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HARNEY VALLEY ITEMS.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1903.

Feed Scarce, Weather Cold.

The extreme cold weather of the last few weeks, requiring heavy feeding of all kinds of stock is causing much uneasiness among stockmen. Hay is getting scarce, and should the cold weather continue much longer there will be considerable loss of stock. It is thought that our local stockmen have plenty of feed to carry them safely through the winter, but a few outsiders who came in last fall "bought short," and now that when their feed is almost gone they can find no more for sale.

It is reported that the P. L. S. Co. is out of feed at all their ranches in this county, and are now scouring the country to find hay. They succeeded in buying 1000 tons of Thomas Bros. near Beulah, for which they paid \$10 per ton. The Co. has driven several hundred head of cattle to Parma Idaho, where they secured hay.

It is also reported that the hay supply is almost exhausted in Harney county, and a heavy loss of stock in that section is anticipated.—Vale Gazette.

Edward N. Deady, who was engaged to assist Special Inspector Greene in investigating the land frauds, and was assigned to the Southern Oregon district, left Roseburg last Friday for his home in Portland. Mr. Deady's departure is pursuant to a report from Washington, D. C., to the effect that his services had been ordered discontinued for the reason that his work was completed, although he has so far received no official notification of this from the secretary of the interior. Although Mr. Deady holds a commission for a permanent position from Secretary Hitchcock, he takes this "discontinuance of his services" as being equivalent to a peremptory dismissal. Mr. Deady takes the loss of his position in a good natured, don't-care sort of manner and will make no effort to regain it.—Roseburg Review.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUSCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Frank J. Cheney.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Local and General.

City election March 3.

Oregonian and Items, \$2.00

Charley Owens was in from Alvord Monday.

Lonsdale Muslins 11 yards \$1.00 N. Brown & Sons.

A. P. Duncan and son, Leonard, are in from Venator.

W. J. King, of Lawen, was a visitor last Saturday.

J. J. Donegan is expected home from Portland today.

Loren and Guy Hembres came in from Silver creek yesterday.

Mrs. Jasper Davis, of Harney was a Burns visitor Monday.

Assessor John E. Loggan was over from Harney Thursday.

W. D. Martin, of Harney, is spending a few days in Burns.

Jason Bennett was in from his home south of Harney Monday.

All grades of chewing tobacco 50 cents per pound. N. Brown & Sons.

Wm. Strode was in from the Happy Valley country last Sunday.

Jorgenson has a complete line of stationary; school supplies; books, etc.

Born, Friday, February 27, 1903, to the wife of J. C. Byrd a daughter.

Red Bell, Dixie Queen Tobacco, 50 cts per pound. N. Brown & Sons.

Mrs. Rose Kern, of Lawen, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Effie Symes.

J. R. Gould returned yesterday from a business trip to Wild Horse.

W. D. Hanley and wife are enroute home from a visit to Portland and San Francisco.

This paper and The Chicago Weekly Inter Ocean \$1.50 for one year. "Special deal"

It is reported that F. S. Miller and Dalton Biggs have purchased the White Front Livery barn.

John Gemberling contemplates the erection of a stone building the coming spring on his lot south of the bank.

Mrs. Chas. King came in from Happy valley last Saturday to spend a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dyke Jameson.

A special meeting of Inland Lodge, No. 70, K. of P., is called for tomorrow (Sunday) at 2 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. A. E. Millard and Miss Noris M. Jenkins were united in marriage last Saturday at the home of the bride's father, Samuel Jenkins on Duck Creek.

Send N. Brown & Sons your orders for Boots and Shoes during the next 60 days. Twenty-five cents reduction on all foot wear except Queen Quality.

For a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by H. M. Horton, Burns; Fred Haines, Harney.

Miss Lennie Robertson returned last week from a visit to Portland and with her parents at Drewsey, and has resumed her position as a book keeper at Miller & Thompson's.

A special election for the purpose of choosing a Congressman from the first district to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Thomas H. Tongue will be called about June 1.

It's a real pleasure to wear the fine fitting clothes made by Strauss Bros., America's Leading Tailors, Chicago. They're so reasonable in prices too. Robinson & Walton, will take your order.

Percale 36 inches 10 cents. N. Brown & Sons.

WAGONS! WAGONS!

We will sell you a Mitchell, Rushford or Webber Farm Bed Wagon;

3 1/2 Steel Skein \$85.00

3 1/2 " " 90.00

3 1/2 " " 105.00

Send your orders to us, O. C. Co

Lonsdale Cambric 9 yards One Dollar Cash. N. Brown & Sons.

F. D. Barrows and a Mr. Cassaday have opened a saloon in John Day.

If you are in need of glasses consult Jorgenson the optician and jeweler.

Robt. Moffett and wife, of Drewsey, were guests at the French Hotel Tuesday.

A pair of full stock B&H, Royal Cow Boy Boots reduced to \$5.25. N. Brown & Sons.

Schwartz & Budelman have commenced moving their stock into Fry's new brick.

J. H. Neal came in from Happy Valley Thursday and is spending a few days with his family.

It is reported that A. Venator has sold all his sheep to a Mr. Anderson, of Reno, Nevada.

Sam Parrish and Kenneth Murray returned yesterday from a business trip to Canyon City.

Geo. W. Hayes and Mrs. Etta Horton were passengers on the incoming O-B stage last night.

Mrs. I. H. Holland, of Burns, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Luella Murray at Boise.—Ontario Democrat.

J. L. Sitz, L. B. Hayes, John Cary, Craig Catterson and Bent Embree are visitors from Lawen today.

The amendment to the Burns charter leaving the matter of issuing bonds to a vote of the people has been signed by the Governor.

New line of Clothing samples just received by N. Brown & Sons. A Fit guaranteed and every garment handled by us is made by White Labor.

Kenneth Murray, a former resident of Daville, but now residing in Harney county, was in town a few days this week on business.—Canyon City Eagle.

Both houses of the legislature passed the bill to repeal the scalp bounty law. The eastern Oregon senators and members of Multnomah voted against a repeal when it passed the senate.

Geo. Sizemore is in receipt of a letter from George Hulse, a former resident of the Drewsey section. "Chub" is over in King Edward's domain and thinks he has found the "place of all places."

George Marshall was down from his ranch on Trout creek Monday. He says he put in the days during the cold snap cutting willows and succeeded in clearing ten acres of land which he will sow to tame grasses.

The sale of whiskey to the Indians will be one of the live contests in the city election next week. This illegal practice should cease and it is the duty of every law abiding citizen to see that men are elected who will do their duty.

Judge Morton D. Clifford is expected to arrive in Canyon City tomorrow evening from Portland, where he and his family are residing this winter. An adjourned term of circuit court will be convened by the judge in this city Tuesday morning.—Canyon City Eagle.

The largest and most complete stock of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Furnishing Goods, Clothing, Hats, Boots and Shoes and Groceries in Eastern Oregon. Sold at one price to all. Every thing first class and we solicit the patronage of the people of Harney County.—N. Brown & Sons.

Mr. D. P. Daugherty, well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, W. Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attended by two physicians who gave him little, if any, relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty-four hours. For sale by H. M. Horton, Burns; Ered Haines, Harney.

The sheriff is sending out notices for the payment of taxes for 1902. The law provides that 1902 taxes are due March 1 and for 15 days three per cent discount will be allowed upon all payments. After March 15 the regular tax must be paid and beginning April 1 the roll we be declared delinquent and penalty and interest added to the original sum unless a payment of one-half the amount of tax is made in which case an extension of time is granted for the balance until the first Monday in October. The penalty will amount to 10 per cent and interest to 12 per cent.

SEND IN YOUR ORDERS.

SEED GRAIN.

Wheat,
Oats,
Barley.
N. Brown & Sons.

STRANGE ACCIDENTS TO BIRDS.

A poor little chaffin was found dead near Epsom with its lower mandible so firmly imbedded in the shell of a beechnut that it had been unable to extricate it and had died of starvation.

A hen pheasant was observed by a sportsman to be flying around and around in a wild manner. On being shot it was discovered to have a large oak leaf impaled upon its beak in such a way as to totally obscure its vision.

Heron sometimes choke themselves by attempting to swallow large trout. An eider-duck has been killed by attempting to swallow a toad. A kingfisher was once found which could not fly on account of having a young pike stuck in its throat. Some hunters removed the fish and the bird flew away unhurt.

An Irish naturalist once observed a dunnin acting in a very curious manner on the seashore. The bird would alight, then fly a short distance and then alight again, violently shaking its head. A round lump appeared fastened to its beak. It turned out that the bird had innocently attempted to investigate a cockle which it had found open. The shell had closed on its bill.

Birds that employ hair in the building of their nests come to grief in strange ways. A gentleman who possessed several colts one day noticed a small bird enangled in the tail of one of his colts. It had evidently been on a search for hair and had become ensnared. Cases of birds getting their feet entangled in wool or string are well known, and death usually ensues if human help is not forthcoming.

A WOMAN IN EACH.

The medical school of Johns Hopkins university is open to women as well as men. This is because the women of Baltimore provided over \$420,000 toward endowing the medical department on condition that women should be admitted.

Miss Alice Balfour, sister of the new lord of the treasury and chief secretary for Ireland in the new British cabinet, is, in her way, as clever as her brothers. She has in process of publication a book called "Twelve Hundred Miles in an Ox Wagon."

Mrs. Grant is said to be happier in her Washington home with Mrs. Sartoris and her children about her than she has been since the death of Gen. Grant. She is kept busy with household duties and with the preparation of a book of reminiscences.

Last year Queen Victoria had to append her signature to some 50,000 documents. When at Buckingham or Windsor she practically never has a holiday. She rises at 7:30; at eight she has prayers and half an hour later breakfast, after which she works with her secretary until two o'clock.

Poor relatives, even of royalty, have much to put up with. Countess Fedora Gleichen, one of the German descendants of the mother of Queen Victoria, dabbles in sculpture and has been commissioned by her majesty to make a bust of the late F. Clark, John Brown's nephew and successor as highland attendant.

GREAT MEN AS BOYS.

KEATS, it is said, was born in a livery stable.

POWERS, the sculptor, spent his youth on a farm.

JAMES MONROE spent his boyhood in the country.

JOHN CALVIN was an apprentice at the cooper's trade.

PAGANINI began his career as a child laborer in a factory.

TURNER, the painter, spent his boyhood in a barber shop.

EDWARD IRVING, the preacher, spent his youth in a tanyard.

ROUSSEAU's boyhood was spent in the home of a watchmaker.

GEORGE FOX was brought up in the humble home of a weaver.

WASHINGTON's boyhood and youth were passed in the country.

SCULBERT was educated for a school teacher, but preferred music.

RUTHERFORD B. HAYES was a good scholar and a modest, kindly boy.

GATHERED HERE AND THERE.

THE French levy a tax on coffee to the amount of \$300 a ton.

THE pick of the Thousand Islands have been sold this season by the Dominion government. Most of the purchasers were Americans. In many instances excellent prices were realized, competition being lively.

Foiled.—"Madam," said the wanderer, "perhaps you may notice that I am almost discolored." "I don't talk Dutch," said the lady, as she slammed the door. "And I sized her up for Boston raised," sighed the wanderer, and plodded on.—Indianapolis Journal.

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

About the 1st of March we will begin "taking stock" and will until that time close out many useful articles for less than actual cost. We need room for our Spring Stock. The cash and room is worth more to us than the goods, the more we sell the less we have to invoice. Now is the time to secure bargains. Call and see if we don't mean business.

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