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DRY LUMBER and dry slab wood in car lots delivered Enterprise and Joseph. See W. T. Bell, F. D. McCully. 61rt

ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY. Immediate possession of greater part. W. J. Sutton, City. b2m

IN LOSTINE, 120 ft. x 240 ft., city ditch, good frame barn, enclosed with 5 board fence, sidewalks on two sides. Corners on main public road and cross street. Has large alley. Reasonable. Mrs. F. G. Conley, Stayton, Oregon.

Never-slip horseshoes at Keltner's.

WILL CELEBRATE JULY 4 AT TROY

PLAN FOR BIG TIME—NEWSY LETTER FROM GARDEN OF EDEN.

(By Mrs. Adah L. Downing of Wild Rose Home Farm.)

Troy, April 2.—We are having now the real Garden of Eden weather, being cool enough to be bracing, yet warm enough to go without wraps, and just right for field plowing, seeding and garden making. Everyone is as busy as a bee, taking advantage of this delightful time.

The new owners of the old Lewis place on the Grande Ronde river, at the foot of Powwaska mountain, have the place already in cap-a-pie order, neatly planted to vegetables and probably melons. The whole place has an air of order and neatness which would do credit to a suburban tract kept by experts in that line.

The new county road running up from the Grande Ronde river is just southeast of the Lewis place and switches back and forth up Powwaska mountain at a 10 per cent grade in full view of most of the Edenites, which would look like an easy trip to Wallowa city or Enterprise. If the trail from James Downing's farm down to the river to the ford (which is only a short distance from this new county road) was made a little more passable, which ought not to be such a task, as two-thirds of the trail now is not bad. A few large boulders at the ford might have to be blasted out, or some kind of a bridge put across; but if the Eden men would all work together it would not take such a long time to connect with the Powwaska mountain road, and thereby obtain an easier and better market for their produce than heretofore obtainable.

A large band of sheep can be seen feeding on the brakes along the east side of Wildcat creek at the foot of the mountain.

The chairman of the school board of district No. 58 was fortunate enough to secure the services of a Mr. Adams from Wallace, Ida., as teacher, a gentleman of wide experience and an interesting conversationalist. Everyone is well pleased with the selection.

Mrs. Susan Peterson expects to start on a pleasure trip in June. She may visit her son Orick at Eureka Flats, also may take in the Yukon. (Continued on last page.)

To Extend Limits Of Lostine Town

Will Help Solve Depot Road Difficulty—City Election Held Monday.

Lostine, April 9.—The city council is having a new charter drawn up, and the city authorities will have the land surveyed north for an extension of the city limits.

Monday, April 5, was city election, resulting as follows: Councilmen S. L. Magill and R. B. Bowman; marshal, O. L. Pagan.

Margaret Schaut of Wallowa came Tuesday and will assist M. E. Johnston with the Lostine Reporter.

Mrs. J. D. McCully returned Monday, after an absence of several weeks with relatives at outside points.

Mrs. J. O. Kiddle visited with her parents in Wallowa, Wednesday.

Miss Lula Briwell came home Wednesday. She is convalescent from an operation performed by a Wallowa doctor.

L. Couch of Wallowa was in Lostine Wednesday on business.

Winchester 22 short cartridges at 15c per box at the E. M. & M. Co. store.

BRANCH MAY HAVE PASSENGER TRAIN

OFFICIAL STATES NEW SERVICE WILL BE INSTALLED WITHIN 60 DAYS.

A new train service will be in branch within 60 days, according to a railroad official who had a great deal to do with this branch. He has stated to a prominent Wallowa county official that at the date when the mail car and clerk is put on, that in all probability, in fact it was already decided on, to start a passenger train which would make a round trip daily. The freight train would come in one day and go out the next. This arrangement is conditional on the track being placed in such order as to permit of fast running, so the passenger could make the round trip. The ballasting and surfacing is proceeding rapidly with a large force of men at work, and the road will probably be ready to turn over to the operating department in 60 days.

Nothing was stated whether the branch train would stop over night at La Grande or Joseph, but presumably at the former place as that would best expedite the mails. If the train left Joseph in the morning the mails would lay over many hours at La Grande before being forwarded either east or west.

CANDIDATES SCARCE.

The News Record has so far failed to find anyone who will acknowledge he is a candidate for a city office. The convention will be held next Wednesday night in the court room. Byram Mayfield, who has made a good mayor, is urged to be a candidate for re-election. The names of O. M. Corkins, L. W. Riley and J. A. Burleigh are also mentioned for the mayoralty. Three councilmen are to be nominated, but interest as to who they will be is at a low ebb. No one has even announced his candidacy for the three "salaried" offices—recorder, treasurer and attorney.

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STALLION BOOKS. Indispensable records for owners of stallions, description of mares, dates of service, time of payments and all necessary data, printed on good paper and strongly bound in boards with cloth back, for sale at this office, or sent postage prepaid on receipt of price, \$1.

Everybody Coning To Annual Show

Stalls Being Reserved by Horsemen for April 17—Parade and Picture.

Interest in the Fifth Annual Horse and Stock show to be held in Enterprise, April 17, is greater than ever before and there will be far the finest and largest show of stock ever in this county. J. C. Shackelford has received word from horse and stock owners down the valley reserving stalls, also from a number in the hills.

One of the principal features of the show will be the parade followed by a grouping of the animals for a picture for the Portland papers. An innovation this year will be a salesman paid by the management for persons who desire to put any animal up for public bidding.

Committees.

Horses: Wesley Duncan, Joseph; Jack Johnson, The Buttes; H. C. Zumwalt, Zumwalt; J. C. Shackelford and Carl Whitmore, Enterprise; Sam Wade, Lostine; A. A. Greer, John McDonald, Hector McDonald, J. L. Maxwell, Wallowa; J. Q. Conally, Flora; Sam Applegate, Appleton; E. A. Anderson, Elk Mountain.

Cattle.

W. C. Dorrance, Crow Creek; Geo. S. Craig, Enterprise. Sheep: Stickney & German, Joseph; L. C. Johnson, Imnaha; J. H. Dobbin, Prairie Creek. Anyone desiring information in regard to exhibits, speak to your nearest committeeman or write to J. D. Woodell, Enterprise.

GROUSE.

Grouse, March 27.—Weather fine, and farmers all busy preparing their fields for planting the crops on all the lower bench lands. Stock is doing fine in the canyons. Richard Peilissier received a telegram Sunday, that his brother, Joe Peilissier, was shot and killed by a sheep herder in Idaho.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

TWO MARES, one 2-year-old, one 3 year-old, coal black; one bay driving mare, weight about 900 pounds; one black saddle horse with white clip on nose, 8 or 9 years old. All are fresh branded with a crossed J (cross line on stem of letter one-third down from top), on right shoulder. Strayed 2 or 3 weeks ago from our farm between Lostine and Enterprise. Reward for their recovery. Fitzpatrick Brothers, Lostine, Ore. b

WOOL SHRINKAGE NONE IN CONCRETE

ADVANTAGE TO SHEEP OWNERS IN FIREPROOF STRUCTURE—MIXER ARRIVES.

The walls of the big concrete warehouse being erected by the wool-growers are rising rapidly since the arrival of the mixer that Contractor Knapp secured at Baker City. The mixer is a small machine to do so big a work, but it does the work just the same, mixing exactly the right proportion of cement, sand, gravel and water. The power is furnished by a 2-h. p. gasoline engine. Weather favoring the building will be in ample time to store the wool. A prominent woolgrower, who has no stock in the warehouse, said the other day he would pay to store his wool in the concrete building in preference to a wooden one for nothing and then come out ahead, as the absence of shrinkage in the concrete house would more than pay for the storage, let alone the lower insurance rates.

The courthouse foundation is nearly done, and the first story walls at the four corners are being laid. Fourteen residences have been built or started in Enterprise since January 1, and the building season has not opened yet.

The W. J. Funk & Co. warehouse is being moved to the lot west to clear the ground for the fine stone business block Sam Litch will erect. Realty Deals. Fred Wagner has returned from Astoria where he sold some property for Mrs. Homan.

The Enterprise Real Estate company has sold the Frank Fountain lumber claim of 160 acres northeast of Wallowa to J. H. Hinnaugh.

FINE DISPLAY OF GOODS IN ENLARGED STORE

The recently completed addition to G. I. Ratcliff's furniture store enables him to make far better display of his big and splendid stock—undoubtedly the largest and finest lot of furniture, carpets, rugs, wall paper and general house furnishing goods ever in this county. There is lots more light, too, and it is a pleasure to step in and examine the handsome suits and single pieces. Mr. Ratcliff has arranged a rug display rack that is a credit to his ingenuity and should be patented. It holds a dozen or more large art squares hanging their full length, and by an arrangement of ropes and pulley he can lower any one for close examination. He has a very large line of new patterns in axminster, wilton and brussels rugs and art squares.

Card of Thanks.

The family wish to express their thankfulness to the neighbors and friends for their sympathy and kindly assistance during the illness and funeral of the late Paul Melotte.

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