

Local Happenings

ESTRATED—There came to my place, the Bell ranch, about March 28, one bay mare, weight about 1550, star in forehead, bluish brand on left shoulder; bay horse, weight about 1450, with four white feet. Owner may have same by paying advertising and pasturage charges. RAY YOUNG.

Wm. Osborn, who for the past year has conducted the battery station in the Cohn garage, states that he will soon open a battery business at Lone. He expects a good trade, as his will be the only business of the kind at that place.

Berl and D. C. Gurdane left by car Monday evening for Hot Lake. Bug will spend some time at this popular health resort to treat the rheumatism which has been causing him much pain for several weeks.

Tom Chidsey left for Portland Tuesday morning to be with Mrs. Chidsey who is under the care of a specialist in the city for treatment of bronchial trouble. Her condition is reported to be improved.

FOR SALE—Cheap, one 22-in. Case separator with blower, in good condition; also straw carrier for 22-in. separator in good condition. C. MOHRKE, Lexington, Oregon.

LOST—Small brown leather woman's purse, Saturday, on Main street. Contained \$39.45 reward for immediate return to Mrs. J. C. Morgan, Heppner, or leave at this office.

A. Z. Barnard was up from Lexington Saturday night. He reports prospects bright for his new service station there.

Oscar Edwards was in Portland last week to attend the laying of the cornerstone of the new Odd Fellows temple.

Mrs. Ruth Barnett of Pendleton, sister of Mrs. E. L. Bengo of this city, is visiting at the Bengo home.

LOST—Sack containing ladies wearing apparel, addressed J. W. Harrison. Leave at this office or phone 4421.

Carl Peterson, of Lone, who was in the city Monday, is much elated over crop prospects in his district.

Harry Lamley, energetic salesman for the U. S. Tire & Rubber Co., was in the city Saturday.

Matt Halvorsen of Lone and H. O. Ely of Morgan were business visitors in Heppner Tuesday.

Lost—Pair of rimless eye-glasses, in black case. Reward. Finder return to this office.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Neill of Butter creek were doing business in Heppner Tuesday.

Wright Saling of Hardman, spent several days in the city last week.

Hert Stone and wife spent last week-end in Pendleton and Baker.

W. B. Finley was up from his home at Harbiston Saturday.

W. P. Hill was down from his Willow creek ranch on Tuesday.

Victor Wigglesworth of Butter creek was in the city on Tuesday.

FEDERATED CHURCH. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Sermon, 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. We are still holding the two prayer meetings each week on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. We are hoping to have a revival the whole year instead of just two or three weeks in the year. Three more united with the church last Sunday, making 14 additions to the church since the closing of our meetings about three weeks ago. There are more yet to unite with us.

Our Sunday School had the largest average attendance in the month of April since the coming of the pastor last October. The average attendance was 162. The orchestra has helped and is still helping our attendance.

We expect to see others accept Christ Sunday. We invite anybody and everybody.

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HOW TO REDUCE TAXES.

THE universal cry is against high taxes. The cry should not be against high taxes, but against the corrupt use of taxes. The question of high or low taxes is to some extent governed by the valuation put upon property from the public treasury. Crush the socialist, paternal spirit growing up in this country, whether in the form of the pork barrel or government ownership of public utilities. All such unconstitutional doctrines and practices are increasing the taxes to the breaking point.

The continued excessive tax burdens can be traced to certain abuses:

First: Extravagant, complicated governments. The office seekers, office holders, and tax eaters have multiplied government machinery to perpetuate themselves in office. If you would reduce the machinery and throw out of office the inefficient, rat-hole hunting office parasites, you would reduce the cost of municipal, county, state and national governments 30 per cent. Today, you have about sixty cents of every dollar of tax money invested in government, and the other forty cents is represented by waste, fraud, inefficiency and graft.

The bureaucracy of this country is a curse to good government and a criminal expense upon the tax-ridden public. Simplify governmental machinery and put competent, trained, patriotic men in office, and taxes will be reduced 30 per cent. within a short time.

Second: Destroy the spoils system. Elect or appoint men to office solely on the ground of merit. Then you will get an honest day's work for true love of country and a just consideration of the trust imposed.

Third: Teach the people they must support the government and not expect support.

HOMEY PHILOSOPHY for 1923

All this talk about Pharoah's curse killing the powerful Carnarvon, the man whose power of wealth and energy succeeded in bringing to light the grave of old Tutankhamen, may keep alive old superstition. The Irishman may believe in the banshee and the laparhaun a little longer and the "coon" carry an extra rabbit's foot, but neither never lasts, though often it serves a purpose. The dying of the English Earl was not in vain. In life he revealed to us a treasure of knowledge long buried from the inquiring mind of man, and in his death he showed the importance of the little thing. The mouse freed the lion. Maybe the clerk and the busy business man declines to hear a message of millions and of moment. If ye have ears, use them.

FARM POINTERS

Do not let a berry plant affected with crown gall of either root or cane form remain in the berry patch. After removing the infected crown and roots the soil may be replaced with good soil. The disease is caused by soil-inhabiting bacteria that get into wounds made for the most part in the underground parts of the plant.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

The 200 million bacteria in every cubic inch of fertile soil are scavengers disintegrating the organic matter in the soil and making plant food. Proper temperature and air conditions are necessary for their growth. Don't forget to cultivate as much as possible while the moisture and temperature conditions are favorable in order to secure a good state of fertility of the crop.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

The first drawn milk from the udder is very poor in fat, generally less than one per cent. The last drawn milk is very rich, often testing from 8 to 10 per cent or even higher.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

The annual yield of both milk and

fat by a cow normally increases from the first lactation until she is mature. The maximum yield is usually reached at 7 to 9 years of age. A dairy cow on the average as a 2 year old may be expected to produce about 50 per cent; as a 3 year old around 60 per cent, and as a four year old about 90 per cent of the milk and butter fat she will produce under the same treatment when mature.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

When the intervals of time between milkings are unequal, cows generally yield a smaller amount of milk after the shorter period, but this milk is slightly richer in fat and total solids.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

Hall of Ruth Chapter No. 32, Order of the Eastern Star.

Whereas, it has pleased our Heavenly Father to summon to her Eternal Home our beloved sister, Grace Louise Chick, who was always a faithful and devoted member of Ruth Chapter No. 32, Order of the Eastern Star; a Past Matron, and ever ready to do all in her power for the welfare of the chapter.

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Omnipotent and extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy; that we drap the charter in mourning for a period of thirty days in memory of our departed sister; that a copy of these Resolutions be spread on the minutes of the chapter, a copy be sent to the family and one to the press for publication.

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