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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER

DASHES FROM HOT LAKE.

E. T. Schluer, of Joseph, was a guest at Hot Lake last week. Mr. Schluer says that while he does not look like an invalid he finds that he feels better after taking a few baths about once every so often.

PLAN TO ORGANIZE TWILIGHT LEAGUE

CITY TO BE DIVIDED INTO FOUR SECTIONS—MUCH GOOD MATERIAL AVAILABLE.

A number of Enterprise baseball fans are agitating the question of dividing the town into four sections the division lines being River and Main streets, and each section is to have a representative team in league, the official name of which is to be the Twilight League.

It is planned to have the games called at about 6 o'clock in the evening and continue until too dark to see. No games have been arranged as yet, but it is the object of the promoters to have the season open for this league about the middle of May, or as soon as the boys can get in shape.

Below we give a few of the great many would-like-to-be stars, and as several more players will undoubtedly turn up soon, we are liable to see some fast ballplaying when the season does open.

Those figured on playing in the Brooklyn, or the southeast division team, are: Pace, French, Clark, Fleener, A. C. Miller, A. J. Miller, Chas. Zurcher, W. W. Zurcher, Joe Bauer, Cramer, Lockwood and Roe.

The aspirants for honors in the Alder View, or southwest division, are: Hug, Savage, Marvin, Will Bauer, E. Rodgers, Poulson, Olmsted, Kerns, Browning and Gally.

Alkali Flats, or the northwest division, will have: Bilyeu, Pidecock, Conoway, F. Sheets, W. Sheets, Bradley, Boatman, Burnaugh, C. Riley and Oakes.

The Hay Diggers, or the northeast division, will have to pick from: Crumpacker, Lee, Hall, Ault, Odie, Craig, DeBole, Boswell, I. Jackson and L. A. Jackson.

As there seems to be more players in the first three divisions than in the last it may be necessary to draft one or two players from those sections to make a complete team for the bunch that the "Hay Diggers" will put in the field.

Official umpires, score keepers and bat and water carriers have not yet been appointed, but the promoters of the several teams are already beginning to talk about what they will do to the other fellows.

First Bees Ever in City. S. T. Daggett delivered a swarm of bees to J. D. Halsey, Thursday, which he says is the first stand of bees ever in Enterprise. Mr. Daggett reports that his bees came through the winter in fine shape.

Call and see our new lines of drygoods, Notions, and Ladies and Misses Ready-to-Wear Suits, Skirts, etc. No two suits alike. E. M. & M. Co.

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DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. Loretta Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Surber of Enterprise, was born Feb. 14, 1869, in Warren county, Iowa, where she grew to young womanhood. She accepted Christ in early life and joined the Methodist church of which she was a faithful member. She was married to William Davis in 1892 and to this union were born eight children, four of whom are living, two girls who are with the father in Missouri and two little boys who are at the home of the grandparents where the mother brought them last July in hopes of benefitting her health, and at which place she passed away, Tuesday morning, April 12. Besides her husband and children she leaves her parents, five brothers and seven sisters to mourn her loss. Funeral services were held at the cemetery Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. E. Trueblood.

6TH ANNUAL SHOW HORSES AND STOCK

WALLOWA COUNTY FINE STOCK ADMIRER BY MANY PEOPLE SATURDAY.

Ideal weather, a large crowd and a superb showing of horses unite in making the sixth annual horse show a perfect success.

There are people and horses from all over the county and no one is disappointed in the fine exhibit. A full list of the horses shown will be given next week.

The band made its first public appearance this season and added no little to the success of the day.

How Tropical Fruits Are Protected.

It may have struck you that most tropical fruits have thick or hard or nauseous rinds, which need to be torn off before the monkeys or birds for whose use they are intended can get at them and eat them. Our northern strawberries, raspberries, currants and whortleberries, developed with a single eye to the pretty robins and finches of temperate climes, can be popped into the mouth whole and eaten as they stand. They are meant for small birds to devour and to disperse the tiny undigested, nutlike seeds in return for the bribe of the soft pulp that surrounds them. But it is quite otherwise with oranges, shaddocks, bananas, plantains, mangoes and pineapples. Those great tropical fruits can only be eaten properly after stripping off the hard and often acid rind that guards and preserves them. They lay themselves out for dispersion by monkeys, toucans and other relatively large and powerful fruit eaters, and the rind is put there as a barrier against small thieves who would rob the sweet pulp but be absolutely incapable of carrying away and dispersing the large and richly stored seeds it covers.—Cornhill Magazine.

A Cat Operation.

"I saw something today that pushes the limit," said a young married man who had just returned from the cat and dog hospital. He had been there to take his wife's pet cat, that had broken her leg.

"What was that?" naturally the wife asked him.

"A cat that was being treated for a mole of its nose. There wasn't a thing on earth the matter with the animal except that it had a tiny mole. The owner of the cat, a fashionably dressed young woman heavy with furs, said it spoiled the animal's beauty. Whoever heard of such a thing? Torturing a poor cat just to have a mole removed from its nose."—New York Press.

Page Sells 1,000 Acres In Imnaha

Choice Stock Ranch Bought By Stevenson and Davis of Joseph Joseph News.

Joseph, April 16—A big land deal was consummated this week when L. G. Page sold his 1,000 acre stock ranch in the Imnaha to Stevenson & Davis of Joseph. In the deal were included 225 head of cattle, work horses and implements.

This ranch is one of the choicest stock ranches of Wallowa county and the purchasers are considered lucky in securing it, as there were three other parties figuring on it. The sale price is not made public, but it is reported to have been over \$15,000.

Mr. Page has moved to Joseph and will erect a new residence soon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lloyd came in from Imnaha this week, so that Mrs. Lloyd could have medical attention. They are attending the horse show at Enterprise today.

Wesley Duncan and Dr. Thompson are showing their fine driving mares and saddlers at Enterprise today.

The four bids for the new school building all exceeded \$30,000 and all were rejected. The architect was asked to revise the plans to bring the cost within \$30,000 and bids will again be called for. The date for the opening of the new bids is May 4.

J. W. Kerns has been engaged to teach the 8th grade of the Joseph schools next term.

Joseph will have a stock show on April 23. Wesley Duncan and J. M. Mitchell of Joseph and Clate Shackelford of Enterprise are the managing committee.

Gorsline & Gorsline brought in a carload of Jerseys Thursday to be sold out later.

Newsy Items From About Swamp Creek

Sod Being Broken On New Homesteads—Large Sheepsheds Erected by Bowlby.

Swamp Creek, April 12.—A box social was held at the school house Friday night. It was well attended. Some of the boys bid high to get the teacher's box.

Sod is being broken on a number of the new homesteads. John Gross, John Rand, C. O'Neil, Miss Fischer, and Reuben Kerns are all breaking, and Harry Hough, Emil Gaertner, T. E. Gossett, H. F. Fischer and Ira Pratt are preparing new ground. A number of these are also building fence and setting trees.

Dan Dozier filed on a homestead last week.

Mr. Rand, senior, has been quite feeble this winter, but feels better as the warm weather approaches.

Ira Pratt and H. F. Fischer, have the contract to haul the wool from the Makin plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn are preparing to put up a house on their homestead.

Chesley Williams is herding sheep for Mr. Bowlby, and sticking to the homestead. Fred Carrol, from Big Sheep, is also working for him.

E. R. Bowlby has had sheepsheds put up for lambing. Dan Dozier did the work. Mr. Bowlby is getting things in fine shape for business.

Mrs. Lorenzo Roberts, who was Miss Weaver, the popular teacher, has again taken a school, as teachers are scarce.

THE DRUG IDEA.

The philosophy of the Drug Idea is to give a sick person some deadly poison that causes another kind of sickness, or makes the man ill in another way. So the patient is given a disease in order to cure him of another, or make him immune from one. Vaccination is the injection into the system of a virus—or poison—which gives the person a disease in order to keep him from catching one; the drug idea in another form. The whole scheme of swilling poisons or inoculating the body with a virus, had its rise in the belief that disease was caused by a devil, and in order to get well you had to drive the devil out. The casting out of the devils was a literal proposition. Later we were told by pious friends that God had provided a remedy for every disease. They did not tell us that God had first supplied the disease. It was assumed that the devil sent the disease, and then God in his love sent the remedy.

Great as was Linnaeus, he taught this doctrine of divine-healing plants.

Our belief is now that Nature never contemplated disease, but that constant health is the most natural thing in the world. If we live rightly we are proof against disease. What we want is resisting power or resiliency. All drugs first excite, and then reduce vitality, laying you open to disease. There is really no immunity except through health. Drugs, virus and poisons always mean danger. Many so-called diseases are the results of the drug habit. Vaccination kills a thousand more people than smallpox does, could or can.—"The Fra." January, 1910.

Osteopathy with mechanical correction fills the need.

Japa-lac at Keltner's.

O. J. ROE SELLS 20 ACRES OF FINE ORCHARD LAND

O. J. Roe, proprietor of the well known Mountain View Fruit ranch, has sold 20 acres of cultivated land to Walter E. Sheets, who recently came here from Des Moines, Iowa. Mr. Sheets will immediately set his new possession in fruit trees. The Roe ranch is ideal fruit land, as it lies in a sheltered position and is not readily affected by late frosts. The deal was made through L. B. Payne.

LECTURE.

Prof. Switzer, head of the biological department at the University of Oregon, will deliver a lecture at the high school, Wednesday night, April 20. An admission of 25 cents will be charged. Prof. Switzer is one of the most popular lecturers of the Oregon Chautauqua.

Gordon hats, the best, \$3.00, at W. J. Funk & Co's.

Closing Exercises At Colpitts School

Pupils and Patrons Enjoy Basket Dinner and Appropriate Closing Program.

Promise, April 9.—Mrs. Clemens returned recently from Wallowa where her children Susie and Dale have been attending school. The children expect to attend school now in their own district (Sunny-side) as there are yet about two months of school.

Mrs. Fleishman is visiting with her children in La Grande for a few weeks.

Fred G. Potter closed a successful term of school in the Colpitts district Friday, April 8, with appropriate and interesting last day exercises. The patrons of the district were all present, as well as pupils from neighboring districts. A basket dinner was an enjoyable feature of the day. Robert Colpitts won the prize in spelling in one class and Anna Colpitts in the other. Anna Colpitts also deserves mention for perfect attendance during the whole term.

CLEAN-UP DAY IS GREAT SUCCESS

ALL OVER CITY BUSY PEOPLE UNITE IN CLEANING AND BEAUTIFYING.

Clean-Up Day was even a bigger success than the promoters anticipated. The people responded with enthusiasm to the call of the improvement league to get busy. From the hills surrounding the city piles of tin cans could be seen in every direction. The wagons were kept busy all day hauling off the raked up trash. The little bonfires with clouds of smoke must have reminded the old settlers of Indian days. The only regret felt is that it had not been two days instead of one. Everyone could find so much to do.

One lady of the league who is decidedly an active member and full of good ideas, suggests having boxes nailed to the telephone poles every two or three blocks for the convenience of people who have scrap paper, orange peelings, etc., to throw away on the street.

The spirit of neatness and order that Clean-Up Day has given everyone is worth the whole price of admission.

There is not a town on the map that takes as much pride in progression in all directions as does Enterprise and that is the reason of its steady growth.

New Pastor for Christian Church.

The Christian church of this city has extended a call to Rev. Clifton Ernest of Creston, Washington, and it is probable the call will be accepted.

Grading Water Street.

Marshal Hug and a force of men are doing effective work with the road grader on River street. This is one of the prettiest streets in the city as well as one of the most traveled.

F. A. Ratcliff of Salem came Saturday for a visit with his son, G. I. Ratcliff.

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