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BOIL IT DOWN

A country newspaper, so the editor of the Herald believes, should, in order to establish a valid claim for existence, be a fair and honest medium of expression for the people of its community. It should be a sort of moving picture in type, week by week, of the thoughts, the desires, the aspirations and needs of the people who read and support it and who make its continued existence possible. Its "policy" should be service; its ultimate aim to become, as nearly as possible a true reflection of the community in which it circulates.

Believing this to be the province of a country paper the editor of the Herald welcomes articles for publication from its readers on any subject of interest to the community and he is especially anxious to receive newsletters from all parts of the county recounting briefly the comings and goings, the work and the play, the joys and the sorrows of the neighborhood. In this connection, however, the Herald wishes to suggest to contributors that space in the ordinary country newspaper is limited. The Herald contains only 24 columns each week and a large portion of that must be sold to advertisers, which is the chief source of income for all newspapers. Ordinarily we have nine or ten columns left into which must be crowded the news, correspondence, editorial etc. The need for brevity is therefore obvious and correspondents are requested to cultivate that quality—which has been well described as being "the soul of wit." A thought well expressed in a few words is stronger, more forceful, will hit the target better than if diluted with many words. In every newspaper office many meritorious articles go to the waste basket because they are too long and the editor has not the time to rewrite and shorten them. If you have something to say that you think the public should know write it to the Herald; write often but briefly. Boil it down.

When the War Will End

Speculating about when the war will end P. A. Anderson gave a Herald reporter the following chunk of valuable and lucid information:

"Absolute knowledge I have none but my aunt's washerwoman's son heard a policeman on his beat say to a laborer in the street that he had a letter just last week (written in Latin—or was it Greek) from a Chinese coolie in Timbuctoo who said the Niggers in Cuba knew of a colored man in a Texas town who got it straight from a circus clown that a man in Klondike heard the news from a gang of South American Jews about somebody in Borneo who heard of a man who claimed to know of a swell society female rake whose mother-in-law will undertake to prove that her seventh husband's niece has has stated in a printed piece that that she has a son who has a friend who knows when the war is going to end." And then P. A. took a long breath and rested.

WOOD AND COAL—See me about cash prices for your winter fuel. It will pay you. E. Breslin. 171f

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HARDMAN HAPPENINGS

Guy Hadley made a flying trip to the county seat Monday.

Miss Goldie McDaniel was the guest of Miss Ethel Saling Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Kirk visited during the week with friends and relatives in Heppner.

Roy Ashbaugh and Lon Knighten made a business trip to Heppner Monday.

Fan Miller has sold his stock ranch, 3 miles southeast of Hardman, to a man from Gwendolyn.

Mrs. Frank Glascock and children spent Monday with Mrs. Maude Ashbough in Rood Canyon.

Mrs. M. E. DeVore left the first of the week for Monument with her father, T. J. Merrill. She will make her home with him.

Fred Knighten, former resident of the Hardman country, came down from Pendleton Tuesday, the 16th, to attend the funeral of his father, Isaac Knighten.

Rev. T. J. Hazleton delivered a very interesting lecture to the people of Hardman on Saturday night. His subject was the relief fund for the state prisoners.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Merrill and Mrs. Alonzo Merrill, who came over from Monument to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Endora Merrill, returned to their home Friday. G. A. Bleskman taking them. While in this country they visited for a few days with friends in Heppner, returning Thursday with J. W. Stevens and daughter, Miss Mildred, and were Mrs. Stevens' guests for the evening.

While returning from the mountains with their sheep a few days ago, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Stephens and their son, Arthur, met with something of an accident on a grade about three miles above Heppner. Meeting a car on the grade Arthur was trying to drive the sheep off the road to make room for the car to pass when the driver seemed to lose control of the car and Arthur was caught and run over before he could get out of the way. One foot was badly crushed and it will be some time before he will be able to walk without the use of crutches.

Isaac Knighten, pioneer resident of the Eightmile country, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. E. Wright, three miles north of Hardman, Tuesday, Oct. 16, 1917. Deceased was born near St. Louis, Mo., May 31, 1832. He crossed the plains by ox team, with his parents in 1847, the family settling on the site where the city of Portland now stands. January 3, 1861, he was married to Rebecca McBea, near Forest Grove, Oregon, where they resided for several years, later removing to Dayton, Washington. Eleven children were born to this union, nine of whom are living, viz Mrs. Ella Bellingbrooke, of Rhea creek, Mrs. Ida Wright, Robert, Louis and Edgar Knighten, of Hardman, Charles Knighten, of Eightmile, James Knighten, of Heppner, Fred Knighten, of Pendleton, and Mrs. Alice Warren, of Kennewick. All were present at the funeral except Mrs. Warren. Twenty-one grand-children, six great-grand children, his widow, and one brother, William Knighten, of Eagle Point, Oregon, survive him. Mr. Knighten settled on Eightmile in 1884, and has made his home in this section since that time. Funeral services were held at the grave in the I. O. O. cemetery at Hardman, October 17, 1917, where many friends gathered to pay their last respects to an old and honored citizen.

Card Socials During Winter Months

The ladies of St. Patrick Parish intend holding, in Odd-Fellows hall, a series of card socials commencing on Saturday November 3. To the one making the highest total score in all the socials, a valuable present will be given. "\$500" will be played and refreshments will be served. The admission price will be 25 cents.

Bargains in Morrow County

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For further information and particulars enquire of S. A. PATTISON, at Heppner Herald Office.

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MULE LOST—Bay mare mule broken to work, mane roached, tail shaved, Brand "lazy D (D)" on left stifle. Ten dollars reward. L. V. Gentry, Heppner, Oregon. 19tf

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