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JULIAN BYRD - - - - - Manager

G. A. Rembold's impression of the southern part of this big county is certainly correct and not in the least overdrawn.

The Times-Herald hopes that the farmer of Harney County will be prompt in filling out the blank published in this issue, as it really important that this date may be obtained as early as possible.

MAIL ORDER HOUSE.

Governor Folk of Missouri in a recent address to the Retail Grocers' Association, spoke strongly against the mail order business and sounded the keynote of the situation in the following paragraph:

"If a place is good enough for a man to live and make money in, it is good enough for him to spend his money in. Advertise in your home paper and help to build them up. No merchant can succeed without advertising in one way or another."

When the nut is cracked this will be found to be the kernel—spend your money where you make it.

The more often you voice this sentiment—and practice what you preach—among those from whom your business should come, the sooner you will get the business.

Set a good example to those around you by patronizing your own locality whenever possible.

When you buy flour buy it from the mill in your town let some of your money get back to the farmers who sell the grain to the mill and whose money you are after.

Don't be afraid to let your local newspapers in your town see the color of your money—no newspaper can prosper and grow without the support of the local merchants and to a certain extent your prosperity is co-existent with that of your newspaper.

Later on you will get the benefit of the newspaper's growth in circulation and influence by a proper use of its columns in telling its readers why it will be to their advantage to trade with you.

The local newspapers need your help but you need theirs just as much.

"Spend your money where you make it." Preach this and practice it—the results are bound to show sooner or later.—Grant County News.

Information to Horticulturists

The Times-Herald being in full sympathy with everything that tends to the development of this great Inland Empire and the prosperity of its people, has heartily tendered me all the space necessary to fully reply to all questions asked me in regard to my experience as to what is required in this locality to successfully compete with any other part of Oregon in growing and marketing first class fruit of all the

Bucks for Sale.

I have a band of Thoroughbred Registered Rams, bred from the Franco Ramboulette and Delaine stock. This stock is now extensively used throughout Eastern Oregon and are giving satisfaction.

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As mutton and wool producers the Ramboulette and Delaine Rams are unexcelled. Call on or address.

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hardy kinds.

If you are not ready to plant the day your trees arrive, or if you have more than you can plant in a short space of time, you should at once heel them in carefully, or place them in a cellar that can be kept just at freezing point. If you heel them in out of doors select a well drained spot, dig a trench about two and one-half feet deep sloping one side; place roots in bottom of the trench with tops leaning on sloping side; spread out the trees so that the earth will come in contact with every root. Fill the trench partly full and press firmly with the feet, then fill up level with top of ground and press down again, covering the whole of the trees with loose dirt except what you intend to trim off when planting. Trees thus "heeled in" will keep in good condition for a whole winter, particularly if the ground be slightly mounded to throw off surface water. The above of course only refers to fruit trees and berry plants. Evergreens and deciduous ornamental trees and flowering plants will be talked of later.

Should your stock arrive frozen, lary the package unopened in well drained ground or in a cold cellar. It will then thaw out gradually and without being exposed to the air or sun. Freezing will not injure your stock if directions are faithfully carried out—never let the roots be exposed one minute to the rays of the sun or to the air.

If stock arrives with a dry shriveled appearance take it from the package and plunge into water for a few minutes then bury the roots in the ground in an inclined position so as to cover at least two-thirds of tops with earth; thoroughly soak with water and let it remain 24 hours or longer until it regains a fresh, plump appearance, when it may be planted without injury resulting.

All Eastern Oregon soil is infested with boarers—a white worm with a black head—one of the greatest enemies to young fruit trees we have to contend with.

To protect trees from this pest simply pulverize crude sulphur in proportion to the number of trees you have to plant, and when you have finished planting to a depth three had set in the nursery, sift one handful of the pulverized sulphur around each tree and throw over it two inches of loose dirt. By doing this carefully you will soon exterminate Mr. Boarer, and at the same time fertilize your soil.

As to distance apart to plant trees considerable depends upon the kind to be planted, that is, whether they are spreading or upright growers, or dwarf or standard trees. For town lots where confined to small space, one should choose either the dwarf or standard upright kinds, and plant closer than given below. A good distance a part to plant standard apples, pears and peaches of spreading growth, where clean cultivation is intended, is 22 x 22 feet. Of upright growth, 18 x 18 feet. Apricots and cherries, 18 x 18 feet. Dwarf apple and pear, 12 x 12 feet.

I am afraid the Editor may think I am consuming space, so will treat some of our pests to a fatal dose next week.

A. F. B. G.

Henry Richardson and James Donegan returned home Tuesday from John Day where they attended the races. The boys say the meet was a success and they were never treated better in their lives. Jimmie had a pair of black eyes caused by being thrown from the stage in a run-away. Tom Morrison, the driver, had just watered the team at the upper end of Sylvies and while trying the bucket on the back of the coach, the team started to run. There were five passengers, but all were out with the exception of Jimmie who jumped out. The team ran about 8 miles before anything was hurt, but then collided with a telephone post at Wintermeier's where they made a complete wreck of the coach.

HIS IMPRESSIONS OF THE SOUTH END

Attorney G. A. Rembold Talks of Harney County's Greatness.

G. A. Rembold, of the law firm of Parrish & Rembold, has just returned from a visit to the southern part of this county where he went to attend to some legal matters. This was his first trip to that section and he is very favorably impressed with it. He says Harney valley is not all of Harney by any means and that our people should visit the hospitable people of that end of the county and really get an idea of the greatness of Harney county and its resources. He says:

"Harney Valley comprises by no means all of Harney county, nor can it lay claim to excellence in every respect over other portions of the vast territory now embraced in Harney county. If any one doubts this, and there may still be patriotic citizens of Burns and vicinity who do, let him take the trip to what is commonly called the 'south end' and he will in all probabilities be astonished not only at the vastness of the large area of extremely fertile lands, as well as the picturesqueness of the landscape, the richness in trout of the numerous streams, as well as the abundance of game, but also at the generous hospitality of the people, coupled with a certain touch of high bred grace, reminding one strongly of the chivalrous South.

valley are Trout creek and cotton-wood creek from the west, as well as Oliver creek, Van Horn creek, Colony creek, and a great many minor rivulets and brooks. Only a comparatively small portion of the vast area of rich and agricultural lands are at present owned. But it will not remain so much longer. Let the intending settler once lay his eyes upon the opportunities there awaiting him and he will not be slow to avail himself of the same. The climate, the products of the soil the scenery are more characteristic of California than of the more northern country in which we reside.

"At the home of Mr. Beatty, for instance, the visitor will find products of the soil which will equal in every respect similar products raised in California, such as water melons, pumpkins, squash, celery, tomatoes, apples, peaches, potatoes, peas, beans etc in such an abundance that it taxes his ingenuity to dispose of it.

"Providence has allotted to that region immense tracts of rich lands together with more than sufficient water supply to irrigate all of it, wherever necessary.

"In the past wastefulness in the handling of the available water supply, and a dog in the manger policy, has been, and to some extent still is, the apparent evil to be remedied as time and necessity demands it. But it will be remedied and you will see the garden spot of

CROP REPORT.

The Times-Herald desires the farmers of Harney county fill out this crop report, and send it in by mail or bring it in person as soon as possible. This data must all collected by the 14th of November and is to be used to promote the interests of every citizen in the county.

Table with columns: 1906, Number of Acres Cultivated, Average yield per Acre, Number of Acres Spring Sown, Number of Acres Fall Sown, Total. Rows include Wheat, Barley, Oats, Rye, Alfalfa, Potatoes, Hay.

* Tons per acre. ** Total No. tons native hay. Give potatoes in pounds. Sugar beet, lbs on acres. Onion, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Remarks. Name.

"The portions particularly referred to are Wild Horse valley, and, what may be called for lack of a better name, Trout Creek valleys. Wild Horse valley is traversed by Alvord creek which flows south into Alvord Lake. The lands along this stream are nearly all owned and are utilized exclusively in growing native grasses for hay. Adjoining the same, and for miles in expanse, are the richest sort of vacant government land, covered with sagebrush higher than a man's head, awaiting the arrival of the intelligent husbandman and home builder. There are a number of artesian wells from 50 to 200 feet deep bringing forth a steady flow of the purest water.

"Going further south one enters what appears almost a round valley, bounded on the northwest by Stein's mountains, on the west by Pueblo Mountain and on the east by Trout Creek Mountains, and leaving on the south a comparatively narrow exit into Nevada and the new mining region. The principal streams flowing into this

Harney county 'way down south'. At present it is the ideal place to spend a vacation, as there are plenty of trout in the streams, and a deer in every bush."

Jefferson Myers, who went with the governor, State Land Agent West, Dr. W. B. Morse, Judge Lionel Webster and others to the Harney county fair, says the others of the party jobbed him at the races and that he had to borrow money to come home on, says the Salem Journal. At the races the other Salem boys got a race track out to give Jeff tips on the low horse every time and then they won all his money. This occurred at every race. The final event was a foot race between two Indian boys. Through some mistake, the tout gave the great father of the Lewis and Clark exposition the tip on the fast Indian and Myers won. Then the judges declared that there was an error in the starting and gave the race over. They then substituted a new Indian and Myers lost again.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of October, 1906. Wm. FARRER, Register.

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CONTEST NOTICE.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, August 20, 1906. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William A. Hopkins, contestant against homestead entry No. 1909, made April 22, 1905, for N.E. 1/4 and Lots 1 and 2, Section 25, Township 21 N., Range 22 E., by Joe Caldwell, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Joe Caldwell has totally abandoned and failed to establish his residence upon said land and has not resided thereon for more than six months prior to the filing of said affidavit, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the U.S., as a private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine during the time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a.m. on October 25, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land office in Burns, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 17, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligent personal service of this notice on him, he is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

Wm. FARRER, Register.

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BURNS LIVERY AND FEED STABLE. LEWIS & GARRETT, Proprietors. Special attention to transient and freight teams. HAY AND GRAIN ON HAND. Your patronage solicited. South Main St., Burns, Oregon. Special Attention Given to Conducting Funerals. NEW AND ACCURATE HAY SCALES IN CONNECTION WITH BARN.

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