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COUNTRY FAIR TO HAVE ROUND-UP RACE DAYS

LIBERAL PURSES WILL BE HUNG FOR CONTESTANTS

Gentry Field Has Been Secured For Racing and Round-Up Programs

The coming meeting of the Morrow County Fair promises to be the best ever held in the county according to a statement made yesterday by Secretary-Manager Smead.

In addition to the regular exhibits of the products of the farm, ranch, orchard and home, arrangements are being made to put on a first-rate program of saddle races and also a Round-Up show that will prove of especial interest. About 50 horses of known bucking ability and unvarying reputation as to character and sweet temper, have been engaged for the affair and so well satisfied is Mr. Smead with the outlay tendencies of some of the Broncos that he has offered the Herald man a special purse of \$1000 or any other amount if he will "stick" a critter to be selected by Mr. Smead for three, two or even one minute after the brute gets into action. Not being of a greedy nature for easy money the H. M. is passing the offer along to any needy friend who wants to take a try at it.

A meeting of the fair board is to be held at the council chamber next Saturday evening, July 23 to which all cow boys, buckaroos and others interested in the Round Up plans are invited. It is especially desired that at least one representative rider from each section of the county be present. Arrangements are also going along for a fine program of saddle races and Gentry Field just east of the school house on the highway has been secured for these events.

All bad-horse riders and those who want to become such are requested to meet with the fair board at the council chamber next Saturday evening to complete arrangements for a round-up day at the Morrow county Fair in September.

IN MEMORY

After a valiant battle for health against the insidious attacks of disease which lasted for more than four months Kathryn Pattison, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pattison, went away last Tuesday, July 12, 1921, at the age of 17 years, 7 months and 6 days. Besides her parents she is survived by one brother and one sister, Everett and Dorothy Pattison, both of Heppner. She was a member of the class of '21, Heppner high school and although unable to be present at the commencement exercises she was able to graduate with her class.

The simple but impressive funeral service of the Christian Science faith, conducted by C. L. Freeman, was held at the Federated church Thursday afternoon and the body was taken Friday to the Portland crematorium and in that beauty spot on the banks of the Willamette, amidst the beautiful trees and shrubs and flowers, kissed by God's soft breezes and warm sunshines, all of which she loved so well, her ashes will repose on nature's bosom to blend with their elements.

"I cannot say, and I will not say that she is dead; She is just away. With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand She has wandered into another land, And left us dreaming how very fair, It needs must be since she lingers there. She is not dead, She is just away."

FOR SALE—A fine paying business in Heppner Best of reasons for selling. Address Box 98, Heppner, Oregon.—Advertisement. 2tf.

TWO TENTS FOR SALE—One 12 x 14 wall tent. One 7 x 7 wall tent, 10 oz. duck. \$10.99 each. Latourcel Auto Co.—Advertisement. 2tf.

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING—Remodeling and Ladies' Tailoring. Mrs. Curren, Church street. 2tf.

COUNCIL HELD MID-MONTH MEETING MONDAY EVENING

City council held a mid-month meeting Monday evening when final settlement was made with the Concrete Pipe company for the work done on the gravity water main. The company has had several men making repairs on the main recently and it is now said to be in fine condition. A provision of the contract was that the seepage of water during the flow through the concrete pipe should not exceed 10 per cent and careful tests and measurements of the water shows that this has been complied with.

The council has agreed to authorize the county court to make a tender of \$250.00 to the McHaley estate and \$400.00 to Ray Slocum for right-of-way damage through their property caused by the Oregon-Washington highway. It is understood that if the offers are not accepted condemnation proceedings will be instituted at once.

CHANGE IN CENTRAL MARKET OWNERSHIP

C. W. McNamer announces that he has purchased the interest of his partner, B. F. Sorenson in the Central Market and will henceforth conduct the business alone. The firm has enjoyed a splendid patronage and rendered excellent service to their patrons and the change in ownership and management will in no wise reduce the standard in business. Mr. McNamer has had long experience in the meat business and knows it from the ground up. George Ritchie of Ione, has succeeded Jack O'Neill as block man in the market. Mr. Ritchie was formerly employed in the market and has many friends in Heppner. Mr. Sorenson is at Portland this week with a shipment of cattle and it has not been learned what his future plans are.

HOTEL REMAINS CLOSED

The Hotel Patrick has been closed to the public by Pat Foley a week ago because of misunderstanding with the Light company regarding the cost of lighting, is still closed, and nothing definite can be learned as to when the place will reopen. Report has it that Mr. Foley is arranging to install a private lighting system and will the re-open the hotel. The closing has worked a hardship on Heppner and can hardly avoid hurting the business which had been growing nicely since the opening January 1st considering the financial and business conditions the past year.

THE CHAUTAUQUA

The Chautauqua will open at three o'clock, Thursday afternoon July 21. Make up your mind to attend every session you possibly can. The committee regrets that the dates this year come in the harvest season, but it cannot be helped. However they want it understood that the harvest hands will be welcome. They need not stay away because it is inconvenient to change clothes. Come in after the day's work is over, if you can and enjoy the evening's program. Do not stop to dress up. Your smiling face is what will count. The Sunday programs will be among the best. Plan to attend both afternoon and evening.

BOY SCOUTS RETURN FROM CAMPING TRIP

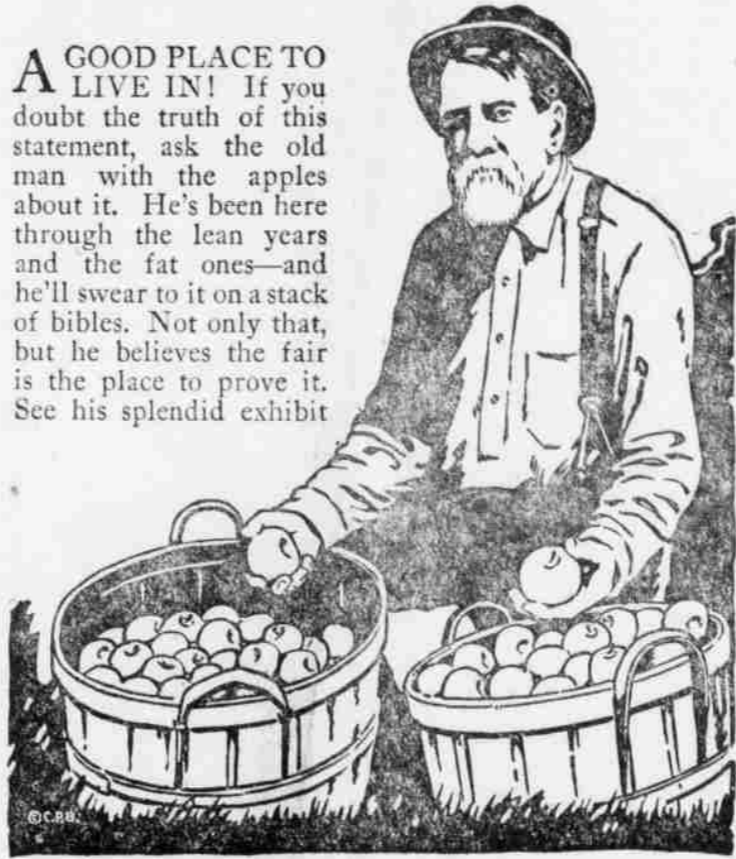
After a delightful week in camp at the old Herren mill on upper Willow creek the troop of Boy Scouts marched proudly into Heppner last Thursday evening, having made 22 miles without so much as a stone bruise or a blistered heel, at least so far as reported. The boys had a glorious time in camp and they all swear, not profanely, by their scoutmaster, Rev. Mr. Livingstone, who, they say, is not only a good scoutmaster but a good scout. They point with pride to their record of 22 mile march Friday and by way of comparison refer to the fact that the Portland Scouts make only a measly 15-mile march a day.

Squeaking Shoes.

The annoying "squeak" that some shoes have is caused by layers of pieces of leather rubbing together. Some shoemakers open the side and insert a bit of felt, or a peg or two, or a number of pegs driven into the sole from the outside stops the sound. —Hostess.

Morrow County Fair Sept' 15-16-17

A GOOD PLACE TO LIVE IN! If you doubt the truth of this statement, ask the old man with the apples about it. He's been here through the lean years and the fat ones—and he'll swear to it on a stack of bibles. Not only that, but he believes the fair is the place to prove it. See his splendid exhibit



FOREST NEWS Gurdane District

Ranger Woods and Langdon have been repairing the Heppner telephone line. Time does not permit a thorough overhauling; but sufficient maintenance work is being done to give service during the dry weather of the fire season.

The fire season is now on and gives promise of being serious. Nearly every day a new fire is reported, but so far nearly all fires have occurred in the low range, outside the forest and are being handled by the State fire wardens. The federal foresters are co-operating throughout their lookout men in detecting the fires and, as far as their own duties permit, they are assisting in suppression.

Gilbert Ritchie went on duty at Arbuckle mountain last Monday as lookout man and smoke chaser. When his fire duties permit he will work at maintenance of improvements.

Frank Bloss, army vocational training man, arrived this week and will take up the duty of lookout at Tamarack mountain in the Heppner district.

Mrs. Woods and children are visiting with Ranger Woods at Ellis Ranger Station. She hopes to be on the ground and ready for huckleberries.

Guard Casteel has been handling the administration of the Gurdane District during the past week while Ranger Woods was away on official business in Heppner. He has been stopping at Ellis Ranger station during this time.

BUY A SEASON TICKET

If you are planning to attend the Chautauqua, you should buy a season ticket. Even if you should attend only half of the programs, you will save money by purchasing a season ticket. You help the local committee more by purchasing a season ticket than you would if you attended the full number of programs and paid the price of the single admissions. The single admission aggregate \$7.15, while the season ticket costs only \$2.75. Stand by your local committee and purchase a season ticket.

Woman Started First Daily Paper.

The first daily paper in the world is said to have been established by a woman, Miss Elizabeth Mallet, in London, March, 1702. She polished and edited the Dully Courant, which she founded "for the purpose of doing greater justice to women in general through the elimination of imperfections which the ordinary papers contain."

Jews in Civil War.

The records show that more than 8,000 Jews served in the American Civil war. The list included nine Jewish generals and 15 who attained the rank of colonel. Over 4,000 saw active service in the Spanish-American war.

IRRIGON FOLK WAGING WAR ON JACKRABBIT

NEW POISON FORMULA SAID TO GET PESTS PRONTO

Information For Fruit Buyers And Other Interesting Neighborhood News

IRRIGON, Ore., July 16.—(Special)—And the rabbits! We are giving them the very devil. The potato deal, outlined in last week's issue, has proven to be quite a success but E. C. Fredrickson reports still a better way. Chas. H. Steward also reports on same. The formula is made as follows: Take one quart of flour, 1-2 ounce strychnine, 1-2 cup of sugar, 1-2 cup of salt. First mix dry then dampen enough to get all lumps into dough. Thin to consistency of thin gravy. This will probably make about 3 or 4 quarts of liquid which should be made up in container like 5 gallon oil can which has handles made so as to permit handling the container without getting hands into mixture. Take cedar shingles split about 1 to 2 inches in width or make cedar stakes 12 or 14 inches long with one end sharpened or left thicker and wider. Place the big end down into the mixture, and carry the container to where the poison is desired to be placed. A pair of pliers or some other method rather than taking hold of the sticks should be found rather than handling them with the bare hands. The sticks should be stuck in the ground broadcast across runways and other places where the rabbits are in the habit of passing. The oil can if used, should be thoroughly cleaned of the smell of oil as this may be offensive to the jacks and kill the smell of the salt and sugar. Other woods besides cedar may work but our experience on cedar has proven most successful. C. H. Steward took out one lot made from this 1-2 ounce of strychnine Saturday evening and before hegot through putting it out, counted five dead rabbits and next morning a total of 43 in 12 hours, on Monday morning 16 more dead ones were found from this 1-2 ounce of poison and the sticks are still on the job getting the rabbits. This experiment was made where alfalfa fields surround it on all sides. Various vegetables besides the potato have been tried but with the exception of the potato none of the others have met with much success. This poison on sticks has beat a winter poisoning records and should be adopted far and near by all farmers.

For the benefit of fruit seekers coming from other districts by auto, would offer the following lists and information: Cherries. N. Seaman ranch all sold. J. W. Warner, near Bailey, all probably

BOARDMAN BEE KEEPERS ORGANIZE

BOARDMAN, Or., July 16.—(Special)—At a meeting held July 11th at the residence of Ingvard Scoubo under the direction of H. A. Scullen, secretary of the Oregon Beekeepers association, the beekeepers of Boardman and vicinity organized an association to be known as the Morrow County Beekeepers association.

The following officers were elected:

Sylvester Ateberry, president; Paul Smith, vice-president; C. H. Dillabough, secretary-treasurer. The annual dues were filed at 50 cents payable in advance. Ten men joined at the meeting but it was decided to hold the charter list open for ten days to accommodate those beekeepers who could not attend, or who had not heard of the meeting being called at that time and place.

H. A. Scullen, State Secretary, gave us a very interesting and instructive talk on beekeeping and answered such questions as only a novice in the business could think to ask. It was very evident from the questions asked that what we did not know about beekeeping would make a pretty big book.

While we were nearly all in the primer class of beekeepers, Mr. Scullen's discourse not only covered the A. B. C. of bee culture but also the X, Y, Z. of the profession.

All beekeepers who wish to join the association as charter members may send their names and 50 cents annual dues to me on or before July 21st and their names will be placed on the charter list. Don't delay longer than July 21st as Mr. Scullen wants a list of all members sent to him at about that time.

C. H. DILLABOUGH, Secretary-Treasurer.

MUCH LIVE STOCK GOES TO PORTLAND MARKET

Some 10 cars of stock went out of the local yards Sunday morning, the lot being made up of sheep lambs and cattle. Reising, Ritter sent out two cars of cattle, Wright Bros., of Rhea creek, three cars of lambs; Terry Peterson, of Hardman, two of cattle; B. F. Sorenson, of Heppner, one of cattle and W. T. Matlock 2 of sheep. It is understood that about 30 cars of stock went to Portland Sunday from Pilot Rock.

sold or spoken for, but quite a lot on trees at this writing. Dewberries and raspberries all gone or sold. Early apples in abundance at Mrs. Watkins ranch two miles west. Doble's Fruit Farm, Glasgow's and Grim's may have a few also. Cucumbers now at Doble's Seaman's and Rick's. Watermelons may be had, if the weather keeps warm from nearly all the ranches. It would be unfair to list any particular one. Cantaloupes and Muskmelons will be ready about the first of August.

A. L. Larsen one of the leading farmers of the Meppner district was in Irrigon on personal business Wednesday and at the same time boosting for the north Morrow county fair. Mr. Larson believes in killing two birds with every shot.

O. H. Warner hotelman and chauffeur of the Boardman quick delivery, stopped in Irrigon Thursday on business matters and picked up some fruit for his hotel service.

C. W. Deering and wife, of Meppner, returned up Thursday and picked up fruits at the Seaman and Warner ranches.

For the benefit of those who have not signed up their donations for the north Morrow county fair, the writer wishes to call the attention to the subscription list which is on the counter at Wadsworth's store. Do what you can as this is the only means of making a success of the fair and we sure will realize much more out of it than we pay.

M. W. Jacobson, of Paterson, Wn. ferried over with his auto to bring Mrs. Jacobson and daughter to Irrigon Thursday. Mr. Jacobson says considerable business is bound to pass through this station account of the ferry service and Mr. Seaman already reports a number of such cases.

Mr. and Mrs. Wisdon and son, Bishop returned from the mountains Saturday and report feeling much better and of having had a pleasant trip. They went up in the Canyon City country and fished in various streams.

ROAD CONSTRUCTION PROCEEDS RAPIDLY

WARREN CONSTRUCTION CO. ASSEMBLING PLANT BELOW IONE

Oxman & Harrington Insist That Sub-Contractors Must Keep Work Moving

Construction work on the Oregon-Washington highway is proceeding rapidly according to a statement made by County Judge Campbell Saturday. Oxman & Harrington, the contractors, have sub-let all of the grading but Mr. Harrington, who is himself a construction engineer, is on the job frequently and he insists that the men under him must keep the work moving or get off the job. The weather is now favorable for getting a maximum amount of grading accomplished and he does not propose to let the job drag into the short days and bad weather of next winter.

The Oregon Hazzam Paving Co., who have the contract for laying the macadam on the lower highway are now moving their crushing plant to Morgan and the Warren Construction Co. having a similar contract farther this way, are now assembling their plant at a point below Ione. Everything looks favorable now. Judge Campbell things for early completion of the work.

Henry Gay and John R. Olden, two well known ranchers of the Rhea creek country were in town Saturday.

Bob Carsner was in town from his Hardman ranch Saturday. Mr. Carsner expects to make a shipment of sheep to the Portland market next Sunday if the market holds up.

STAR'S WISH HAS BEEN FINALLY REALIZED

Since Edith Roberts became a film star, at the age of seventeen, her longing has been to buy a beautiful home for her mother and herself and this laudable ambition has finally been satisfied. Just before she began the filming of her latest photodrama, "The Fire Cat," in which she will be seen at the Star theatre next Saturday, Miss Roberts and her best pal and friend—her mother—moved into their new home, which is one of the most charming in Hollywood, California. It is situated in Laurel canyon, about five miles from Universal City and was designed by one of the leading Los Angeles architect from plans suggested by Miss Robert and her mother. Within a stone's throw of their spacious lawn a some of the leading lights in film, many of whom have selected this part of the Hollywood foothills as an ideal home site.

Up to six months ago Miss Roberts lived in a rented home as she was not quite sure of remaining in California. She still entertained thoughts of returning to her native New York City, as she had received many offers from eastern studios. But just before Carl Lummile, president of Universal, sailed for Europe last summer, he gave Miss Roberts a contract and this fascinating young star will remain a Universalite for some time to come.

Edith Roberts is happy in her present role. It is one of those colorful characterizations in which she appears at her best—a Castilian girl who lives in the Peruvian Andes—and it is directed by the same master craftsman who produced her former big successes—"Lascia," "The Adorable Savage," and "White Youth."

AN APPRECIATION

We wish to express our appreciation of the acts of helpfulness and words of kindly comfort from our friends and neighbors during our recent trial. They added to her comfort and good cheer and lightened our burden with the realization of that Universal Good which is embedded in every human heart.

S. A. Pattison and Family.

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