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School Supplies

Our School Begins September 19

We have made a special effort in selecting our School Supplies, and can supply you with anything you need in the School Book line from the lowest to the highest grades. No use to hunt around at other places. You will find the best at our store

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ORGANIZED LEAGUE

Enthusiastic Citizens Meeting Friday Evening.

MEET TOMORROW EVENING

T. W. Ayers Chosen President and Geo. Conser Treasurer—Committee Appointed Who will Select Secretary.

A very enthusiastic meeting was held in the council chambers last Friday evening, and a Morrow County Development League was organized by the election of Judge T. W. Ayers as president and Geo. Conser as treasurer, the matter of choosing secretary being left in the hands of a committee. This committee has charge of the matter of getting out some literature to properly advertise the resources of our county. It is composed of the following: C. E. Woodson, chairman, J. K. Carr and Fred Warnock.

The president was instructed to prepare a number of petitions to be placed in various business houses for the solicitation of membership to the association, the membership fee to be \$1.00. J. W. Morrow made a very interesting talk, giving his observations as to what is being done and has been done in other localities by organized effort.

Another citizens' meeting will be held tomorrow (Friday) evening, in the city hall, when a permanent organization will be effected, and some steps taken in regard to getting out some advertising matter.

Farnsworth-Stuart Nuptials.

Frank P. Farnsworth, who was married in Portland a few days ago to Miss Ethel Stuart, returned with his bride Tuesday evening, and it is stated it mildly to say that the happy couple was tendered a grand reception upon their arrival.

Frank being one of the most popular young men of the city, everybody, it seemed, was prepared to give him and his bride a reception they would not soon forget. Even the little girls were out in force with tin cans and old pans. The little girls were followed by the little boys, then the middle aged boys and girls; the young men taking the last round of serenading. It must have been near the middle of the night when the serenaders finally ceased the festivities.

Mr. Farnsworth, who is manager for the Morrow County Land & Trust Co., is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Farnsworth, the latter one of the prominent and successful stockmen of Morrow county.

The bride, who for many years was a resident of Morrow county, is an accomplished young lady and is held in high esteem by her numerous friends and acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Farnsworth will go to housekeeping in their new residence at the west end of Center street as soon as it is completed. The Times joins their hosts of friends in extending congratulations.

Long Creek Races.

The races at Long Creek last week are reported to have been a success, though the attendance was not as large as at former meetings, owing to the press of work in the hay fields, however the track was in good condition and there was a liberal sprinkling of entries.

In the one-fourth mile dash Monday Henry Hawks' horse, Surprise, won first money. In the one-fourth mile race Tuesday and the Wednesday's five-eighths mile race S. L. Cross' mare, Miss Hunter, took first money. The one-sixteenth mile hurdle race was won by Dora M., Tom Kane's mare.

Thursday Henry Hawks' horse, Constance, took first money in the one-half mile consolation race.

At the close of the races Thursday Henry Rarhart of Lone, bought Miss Hunter of S. L. Cross, the consideration being \$500.

The City Council

The Heppner city council met in regular session Monday evening, with Mayor Gilliam and Councilmen Noble, Farnsworth, Cohn, Quaid and Warnock present.

The applications of J. C. Borchers, Matlock Bros. and Phil. Metschan for

liquor licenses were accepted and it was ordered that the licenses be issued.

The following bills were allowed:

D. V. S. Reid	5 00
Julius Keithly	2 50
Edgar Ayers	1 25
Elmer Ingalls	50
W. A. Richardson	16 65
J. W. Rasmus	63 00
L. W. Briggs	8 33
H. L. & W. Co.	97 80
R. Williams	5 00
Roy Gray	12 00
L. A. Williams	12 50
Heppner Transfer Co.	3 00
C. C. Patterson	14 92
L. W. Briggs	100 50
Gilliam & Bisbee	108 36

Contract Is Let.

The most welcome news to reach Condon in many a day was the announcement made here last Friday that the contract had been let for the construction of the Arlington-Condon railroad.

The Pacific Coast Construction company secured the contract and it is understood that the stipulation is made that the road must be completed by January 1st of next year. The contract covers all the construction work including grading, tracklaying, culverts, bridges, etc., and the work must be done in the most thorough and substantial manner.

It is understood that subcontracts will be let and active work will commence as soon as grading outfits can be got on the ground.—Condon Globe.

LEXINGTON ITEMS

Joe Osburn went to Lone, Monday.

Henry Armsmeyer went to the mountains Monday.

Jos. Meier returned from Goldendale, Wash., Thursday.

Mr. Carter's family arrived here from Medford Thursday.

Our public school opened this week with a fair attendance.

James White has gone to work for the O. R. & N. Co. again.

Nat Gray is moving his family to town so his children can attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benge, of Washington, are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Roena White went to Arlington Thursday to visit her sister, Miss Iona White.

Tom Beymer has the mumps, but he is not allowing that to spoil his good nature.

J. W. Shipley and H. A. Waterman were in town Wednesday talking life insurance.

Mr. W. G. Scott and family and Mr. and Mrs. Silas Beach returned from Teal springs last Tuesday.

W. S. Wharton, cashier of the Bank of Heppner, was interviewing our business men Wednesday.

Emergency Medicines.

It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in cases of accident and for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite if not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn it allays the pain and cause the injury heal in one-half the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflammation sets in, which insures a quick recovery. For sale by Slocum Drug Co.

Notice.

Owing to the hot weather and needed renovation of the school house, the directors of Heppner School District No. 1, have decided to postpone the opening of the school until Monday, Sept. 9.

L. W. BUGGS, District Clerk.

To Taxpayers.

Monday, October 31, 1904, is the last day on which the last half of your 1903 taxes can be paid without penalty and interest. This is the only notice that will be given.

E. M. SHUTT, Sheriff.

Now is the time to list your real estate as the prospects are very favorable for lively selling of Morrow county realty during the next twelve months. The county has been more thoroughly advertised the past few months than ever before, and there will doubtless be buyers in the field soon. The Times has made arrangements whereby we expect to be able to handle considerable property right along. So if you have property to sell it will be to your advantage to call and list now. Remember it costs you nothing if no sale is made.

PORTAGE ROAD SURE

Plans for Building Have Been Agreed Upon.

YET TO SIGN CONTRACT

At a Meeting of the Open River Association and Portage Railway Board at Salem Form of Contract Was Adopted.

The form of contract to be entered into between the Portage Railway board and the Open River Association, looking to the building of The Dalles-Celilo portage railway, having been adopted by the conference which took place last week at Salem, between the portage board and J. N. Teal, of Portland, representing the Open River Association of Eastern Oregon, all that now remains to be done toward the accomplishment of the desired end is the approval of the contract by the executive committee of Open River Association, the signing of the same by all parties concerned and the actual beginning of the work which will be begun immediately after all of the preliminaries have been settled.

The road will be built upon the following conditions: The board of portage railway commissioners, after all of the preliminaries are completed, entertain bids for the building of the road.

All that it will cost the state, regardless of what the completion of the project will cost, will be the amount appropriated by the legislature, \$162,000, any amount in excess of that sum, according to the contract, to be met by the Open River Association.

It will be specifically understood that the portage board, on the part of the state, will have all of the constructing and necessary negotiations to attend to in the matter and the road, when completed, will be subject to the approval of the board.

The Open River Association is to have no jurisdiction in the matter whatever, except to fulfill its guarantee to pay all expenses in excess of the sum appropriated.

Minor's Show Herd.

W. O. Minor shipped Tuesday his show herd of shorthorns which he will exhibit at the State fair at Salem next week. The herd consists of four heifers, two yearlings and two calves, three bulls and five bull calves, as follows:

Laura and Mazie, yearlings; Minnie and Marie, calves; Belted Valentine, Royal Commander and Valiant, bulls; Linder Chief, Ingleman, Lovely Lad, Lord Abbotsburn and another call the name of which we did not learn.

All of the foregoing excepting Belted Valentine and Valiant have been entered for the auction sale of Shorthorn and Hereford cattle at the Oregon State Fair. The former of these has already been sold to J. P. Graves, of Spokane, and the latter will probably be sold at private sale during the fair.

Mr. Minor's show herd is an exceptionally fine lot of Shorthorns, and he has ever deemed it advisable to put in cattle that would reflect credit upon his herd, he will doubtless get the best prices going at the fair, and will carry away a liberal share of the prizes.

Few Kicks.

There were but few persons appeared before the Morrow county board of equalization last week asking for an adjustment of their assessments. The valuation of the palace hotel was lowered from \$7,700 to \$6,700, and the valuation of some flood lots were slightly lowered.

J. W. Morrow appeared for the O. R. & N. company and asked that the adjustment be placed in the hands of the county commissioners. The request was granted and the matter will come up for hearing tomorrow. The road has heretofore been assessed at \$4,500 per mile. Assessor Gove this year raised it to \$7,500 per mile. It is understood that the O. R. & N. thinks this valuation excessive, and will ask that it be lowered to \$5,500 per mile.

The Times and Oregonian \$2 a year.

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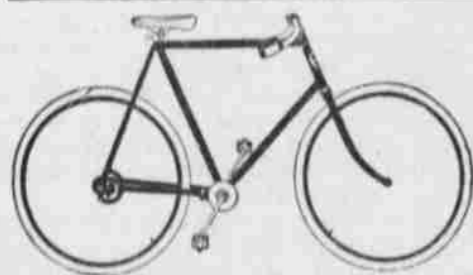
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