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PROMISE OF BETTER SERVICE

Telephone System to be Improved.

E. C. Maddock who has returned from a visit to Portland informs the Gazette that the manager of the Portland Telephone and Telegraph Co., gave promise and substantial assurance that the telephone system in Heppner would be greatly improved in the not far-distant future.

It is the intention of the company to add another wire, put on another operator and install continuous service.

Improvement, over the old time bad service with which Heppner people have been forced to put up with will be a relief, especially with the local distance service.

Farewell Party.

Mrs. Mary A. Neville, clerk, was the recipient of a very pleasant farewell party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Yeager, last Saturday evening. Mrs. Neville was presented with a silver tray on which was engraved the names of 30 neighbors of Maple Circle, No. 259, Women of Woodcraft. Following were present: Neighbors Florence, Clingan, Hale, Kliney, Richardson, Mills, Kline, Summerfield, Cox, Slocum, Goff, McFerrin, Lichtenhal, Hall, Gordon, Luper, Freeland, Hyland, Stephenson, Pennell, Swaggart, Yeager, Gray, Camner, Neville.

La Grand Observer: When we get our several irrigation projects constructed, which time will provide, we will look back upon our present condition and smile over our lawsuits over water rights. We have an abundance of water to irrigate every foot of Grand Ronde. It is simply a question of storing it.

SEVEN FINE REGISTERED COLLIE DOGS FOR SALE—Male for \$8; female for \$5. Three of the puppies 1 year old, balance 4 months. All sired by Kind Hunter, \$3202, Vol. XXI, A. K. C. Stud book, V. let Flora, \$3294, same book. Dam, Address S. Ban. 24 Third St., North, Portland, Or. Oel

We have several parties who are looking for homestead locations or relinquishments, also some good timber claims. If you know of any good homestead or timber claims, it will pay you to write us. Address, Aetna Realty Co., 225 Falling Blg., Portland, Oregon.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Slocum Drug Co.

J. MAN FOO

Chinese Root and Herb Doctor. He is an experienced compounder of Chinese Medicines. He treats successfully all private, nervous and chronic diseases, also blood, stomach, heart, lung, liver, kidney, female weakness, catarrh and all diseases of the body by the use of roots and herbs, especially prepared for each case. If you can call at his office, write for home treatment. Consultation free. J. Man Foo, successor to Hong Wo Tong Chinese Medicine Co., 117 W. Second St., Albany, Oregon.

Pacific Lodging House

C. N. SHINN, Prop.
Good clean rooms, none better in town.

Come and Stop With Us
MAIN STREET, HEPPNER, ORE.

SMUT TREATMENT FOR GRAIN

Some Practical Suggestions Offered.

To the Editor of the Heppner Gazette:

So many times I have been asked what causes smut, what is smut and how should wheat be treated to prevent smut.

I will endeavor to answer the above question, by publication through the columns of your worthy paper, as I have been informed from reliable sources gathered here and there.

Smut is a live plant, a parasite, growing on other plants like wheat, barley, oats, etc., of which the smut is the seed or germ. Everything that lives and grows has some place where the conditions are favorable for its growth and development and when conditions become unfavorable the life of that particular thing is extinct.

Vitriol water is death to the smut germ; but I have learned from many wheat growers in Morrow county that they do not use the vitriol as I would suggest. We must admit that dry wheat in bags can be left uncovered and take much rain and not absorb enough moisture to prevent wheat from being merchantable, at least in this climate, and yet they expect every part of every kernel to be surrounded by vitriol water by five minutes immersion in a sack in a barrel.

I say it will not do. Wheat in a sack in a barrel is so closely packed that every kernel must, at some point, touch other kernels so closely as to prevent the vitriol water passing between, and if at this point there is a smut seed kept from contact with the water it would not be killed.

By pouring wheat in the vitriol water every kernel is completely surrounded by water, especially if you stir it well. Build a trough, say fourteen or sixteen inches wide twelve inches deep and ten or twelve feet long. Place twenty to twenty five pounds of vitriol in a grain bag and place it in one end of the trough. Fill trough with six inches of water. Pour in a sack of wheat, stir well, skim off the white caps, straws and other refuse. At one end of the trough place a drain board, scoop up the wheat and allow the same to drain, the water passing back into the trough.

In this country we find very little foreign substance in the wheat in the way of wild seeds. One man can vitriol and skim more wheat in this manner than he could clean with a fanning mill and more than he could vitriol in a barrel and the wheat is left in good condition for the drill in its passage down the tubes for seeding. And I would further suggest that the sacks in which the wheat is placed after vitrioling should be immersed in vitriol water. As there may be smut germs sticking to the sack, especially second hand sacks.

It don't pay to raise smut. There is danger to explosion of threshing outfits, disagreeable to work in and a loss in the price of the grain. Hundreds of dollars would be saved to growers of this county in using more precaution in an endeavor to kill the smut, which seems that the conditions in this county are favorable to the growth of smut.

Respectfully yours,
R. W. HICKOK.

HIGH PRICES PREDICTED

One Dealer Believes \$1.25 Will Rule.

"My private opinion is that wheat will go to \$1.25 a bushel this winter," said A. F. Benson, manager of the Wasco Warehouse & Milling company, The Dalles, when in Portland on a short business trip, says the Journal.

"The fact that they are paying more in England for cargoes today than for December wheat tells me that there is going to be some strong values, but, of course, it is only my own private opinion. I might be wrong."

Mr. Benson has been connected with the wheat trade for the past 35 years, having been with the firm of G. W. McNear in San Francisco for many years. He came to Portland a couple years ago and until becoming manager of the Wasco Warehouse & Milling company was in the employ of A. Berg, wheat exporter of this city. "I believe wheat will bring \$1.25," continued Mr. Benson, "but will add that if anything goes wrong with the Argentine crop, then our wheat will be worth every cent of \$1.50 a bushel."

Expert Dry Goods Man.

Marquardsen's big department store has secured the services of Mr. R. C. Reiersen, an expert dry goods man from Portland.

Mr. Reiersen was formerly a member of the firm of Reiersen & Cremer, the well known expert handlers of merchandise. He thoroughly understands his business and Mr. Marquardsen is certainly fortunate in being able to secure the services of Mr. Reiersen.

How to Avoid Appendicitis.

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes.

A Beon to Elderly People.

Most elderly people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs, corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. Slocum Drug Co.

Klamath Indians living in the vicinity of Ya-nax are preparing to build a Methodist church on Whiskey creek to cost \$1,200.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Oregon, prohibiting the running at large of animals within Morrow county, have taken up and have in my possession at my place 1 1/2 miles west of Hardman, Morrow County, Oregon, the following described animal:

Iron gray horse, weighing about 200 pounds; right hind leg white almost to hock; left hind leg white to fetlock; left front foot partly white; branded J. H., connected, on right shoulder, age about 6 years.

The owner or owners of said animals are hereby notified that unless the same is claimed within the proper time or manner, that I will on the 2nd day of October, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at my said farm sell the said described animal in the manner and for the purposes provided by law.
Dated this 17th day of September, 1908.
Spt17 24 JOHN A. ADAMS.

A brass band has been organized at Monument with 13 pieces.

Oregon horses as well as men always get to the front.

Clatskanie has voted \$5,000 bonds for crushed rock streets.

Monmouth Herald: If the people of this valley would pay one tenth as much attention to apples as is given them at Hood River we would soon be getting a stream of dollars that would equal that received in the long ago for wheat.

Barring a frost soon, a man near Milton will have a second crop of young roasting ears for his table. He raised one fine crop this year, and found it good, so he ate it all and fed the fodder to the cow, then he put in another crop which is now in tassel and gives promise of yielding abundantly.

That the government will take hold of the proposition of irrigating the high plateau lands of the Madras section is one of the possibilities of the future, and that this possibility is by no means a remote one is evidenced by the fact that government engineers are in the field now investigating the feasibility of the project, says the Pioneer.

Fennell has his photo gallery open and ready for business in the old Siggbee and will do all kinds of work in that line at prices reasonable. For the next 15 days with each dozen of our best work, will give an enlarge picture, 10x20.

For Third District Fair at Pendleton, September 28 to October 3, the O. R. & N. Co. will sell round trip tickets from Heppner for \$5. Selling dates from September 27 to October 3, inclusive. Return limit October 4.

Card of Thanks.

I take this method to hereby express my heartfelt thanks to all the good friends who so kindly assisted during the sickness and death of my wife.

MATT HUGHES.

Ingrateable at Home

Lots of men and women who are agreeable with others, get "cranky" at home. It's not disposition, it's the liver. If you find in yourself that you feel cross around the house, little things worry you, just buy a bottle of Ballard's Hecbine and put your liver in shape. You and everybody around you will feel better for it. Price 50 cents per bottle. Patterson & Son.

Baby's Best Friend

are made by all soothing syrups and baby medicines that contain opium and narcotics. McGee's Baby Remedy contains no injurious or narcotic drugs of any kind. A sure and safe cure for disordered stomachs, bowels and fretfulness—splendid for teething infants. Patterson & Son.

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold

A. S. Nusbaum, Bayosville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success." Slocum Drug Co.

Farmers Attention!

Before sowing your grain I would be pleased to make you an offer. Grain purchased in all houses on the Heppner and Columbia Southern branches. Respectfully yours,
PACIFIC COAST ELEVATOR CO.
By R. W. HICKOK.

Attention, Asthma Sufferers!

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Slocum Drug Co.

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WE ARE GROWING

Gain in Deposits, month of January.....	\$1,017.53
" " " " February.....	8,503.01
" " " " March.....	10,396.63
" " " " April and May.....	51,646.48
Total gain for first five months, 1908.....	\$80,572.50

NOT BAD FOR THE DULL SEASON.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior,
Serial No. 6718
United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon,
August 10, 1908
Notice is hereby given that Adison M. Moore, of Heppner, Oregon, who on April 30th, 1903, made Homestead Entry, No. 12823, 6758, for W 1/4 NE 1/4 W 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 24, Township 3, South Range 78, East Willamette Meridian; has filed notice of intention to make final Five Year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on the 25th day of September, 1908.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Edward Palmer, of Lexington, Oregon; Malton Haworth, William S. Straight and Samuel Haworth, all of Heppner, Oregon.
Aug 12 Sept 17 F. C. BRAMWELL, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION (Isolated Tract).
Public Land Sale
Serial No. 6294
United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
August 7, 1908
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906, Public No. 203, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 23rd day of September next, at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit: SE 1/4 NE 1/4 E 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 9, Tp. 3, S. R. 23 E. W. M.
Any persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the day above designated for sale.
Aug 12-Sept 17 C. W. MOORE, Register.

The Heppner Gazette—the news of Morrow County; The Weekly Oregonian—the news and thought of the world. Both at a special price. Inquire or address The Gazette, Heppner, Or.

Call at the Gazette office and learn of our clubbing offer with the Weekly Oregonian.