

# The Heppner Gazette

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## THE CROCKERY OPPORTUNITY.

In a short time the valley will be filled with eastern home seekers brought here by the railroads as the good old summer time draws near. This is a good time for some of our grouchy citizens to reform and acquire the habit of keeping still when inclined to say something uncomplimentary about the city or county, or about those people whom they may dislike. Lots of fairly good people are given to expressing doubt of this, and the other situation, and by dropping a word at the wrong time can do irreparable harm. Thought should be given to this and care taken that no stranger within the gate shall meet with an expression that is not enthusiastic. It is a good enough city and county, to live in, it's sufficiently good to speak well of at any and all times. The citizen who cannot speak glowingly of his home town, and is unwilling to keep his grouch to himself, should hike out for some other place. Corvallis will be glad to pay their travelling expenses of any and all of these. Fortunately they are few, but there are a goodly number who could well afford to let a little more enthusiasm soak into their systems. This is a good time to practice up; put on a cheery smile for a while, and let it get well set, and then it won't wear off. Such a smile is a cash asset.—Corvallis Daily Gazette-Times.

What is true in Corvallis and Benton County is likewise true of Heppner and Morrow County.

According to latest despatches the Executive Committees of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines have voted to continue double-tracking their lines from the Missouri river to San Francisco, and also to double-track the Oregon Short Line from its junction with the Union Pacific main line at Granger, Wyo., to Huntington, Ore. and the line along the Columbia river to Portland. These improvements contemplate an outlay of \$75,000,000, and will be distributed over a period of five years. Another report, which appears to carry with it some weight of plausibility, is that the O.W.R. & N. Co. is about to move in the matter of extending the Heppner branch through to Vale thereby shortening the distance between Portland and Granger at least 100 miles and saving five or six hours time.

The company, as we understand already has the right of way and preliminary surveys have been made. If this change is made all fast through trains will pass this way, and it will prove a decided benefit to Morrow county. To our way of thinking this change must come some time and the sooner the better. Meantime let Morrow County grow! Don't klick but Boosr.

The very wide extent of the work of the Oregon Agricultural College is shown in the report just submitted by President Kerr touching the activity of the college during the two year period of 1908-1910. He shows that during the past biennium, more than 88,000 persons have actually participated in the work carried on by the college or under its direction. Many thousands more have been supplied with bulletins issued by the college, circulars and personal correspondence. This shows what a great factor this institution is in advancing the agricultural, horticultural and livestock interests of the state.

Well, we are in for it good and strong and no mistake. This is ground-hog day and he fixed us a plenty. After all this mild winter weather which came to such a glorious termination in a good, soaking rain last night and left mother earth wrapped in a beautiful blanket of snow this morning, the only ground hog in town crawled out of his hole, cast his eyes around him, saw his shadow, and lo, the great transaction was done. We are doomed to six weeks of winter yet to come and there is no help for it.

## Died.

Postmaster Wallace W. Smead received the sad intelligence of the death of his mother, Mrs. A. M. Lucas, at her home in Corning Cal. on Friday last.

Mrs. Lucas was 76 years of age at the time of her death. She was a pioneer resident of Oregon, coming to this state by ox team in 1864, and settled near Eola, Polk county. About fifteen years ago she moved to California where she has since resided.

Mr. Smead was unable to attend his mother in her last hours as he received word of her fatal illness too late.

## Card of Thanks

Mrs. D. A. Herren and family desire to thank the neighbors, friends, and members of the Odd Fellows Lodge for the kind services rendered during their recent bereavement.

Herman Goetsch, better known as Joe Bush, died at the Kelly ranch last Friday evening. He was herding for S. P. Devin and his death occurred suddenly. The remains were buried at the Masonic cemetery on Sunday. So far as known the man had no relatives in this country.

Enhance the value of your own property by building up home institutions. Give your life insurance and accident and health insurance to a home company and a home man. See L. W. Briggs and investigate his propositions before insuring. j26-tf.

See the bargain table of crockery at Gilliam & Bisbee's.

All work guaranteed—Heppner Steam Laundry.

## \$10.00 Reward!

I will pay \$10.00 reward for information leading to the recovery of a brown horse, weight about 1000 lbs., white hind feet, strip in face, broke to work and ride, branded horizontal B on left shoulder. Last seen near the Jim Hayes place on Rhea creek.

R. J. CARNSER, Spray, Oregon.

## For Sale!

A full-blooded, draft stallion. This animal can be seen at the Telephone Stables in Heppner after Feb. 1st. Can be seen now at ranch of Jas. Carty, Wells Springs. Age four years—proven good foal getter.

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## Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Heppner Mining Co., will be held at the office of Sam E. Van Vactor, in Heppner, Oregon, on the second Tuesday of February, 1911, being the 14th day of February, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m. This meeting is for the purpose of electing officers and for any other business that may appear.

D. B. STALTER, Pres.  
EDGAR B. AYERS, Sec.  
Dated at Heppner, Oregon, January 10, 1911.

## ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF MORROW COUNTY, OREGON.

In the Matter of the Estate of STANFORD HOWELL, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Stanford Howell, deceased, by the County Court of Morrow County, Oregon, and has duly qualified as such administratrix. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at the office of my attorney, Sam E. Van Vactor, in Heppner, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated and first published this 5th day of January, A. D. 1911.

ADALINE HOWELL, Administratrix.

Sam E. Van Vactor, Attorney for Administratrix.

Jan5-Feb2

## RANCH FOR SALE.

I am offering for sale my ranch at the head of Big Buttercreek. This includes lands, sheep, all stock, implements, etc. Terms, one-half cash, balance to suit purchaser. Inquire of G. B., or F. F. Hufford, Heppner, Or.

## For Sale.

One Missouri Mammoth Jack. Very fine animal, thoroughly warranted. Apply at this office. d29-tf.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at LaGrande, Oregon, Dec. 29th, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that HENRY S. CRUMP, of Heppner, Oregon, who, on February 9th, 1904, made Homestead Entry No. 13336, Serial No. 04061, for SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 24, Township 2 South, Range 27 East Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five-year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Patterson, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on the 21st day of February, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alex. Cornett, Thomas Matlock, Fred Crump, and John H. Williams, all of Heppner, Oregon.  
F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.  
Jan5-Feb9

The Palace Hotel employs none but white labor. Best meals in town. Try them for your Sunday dinner.

BRAN AND MILLFEED, \$24.00 per ton, Shorts \$25.00 per ton at our store on Main street. This is less than it costs to ship in the same grade of feed. Compare our prices and you will patronize home industry. M. W. M. Co.

## Hardman Notes.

H. Scherzinger was here Saturday hunting a good shepard.

The snow has disappeared and feeding ceased. Hay if not worthy of mention.

Retha, the six year old daughter of J. C. Owen, is wrestling with an attack of pneumonia.

Harry Giese reports Hermiston in a flourishing condition. He is one of those loyal boosters.

Joe Howell is nursing a very sore thumb. He met with an accident and lost a part of that member.

Deputy Sheriff Wright hied away to the southwest portion of the county last Monday, on legal business.

Mrs. Albert Bawker is improving as rapidly as can be expected. The danger line is now thought to be passed.

Ed Giese came from Spray last week to be with his sister, Mrs. Bawker. Ed's face has all turned to smiles. He is now papa in the first degree.

Dr. Geo. G. Ggint has opened a drug store in the corner building of the Zolinger block. He will carry a full line of drugs. The doctor has come to stay, and the successful manner in which he has handled the cases coming under his care proves that he will make good.

While the boosters are making things hum, they don't want to forget that we of the Hardman country are on the map. Our farmers have taken several ribbons on oats, wheat and other grains, as well as fruit. Besides we can raise potatoes enough to supply the inhabitants of the Emerald Isle.

While the cities are all cleaning up and striving for things beautiful, would it not be a good time for the whole county to catch the spirit and clean up the roads, put a stop to rubbish of every description being dumped into that sixty feet of county thoroughfare. A source of danger as well as an eye sore would thus be removed.

MINION.

No better selection could be made by Governor Bowerman than the appointment of Sam Van Vactor of Heppner to succeed Bert Phelps as district attorney. This appointment meets with the approval of almost every man in Eastern Oregon. Mr. Van Vactor is a Democrat, a good lawyer and one fully suited to the important position.—Condon Times.

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