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**GOVERNOR NAMES "GOOD TIMES DAY"**

Oregon's Chief Executive Urges Big Attendance at Portland June 9, When Tenth Annual Rose Festival Closes.

Governor Withycome has proclaimed June 9, closing day of the Tenth Annual Rose Festival of Portland as "Good Times Day" and urges a big attendance in the state's metropolis on this date.

The Governor will ride his famous mount "Loretta" at the head of the Ualtee procession and will be active with other officials at the national dedication of the Columbia river highway the afternoon of June 7, when the festival opens.

The Governor's proclamation for "Good Times Day" is as follows:

"WHEREAS, the Rose Festival held annually in Portland has become an event of state wide importance and of national interest, and

"WHEREAS, it is desirable for all good Oregonians to lend their assistance towards making this year's celebration even more notable than those of the past, and

"WHEREAS, the closing day, June 9, 1916, has been set aside for a great pageant and parade, which will be participated in by federal and military organization, by civic and fraternal bodies, and by an unprecedented representation of citizens, and

"WHEREAS, I have been requested by the Board of Governors to call special attention of loyal Oregonians to this day.

"NOW, THEREFORE, I do hereby proclaim Friday, June 9th, as "GOOD TIMES DAY" and I earnestly suggest that all Oregonians on that day so far as they are able, lay aside work-a-day cares and cooperate in making this closing event of the 1916 Rose Festival an event superlatively worthy of the Portland Rose and the Oregon Spirit."

**How Money Circulates.**

Construction of a beet-sugar factory turns loose \$100,000 in Southern Oregon.

As long as the industry exists it will continue to put money in circulation.

The only way to get money into general distribution is through payrolls and business.

If all the money in the world were in this state, without enterprises and business transacted it would not circulate and no one could get any.

Enterprises, investments and development of farms and factories, or anything that puts money in circulation, helps everybody.

Freak legislation and tax-collecting takes money out of circulation and restrains business.

The people can only become prosperous with more industries and less legislation.

**Grant County Loses Valuable Man.**

After a week's illness Joseph Putnam, county commissioner of Grant county, died here, Friday at the home of Ala O. Mosier. His death was due to spotted fever the result of a tick bite. He was sick for about a week. He came to Canyon on Tuesday to attend a meeting of the commissioners' court. He complained of feeling ill and finally took to his bed. Spotted fever rapidly developed and in a short time his case became dangerous. He grew worse and finally word was sent to his wife. She made the trip from Monument, the family home, a distance of 50 miles but arrived too late. Mr. Putnam had passed away. His condition from the beginning was regarded as serious owing to complications that developed with the fever.

His death was not only a shock to this community but indeed to the county at large. He was well known throughout Grant county, not alone from the fact that he occupied a public position but because he had been a resident of the county for a great many years and had been engaged in the stock business. At the last election he was elected to the office of county commissioner, and he made a most ardent and conscientious official. He was particularly interested in the economy of the county and at the same time greatly interested in the matter of better roads. He has been spending the greater part of his time on road construction work. He took up the burdens of the people of the northern part of the county and in him they felt that they really had a friend. During his short term of office he did much for his people.

And the people of Monument and in fact all of that portion of the county were free to say that they realized that they had lost one of their best citizens. Joe Putnam was a direct loss. He was a valuable man for the county. He worked for better conditions in the county. He was a good citizen, a good official and a good man.

His death is greatly regretted by a great many people in the county who not only had a warm feeling for him as a friend but held faith and confidence in him as a trusted public official.

He is survived by a wife and three children: Mrs. Clyde Van Bibber, C. F. Putnam and Mrs. M. Hewlett.

His body was taken to Monument where interment took place.—Blue Mountain Eagle, Canyon City.

**HEPPNER LOSES 8-7 TO ECC CITY BOYS**

The local ball tossers made their initial appearance at the depot grounds in this city last Sunday afternoon and made a very creditable showing, all things considered. The lone team started the fire works in the first inning when "Dutch" Rietman pulled a homer from McGarrigle. However this was somewhat evened up in the same inning when Siebolds duplicated the stunt for Heppner.

The game was an interesting one from the standpoint of the fans and was just uncertain enough at all times to cause uneasiness on both sides of the rooting line. Sperry pitched a steady game for lone, as did McGarrigle for Heppner. Many of the errors made on both sides can be attributed more or less to the high wind and dust which filled the air throughout the game. In spite of weather conditions, a good crowd turned out, many auto loads of fans coming up from lone.

The final score stood 8 to 7 in favor of lone, although at two or three different periods during the swat-feat it looked very much like Heppner was going to put the game away on ice.

**The two teams lined up as follows:**

Heppner	Position	lone
Gambill	rt	Braker
Siebolds	ss	Hopkins
Christensen	3b	W. Rietmann
Coshov	c	A. Cochran
Ingram	1b	D. Rietmann
Neal	cf	Cason
Hayes	lf	Blake
McGarrigle	p	Sperry (Mgr.)
Jaynes (Capt.)	2b	W. Cochran
Umpires,		Johnson and Rogers.

**A Platform For A Heppner Health League.**

By Loa Briggs.

A health league is one of the organizations which is most needed in Heppner because there are only a few health laws and they are not strictly enforced. Many careless things are being done by individuals who would not do them if there were an organized health league.

A league of this kind would be always watching for careless deeds which might lead to the spreading of disease. All members could set an example for others by their clean, healthy habits. They could also demand that nothing could be done in public places that would spread disease. Much could be done in having manure piles and garbage hauled away.

Were there an organization for the health of the town, the people would be in much less danger of illness, for by this organization the germ breeding places would be removed. Such an organization could also make an active campaign against the fly, for by removing the filth, the fly would be denied a place in which to live and propagate.

**Conferences at Pendleton.**

The Boy's and Girl's conferences will be held at Pendleton on June 2, 3, 4, of next week. Although on the same dates, these conferences will be held separate with the exception of the Banquet on the evening of the third.

Two speakers, one for the girls' conference and one for the Boys', have been appointed from Morrow county and a goodly delegation from this county is expected.

Pendleton will furnish free entertainment to all who come. Send your name in advance to the chairman of entertainment committees, Mrs. S. G. Reetz for the Girls and Mr. J. W. Maloney for the Boys'. Also indicate whom you prefer as a roommate. For further information and Program write C. A. Phipps 520 Abington building, Portland, Oregon.

**Slate—Davis**

Arron Howard Slate and Leona Davis of Lexington were married in that city last Saturday evening at the conclusion of the graduating exercises of the Lexington high school. Miss Davis was a member of the graduating class. Rev. W. B. Smith of the Federated church of Heppner performed the ceremony.

Mrs. John Maxwell, who has been spending the winter in California, has joined her husband in this city. Mr. Maxwell is the proprietor of the Fountain of Sweets at the corner of Main and Center streets.

We have a party who desires to rent an improved farm of 300 to 500 acres for one to three years, with option to purchase same at expiration of lease.

**Smead & Crawford.**

Among the many Morrow county people who are buying automobiles is Paul Webb, Mr. Webb received a new Dodge this week through Vaughn & Sons, Mr. Vaughn bringing the car up from The Dalles Tuesday.

Gilliam & Bisbee have purchased through West & Robbins of Pendleton a Grant Six. Having accepted the local agency they will use this car for a demonstrator. It is a medium priced car selling for \$900 and many of them have been disposed of this year in Umatilla county.

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