

WEATHER FOR JANUARY

Month Showed a Variety Ranging From Spring to Winter.

January began the new year with a variety of weather, showing in the space of 31 days much of what is enjoyed in Central Oregon as climate.

The precipitation for the month amounted to two inches, the greatest fall occurring in the storm of the 23rd and 24th when .90 of an inch was recorded.

Wind has played a big part in the month's weather, too, there having been several hard blows and one of unusual velocity on the 26th.

The daily temperatures were as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Date, Max., Min. showing daily temperature ranges from 1 to 31.

NEW EXPRESS RATES ON. The cheaper express rates went into effect Sunday, and already their effect is seen.

RECEPTIONS TO CONVERTS

Baptist and Presbyterian Congregations Entertain.

Receptions were given last Friday evening by both the Baptist and Presbyterian churches to new members.

The Presbyterians met at the church, with about 100 present. The program lasted from 7:30 to 10:30.

SCHOOL NOTES

Some of the boys went up on Aubrey Butte skiing Sunday. The hill upon which they skied is about a quarter of a mile long.

Yesterday morning the junior class was asked to give their opinion on where the regional bank should be located.

The new school bell has been installed, to the delight of all.

The regular lessons were studied Friday afternoon on account of lack of a special program.

The junior class is now rehearsing a play to be put on at the school a week from Friday.

A slight change has been made in the daily program to accommodate the students who have recently entered the high school.

DICK "DON'T WANTED MUCH"

Merely a Job on the Tumalo Project Asked For in Unique Letter.

LIDLAW, Feb. 3.—The Tumalo project office receives a great many applications for work and a lot of other peculiar letters.

A WISH. Mr. O. Laugaard, Laidlaw, Oregon.

To the great God, Buddha, came the representatives of the Catholic, Protestant, and Jewish religions.

MANY WENT TO LAIDLAW.

The dance given by the Tumalo Gun Club Friday night was attended by a large number from Bend who went down by auto.

MARRIED THIS MORNING.

Waldemar Christensen and Miss Dorothy C. Knox, both of La Pine were married this morning at 8:30 at the home of Rev. G. H. Wilkins.

NEW HOMESTEAD BILLS

Full Text of Measures Introduced by Senator Chamberlain.

Senator Chamberlain of Oregon on January 12 introduced two homestead bills, the full texts of which are given below:

"That in cases where it is provided by law that the heirs or devisees of a deceased applicant under the homestead laws may make final proof and receive patent and any person who otherwise would be an heir, or any devisee, is disqualified by reason of alienage, such disqualified person shall not be deemed an heir or devisee within the meaning of the aforesaid provisions, and the persons entitled to make such proof and receive the benefit of the patent shall be determined as if all such disqualified persons had died before the death of the applicant.

"That any person who prior to the approval of this act has made entry under the homestead or desert-land laws, but who subsequently to such entry from any cause shall have lost, forfeited, or abandoned the same, shall be entitled to the benefits of the homestead or desert-land laws as though such former entry had not been made, and any person applying for a second homestead or desert-land entry under this act shall furnish a description of his former entry and the date thereof.

CHURCH NOTICE.

Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 o'clock, subject 'Prophecy Verified by History.'

Church of the Brethren. Services each alternate Sunday at 3 p. m. in the M. E. church.

BIG PRICES FOR CATTLE

Jamesons Sell 200 Head, Getting \$30 for Heifers and \$32 for Steers.

Cattle raising in Central Oregon is shown to be a profitable business by the sale here this week of some 200 head by Jamison Bros.

In the stock line there has been considerable activity during the past week. The Davenport-Stanley ranch shipped a carload of hogs to Portland, and three cars of cattle were shipped from the Ten-Bar ranch.

There has also been some shipping in of high grade stock. W. R. Johnson, a stock man from Dakota, had a lot of Short Horns to arrive from Montana and has leased the McKinney ranch in the Sisters country.

BISHOP PADDOCK COMIG.

Bishop R. L. Paddock of the Episcopal church will hold services in the new Deschutes bank building next Sunday evening, arriving from Hood River for the purpose on the evening train.

BANK TO SELL CALVES

First National Will Receive Shipment of 200 in Fall.

The First National Bank has arranged to sell 200 calves to its patrons this fall on easy terms.

In reference to the matter, Cashier Hudson said: "The importation of steers or 'feeders' into this country furnishes only a temporary market for a small amount of hay.

"What this country needs is conservation of the cow and heifer. I predict that within two years Oregon will follow the lead of other countries and states in passing a law prohibiting the killing of heifer calves, under a certain age.

"With this end in view we have arranged with some of our cattle customers to furnish us 200 head of spring calves, delivered in Bend about October 1. These will be sold on six months' or one year's time to responsible parties, at actual cost."

"BARNACLE" IS NAME APPLIED

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have yet to give a decent excuse for your opposition to this matter.

"I wish you would come to Redmond and bring that other 'barnacle' (there's that pretty word again) J. H. Lewis with you, and let us have your ideas regarding your scheme for reclaiming the land here. I can assure you of a full house and a hot reception.

Lewis Makes Reply. In the Journal of Feb. 2, the following reply from Mr. Lewis appears.

"Your intense feeling seems to be due to a misunderstanding of my position," says Mr. Lewis, in a letter to Mr. Ellinger.

"Settlers on existing projects should first be cared for and a state wide irrigation policy adopted, before we undertake the reclamation of vacant public lands.

"The settlers on Agency Plain, who for years have hauled stock and domestic water many miles, should not be overlooked.

"Governor West refused my request to amend his motion so as to provide for a definite reclamation policy through the issuance of state bonds.

"The constitutional amendment to be voted upon in November, carries his plan will be unnecessary. It seems more impracticable than asking for a direct appropriation of the 3700 farmers, who have mortgaged their lands at one-third their value will be reluctant to give up any part of this six per cent. school money, as the prevailing interest for eastern Oregon is considerable higher.

"Whether it would be good policy to abandon the conservative plan of loaning school funds, for irrigation securities at approximate full value is a matter that should be given serious thought. Furthermore, it is doubtful if the legislature can direct the three members of the state land board to invest these funds in any specific way, as the control of school funds is now vested by the constitution in this board."

HAVE TO SELL QUICK ONE OF THE FINEST LITTLE BUNGALOW

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