

WEEK'S NEWS.

Local and Personal Happenings.

All kinds of good ice cold sodas at The Palm.

A few more of these warm days—and then hay harvest.

Go to the Bakery for your bread. 26 loaves for \$1.00.

You need not pay so much for insurance. Talk to M. E. Smead.

Why not select that carpet from the new lines at Case's Furniture Store.

Glenn Boyer is over from Fox Valley on a short visit with the home folks.

Highest cash prices paid for hides, pelts and furs. Morrow Warehouse Milling Co.

Clyde Wells, second-hand man, has an extra large stock at present to select from.

Dr. Winnard has taken a special course on eye diseases and is prepared to fit glasses properly.

Cream Puffs at the Bakery every Saturday. All kinds of cookies and pastry at the Bakery.

The neatest thing in the refrigerator line is the "White Frost." Sold by the Case Furniture Company.

It may be to your interest to get my prices before buying watches, clocks or jewelry. C. R. Johnson, Jeweler.

Mrs. John McFerrin arrived from Portland on Monday evening and is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Hill.

M. E. Smead departed on Monday for Hood River. He expects to be absent most of the summer working his insurance lines.

Horace Yosum departed on Monday morning for Dallas, Polk county, where he expects to spend the summer visiting his people.

Mrs. L. W. Hill, who spent several weeks in Heppner looking after interests here, departed for her home at Hood River on Saturday.

Dan Stalter departed this week for his mine at Susanville. He was accompanied by Chas. Groshens, and they will be away until snow flies.

W. J. McCraw, father of the late Allen McCraw, has moved here with his family from Payette, Idaho, and is located on the Curran ranch on Butter creek.

Condon has decided to give a big celebration on the 4th. A program of races and other sports is being prepared and purses to the amount of \$600 will be hung.

Mrs. Gladys Luper departed on Monday morning to join her husband at Baker, after having spent some weeks visiting with relatives in Heppner and at Spray.

J. R. Hicks departed on Monday for Coburg, where he will reside in the future, taking a position as clerk in the merchandise store, run at that place by his father, A. J. Hicks.

James Murtha came over from Rock Creek on Sunday. He reports a splendid lambing and the flocks of his section all doing well on the best grass the country has produced in years.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do this by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts at each application. For sale by Patterson & Son.

Too hot to cook on Sunday
Roast chicken
Ice cream
Yes at the PALACE HOTEL

Bilious? Feel heavy after dinner? Tongue coated? Bitter taste? Complexion sallow? Liver needs waking up. Doan's Regulets cure bilious attacks. 25 cents at any drug store.

Some rather extensive waterpouts have been reported as a result of the storm on Sunday. Roads were damaged in places but no serious harm done. Considerable hail fell but no damage is reported to growing crops.

Ben Wilson, an old-timer of Morrow county, got back to Heppner on Monday evening after about six years of absence, during which time he has lived in Wroning and Missouri. He thinks he will be content to stay here now. He was located at Denlow Mo. for the past few years and engaged in farming with his brother.

J. L. Wilkins and wife and sister, Miss Amy, spent Saturday evening at Ione and also a part of Sunday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Knappenberg. Joe was shown over the country and reports having seen immense prospects for a big crop. The big rains of Sunday and Monday makes assurance doubly sure. Morrow county crop will be a bumper this year.

Alex Lindsay and Ike Howard drove up from their places near Ione on Tuesday to look after business interests here. For the past 21 years Alex has driven over the base line—road between Butter creek and Willow creek, and during this time he has never seen such crops as one finds this season. Field after field of wheat is now beginning to head; the grain stands waist high, is very even and will produce a bumper crop.

Young George Snarry is suffering now from a fractured leg, the result of a wrestling match with another boy on Monday. He thought at first it was only a sprain but on being examined by a physician it was discovered that the bone was broken just above the ankle on the left leg. The fracture was caused by his leg striking a table.

Messrs Kohler & Chase, the big music house of Portland, have a consignment of pianos and player pianos on display in Heppner. Such instruments as the well-known Stuyvesant player, Kohler & Chase, Fischer, Kohler & Chase and Draper pianos. See these instruments in the room just north of Patterson & Elder's barber shop.

Mrs. Taylor Dodson, of Bellingham Wash., Mrs. Frank Roberts of Portland and Mrs. Wm. Potter, of Spray, daughters of Mrs. E. Minor are visiting this week with their mother and will join the other Minor children in a family reunion.

The G. T. owes an apology to Miss Mary Clark for overlooking the little party at the home of her parents last week in celebration of her 7th birthday. Miss Mary, we promise never to do it again.

Mrs. J. F. Crippen, of San Francisco, arrived on Monday evening to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Clara A. Goff, who is lingering at death's door with a fatal illness.

The first crate of strawberries from Hermiston was shipped to Pendleton last week and brought \$6.00. Heavy orders are booked for the Hermiston crop by Montana dealers.

Alf Gentry was in Heppner a few days this week from his Grant county sheep ranch. Plenty of wet weather over his way and good prospects for all kinds of crops.

Rev. John McAllister and wife returned on Tuesday evening from Laurel, Washington county, where they spent a couple of weeks in an evangelistic meeting.

Rev. Reade, of Lexington, with six of his boy scouts, passed through Heppner on a "hike" to the mountains yesterday.

Mrs. Fanny Blackman is visiting with her relatives here, having arrived from San Francisco on Monday evening.

J. S. Potter is here from his mining possessions in Nevada and expects to remain for some time.

Mrs. W. P. Dutton departed for Portland this morning where she will spend the summer.

C. F. Waters, sheepman of Spray, is in Heppner today.

GEO. GOFF A SUICIDE

Relatives Here Knew Nothing of His Whereabouts 'Til Time of Death.

A letter received by Mrs. Clara A. Goff, of Heppner, early last week, announced the death of her son, Geo. Goff, on May 9, by his own hand. Word came from Dr. J. S. McElvan, of Antone, Wash., and stated that the body of Goff was found at his sheep camp a short distance from that place. He was engaged as a herder by Mosier and Hairy and went by the name of Jack Weaver. He was found in his tent with a bullet hole through his head, having placed the muzzle of the gun in his mouth and pulled the trigger with a string tied to his foot.

The deceased left a note, written on a piece of wrapping paper addressed as follows:

"Clara A. Goff, Heppner, Ore. I would like to see you before I die—for your sake—not for my own. I don't care—no friends—no nothing. Everything is yours—the little brother's when you are gone. Tell everybody I was a boy one time. Geo. Goff."

This note was forwarded to his people here, and the information also given that George's body was buried near where he was found.

George Goff was a man about 41 years of age, and was born in Petrolia, Calif. Something over a year ago he was taken sick while at work in the vicinity of Lone Rock and wandered off, turning up after several days at the home of Jesse French on Butter creek. After remaining there for some time, he left, leaving no word as to where he was going and no one knew anything of his whereabouts until word of his death was received. His act was no doubt due to despondency over ill health.

IRRIGON.

(Intended for last week.)

Alfalfa is just coming in bloom now and about the 25th haying will begin.

Hume Park came down from Hermiston last week and took back with him a nice Jersey cow which he bot of Prof. Kicker.

Mrs. W. R. Walpole Jr. and the two children, Francis and Ralph, made a trip to Pendleton last Tuesday returning on Thursday.

Mr. George purchased the property of J. H. Smith here in town. Mr. George is now possessor of one of the nicest little homes in Irrigon.

Mr. Subaner just returned from Heppner where he had been summoned on jury duty. He says everybody there is feeling good over the prospects for a good wheat crop.

A dance will be given in the E. & W. Hall next Saturday night. The boys say that there will be nothing lacking in the line of refreshments. Everybody comes out as this will be probably the last one of the season.

Miss Park returned to Kentucky but expects to return in about 10 weeks. Her two aunts intend to come back with her then and live here during the fall and winter. Miss Park and Mr. Kicker were both re-elected to teach the school next term.

W. R. Walpole Jr. has made several trips to Pendleton recently, attending to court proceedings relative to the Umattilla project. He reports everything in fine shape and he predicts that Uncle Sam will soon roll up his sleeves and make the dirt fly.

Vacation is now here; school being closed last Friday. The program was given on Wednesday in order that the final examinations might be given the last two days without interruption. There were no failures in the whole school as far as we know, but as to the results of the 8th grade we can not yet tell; will have to report at a later date.

M. F. Wadsworth has of late been quite busy installing fresh water systems. He installed one for P. Subaner and it works like a dream. One needs only to turn on the faucet, and the machinery is set to work at the bottom of the well, and by means of compressed air a fresh, cool drink is on hand at all times. He also went to Paradise Flat and did a similar job for S. H. Boardman.

The fruit crop is now assured fact. Everybody is in good spirits and working with a will that will tell in the end. Ripe strawberries have been picked a week ago, and by the time the reader sees this the season will be on in full blast. Mr. Doble, who has a little better than two acres of this delicious fruit, says he expects to make somewhere in the neighborhood of \$800 from them this year. The crop never was better.

Every one is busy haying.

A nice shower of rain fell Sunday and freshened up every thing wonderfully.

Mr. Stockdale and family drove down from Echo last Saturday to visit the Dobbles.

An extra train crew is at work here now taking out the trucks from under all the non-airbrake cars.

The rumor is going the rounds that the Coyote-Echo cut-off is an assured thing now. And when Uncle Sam gets busy on the big ditch there will be something doing in this "neck of the sagebrush."

Strawberries are now being shipped in large quantities and bringing good prices. Mr. Doble has two acres of the luscious fruit and will no doubt derive from them a handsome income. Unless some unforeseen thing should happen he estimates from between \$800 to \$1000 on this crop alone.

Irrigon's fruit crop this summer will be marketed by the Hermiston Farmers Exchange. A representative, Mr. Otto G. Sapper from that corporation was down here last week and laid the matter before our people who were much pleased with the idea and agreed to sell through the exchange. R. B. Kicker was appointed to look after the shipping at Irrigon.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

Summer Range To Lease.

25,000 acres of range for lease in the Blue Mountains in the vicinity of Whitney and Baker, Oregon, at 8 cents per acre if taken immediately. It is first class sheep range. Write or wire the undersigned for all or any of this land. FRANK GARDINIER, Baker, Ore.

Good Pasture.

500 acres of fine bunch grass. Will pasture horses. Grow horses for \$1.50 per month. Cattle reasonable. Given good attention. Write or phone to R. G. Jones, Lone Rock, Ore.

Muslin Underwear 1-4 off

Minor & Co. Summer Dresses

Muslin Underwear 1-4 off

- Embroidered Lawn dresses in blue and white Black and white stripes - - - \$3.75
- Striped Lawn dresses made in surplice style with embroidered collars, and trimmed with Ball trimming - - - 6.50 & 6.75
- Allover embroidery dresses trimmed with linen lace and insertion, crochet buttons - 7.00
- White Voile, trimmed with silk fringe and crochet buttons - - - - 8.50
- Cotton Corduroy with lace collar and black velvet tie - - - - 8.50
- White Voile dress trimmed with Cluny lace, Irish crochet yoke, Ball trimming - 18.00
- Light percale dresses made in surplice style, and Gingham dresses in tan, pink and lavender, trimmed with embroidery and lace - - - - 2.50 to 5.00

Shirtwaists at half price

Muslin Underwear 1-4 off

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FROM SUPT. NOTSON.

I have been visiting and studying the schools of Minneapolis. The schools of this city are reputed to be among those which stand in the front lines, and my observations have tended to confirm in my mind the position assigned them.

I was interested in the health campaign carried on in the schools. Every school is visited daily by a school physician or a school nurse, often by both. Contagious diseases are nipped in the bud. Notice to parents often enables them to ward off threatened diseases which are in the early stages of development, thus saving loss of time on the part of the pupil.

In one of the largest schools I visited, a grade school, each pupil had his own cup, and the water is kept in a closed jar in the room and is drawn through a faucet. This seems to be preferred to bubbling fountains, for the little folks.

Large placards are displayed in the school rooms, showing the fly in all its stages of development and the facility with which it propagates its kind. Appeals are made to the pupils to kill the fly, and the danger to the spread of disease by the fly are plainly set forth. The city is also carrying on a wholesale war on the fly.

The light in the rooms is admitted only from the rear and left side or from the left side alone. The shades are all arranged upon adjusting rods. The greatest care is used in ventilating the rooms, so as to keep cold currents of air from striking the pupil. The walls and ceilings are painted in soft tints. The floors are deodorized so as to prevent the nerve-racking noise of tramping feet. I think the number of cases of pupils wearing glasses in the lower grades is smaller than in the schools of our county. Frequent calisthenic and breathing exercises, occupying from one to two minutes, are given by the teachers. The recess is given in the morning and afternoon in the grade schools. Most of the high schools assemble at 9 o'clock and dismiss at 12:30, having only one session.

Enough for this time; more later. Respectfully, S. E. NOTSON.

S. F. Moore came over from Spray on Wednesday to look after business interests. Everything is booming in his section this year and there is prospect of abundant harvests of hay, grain and fruit.

5000 Head of Thoroughbred, Fine Wool Sheep FOR SALE

The entire stud band of thoroughbred sheep of the NUNAMAKER LAND & SHEEP COMPANY are now offered for sale at a bargain. This band consists of 2000 ewes with their lambs, and 1000 yearling ewes, together with thoroughbred bucks enough to breed the band. This is the finest bunch of fine wool sheep in Eastern Oregon. 2900 head of these ewes sheared 14 pounds, and they weigh on an average 140 pounds.

For further information, address

GAZETTE-TIMES

Heppner - - - - Oregon

Pigs to Sell

Thoroughbred Duroc Jerseys

I now have for sale a few head of boar pigs, at my ranch 4 1/2 miles west of Lexington.

Call or write me for terms. L. J. Padberg

Thresher For Sale.

I have for sale at the Wm. Stauffer farm, six miles south of Lexington, one 28-inch Case separator, one 14-horse Wilson power, and derrick table with ropes and cables all complete and in good repair. Terms reasonable.

lm CHAS. READ.

Lost.

A brown mare weighing about 1300; branded EE on right side; white star in forehead. This animal disappeared from the cattle and horse reserve near Hardman in October last. A reward of \$10 will be paid for information leading to the recovery of this animal. E. E. LOVGREN, Eight Mile Oregon.

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Helps A Judge in Bad Fix.

Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn. was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "though it was a cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklin's Arnica salve, and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, bruises and piles. 25 cents at Slocum Drug Co.

DR. WM. PFUNDER'S CELEBRATED OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER

A Tonic, Alterative and Resolvent. The best remedy for Kidneys, Liver and Bowels. Eradicates Pimples, Eruptions and Disorders of the Skin. Purifies the Blood and gives Tone, Strength and Vigor to the entire system.