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HOW IS THIS FOR A FAT PORKER

One Half of Dressed Hog Tips
Scales at 244 Pounds.

HAMS OVER 50 POUNDS EACH

An Instance That Shows What Can Be
Done by Raising Hogs in the Bend
Country. Interesting Items
by Our Correspondents.

REDMOND, Feb. 7.—We had counted on having a little bit of a hog story of our own to tell this week, but lack of having a pair of suitable scales handy prevents. Butchering took place on Monday with Mr. McCuffie's help. One half of the dressed hog weighed 244 pounds, and the hams, trimmed up and ready for the pickle, weighed a little over 50 pounds apiece.

We rejoice with J. E. Lamb in the return of Mrs. Lamb from an extended visit in California, where she has been undergoing medical treatment also. She just got in last night and we have not been able to learn how she stood the trip, but late reports have been that she was much improved in health. Mr. Lamb thoughtfully had the new home all finished and furnished ready to receive her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Tinsley of O'Neil were visiting relatives in this neighborhood today.

There was a very good crowd that enjoyed the skating Wednesday night at the rink. Mr. Poindexter calls the floor a very good one except that it is too slick without chalking, and he had a liberal supply of that put on.

The Colonel is expected back from Portland on Wednesday of this week. His coming has been heralded by a letter written by himself. As a letter writer he ranks pretty well up with Roosevelt although possibly not quite so versatile, his specialty being the advent of railroads. Most of us are led to believe that if the first train is not in by Tuesday it surely will not be later than Wednesday. Some there be who say "They have cried 'Wolf!' 'Wolf!' too often," but away with such a preposterous idea. There surely is a wolf, else why all this fuss and feathers?

Kirk Whited is putting up a barn on the farm. B. J. Henninger, who hauled the lumber from the Grizzly mill, says the roads are a pretty tough proposition.

McLallin, Young & Company are back from their clearing in the Johnson ranch neighborhood, and are now at work on Carl Ehret's forty. Our opinion is that company was the gladdest to get back. We have pitched right into work like that when soft and just out of school and our back aches in sympathy with him.

We understand that the townsite company sold only 14 lots on Friday to six different purchasers and concluded that business was getting so dull that they would withdraw the rest from the market for the present.

Frank McCaffery reports the sale of the Jake Ehret forty just east of Johnson's. As that is where the late railroad surveyors laid out the Y and the terminus of the road, we wink at each other and say what a sly fellow that Harriman is.

Mrs. C. W. worked up a very nice surprise on Chris Ehret for last night in honor of his birthday anniversary. A very pleasant crowd assembled and enjoyed themselves with games of various kinds and refreshments until the clocks said Sunday.

The social and chicken pie feed on Wednesday night was well attended. Over a hundred and fifty ate, drank and made merry.

Washington's Birthday will be doubly observed this year at Redmond. There will be a dance at the hall on the 22nd. Some of the ladies had also planned a Colonial Supper, but hearing of the dance they postponed it to a previous date and the supper will take place on

Saturday night, the 20th. Following is the menu:

Boston Baked Beans,
Bunker Hill Brown Bread,
Mt. Vernon White Bread and Butter,
Pickles.

Plantation Coffee. Spirit(s) of 1776.
Ice Cream, a Martha Washington Cake.
Supper 25 cents, served from 7 until 10 o'clock. More about this Tea Party next week.

E. C. PARK.

Tumalo Items.

TUMALO, Feb. 7.—The weather has been somewhat of a variety this week.

The machinery for the new mill is expected in any time now.

Teams are still hauling lumber from the Gist mill to Bend for the Wenandy barn.

The stockholders of the Farmers and Merchants Telephone Line No. 1 held a very important meeting at Laidlaw yesterday, and no doubt the lines Nos. 1, 2 and 3 will soon consolidate into one line and together build lines to both Bend and Redmond in the near future.

D. Y. Couch returned yesterday from Shaniko with freight for Horner of Laidlaw. D. Y. says the wind blew so hard at Shaniko that it blew the rim off his hat.

The party who sprung the report in the Sisters and Gist neighborhood that Geo. W. Wimer & Sons had sold their ranch at Tumalo must have had wheels in their head. This report they emphatically deny, as they have never entertained an offer for their property.

L. H. Root has been enjoying a visit from a brother who has a large ranch in Montana. Mr. Root was very well pleased with this country and says this is the only country he has seen since leaving Montana that he would leave Montana to settle in, and he has been down in California on a visit.

Inklings From Gist.

GIST, Feb. 8.—The drama given at the school house at Gist was a success. The receipts from baskets sold amounted to \$33. It was evident that some of the boys had their best girl there, the highest basket going for \$5.50, the lowest for \$1.25. C. L. Gist was the auctioneer.

Walter Graham and wife came over Friday to attend the drama.

J. H. Edwards of Gist, who sold his ranch here some time ago, will move in a short time to Washington where he will make his future home.

Quite a good deal of land is being cleared this winter in the Gist country.

Rev. Lowther of Redmond will hold revival meetings at the school house at Gist, commencing Sunday evening, the 14th.

Frank Edwards was a caller at Gist Sunday.

Mr. McKenney is moving onto the Edwards place which he purchased some time ago.

Pleasant Ridge Notes.

PLEASANT RIDGE, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Irvin has for the past few days been seriously ill. Her trouble seems to be acute indigestion. She is somewhat easier at this writing.

Mrs. G. W. Hall was called to Cline Falls Sunday evening, and although she herself had been bedfast, she took no consideration but to relieve the suffering of others, and went.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harrader of Cline Falls, on Sunday, a girl.

We have just been informed that Miss Fern Fern Hall, who has been teaching at near Creek, has accepted another four-months term in that vicinity.

Clat Woods has been disposing of some of his dairy stock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sherwood, son Francis, and Grandmother Riley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vosberg for dinner Sunday.

Quite a number in this community were out to hear District Superintendent Skipworth Friday evening at Redmond. Protracted meetings at Pleasant Ridge are quite well attended and great interest is manifested. They will close this evening with a number of accessions to the church membership.

Hexamethylenetetramine.

This above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Kidney Remedy. Hexamethylenetetramine is recognized by medical text books and authorities as a uric acid solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady. —Bend Drug Co.

GROWING SUGAR BEETS BY IRRIGATION NEAR BEND



SUGAR BEETS have made an excellent showing in the Bend country. A sample of beets grown here was sent to the State Agriculture College at Corvallis for analysis, the analysis resulting as follows: Specific of juice, 1.0851; per cent solids in juice, 20.4; per cent sugar in juice, 13.7; purity per cent, 91.6. The assistant chemist, Prof. Edwards, in reporting on the analysis, said: "This shows an excellent beet. In one year we examined 216 samples with an average of 15.24 per cent sugar in juice, and purity 84.36 per cent. The beets are of a good size for sugar producing, and of an excellent shape." Prof. Kniesly reported: "The purity and per cent of sugar in the samples are very promising, as they stand high." Eighteen and seven-tenths per cent of sugar, and purity 91.6 per cent is a good showing. The standard of excellence in sugar beets is 16 to 18 per cent and purity 85 per cent. The per cent of sugar is much above the average and the purity, 91.6 per cent, is unusually high as an analysis of 90 per cent is exceedingly rare.

THERE IS NOTHING NEW IN RAILROAD NEWS

Very Confident Work Will Commence
Soon on Central Oregon Line, Says
Roscoe Howard, General Man-
ager of D. I. & P. Co.

Reports have been persistently circulated in Bend this week to the effect that Harriman had telegraphed orders to Mr. O'Brien to begin construction of the railroad into Central Oregon just as soon as the weather would permit, the report stating that the news had been forwarded from Portland to the local D. I. & P. Co. office.

The Bulletin interviewed Mr. Howard, general manager of the company, in regard to this report and Mr. Howard said: "I have nothing new in the line of railroad news, and there is nothing to the report insofar as it claims to impart any new information. However, as I have previously said—since Mr. O'Brien returned from his trip to New York—I am very confident that he has already received definite orders to build into Central Oregon, and that the route chosen is up the Deschutes. While there has been nothing reported during the past week, yet I have reasons that make me confident actual construction will soon be commenced."

Another Successful Rabbit Drive.

A. D. Thayer says that the rabbit drive held three weeks ago in the district in which he lives was a great success, several thousand rabbits having been killed. Over a thousand rabbits were killed at the corral near Mr. Thayer's place, over 450 rabbits being caught in one drive. The drives were conducted while snow was on the ground, and the rabbits were corralled without great difficulty. There is a noticeable decrease in the number of rabbits one sees in a walk over the hills.—Madras Pioneer.

Township plats for sale at this office, two sizes, 3 1/2 and 6 inches square.

ITEMS OF UNUSUAL INTEREST

Homesteaders Win Contests.

Walter Wing of Silver Lake was in Bend the first of the week consulting Atty. C. S. Benson in regard to a contest case brought against his homestead claim by the forest service. The homestead is in the Lakeview land office district, and when the contest was filed some time ago Wing decided not to fight it, as there has been for some time past a well founded belief among homesteaders in that district that timber claimants were being favored in preference to homesteaders, in contest cases where the land involved was in the timber, as in Wing's case. Recently, however, two cases of this kind, those of E. O. Check and Peter Peterson of Silver Lake, after being decided unfavorably by the register at the Lakeview land office, were appealed to the Secretary of the Interior, who reversed the Lakeview officials. As a result homesteaders in that district have taken new hope, and many are appealing their cases with the expectation of finally winning out. Mr. Wing stated that the attorneys of Lakeview and Klamath Falls are seemingly standing in with the timber men, as they almost invariably fail to give a timber-homesteader client any encouragement, when consulted. Atty. Benson handled the cases of Check and Peterson, which were decided in their favor by the Secretary of the Interior.

Planning "Big Dols."

The Whatsoevers are planning on "big things" at their entertainment in Lara hall Monday night. The comical production, "Six Cups of Chocolate," will amuse you for a while, and then there will be the grab bags, the postoffice, and valentines to hurry the evening along and cause fun for those present. Refreshments will also be served. It will cost you either 10, 15 or 25 cents to "grab" a grab bag, according to which department you grab from; and the letters and

valentines will also be priced at nominal sums. Admission, adults, 15 cents; children under 12, 10 cents. The ladies guarantee a pleasant evening, so turn out and give them a full house.

Work Is Progressing Nicely.

J. H. Grimes, manager and one of the stockholders in the Pilot Butte Ranch Company, was in from the ranch Thursday. Mr. Grimes reported that they were stretching wire fence at the rate of a mile a day, and that general work on the ranch was progressing nicely. Mr. Grimes returned recently from a visit to Salem, where his family is residing. He says he will move his family here next summer as soon as school closes.

That Masquerade Dance.

The library club have arrangements all completed for a most successful masquerade dance to be given Friday evening. Music will be furnished by the popular Bend band, refreshments will be served during the evening, and everyone who enjoys dancing is certain to have a fine time, at this the first masquerade in Bend for several months. Prizes will be awarded to both lady and gentleman for the best sustained character, and also for the most humorous character. Gentleman's ticket, including lady, \$1.00; lady's ticket, 75 cents.

Diphtheria Reports Exaggerated.

Dreadful reports are current in outside papers of the diphtheria scourge in Lakeview.

There is no occasion for such misrepresentation. Three children only have died. One died of membranous croup or possibly diphtheria, the other two of pneumonia. There were no doctors here, Dr. Hall being down with rheumatic fever, and Drs. Daly and Smith out of town, so the authorities decided to take matters into hand and quarantined the town. In the emergency Dr. Amsden, who had not been practicing for some time, stepped into the breach and successfully ministered to the sick.

The quarantine was removed Saturday, and since then the schools and all public places have been open.—Examiner.

PAULINA STOCKMAN PAYS AN \$80 FINE

Trespassed on National Forest
and Was Arrested.

HE KNOWS BETTER NOW

Drove Cattle Through Reserve With-
out a Permit and Feels Big Hard
Fist of Uncle Sam—Other Items
of General Interest.

J. D. Combs of Paulina recently paid \$80 in the federal court at Portland for trespass upon the forest reserve. Combs is a cattleman and refused to obey the rules laid down by the forest officials.

Last summer he was arrested by the forestry officers for ranging his stock without permission within the confines of the Deschutes forest reserve, and was fined \$50 for the offense, which he paid under protest. A month or so later the cattleman drove about 20 head of his stock through the reserve without permission, and was again obliged to feel the iron hand of Uncle Sam in the shape of a criminal complaint. Although the privilege of driving stock through forest reserves costs but a few cents a head, amounting in Combs' case to not more than \$7, he scorned the right of the government to collect the toll, and in consequence has been forced to submit to various expenses in connection with his declaration of independence aggregating fully \$200, as he has had to make two trips to Portland from his Paulina home to face the charges before him, besides engaging an attorney and finally submitting to the payment of damages as indicated.

Shorter Items of Interest.

During 1908 Lake county spent \$12,562.06 in running the county government.

A large gray six-year-old Percheron stallion has been bought by Joseph Lister of Prineville.

The Silver Lake Leader says that many homestead filings are being placed on land in that vicinity.

A new postoffice has been established in the Embury sawmill neighborhood, 14 miles northwest of Silver Lake. S. L. Lowing is the postmaster.

The work of plastering and finishing the new court house at Prineville is now under way. The big clock for the tower was shipped from Boston on January 26.

On January 30th 1,000 sacks of Blue Stem wheat—No. 1 milling—sold at Walla Walla for \$1.00 a bushel. It was the first time in more than 20 years that wheat brought that price.

The Prineville city council will soon enact an occupation tax ordinance, which will provide for the payment of a license fee on all lines of business, ranging from \$2.50 to \$20, according to the Journal.

Superintendent Covey, of the Warm Springs reservation, says he believes that many quail on the reservation perished during the severe cold spell of last month. Quail were getting quite numerous there and in a few years these fine game birds would have been plentiful but for the thinning out they have suffered this year.—Madras Pioneer.

Pneumonia Follows La Grippe.

Pneumonia often follows la grippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, for lagrippe coughs and deep seated colds. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package.—Bend Drug Co.

For Sale.

Four slot machines, two musical, two only playing; cost \$380. Will sell or trade. Can be seen in Kaddy Express Co.'s office, Portland, Oregon. ANDREW GRODARIS, 48-49 Arthur, N. D.