attentive audiences at any speaking event," said a Portland railroad official who returned home last night. "It was a great sight to see the long lines of already successful farmers listening with deep attention to the college men while the latter explained how summer fallowing is a wanton waste of land and how diversification of crops will result in greatly increased profits and also make fertile lands. Many of the farmers brought their boys, and these young minds took in a vast amount of valuable knowledge from the demonstrations.

"At sunset, where the former O. R. & N. agency is closed for lack of business, the arrival of the train was awaited by about 100 farmers, who had built a big bonfire and were keeping themselves warm, the hour scheduled for that point being 7 o'clock p. m. Darkness was falling, and the train was to stop here only 10 minutes, but so large was the attendance and so thoroughly interested the audience hat ha'f an hour was given to this stop. During the tour hundreds of questions were asked by the farmers, and all were given intelligent answers."—Oregon Journal.

FINE BUNCH OF STEERS

Judd Rogers Turns off 96 Head at $4.30 Per Hundred.

Judd Rogers, the lower Willow creek feeder, this week sold to the Union Meat company, 93 head of steers.

Mr. Rogers, who is an expert feeder, informs the Gazette that this was the finest lot of cattle he ever handled.

The steers were fed for four months. When feeding was commenced the animals averaged 1109 pounds and when turned off the average weight was 1300.

The price named was $4.30 per hundred and Mr. Rogers is well pleased with the sale.

Bad Symptoms.

The woman who has periodical headaches, backache, sees imaginary dark spots or specks floating or dancing before her eyes, has gnawing distress or heavy full feeling in stomach, faint spells, dragging-down feeling in lower abdominal or pelvic region, easily startled or excited, irregular or painful periods, with or without pelvic catarrh, is suffering from weaknesses and derangements that should have early attention. Not all of above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time.

Neglected or badly treated and such cases often run into maladies which demand the surgeon's knife if they do not result fatally.

No medicine extant has such a long and numerous record of cures in such cases as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. No medicine has such a strong professional indorsement of each of its several ingredients—worth more than any number of ordinary non-professional testimonials. The very best ingredients known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments enter into its composition. No alcohol, harmful, or habit-forming drug is to be found in the list of its ingredients printed on each bottle-wrapper and attested under oath.

In any condition of the female system, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can do only good—never harm. Its whole effect is to strengthen, invigorate and regulate the whole female system and especially the pelvic organs. When these are deranged in function or affected by disease, the stomach and other organs of digestion become sympathetically deranged, the nerves are weakened, and a long list of bad, unpleasant symptoms follow. Too much must not be expected of this "Favorite Prescription." It will not perform miracles; will not cure tumors—no medicine will. It will often prevent them, if taken in time, and thus the operating table and the surgeon's knife may be avoided.

Women suffering from diseases of long standing, are invited to consult Doctor Pierce by letter, free. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser (1008 pages) is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 31 stamps for cloth-bound copy. Address as above.

Asa Jones, who died in Linn county, was over 93 years old.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Heppner Lodge No. 358, B. P. O. Elks.—Regular meeting nights second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Harry Johnson, E. R. Thos. Brennan, Sec.