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The Famous Bunch Grass Country

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DROWNED IN WATER DITCH

Baby Dies Within Ten Feet of Kitchen Door

Infant Son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coleman on Miles Place Falls Into Hole

On the S. W. Miles ranch near Lostine, a chubby baby boy, the darling of his mother's heart, was drowned Saturday within 10 feet of the door of the kitchen within which the loving mother was attending to her household duties.

The little one was the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coleman, who reside on the Miles ranch. Mrs. Coleman had been keeping a close watch on her baby as he played about the door, but her work claimed her attention elsewhere for a few minutes, about a half hour before noon. The tot went to a water ditch where there was a hole large enough to let a bucket down and that was usually covered with a lid. The baby fell into the hole and was drowned, his frail hold on life being gone beyond resuscitation when the accident was discovered, though everything was done that could be done.

The funeral of the baby was held from the home Sunday, Rev. N. J.

Thompson of Enterprise conducting the services. The heart-broken mother fainted twice, and was so near total collapse that the singing had to be dispensed with. The burial was in Lostine cemetery.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved parents in their great affliction.

Death of An Old Citizen

William Moore, an old and respected resident of Lostine, died last Saturday morning, Sept. 14, 1907, after a long illness. Funeral services were held Sunday, conducted by Rev. N. J. Thompson of Enterprise, and were very largely attended, the cortege being one of the largest ever seen in Lostine.

Mr. Moore was born in Dixon county, Tenn., Sept. 30, 1830. When he was a small child the family moved to Indiana where he lived till manhood. He was married there in 1853 to Irena Milligan and the next year moved to Monroe county, Iowa. Four sons, Perry, Dee, John and Sheldon, were born there. With his family he moved to Kansas in 1866 where his wife died. He came to Oregon in 1895, where he has since resided. He leaves to mourn his loss his four sons, of whom Perry, the eldest, lives in Alberta, and Dee, John and Sheldon are residents of this county.

The deceased was a member of the Christian church, which he joined in 1878 and has lived a consistent christian life ever since. The sons who so faithfully nursed him through this last long illness were the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

Soldiers In Camp At Wallowa Lake

The Enterprise Band Boys and Ladies Hear Practice Concert

Parts of troops B and D, Fourteenth U. S. Cavalry, under the command of Colonel Godwin, passed through Enterprise Tuesday on their way to the head of Wallowa lake for a few days camp. In all about 150 men and officers composed the detachment, which left Fort Walla Walla September 10 on a practice march. It will break camp Saturday and come to Enterprise where the regimental band gives a concert in the opera house that night and the detachment will camp here for a day. The soldiers will reach the fort about October 1.

The commissary is of majestic proportions for so small a detachment and is hauled by about \$15,000 worth of Missouri's pride—32 span of mules.

The regimental band is one of the very best in the entire army. Through the courtesy of J. C. Shackelford, proprietor of the Enterprise livery, about 15 members of the local band and eight or ten ladies had the pleasure of hearing the practice concert by the military band at the camp from 5 to 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. Mr. Shackelford took the party up in the big band wagon. Aside from a few slight mishaps and the excessive cordiality of one or two citizens of Joseph, the entire party enjoyed the drive and concert immensely.

figures. The men under Pace's banner say they will lead the savages a merry pace, while the latter are dieting on raw beef and by Sunday will be savage enough to eat pacers or runners either. The line up follows:

Pacers		Savages
Woodell	P	Forsythe
Rodgers	c	Poulson
Burnaugh	1 b	Johnson
Brady	2 b	Bauer
Boswell	3 b	Vest
Pace	ss	Savage
Oakes	c f	French
Zurcher	1 f	Weaver
Browning	r f	Putnam

The game will start at 2:30 p. m. The receipts will be used to buy arnica and court plaster.

COURT HOUSE NOTES

Clark's Brother Here.

Mr. Clark of Heppner of Oregon was in Enterprise the last week. He came to investigate the truth of the grave charge against his brother, George B. Clark, who is confined in the county jail accused of attempted assault on his 12 year old daughter. Mr. Clark of Heppner is quoted as saying he would give no assistance to his brother if he was satisfied that the charge is true, but if it was persecution he would aid in the defense of the accused.

New Citizens

John Higgon of Imnaha and Frank Todd of Joseph are applicants for final papers as citizens of the United States. Under the new naturalization law, names of applicants for final papers must be posted in the circuit clerk's office for 90 days. Mr. Higgon is a native of South Wales and came to the United States in 1852. Mr. Todd was born in England but has been a resident of this country since 1890. The court will pass on their applications November 12. Oliver Hepburn and W. T. Estes of Joseph vouch for Mr. Todd, and Sheppard Morgan and L. Lloyd of Imnaha for Mr. Higgon.

Hans Peter Jensen of Lostine made application on September 14 for his first papers. He was a subject of King Frederick VIII of Denmark.

New Suits Filed

W. K. Stubblefield vs. Agnes Stubblefield. Divorce. W. F. Rankin vs. Olen Reel and Elben F. Dotson. Attachment.

W. F. Rankin, by his attorneys Burleigh & Boyd, has brought suit against Frank H. Pierce for the recovery of money.

Marriage Licenses

Sept. 14—Roy Bishop and Myrtle Carpenter.

Convenience for Farmers

The farmers who come to town on milling business appreciate clean and commodious bunk house and stable that have been provided for the free use of its patrons by the Enterprise mill. The bunk house is made warm and comfortable by stove. The company deserves commendation for its enterprise.

Cavalry Band To Give Concert

The management of the opera house is to be congratulated upon its enterprise in securing for a concert on Saturday evening the Fourteenth United States Cavalry Band and Concert company, from Fort Walla Walla, Washington. The Fourteenth Cavalry band is the leading military band of the Pacific Coast and the equal of any similar band in the United States. Its leader, Professor Osterman, is one of the noted musicians of the age and it is due to his personality that the organization has attained a position in the first rank of the military bands of the world. The program will be made up of a pleasing variety of solo and ensemble work and will be of a popular nature such as is sure to please everybody. It is safe to say that no such treat has ever before been offered the people of Wallowa county and the News-Record feels safe in predicting that the opportunity will be appreciated by them and the concert liberally patronized.

BEEF ROUND-UP FINISHED

Cattlemen Rejoicing Over Good Sales

Snake River Owners Bring In Fine Bunch--Steers Bringing \$40 Per Head

Hass Brothers brought in their cattle Friday morning. It was a nice looking bunch and brought the top of the market. Buyers from Portland, Seattle, Spokane and Pomeroy have been active the past week and have paid 3½¢ for steers and 2½¢ for cows, or around \$40 a head for 3-year old steers and \$25 for cows.

Mike Tomlinson, Ben Johnson, Mace, Wilson and Horner, Snake river cattlemen, brought in 300 head of splendid stock this week.

The annual beef roundup is completed and the cattlemen are all smiles, for many thousands of dollars will soon swell their bank accounts. The cowboys are in town in goodly numbers and are enjoying their vacation.

W. H. Graves bought a fine bunch of breeding ewes from R. F. Stubblefield this week.

MARKET REPORT

The Enterprise mill is paying 60 cents a bushel for milling wheat. The receipts are light as threshing is still in progress.

Rye is quoted on the local market by one dealer at 85 cents per owt., but the market is uncertain; oats \$1 per owt.

Enterprise mill flour per 50 pounds, \$1.25; Lostine \$1.35. Bran 75 cents per owt., shorts \$1.

Bacon is selling at 20c, eastern hams 22c, lard \$1.75 per 10 lb. can.

Chickens are scarce. A few springers offered brought 80c each. Stores are paying 25c for eggs and retailing them at the same price. Creamery butter sells at 35c and ranch at 25c per pound.

Potatoes are of excellent quality and net the grower a cent a pound; beets 1c; cabbage 2c.

Apples are retailing as low as 2 bits a box; plums 1½¢ per pound.

Interest In County Fair

Secretary O. F. Mays, of the county fair, reports a general inquiry from all parts of the county, showing great interest and auguring well for the success of the third annual exhibition that will be held at Lostine, October 9-11.

ENTERPRISE OPERA HOUSE

One night only
Saturday Evening
Sept. 21

The Management wishes to announce

GRAND CONCERT

by the
Fourteenth United States Cavalry Band and Concert Company

The leading Military band of the Pacific Coast

Usual Popular Prices

Reserved seats now on sale at Burnaugh & Mayfield's

NEGLECT RUINS 100 WATCHES

Where use wears out one. Keep your watch clean, and it's as natural for it to go as it is for your heart to beat. Let it get dirty and stay dirty—and you are shortening its life every day. You should hand it to our repair department. Then when you get it again you are handed back practically a new watch. This is printed for the benefit of you and your watch. As for Jewellery, no matter what the condition of your purse, something satisfactory can be purchased. Come in and see our line. Remember the place.

Wheat's Jewelry Store

ENTERPRISE

OREGON

Second-Hand Store

RODGERS BROS. Proprietors

Dealers in New and Second-hand goods, Bicycles and Bicycle Repairs. Furniture Repaired, Upholstering done. Counters, Show Cases, Store fixtures, and Old Mission Furniture made to order. All goods called for and delivered any place in town. We are located in the Enterprise Restaurant Building, west side of the city square. Call in and see us.

Enterprise - Oregon

Joseph - Elgin Stage Co.,

Incorporated
Tariff and Rate Sheet of Fares From Enterprise to Joseph.

Effective on and after September 1, 1907.

One Way	Round Trip
Enterprise to Joseph	\$.75
" " Lostine	1.00
" " Wallowa	1.75
" " Canyon House	2.50
" " Elgin	4.00

Baggage allowance 40 pounds for each full paid fare. Excess baggage rates same as old tariff.

Makes connections with stages at Wallowa for Promise on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. For Flora, Paradise and Anatone, Wash., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Carries U.S. Mail and Express. Connects with Stages at Enterprise for Imnaha on regular days. Stopover privileges given on round trip rates.

F. D. McCully
E. W. Rumble

Pres.
Mgr.

Big Ball Game

Billed for Sunday

Two Local Nines Will Battle for Enterprise Championship

There will be something doing at the Enterprise baseball grounds next Sunday afternoon and the whole town will be out. Two home-made ball clubs will fight it out for supremacy, one captained by W. E. Savage and the other by Arthur Pace. While the rivalry is friendly, it is none the less intense and heavy wagers have already been laid on the score reaching triple