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## Bank of Heppner

Capital \$50,000  
Fully Paid

### Officers

W. O. MINOR, President  
J. H. McHALEY, Vice-President  
W. S. WHARTON, Cashier  
VAWTER CRAWFORD,  
Asst. Cashier

### Directors

W. O. MINOR  
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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.

## Ideal Gentleman's Resort

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## THE PASTIME

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,  
United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon,  
March 17th, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that Aton Basy, of Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 12192, made March 4th, 1893, for the E 1/4 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 15, S 1/4 E 1/4 Section 19, Township 3 South, Range 3 E, W. 1/4, M., and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, U. S. Com. at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on May 18th 1908.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz:  
Edward Atkins, Nat Shaw, John Stewart, and Isaac N. Basy, all of Heppner, Oregon.  
Apr 2-May 7 C. W. MOORE, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,  
United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon,  
March 20, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that Moses W. Thomas, of Galloway, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 13099, made May 18th, 1901, for the E 1/4 NW 1/4, and E 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 11, Township 1 N., Range 27 E., W. 1/4, M., and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, U. S. Com. at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on May 18th, 1908.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz:  
Charles S. Canniff, Edward Neill, William Dunn, and Una Viva Canniff, all of Galloway, Oregon.  
Apr 2-May 7 F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,  
Land Office at La Grande, Oregon,  
March 30, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that Rose Huckabay, of Heppner, Oregon, has filed notice of her intention to make final commuted proof in support of her claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 13284, made Dec 23, 1895, for the S 1/4 SW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 15, Township 2 S., Range 27 E., and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on May 14th, 1908.  
She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz:  
Patrick McIntire, Joseph W. Rector, Guy Boyer, and Glen Boyer, all of Heppner, Oregon.  
Apr 2-May 7 F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

### Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of Mary E. Ayres, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of Morrow County, Oregon, and that Monday, the fourth day of May, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and the County Court room, in the County Court house, at Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, has been appointed by the said Court as the time and place for the said hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.  
GEORGE CONSER, Administrator.  
Dated this 27th day of March, 1908.  
First published this 2nd day of April, 1908.  
Apr 2-30

For news and opinions—the Oregonian.

### Words of Praise

For the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed, as given by leaders in all the several schools of medicine, should have far more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has the badge of honesty on every bottle-wrapper, in a full list of all its ingredients printed in plain English.  
If you are an invalid woman and suffer from frequent headache, backache, gnawing distress in stomach, periodical pains, discharges, catarrhal, pelvic drain, dragging down distress in lower abdomen or pelvis, perhaps dark spots or specks dancing before the eyes, faint spells and kindred symptoms caused by female weakness, or the derangement of the feminine organs, you can not do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.  
The hospital surgeon's knife and operating table may be avoided by the timely use of "Favorite Prescription" in such cases. Thereby the obnoxious examinations and treatments of the family physician can be avoided and a thorough course of successful treatment carried out in the privacy of the home.  
"Favorite Prescription" is composed of the very best native medicinal roots known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments, contains no alcohol and no harmful or habit-forming drugs.  
Do not expect too much from "Favorite Prescription"; it will not perform miracles; it will not dissolve or cure tumors. No medicine will. It will do as much to establish vigorous health in most weaknesses and ailments peculiarly incident to women as any medicine can. It must be given a fair chance by perseverance in its use for a reasonable length of time.  
You should not accept a spurious imitation as a substitute for this remedy of known composition.  
Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter free. All correspondence is guarded as sacredly secret and womanly confidences are protected by professional privacy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.  
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## DEATH OF GEO. CONSER

End Came Early Tuesday Morning.

Fifteen Hundred People Pay Tribute to Business Man and Honored Citizen.

George Conser died at his apartments in the Morrow, in this city, early Tuesday morning.  
Mr. Conser had been lingering at the point of death for several days and his death was momentarily expected.  
He had been a sick man for the past year, but his great energy and love for business activity has kept his familiar face at the Cashier's desk in the office of the First National Bank most of the time.  
A few weeks ago Mr. Conser's condition was such that he decided to go to Portland for medical treatment in the hopes of regaining his health. From the best medical advice that could be obtained, little hopes were offered, and Mr. Conser's friends became alarmed at his critical condition when fully realized.  
Not getting any relief he decided that he would rather be at home among his friends than among strangers, and came back to Heppner.  
He was able to be on the streets for a day or so, but rapidly grew worse until death ended his suffering Tuesday morning.  
During all his life, Mr. Conser was an active and hard working man.  
He was born in Marion county, Oregon, November 23, 1854, being the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Conser, of Jefferson, who were early Oregon pioneers, having crossed the plains in 1848.  
He was educated in the public schools of this state and after starting for himself worked at railroad work on the Southern Pacific and clerk in a store in his native town.  
Coming to Eastern Oregon he first located at Alkali, now known as Arlington, where he was chief clerk in a large general merchandise store. While in Gilliam county he was elected treasurer of that county.  
Coming to Heppner nineteen years ago last October, Mr. Conser accepted a position as Cashier of the First National Bank of Heppner.  
This position which was filled with great success and credit was still held by him at the time of his death.  
During the Heppner flood, Mr. Conser and his wife miraculously escaped drowning, being carried away in his beautiful home which was dashed to pieces in the angry waters.  
He was the chief owner and promoter of the Willow creek coal mines, and he was greatly interested to see this valuable property developed.  
Mr. Conser was married to Lillie L., daughter of C. A. Rhea, on December 3, 1889. His wife, three brothers and two sisters survive him.  
He was a member of the Masons, O. E. S., B. P. O. E. and A. O. U. W.  
The funeral today was the largest ever held in this county, the number of persons attending being estimated at 1500.  
The services were withheld until after the arrival of the train which carried Rev. Orr and a large number of people.

The services were conducted at the South Methodist church by Rev. Orr, and the remains were laid at rest in the Masonic cemetery.

The floral display was grand and beautiful. Especially can this be said of the decorations sent from the Masons, Elks, and the citizens of Heppner.

### Money in Hogs.

"Come West and raise hogs!" will soon be the Oregon Boosters' appeal to the farmers of the East. It is not a frivolous appeal, but one which, followed with proper devotion and Enterprise will make a man rich as sure as night follows day.  
The building of a mammoth \$3,500,000 packing plant by the Swifts, a large one by Armour's, location of smaller plants by the Cudahys, the Hammonds and others, who will inevitably come to Portland to protect their own interests, will, within a few years, mean a complete revolution of the livestock industry of Oregon and the whole Northwest. The men who are now engaged in preliminary work on the Peninsula packing plant give very good reasons why this is so, and why hundreds of thousands of dollars that are now being poured into the pockets of Middle West livestock growers can be left right here in Oregon with the farmers; how, also, the differential of 1 1/2 cents a pound paid to the railroads for hauling can be added to these other thousands of dollars.  
It will take years for Oregon and the Northwest to make the most of the opportunities presented in this class of trade, but even now the Oregon livestock men have not the slightest realization of the chances they are overlooking. The proposed industrial development that will result from the erection of huge packing plants here has been too large a proposition for them to grasp, and it is evident that many of them are still skeptical.  
Some figures bearing upon the present livestock situation, particularly the hog-raising industry, supplied to the Evening Telegram by President C. C. Colt, of the Union Meat Company, and local representative of the Swift interests, should bring the livestock men face to face with opportunities now in their grasp.  
According to President Colt, the farmers of Oregon and Washington are not raising half enough hogs to take care of even the local market, to say nothing of developing any other. That is one reason why the Swifts will not build a capacity plant until the livestock situation strengthens materially.  
At present local packers cannot buy live hogs in quantities, large enough for the present consumption. Because of this, the local packers are buying live hogs in Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Illinois and Missouri at the rate of from \$50,000 to \$75,000 a month for the Portland trade alone. Add the Tacoma and Seattle business to this, and the sum of money that leaves the Northwest each month to go into the hands of Eastern farmers is increased from \$125,000 to \$150,000.  
For a whole year the figures are even more astounding, for they mount up to \$1,800,000 or \$2,000,000, and every cent of this is slipping through the fingers of the hograisers of Oregon.  
And yet this is only a drop in the bucket to what will be needed when the packers begin their campaign of invasion of the Orient and the Far North. The untold millions of Japanese, Chinese, Koreans, Manchurians and even of far Siberia use enormous quantities of provisions, and the Pacific coast will, when the time comes, be ready to supply this enormous trade far more satisfactorily than it is now being taken care of. But the question cannot be solved until the packers get the livestock.  
Going back to the heavy livestock business that is even now being done with the Central Western states by local packers, there is another element that Oregon farmers are sadly overlooking. The railroads charge a freight rate of 1 1/2 cents per pound for every live hog shipped into this territory. At this rate the monthly freight bill for shipments to Portland, Tacoma and Seattle is close to \$5000 every month, or \$60,000 a year.  
"We would be only too glad to give Oregon farmers this differential," said President Colt yesterday, "if we could only convince them that they are overlooking one of the easiest ways of making money in the whole country. Oregon hograisers might just as well have the hundreds of thousands, yes, millions of dollars that are being paid to livestock men of the Middle Western states for the

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### Decay in Woods.

The Department of Agriculture has issued through the forest service a circular on the subject of "Decay in Woods," in which a strong plea is made for the use of preservative treatment. On the actual saving in dollars and cents through this method the forest post is selected as one of the examples. "The post," says the circular, "is of loblolly pine, and costs, untreated, about 8 cents, or, including the cost of setting, 14 cents. It lasts about two years. Compounding interest at 5 per cent the annual charge of such a post is 7.53 cents; that is, it costs 7.53 cents a year to keep the post in service. Preservative treatment costing 10 cents will increase its length of life to about 18 years. In this case, the total cost of the post, set, is 24 cents, which, compounded at 5 per cent, gives an annual charge of 24 cents. Thus the saving due to treatment is 54 cents a year. Assuming that there are 200 posts a mile, there is a saving each year for every mile of fence of a sum equivalent to the interest on \$219.69."

### Reduced Rates.

For Tri-State Interscholastic Track Meet and Delegation Contest, and responses Whitman College, Walla Walla, April 30, May 1, the O. R. & N. Co. will make rate of one and one third fare for round trip. Sales dates April 29, 30, May 1. Continuous passage in each direction. Final return limit May 2.

### For Assessor on Democratic Ticket.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of assessor, subject to the will of the Democrats of Morrow county.

S. J. LEEZER.

### TREASURER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL outstanding Morrow county warrants registered prior to and including December 29, 1906, will be paid upon presentation at the office of the treasurer of said county. Interest ceases after date of this notice. This call is for \$12,000.  
E. G. NOBLE,  
Treasurer of Morrow County.