RODEO IS SUCCESS IN SPITE OF COLD

Largest Crowd in History Present at Saturday's Performance.

TROUB IS CHAMPION

Colfax, Wash., Man Takes Bucking Laurels; Races Spectacular Feature Last Day.

Braving the coldest spell this fall the largest crowd in Heppner Rodeo history surrounded the big arena or Saturday to witness the wind-up of the fifth annual presentation of show. The thermometer hovered near the freezing point Thursday and Fri-day and though Old Sol's face beamed brightly all day Saturday, a cold northeast wind put an edge to the atmosphere that made spectators but-ton overcoats close under their chins and caused many to huddle up in In-dian blankets besides. The cold kept many away from the arena on Thurs day and Friday, but on Saturday they came anyway, and it is estimated more than 2500 people witnessed the Saturday performance.

Campbell's American band from Portland was on hand the second day and helped in livening things up The C. F. Zeiger shows were here for toward furnishing amusement with was conducted for a like purpose, and merry-go-round, glider, ferris wheel, concessions and shows. The band also furnished the orchestra for the dances at the pavilion each evening, tend, will be made aware of the meet

dances at the pavilion each evening, which proved big drawing cards.

Miss Eva Wilcox of Lexington, queen of the Rodeo, headed the big parade on Friday and Saturday, at-tended by her sister Miss Doral Wilcox and Miss Kathryn Bisbee of Heppner, Miss Wilcox was charming in her colorful cowgirl togs, and and girls' relay race. Scoring will be showed herself to be perfecty at home on the point system by competent the saddle on her big white horse. Judges. She is a true American type girl, and a worthy product of the farm. Shortly after the Rodeo Miss Wilcox will go to Oregon Agricutural college to take advantage of a Union Pacific scholarship which she won in girls' club work.

Financially, it is believed the Ro deo was a success, though receipts were but a trifle more than last year with expenses considerably larger. More than \$4000 was taken in from

all sources. The show picked up as the crowds increased, and the final performance was snappier than any previous ex-hibition, besides events on the whole being much above par. Spectators though chilly and restless during the lulis, were engressed in the exhibition and displayed eagerness and ex-pectancy for new events as the show which served to climax the Rodeo in grand style, the crowd forgetting itself and the cold entirely to cheer their favorite buckaroos.

Bert Troub won the bucking cham-

twisted and dived and did most everything a real bad horse could be expected to do, just as if he had saved 11:29%, Copenhaver 12:14 2-5. ship timber, and there could be little two laps at a great loss of time.
doubt of his earning the laurels. Close time was made in the pony pression on the crowd.

over the second choice made by the and Depew 7:00%. judges, John Kenny, Howard Lane One of the most thrilling events of he refused to do his stuff, after he had got most of his bucking out dur-ing the saddling process, while Depew much time to rake him for want of Buck Padberg 2nd. He did some beautiful favored by the judges.

finals but was refused a chance to disk. Chuck Jennings 50. ride on account of being hurt in the semi-finals. He went off the back of penhaver 1st, Neil White 2nd; sec-Roan Gurdane after the gun was shot and was run over by a pick-up horse. Jack Terry was also crippled, getting znu.

a foot broken the first day, but rode through to the finals just the same. Joe Roub 2nd; second day: Stubby He hobbled up to his horse in the finals on crutches, as he had done on finals on crutches, as he had done on the finals on crutches, as he had done on the finals on crutches, as he had done on the finals on Sat-Jack Terry was also crippled, getting 2nd.

of grit.

Twenty-five cowboys entered the list case 2n son 1st. Twenty-five cowboys entered the first for the bucking contests the first day, the largest number ever to ride first all three days.

Steer Maverick Race—First two steer for the first all three days. was cut to 14 for the second day, and days only: Tony Vey and Joe Kenny 12 buckaroos got into the semi-finals. winners.
A large number of those disqualified Quick Change Race—Last two days

A large number of those disqualified were thrown.

The races were all close Saturday, making them spectacular, and the Morrow county derby especially thrill-of three day event.

Close Saturday, Oct. 2

Attention of the residents of Mor trew county who have failed to regis-ter, or renew their registration, is called to the fact that the books will called to the fact that the books will be closed on Saturday, October 2nd. A survey of the lists reveals the fact that many have failed to attend to this duty, and when it comes time

to vote, large numbers of these peo-ple will be wanting to cast their ballots, and this will necessitate a lot of trouble for the election boards, as well as take up valuable time. Why not attend to it now and be pre-pared. You will have to hurry for

the time is very limited.

LOST—A bunch of about 12 keys.
Finder return to this office. Reward.

Dependable dressmaking done in your own home. P. O. Box 598, Hepp ner. 27-29.

Mrs. Tony Garland and young son departed for their home at Cuprum, Idaho, on Sunday, being taken as far at Pendleton by Glenn Jones. Mrs. Garland was a guest for a cuuple of weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Jones,

Soph-Frosh Field Day Comes Off Tomorrow

Soph-Frosh field day is a new event instituted at Heppner high school to take place at Rodeo field tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. On this occasion the freshmen and sophomore classes will mix it in a series of ath-letic events to determine whether the freshmen shall be allowed to place their pennant on the wall of the high The C. F. Zeiger shows were here for school auditorium. This event takes the whole occasion and did their bit the place of the old pole fight that

by a noise parade to be staged pre-ceding the program at the field. Both boys and girls of the two classes will take part, the events including the following: tug of war, bag runh, field marking race in which each class will mark half of the gridiron, crab race, and girls' relay race. Scoring will be

FIRST GAME OF SEASON.

The first high school football game of the season in Heppner will be played at Rodeo field on Saturday, October 9, at 2:30. Coach Johnson has a promising bunch of proteges and the townspeople are asked to lead their utmost support.

ZANE GREY'S "THE VANISHING AMERICAN" at the Star Theater Sun day and Monday. Don't miss it.

ed the stands. Red Boy, entered by Lonnie Copenhaver and jockeyed by Albert Lawson, copped the derby race and \$100 first prize money. Red Bey is a Morfow county horse, being owned and bred by B. F. Swaggart. Arden Gilliland's prize racer came in second and another horse entered by progressed. This spirit prevailed un-til the bucking finals were announced, derby was a new feature of this year's

pionship with one of the most spec-tacular riding exhibitions of the three close to their heels. Gilliland, howdays, riding Ben Bolt to the finish, ever, had considerable edge on the Though Ben Bolt sun-fished, lunged, time the previous days and won the event. Time for the three days was Gilliland 11:09%, White and Depew verything he had for this final bout, penhaver was a close runner-up until Bert rode him, and scratched him the second day when in the second some. But many say it wasn't as lap his horse, jockeyed by Clinton pretty a ride at that as the ride Bert Harper, hit White's pony at the sendmade the day before on Black Dia-mond, said to be the toughest bucker crippling both, and preventing them of the lot. Anyway, both rides to-gether showed Bert to be champion-ver was forced to run his third horse

doubt of his earning the laurels. Close time was made in the pony Troub, who hails from Colfax, Wash., at all times showed himself to be a Arden Gilliand took first in this also, clean contender, and made a good im- with Copenhaver's string placing see ression on the crowd.

ond. Time for three days: Gilliand
Some dissatisfaction was expressed
6:47½. Copenhaver 6:50 3-5, White

and Art Seale, however. They named Red Shepard of Cheyenne, Wyo., for second place, and Kenneth Depew of Ukiah for third place. These were the only ones left in the finals to receive citation as the other contest-ants bit the dust. Fred Nichols was dead heat all the way without mis-dumped by Bluebird and Jack Terry left the top deek of Colored Boy, both two horses, while guiding them from these horses bucking at worst form. a standing position, with one foot on Shepard rode Rim Rock easily when

Results of the other events follow Saddle Horse Race First day: L Copenhaver 1st, G. Swaggart 2nd; had rather tropical going on Black second day: Reaney 1st, L. Copenha-Diamond's surging back, not having ver 2nd; third day: Copenhaver 1st

Calf Roping Time first day: Jack riding all told and many spectators Barber 24 2.3, Tony Vey 50 2.5, Shan-believed he should have been more iko Red 53; second day: Joe Kenny vored by the judges.

Lloyd Matteson qualified for the third day: Joe Kenny 45, Shaniko Red

> ond day: Reaney 1st, Copenhaver 2nd; third day: Gilliland 1st, Copenhave

Casey 2nd; second day: Stubby John

Registration Books Will LENA-VINSON ROAD TO BE SURFACED

State Commision Authorizes Advertising for October Let.

GRADING IS FINISHED

Commissioners Bleakman and David son Attend Meeting in Portland on Behalf of County.

The completion of the Oregon-Washington highway is now in sight Contractor Wallace, who has been pushing the work of grading at a rapid rate since beginning on the job last fail, reports to this paper that he has finished his work, and the job has been accepted by Division En-gineer Smith, this formality being gone through with on Tuesday. Mr. Wallace further states that the road now open to travel by the public Touching this matter, good news comes from the meeting at Portland on Tuesday of the state highway commission. This meeting was attended by members of our county court, commissioners Bleakman and Davidson, and action was taken look ng to the advertising of bids for the Vinson, the work to begin just as to be done at the meeting of the commission in October. While this s a little late, perhaps about two nonths behind what it should be, it s nevertheless gratifying to Morrow ounty people to know that there to be no extended delay. It had been feared that the commission would not be able to put this work shead on the calendar as far as this, nd that it might be a year, at before the surfacing was undertaken

At the meeting Tuesday there was ction taken on the closing of gaps bewhere, and it will not be long it w until work under way on these men highways will be completed and il gaps closed. This is the policy f the commission, and they are carying it out ranidly.

Harry Turner Named Champion Sack Sewer

Twelve throwers of the flat needle d for honors in the preliminaries of the sack sewing contest, a feature of the Morrow County Wool and Grain show, on Friday. Of this num-ber six sewed in the finals Saturday. Harry Turner was declared the best all-round sewer with Chas, Ritchis crowding him hard, Glen Ball of Ione placed third.

The contestants filled and sewed five sacks in the preliminaries and ten in the finals. They were scored on the point system, as follows: time 25, workmanship 35, weight 20 and cleanness 10, making a possible score one arm. While quite sick at present, this physician, Dr. McMurdo, is hopescond day there was but 4-5 of a second difference between Turner's before many days. and Ritchie's time, the former's time teing 7:54 and the latter's 7:54:4. Runners up were A. P. Parker, less guson and Bert Troub, champion ackaroo at the Rodeo.

Furnished house for rent. Inquire

LADY CROSSING

STREET 1896

1926

YESTERDAY AND TODAY

Has Good Representation

A large number of farmers entered exhibits at the Morrow County Wool and Grain show held during the Roand Grain snow held during the ko-deo, furnishing a good example of the grades and quality of the wool and grain raised in this locality. B. B. Bayles, of the Moro experiment station judged the wheat, and Her-

bort Bentley, representative of the Pacific Cooperative Wood Growers, judged the wool. A number of the prize wheat exhibits have been held ver to display at Portland at the rain show to be held in connection

with the Pacific International Live Stock exposition next month. Owing to the lack of exhibits in the coarse wool class, a separate classi-fication was made of buck fleeces. Results of the judging will be published next week.

Supt. Walker Takes Boys And Girls to State Fair

Mrs. Helen M. Walker, county school superintendent, departed the first of the week for Salem, where she goes with the boys and girls of Morrow county who were winners in

We did not get the names of the quite proud of his son's achieve-other boys and girls making up the ments.

FATHER DIES AT THE DALLES.

Mrs. Hanson Hughes was called to The Dalles on Friday afternoon in answer to word announcing the grave illness of her father, Nicholas Hoff-man, Mr. Hoffman, who was ill at a hospital in The Dalles, underwent an operation, and following this he suf-fered a stroke of paralysis and death resulted on Sunday. He was past 82 years of age, was a Civil War veteran, and had been a resident of The Dalles

possible? Easiest thing in the world, she is improving in health quite How? Every member of the church rapidly, all of which is good news to and school present. And listen! We the many friends in this city, are not started yet. If every member ZANE GREY'S "THE VANISHING were present and brought a friend we would snow that goal so far un-der we would be ashamed of it. Can we do it? Sure, if we want to.

And do not forget that we are all

to have our pictures taken at the close of Sunday school. Be in on it. The morning preaching service will combine the Junior congregation with the regular service and the pastor will give an illustrated sermon. The evening sermon will be "Sav-

Ourselves."
MILTON W. BOWER, Minister.

Ralph Floreon of Willow creek was brought to Heppner Surgical hos-pital on Tuesday, suffering from high

lough. Miss Groshen has a position with the big store of Meier & Frank in Portland, and returned to the city

headquarters on Monday evening, October 4th. Hostesses are Mrs. Benschke and Mrs. James Cowins. Members will please bring old clothes denations for the Child Welfare committee. The lucky number on the The regular meeting of the Amer-Lorena Buschke, who turned it back. It was then sold for \$8.50 to the highest bidder, Miss Alma Devin being the purchaser. The proceeds from this quilt were around \$30.00.

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C. W. McNamer, who has been ill for the past two weeks, suffering an attack of inflammatory rheumatism, is reported to be getting better, the not yet able to be at his place of bus-iness. Mr. McNamer, who is chair-man of the Heppner Rodeo committee, got out of bed to attend the perform-ances of Friday and Saturday, though he was scarcely able to be about.

Morrow county who were winners in the club work.

From Heppner, Mrs. Walker took Rodney Thomson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thomson, who won first prize by they have been farming on the at the North Morrow County fair on his exhibits of garden products thereby winning a trip to the State fair. We did not get the names of the quite proud of his son's achievement.

R. Randall of Portland has opened

ZANE GREY'S "THE VANISHING AMERICAN" at the Star Theater Sunlay and Monday. Don't miss it.

Basil Bookhouser, young son of Mr. ing along nicely.

Robert Burnside, a patient at Mor-ow General hospital in this city, Pine City, has been confined at the where he recently underwent an op-eration for appendicitis, has been reeased and returned to his home near

Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crawford of Morgan, under-

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Miss Odile Groshen has been a guest this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCul-General hospital in this city.

two children departed this morning

By A. B. CHAPIN

Wool and Grain Show LOCAL NEWS ITEMS Pleasant Surprise Given Mr. and Mrs. Bergstrom

pect to depart soon to make their home in Portland. Everybody brough quilt donated to the Auxiliary by boxes and baskets loaded with good Mrs. Ben Buschke, was drawn by Mrs. fried chicken than could possibly b eaten; salads of all kinds, both fruit and vegetable, not to mention 27 dif-ferent cakes. Coffee was served, too besides escalloped potatoes, baked beans and other good things too numerous to mention.

After dinner some pitched horse shoes while others played other out-door games. Mr. and Mrs. Bergstrom were very much surprised but seemed glad to see everyone as they probably wouldn't have had another opportunity of seeing many of those present. Everyone had a good time and the af-

Mr. and Mrs. Erik Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Claf Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Claf Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Redding and Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Johnson and Charles, tand Mrs. R. H. Zinter and Irene, Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Hogue, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bergstrom and family, Mrs. J. H. Cochran, Mrs. Hilda Johnson, lamps Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. And R. Randall of Portland has opened a wholesale produce establishment in Heppier in the Edward's cafe building on upper Main street. Mr. Randing on upper Main street. Mr. Randiall brings his produce in from outside points by truck, the most if it coming from the Yakima valley. He expects to be located permanently in this city.

John Hanna of Hinton creek severally injured his back Sunday, when he fell off a haystack and landed on a wagon wheel, the contact tearing some of the muscles of the back loose. Fortunately there was no fracture. Dr. Johnston reports that he will be and had been a resident of The Dalles for about 25 years. His funeral is being held at The Dalles this afternoon.

RALLY DAY! RALLY DAY!

One hundred and fifty wanted in Cone hundred and fifty wante

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. Elmer Griffith is quite ill at er home in lone, and under the care of a trained nurse. Mrs. Griffith is suffering an attack of pleural pneu-Basil Bockhouser, young son of Mr. and a baby daughter was born and Mrs. W. T. Brookhouser, was taken ill Sunday with acute appendicitis and operated on at Morrow General hospital Sunday evening by Dr. Johnston. He is reported to be getting along as well as could be expected, but in a very serious condition. Doris Young, aged three, daughter

Pine City, has been confined at the Pine City, has been confined at the Heppner Surgical hospital for the past two weeks. The child is suffering from tuberculesis of the brain and is seriously ill, having been sick is only particles of electric energy. And no one knows what that is.

blood pressure and kidney trouble. Went a minor operation for the reHe was taken quite ill at his home, and the bursting of a blood vessel has caused temporary paralysis of one arm. While quite sick at present,

ZANE GREY'S "THE VANISHING"

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hynd of Cecil are made exceedingly sad over the still birth of an 8-lb. son at Heppner Surgical hospital in this city on Tuesday, Sept. 28th. The sympathy of the community is extended to the young couple in this affliction.

Lloyd Matteson, one of the riders General hospital in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Barratt and badly sprained. His hurtz kept him from riding in the finals.

in Portland, and returned to the city today with Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Anderson, whom she accompanied to Hepporer.

The Misses Forence Cason and Bernice Sigsbee were driven to Portland on Sunday by Carl Cason, and tomorner. row will sail for San Francisco. Miss Sigsbee will enter business college that city, and Miss Cason goes to find mployment.

Miss Opal Briggs arrived home o Wednesday from Los Angeles, where she has been spending a vacation of two months and a half. She will resume her place at the local telephone exchange tomorrow.

Dr. McMurdo repors the arrival of an 8½-ib. daughter at the home of can't make in peace." 20, at their home in Black Horse. Ernest Cannon of Hardman was loing business in the city today.

GRAND JURY REPORT.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MORn the Matter of the Report of the

Grand Jury, To the Honorable D. R. Parker, Judge of the above entitled Court: We, the undersigned, duly empai eled as grand jurors for the present term of the above entitled Court, re-

pectively report as follows: We have been in session two days lince our former report. We have returned four true bills and two not true bills.

We have inquired into all violations of the statutes of the State of Oregon pertaining to criminal mat-ters, which have been brought to our attention or of which we had know-ledge. There are some matters pendwhich cannot be disposed at this time, but which we expect t consider at a later date when fur ther evidence may be available. Since we have accomplished all that

seems possible to accomplish at this time, we beg to be excused until such time as the Court may deem it aderation of matters which we should Dated this 28th day of September,

> T. J. JONES, Foreman, J. O. TURNER. A. P. PARKER. A. P. PARKER. ARTHUR YERGENS. E. E. HELIKER. FRANK MONAHAN.

E. H. TURNER.



Dempsey and Milton. Movies as Salesmen. Do You Want a Bison? Sweeping the Heavens.

A sympathetic editorial writer bewails the fact that Jack Dempsey got 14,000 times what Milton got for

writing "Paradise Lost."
On the other hand, Milton probably Everyone had a good time and the afternoon passed all too quickly. They finally departed for their homes after bidding the Bergstrom's goodby and wishing them many happy years in their new home. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Erik Bergstrom, Mr.

Mr. and mrs. Erik Bergstrom, Mr. men are more important even than

> The outside world resents United ted States domination of moving pictures. Those pictures are marvelous salesmen, selling in all lands American clothing, automobiles, furniture, lamps, and especially the American idea of comfortable living.

Six of the Indian princes that share with the British taxation of their aub-jects offer \$5,000,000 to help British

films displace American films.

As Mr. Mellon said when somebody offered him \$70,000,000 cash for his oil company: "That isn't enough." You can't make moving pictures with dollars only, any more than you can sing high C with dollars. You must

It is said automobiles keep half the voters away from the polls, and "ab-sentee balloting" is suggested. Also, "Golf keeps men away from

the churches."

The remedy is to make politics as interesting as motoring, religion as interesting as golf. With Henry Ward Beecher in a big church, or Billy Sun-day in a revival tent, the caddles, not the clergymen, would complain.

Philosophers from many countries gathered in Cambridge, Massachu-setts, tell the world, "Materialistic theories cannot explain the marvels of the living world."

Materialism cannot explain anythat there is no such thing as mat-ter. Reduce solid steel or floating feather to the so-called ultimate at

A scientist said, "I have swept the heavens with my telescope and find no trace of God." A dissector of the human body said, "I have gone all through the human brain, and find no trace of thought, soul or mind."

Nevertheless, thought, soul and mind do exist in that little universe we call the brain. A greater mind exists SOMEWHERE in that greater brain, THE UNIVERSE,

Senator Caraway of Arkansas wants the United States to dig up and bring to America the bodies of 30,000 Amersoldiers buried on French soil. He says Europeans hate us so in-tensely that he saw insulting lines scribbled on the white crosses above the graves of our soldiers.

The dead soldiers would say, "It was the biggest kind of joke when we were taken from our homes, shipped across the sea to die in a war not our own, and to lie here dead, killed in the quarrels of European high finance and royalty.

"One more joke, that of hatred, can't make any difference. Let us lie

What man WANTS to do, he can do, A little while ago the noble bison was dying out everybody had said farewell to him. Now the Government, with herds of bison on its hands, offers you a vigorous live bison for \$85, that you couldn't have bought for \$5,000 a little while ago.

W. R. C. ENJOY SOCIAL. Honoring Mrs. John Her, one of heir faithful members, who has been at Hot Lake, the Womens Relief Corps held a social meeting in the American Legion quarters on the 22 inst, Mrs. Her was gladly wel-comed back again, and the corps members all expressed their delight in having her present on this occaon, and to know that she is in reasenably good health again. The hos-tesses, Mesdames Wm. LeTrace and D. E. Gilman, served refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee, and the afternoon was greatly enjoyed by all.

FREE CONCERT POSTPONED.

The complimentary concert on the w Brunswick musical instrument, ennounced to be given at Star Thea-ter on this, Thursday, evening, has been postponed to Wednesday eve-ning, Oct. 6. A dance at the Elka' hall, in which the instrument will be used, will follow the concert, for Elks and their ladies. A small fee of 25 cents will be charged for the dance.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC.

Notice is hereby given that after October 1, the mail order window at the Postoffice in Heppner, Oregon, will close at 5:30 p. m. W. W. SMEAD, Postmaster.