

### Wants By and For Wallowa County Readers

#### WANTED.

FORTY THOUSAND POUNDS Barley, W. J. Funk & Co., Enterprise, Or.

SADDLE PONY by E. G. Potter, Enterprise, Or.

#### FOR SALE.

FIRST CLASS JERSEY milk cow, Inquire of C. H. Zuecher.

GOOD FRESH milk cow, bright clean Timothy and Rye hay out of barn. Seed oats and Rye-feed barley. Three miles southwest of Enterprise. R. D. Sanford.

SINGLE DRIVING HORSE and buggy. Terms of sale made known on application. J. W. Bunkin, Enterprise.

BROWN LEGHORN COCKERELS—Pure bred. 41 each. W. T. Bell, Enterprise, Or.

FIFTY TONS timothy and wheat hay; 1500 bushels good seed oats, O. H. Burrows, on the J. D. Halsey place.

CLEAN SKED RYE, delivered anywhere in Enterprise for \$1 per cwt. D. C. CONNER, Enterprise.

#### STRAYED OR STOLEN.

SIX HORSES from school flat range, north-east of Lostine: One brown saddle mare branded on stifle "15"; one chestnut sorrel mare with saddle marks; two bay yearlings branded half circle on right shoulder; two mare colts unbranded, one black, other buckskin. Brown and chestnut mares are crippled. Seen near Elliott's about December 20. \$300 reward for arrest and conviction of person or persons who took the above animals. M. O. Courtney, Lostine, Ore.

#### LODGE DIRECTORY.

- I. O. O. F.—Enterprise Lodge, No. 163, Emerald Robokah Lodge, No. 119.
- K. of P.—Enterprise Lodge, No. 94, Juanita Temple, No. 7, Pythian Sisters.
- MASONIC—Enterprise Chapter, No. 30, Royal Arch Masons, meets first and third Tuesdays of each month in Masonic Hall. All visiting Royal Arch Masons welcome.
- J. B. OLSEN, High Priest, D. W. SHEAHAN, secretary.
- Wallowa Lodge, No. 82, A. F. & A. M., meets second and fourth Saturdays of each month in Masonic Hall. Visiting Masons welcome.
- C. H. ZUECHER, W. M. W. C. BOATMAN, Secretary.
- Wallowa Valley Chapter, No. 50, O. E. S., meets first and third Saturdays of each month, in Masonic Hall. Visiting Stars are always welcome.
- OLIVE LOCKWOOD, W. M. DANIEL BOYD, Sec.
- M. W. A.—Eagle Camp, No. 1047, M. W. A. Emerald Camp, No. 352, R. N. of A.
- W. O. W.—Enterprise Camp, No. 535, W. of W. Almo's Circle, No. 278, W. of W.

Preferred stock canned goods at the R. S. & Z.

## COUNTY HIGH TO MEET THE DALLES

### Debate On Government Ownership of Railroads at Cherry City, February 28.

Wallowa County High School Debating team will debate with The Dalles team at The Dalles, February 28, on government ownership of railroads; the same subject debated with Pendleton a few weeks ago. The local team has been assigned the negative side by the executive committee at Eugene that has charge of the state debating league. The Dalles appealed to the committee to meet some other team than Wallowa County High, but the decision is against them. As a foot-warmer the committee gave The Dalles team the affirmative, the same side they had in the debate with Hood River, while Wallowa County High must prepare on the opposite side from that they had with Pendleton.

#### County High School Notes.

Judge Corkins, chairman of the high school board, spent the whole day Thursday in visiting the different departments of the high school. Supt. John W. Kerns was present a short time on Monday.

Next week will be given a brief account of the high school paper which will be issued next month. This paper will be prepared by the composition and rhetoric classes. The expense will be met by advertising and subscriptions.

There was a lively time at the meeting of the literary society Friday. For several days candidates for the heads of the different departments of the high school paper had been discussed. Thursday after school, the students held a direct primary and nominated candidates for the different offices. There were three parties, Republican, Democratic and Independent. When the society met Friday, then began the speechmaking and electioneering. After the speeches had been made for and against the candidates, the president, Miss Eula Forsythe, instructed the members to vote for those who are best qualified to fill the offices. The Australian ballot system was used, and the following candidates elected: Business manager, Ivan Jackson; head of literary department, Vernon Corkins; head of debate department, Effie Hank; head

of athletic department, Irvin French; head of social department, Eula Forsythe; head of social department, Vance Thomas; head of exchange department, Asa Craig. Miss Amy Olmsted was elected editor-in-chief at a previous meeting.

The following persons were present at the literary meeting Friday: Mr. Oakes, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Burnham, Mr. Lewis and son.

#### 8th Grade Graduates.

In addition to the 10 pupils of the Enterprise schools, whose names have heretofore been published, the following pupils of other schools in the county passed successfully the recent 8th grade examinations: Victoria Ready, Joseph Harley Courtney, Lostine; Birdie McCubbin, Lostine; Chas. Womack, Lostine; Roland Maxwell, Wallowa; Lulu McNeese, Wallowa; Julia Marvin, Wallowa; Edith Fisher, Wallowa; Wilbur Bries, Flora; Florence Bartlett, Bartlett.

## Epworth League Entertainment

The following program will be rendered at the Methodist church Friday evening, February 21, by the Epworth League:

- Music.....Enterprise Orchestra
- Select Reading.....Miss Marie Church
- Song.....Male Quartette
- Recitation.....Miss Jeannette Wiggerodt
- Vocal Solo.....Mrs. J. W. Kerns
- Washington, the Soldier.....Prof. W. M. Sutton
- Vocal Solo.....Miss Kathryn Dufur
- Trombone Solo.....Mr. C. E. Vest
- Recitation.....Miss Venus Thomas
- Music.....Enterprise Orchestra
- Washington, the Statesman.....
- Vocal Solo.....Prof. W. E. Moore
- Piano Duet.....Mrs. E. B. Wheat
- Recitation.....Miss Durur, Mrs. Holmes
- Reading.....Miss Edith Fay
- Vocal Solo.....Mr. E. B. Wheat
- Recitation.....Mr. Ira Pratt
- Recitation.....Miss Mabel Wilson
- Song.....Mabel Quartette
- Music.....Enterprise Orchestra

#### Probate Orders.

Orders of final settlement in the estates of Wm. M. Hepburn and Sarah N. Hepburn were entered by County Judge Corkins, Monday.

#### Re-appointed Game Warden.

Joe Clemons of Zumwalt has received notice of his re-appointment as deputy state game warden of Wallowa county. It is an evidence he has been an efficient officer for there has been a change at Salem and many deputies are being let out.

## LAND NOTICES.

Land notices must be published in the newspaper nearest to the land. Where there are two papers equally near, the applicant may designate the paper. Readers of the News Record, when filing on timber land or making final proof on homesteads, are requested to expressly designate this paper if they desire the notice to be published in it. The News Record is an authorized paper for the publication of land notices.

## WEDDING BELLS.

Miss Eva Hamilton of Innaha and Mr. Max Wilson were married at the Methodist parsonage, Saturday evening. Mr. Wilson's brother and sister were attendants. The groom is a son of County Commissioner and Mrs. W. C. Wilson. He has just completed a term of school at Innaha, and both he and his bride have many friends who wish them a long and happy married life.

Miss Anna Edgmond of Chico and Mr. Frank Roup of Joseph were married in Hotel Enterprise parlors, Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock, by Rev. F. G. Potter. The bride was attended by her mother and a few other relatives witnessed the ceremony.

Miss Angie Ownbey of Hurricane creek and Mr. Jesse Masterson of Eagle Valley were married Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. White of Enterprise, by Rev. F. G. Potter. Three sisters of the bride were present, and the bridal party went at once to the home of her parents where a fine wedding supper was served. They will reside in Eagle Valley.

## Political Pointers.

F. O. Clark of Lostine has submitted petitions for Republican nomination for assessor. He makes No. 7 who is willing to accept the job. Up to Wednesday morning only 134 voters had registered in Enterprise precinct. The other 200 and odd had better see Clerk French or Deputy Boatman if they want to vote. The petition of Wm. M. Ramsey of La Grande as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for circuit judge has been received at the clerk's office.

## JUDGE RAMSEY'S PLATFORM.

If elected Circuit Judge, I will, to the utmost of my ability, discharge my duties honestly, efficiently, and impartially, and decide all cases without regard to the political or religious affiliations of the parties, and treat all attorneys and litigants with courtesy and fairness. All unnecessary delays in transacting the business will be avoided, thereby saving to counties and litigants large sums as costs. I stand, as I always have stood, for the efficient enforcement of all laws, and oppose the nullification of any law or part of a law by granting illegal paroles or discharges. Wm. M. RAMSEY.

## BUTTE ITEMS.

- Miss Myrta Hayes is home after teaching a three months term of school in the Park, near Fruits.
- Born, last week to the wife of C. E. Davis, a daughter.
- Miner Stump is hauling fencing material for Mr. Robbin of Lightning creek.
- Lester Neil and sister, Miss Elsie, visited their father, brothers and sisters, also Mrs. M. Fisk and family of Innaha, last week.
- Chas. Beeman and James Daly are breaking horses for pasture this week.
- H. N. Vaughn has moved his cattle from his ranch here to his ranch on Snake river.
- R. M. Fisk of Innaha passed through on his way to Enterprise Wednesday.
- C. N. Gaylord has been doing some hauling from Joseph to Innaha for his brother, Fred.
- Johnnie Neil came out from Innaha, where he has been attending school, to stay for a while with his brother and sister.
- T. Stump and Mr. Sherman have been sawing wood on Trail creek the last few days.
- James Davis and James Daly returned from Innaha Thursday, where they went to help Harry Vaughn take his cattle.

## FLORA SIFTINGS

Word reached our community Thursday that Chas. Newkirk of Innaha's very bad cold that morning of typhoid pneumonia fever after an illness of only 5 days. He leaves a wife and one small child. Born, to the wife of William Cole, on January 23, a son. Ray Renfro has rented the Conley blacksmith shop and opened up for business today.

## Delinquent Tax Sale.

The delinquent tax sale in Sheriff Blakley's office Saturday was attended by about a baker's dozen of people. There was a great rush of taxpaying for several days prior to the sale, leaving only 79 parcels to be offered, of which only 17 were bid off by private parties.

## Pensions for Veterans.

Pension increases for Wallowa county Civil war veterans: John P. Barnes of Innaha to \$12, W. P. Samms of Enterprise to \$15, Alva A. Keeler of Wallowa to \$15, Milton Simmons of Innaha to \$12, G. L. Benson of Grouse to \$15.

## In New Quarters.

The offices of Burleigh & Boyd, attorneys, and the Wallowa Law, Land & Abstract company were moved this week into the handsome suite of rooms in the new Boyd building on West Main street.

## Teachers Taking An Examination

County Superintendent J. W. Kerns, assisted by Prof. J. C. Conley of Joseph and W. M. Sutton of Enterprise, is holding an examination for state and county papers in the Enterprise public school building this week. There is but one applicant for state paper, G. W. Hall of Enterprise. The following are applicants for county papers: C. H. Allen, T. D. Coblenz, C. R. Edleman, A. H. Holmes, Lotti Holmes and G. W. Paddock, Flora; Claude and Leiah Cole, Lost Prairie; Lois Richman, Grouse; Jennie Hayes and George McPherson, Wallowa; N. D. Burgoyne and F. M. Roup, Promise; P. A. Foster, Joseph; Max Wilson, Innaha; Lulu Ownb y, M. H. Tucker, Boulah M. Frost, Nettie Brock, J. W. Laura and Fannie Weaver, Enterprise; W. E. Smith, Lostine; Victoria Ready.

## DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. D. A. Bridwell died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. V. Cray, at Lostine, Wednesday night of last week. Funeral was held Friday, Rev. F. G. Potter officiating; burial in Lostine cemetery.

## Card of Thanks.

Mrs. W. T. Knapp and family wish to thank the kind friends and neighbors for their kindness and help through the illness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. D. A. Bridwell. MR. AND MRS. W. T. KNAPP AND FAMILY.

## Game Laws.

Any person knowing of any violation of the game or fish laws of the state, or of persons not properly keeping screens over irrigation ditches, are requested to notify JOE CLEMONS, Deputy State Game and Forestry Warden, Zumwalt, Oregon. 421

## T. F. LATHROPE, Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Assessor.

"No favoritism to any individual or section of the county, but a straight assessment on every dollar obtainable."

## LARGEST WOODEN BRIDGE FINISHED

### Span Across Little Salmon River at Troy Opened for Traffic Last Saturday.

The bridge over the Wonaha or Little Salmon river where it empties into the Grande Ronde at Troy, was completed Saturday and is open for traffic. It is the largest single span wooden bridge in the county and probably one of the largest in Oregon, being 114 feet between abutments, with a total length of 135 feet. It is 16 feet wide in the clear.

The bridge was built by Lathrop Bros. of Leap, who began work on December 2, it taking just 167 working days. From five to seven men were employed. The contract price was \$2000 but that included a rock cut for the south abutment that averages 14 feet wide, 14 or 15 feet deep and 137½ feet long. That was the biggest part of the job. The north abutment is 12 feet high. The lumber came from Grouse mills and over 31,000 feet were required. There are two timbers in the bridge each 12x14, and 83 feet long.

Duane Lathrop was in Enterprise Tuesday to report the completion of the bridge to the county court. It is proposed that a party accompany the court to Troy at about the middle of March and hold an appropriate celebration or formal opening of the bridge. The date is set at far ahead as other engagements prevent an earlier one, and also in hopes the road up into Eden will be completed. That work has been delayed owing to the freezing of the ground.

## Grande Ronde Bridge.

The people of Grouse, Eden and adjacent territory are going to circulate a subscription paper and see how much can be raised toward a bridge across the Grande Ronde at the whirlpool, a few hundred yards above the mouth of the Wonaha, and later will petition the court to aid in its construction. This bridge is badly needed. There are natural abutments at the proposed location, and the span would be from 130 to 140 feet.

## No Tax Exemptions.

County Assessor S. F. Pace has received an official letter from Attorney General Crawford in response to an inquiry from Mr. Pace, stating that as the Supreme court in Wallace vs Board of Equalization, 47 Oregon 584, held the homestead's exemption unconstitutional, in his opinion the county assessor should not allow the exemption granted by the last legislature.

## Night Commercial School.

The Commercial class under the management of Prof. and Mrs. Lewis was organized in the public school building on Monday night of this week and the prospect now is that they will have a very pleasant class in Enterprise. Their proposition is as fair as can possibly be made, that is, "If they cannot make good they require no pay." They carry with them the testimonials that in every place they have taught—they have given entire satisfaction. It is a rare opportunity to master the science of book-keeping.



THE GREATEST THING GEORGE WASHINGTON EVER DID WAS TO TELL HIS FATHER THAT HE CUT DOWN THE CHERRY TREE HE SET A GOOD EXAMPLE. IT IS EASY TO TELL THE TRUTH WHEN TELLING THE TRUTH WILL DO YOU NO HARM. BUT ARE THERE NOT MANY WHO TELL FALSEHOODS FOR IMMEDIATE BENEFIT RATHER THAN THE TRUTH? IS THE MAN WHO TELLS YOU THAT HE WILL SELL YOU A SUIT WORTH \$20 FOR \$10 TELLING THE TRUTH? IF IT IS WORTH \$20 WHY DOES HE ASK ONLY \$10? WE MARK OUR GOODS IN PLAIN FIGURES AND SELL YOU A \$10 SUIT FOR \$10, AND CHARGE YOU \$20 FOR A \$20 SUIT. WOULD YOU NOT RATHER DO BUSINESS THIS WAY?

RESPECTFULLY,  
W. J. FUNK & CO.

## We Can Sell

Two more ranches on Prairie Creek, Alder Slope, Middle Valley and Lower Valley. We can sell two first-class stock ranches.

Give us these options and we will not list any more farms until these are sold, giving you the exclusive benefit of our efforts to sell your place.

When you list with us you are sure of a sale

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