

WEEKLY BUDGET

THURSDAY... DECEMBER 12, 1889

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THE WEATHER.

Damp, foggy weather has prevailed during the past week until yesterday, which was bright and clear. Showers on Sunday and Monday. The sky is again obscured this morning. Indications of snow. Temperatures for the week:

Table with 3 columns: Day, 7 A. M., 12 M., 7 P. M. Rows for Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.

BRIEF NOTES.

LEXINGTON to the front. Wm. Penland is visiting Portland. Keep both eyes on Morrow county.

Bargains in everything at H. McFarland & Co's.

Look out for a blue X at the head of this column.

Holiday goods are being opened at the Lexington stores.

Dr. Geoghegan spent a few days at Eugene last week.

Mrs. Wm. Barnett, who has been quite ill, is much better.

Fine lot of old newspapers at this office; 50 cents per hundred.

E. B. McFarland, of The Dalles, arrived in Lexington last evening.

If you want economical literature for winter reading, call at the Budget office.

Fine ranch to lease, with 10000 house and 400 acres in cultivation. Inquire at this office.

The Philadelphia Press, a first-class general newspaper, and your local paper for only \$1.50.

Lexington is the coming town, and Morrow will be the next county to loom into prominence.

Up to the present time H. McFarland & Co. have shipped 30,000 bushels of wheat this season.

H. McFarland & Co. are prepared to buy wheat at their platform. Cash paid according to quality.

George Murray, of Eight Mile, will start next Monday for Tacoma, where he will spend the winter.

J. W. Saling started last Tuesday for Walla Walla, where he will spend the winter with his mother.

If you want to sell your ranch or claim, it will be to your advantage to make the fact known at this office.

An enjoyable social hop took place last Friday night at G. R. Shick's residence on Clarko canyon.

Take your five-gallon oil cans to the City drug store and have them filled with coal oil for \$1.65 each.

If you want your friends in the east to keep posted on the progress of Morrow county, send them the Budget.

In another column Mrs. Kate Parsell, of Alpine, offers for sale a quantity of wheat hay on reasonable terms.

Oris Patterson, editor of the Heppner Gazette, was in town last Monday, in attendance upon the Harper examination.

The ladies who compose the finance committee gathered in a good many shakels this week for the Christmas tree fund.

According to the report in another column the names of 71 pupils appear upon the roll of the Lexington public school.

Mrs. Kate Parsell, of Alpine, requests all indebted to her to call and settle immediately. See notice in another column.

To the Budget's knowledge fourteen births occurred in Morrow county last month—six girls and eight boys. Not bad for a dry season.

A. G. Bartholomew, of Alpine, wants fifteen or twenty head of mares for a term of years for a share of the increase. See ad. in another column.

In order to reduce their stock of dry goods, clothing, boots, shoes, hardware, glassware, etc., H. McFarland & Co. are now positively offering great reductions in prices for cash or wheat.

Several new names were added to the muster roll of Company D last Saturday evening. Interest in the company is increasing, and lively times on drill nights are expected this winter.

Alex. Young, of Gooseberry, visited Lexington last Monday. Mr. Young has one of the best improved farms in the county, including a fine orchard which yielded considerable fruit this year.

Suppose the Hunt railroad should strike out by way of Foster, across Morrow county, through Lexington and Fossil, and connect with the Oregon Pacific. Why not? Keep both eyes on Lexington!

No other Oregon country weekly published in as small a town as Lexington presented its readers with the president's message within three days after its delivery, but the Budget got there just the same.

El. Holloway, of Saddle, last Saturday finished seeding 1100 acres of wheat. He also expects to sow quite an area of oats in the spring. He expresses himself as confident that Morrow county will come out all right.

A special session of the county court will be held next Tuesday to receive the report upon the county bridge built on the Cochran ranch, below Lone, and also for the transaction of any pauper business that may be filed on that day.

J. H. McFarland, whose house was burned recently on Uniper canyon, will hereafter be a firm believer in insurance. His house was insured in the Northwest of Portland, and in ten days after the fire he received in full the amount of his insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Pace arrived from Kansas last Friday. Mr. Pace is a brother of Mrs. E. T. Geoghegan of this place. After a pleasant visit with Dr. and Mrs. Geoghegan, they departed yesterday for Victoria, B. C., where they will make their future home.

The continued damp weather causes the farmers to feel better and better as the wheat fields grow greener and greener. A little more of this, a heavy fall of snow about Christmas, a few favorable showers in the spring, and—keep your eye on Morrow county!

FRATERNAL VISIT.

It has been finally decided that Rawlins post, G. A. R., composed of members from all parts of the county, but which usually meets in Lexington, will hold a public installation at Hardman on the 28th. The neighbors on the ridge have extended a cordial invitation to the Lexington members of the post and have made extensive preparations for their reception and entertainment. The exercises at the installation will include music, addresses by W. R. Ellis and others, declamations, essays, etc., concluding with a bountiful supper, to be prepared by the wives and daughters of the veterans. A rattling good time is anticipated. The following named officers will be installed: J. S. Boothby, commander; C. C. Stanley, S. V. C.; H. H. Glassford, J. V. C.; Isa Brown, Adj.; Walter Brunson, S.; E. R. Beach, C. It is requested by the Hardman members that members from this vicinity proceed to Hardman on Friday, the 27th, so as to be on hand at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

THE LUMBER BUSINESS.

W. G. Scott, of the Willow creek sawmill, came down last Saturday and remained until Monday evening. Since the mill closed down for the season all hands have been engaged in logging and have already cut logs to the amount of 300,000 feet. This work will continue until the heavy snows fall, when the logs will be hauled to the pond. The demand for lumber during the summer has been good, and it is expected that next season the lumber needed by new settlers will tax the mill to its full capacity. A. M. Slocum, proprietor of the Rock creek sawmill, has also enjoyed a good business this season, principally from farmers in the Eight Mile country. Morrow county has been heard from in the east, and the next year will see considerable increase of population. As the first need of the new-comer is a house, the sawmills in the county will have plenty of work to do.

Discharged From Custody.

The preliminary examination of Hiram Harper, who shot and killed Edward Jones on Thanksgiving night, took place before Justice Blair last Monday. As the evidence offered was deemed by the justice insufficient to warrant holding the prisoner to appear before the grand jury, he was discharged. Considerable interest was manifested in the case, the court room being filled with spectators. District Attorney Ellis represented the state, and J. N. Brown and G. W. Rea the defense. The evidence elicited by the examination showed the circumstances of the affair to be substantially as reported in the Budget last week.

The Goods Were Sold.

The other day a traveling peddler of notions, laces, etc., who had been making a tour of the county, found his stock was low. "It's a cold day when a Sheeny gets left," and as long as he could find buyers he was going to have something to sell. So he replenished his stock at the Lexington stores and then called at the residences, selling the same goods to the ladies, including the wives of some of the very merchants from whom he had purchased them. Considerable amusement resulted when the facts came out, but the laugh was not on the peddler.

Raisins From California.

From Mrs. B. A. Clay, formerly of Morrow county, the Budget this week received a box of Muscat raisins grown and cured in her vineyard near Fresno, Cal., where she at present resides. The raisins were truly handsome specimens of that valuable product of California vineyards; but while in no wise detracting from their quality, the Budget makes a reasonable prediction when it asserts that the time will come when raisins fully equal to them will be grown in Morrow county.

Rich Pasture.

Upon the solemn assurance of several heretofore reliable citizens gathered in the postoffice last Tuesday evening, a resident of Lexington was convinced that 1000 head of sheep can be kept the year around upon 100 acres of pasture in Kansas. He wants to buy a band right away and start by fast train. Before he goes, however, he will probably tumble to the conspiracy by which he was given "a filin'."

At the Armory.

Since the armory has been fitted up as a gymnasium it has become quite a popular resort for members of Company D. Several have developed an activity quite unsuspected by their comrades, and at the present rate of progress Company D is liable to graduate some expert athletes. It is suggested that an exhibition drill and athletic exercises wouldn't be a bad scheme to work up.

Teacher Missing.

S. E. Jones, of Jordan Fork, was in town last Friday. Mr. Jones brings the information that Owen Conley, teacher in Shiloh district, No. 3, suddenly departed recently, leaving the school without a leader. Conley announced that he was going to attend the teachers' examination at Heppner, but instead took the down train and has not been heard of since. The reasons for his flitting are unknown.

All the Year Round.

The north wind doth blow, And we'll have snow, And what will the people do then? Oh, they'll kiss and they'll seal at the snow and the cold. And long for the summer again, But when summer comes back, Then aise! and aise! They'll look at the terrible heat, It may fry or may freeze, It never can please. The klickers who kick with both feet. —Chicago Herald.

From Saddle.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Miller, of Saddle, were in town last Monday. George called on the Budget and informed us that O. T. Douglas, who recently went east with a band of horses, is now at Central City, Nebraska, where he is wintering his horses. Hay is delivered at that place at \$2.50 to \$2.75 per ton; corn and oats 15 cents per bushel.

FAIRVIEW.

For the Budget. Ella Chrisman is now able to be around on crutches.

Charles Chrisman has completed his house and moved into it last week.

The Fairview school, of which Jesse Martin is teacher, is well attended.

Oll. Colvin and family have moved to T. L. Dorman's ranch on Eight Mile.

M. R. Morgan will soon finish seeding over 300 acres of wheat, mostly summer-fallow.

Albert Teal, one of our industrious bachelors, is building an addition to his house and hauling wood.

Joseph Mathews has returned from the John Day with his stock, as that is not a desirable winter range.

Mrs. Samuel Warfield, who has been on a visit to her daughter in the Willamette valley, returned last week.

There was a spelling bee at Rock Bluff last Saturday night, and another will take place at Liberty school house on Saturday evening next.

The number of large fields of grain sown in the vicinity of Fairview is evidence that our farmers believe this county is all right as a farming region.

Memo Olden will soon finish seeding about 300 acres of wheat. Oscar Montgomery has sowed 80 acres. W. E. Chrisman 150, Charles Chrisman 150, A. C. Chrisman 100, S. N. Warfield 60, Sam Warfield 50, Wm. Haguewood 70, T. L. Dorman 125.

S. S. Downing, who has been sick for almost a year, passed away on the 6th instant. The remains were interred in Shiloh cemetery, followed by a large number of friends and relatives. Mr. Downing was one of our most estimable citizens and will be missed from the community in which he lived.

For a few weeks the people of Shiloh district were all well pleased with the way school was progressing, but now they have cause to be displeased. The teacher started ostensibly to attend an examination at Heppner, but did not return, after having received pay for one week more than he taught. It was announced that he would lecture on astronomy. The school patrons of Shiloh would like to give him a lecture on another subject. CHIROOK.

FAIRVIEW, Dec. 10, 1889.

December.

There is a tingle in the air, The clouds are hanging low, And silently, silently here fall The heavy flakes of snow. Old Winter lights his signal fires In sunset's bloody red, The schoolman takes a flat-iron hot As company to bed. Down in the vale the darkling brook Is held in icy thrall, The wise old turkey, from this day, Declines to eat at all. But, crowning glory of the month, That makes the time complete, Hark to the sizzle and the sputter, That mark the first back wheat. —Detroit Free Press.

FROM OLEX.

For the Budget. Mrs. Myron Hawkins and two children leave for Minnesota on Wednesday next.

C. M. Spencer has leased his farm, and will seek health and happiness in the mountains.

Miss Carrie Scoggins has returned from California, where she has been attending school.

The Misses Lena and Josie Snell attended the teachers' examination at Condon last week.

"Saxon," there are broken hearts and "dreamless" slumbers since you quit this blessed county.

Fall grain is growing rapidly, and farmers are feeling easier but earnestly wish for three or four feet of snow.

The report that 'Lige Hendricks was dead was refuted by the gentleman himself, who proves to be as much alive as ever.

The wedding of Miss Belle Martin and Grant Wade, at the house of the bride's parents on the evening of the 27th ult., was a brilliant and happy affair. A large number of guests were the recipients of many handsome and useful presents. The kind wishes of a host of friends are showered upon them. ANELBO.

OLEX, GILMAN CO., Dec. 2, 1889.

GRANT COUNTY.

From the Long Creek Eagle. Long Creek will have a Christmas tree and entertainment on Christmas eve.

There seems to be plenty of deer on the mountain near town, and those who enjoy hunting can have a chase without being compelled to go any great distance.

We are informed that a deaf and dumb man, by the name of Barker, of the Rier section, has been arrested for petty depredations committed in the community.

The teachers in the vicinity of John Day and those in attendance at the examination, met at John Day last Saturday for the purpose of organizing a reading circle.

Judge Shield, of Harney county, and Judge Maxie, of Grant county, have at last settled what the amount of debt should be that heretofore existed between the two counties, and that Harney should pay to Grant \$19,000.64.

Four sealed proposals for the carrying of the mail from Long Creek to Susanville from January to June were received by C. F. Goff and forwarded to the department at Washington on last Saturday. Susanville will soon be the recipient of a semi-weekly mail to her section.

JORDAN FORK.

For the Budget. Miss Grace Murray has gone to San Francisco.

J. L. Kincaid has in a large acreage of fall grain.

Miss Lona Wilson has left for Champagne to attend school.

Farmers have about finished putting in fall grain in this vicinity.

Miss Gerlie Sayer's school at Alpine having closed, she is with us again.

An enjoyable dance took place at the Englieman hall on the night of the 15th ultimo.

Miss Florence Pickel left for Heppner recently. She will be greatly missed by the young folks of Jordan Fork. TORSY.

JORDAN FORK, Dec. 3, 1889.

Don't be a claim, but say a good word for Morrow county.

LEXINGTON SCHOOL REPORT.

Following is the report of Lexington public school for the three months ending Dec. 6, 1889:

Table with columns: NAMES, Attendance, Scholars, Department. Lists names of students and their respective attendance, number of scholars, and department.

Number of visitors, 15. JULIUS HODSON, Teacher.

FROM SHERIDAN.

For the Budget. When I left Morrow county I promised to drop the Budget a line occasionally, so I will begin to fulfill my promise. I am located in Sheridan, Yamhill county. It is a very pretty town, situated on the Yamhill river, has a population of about 400 and one of the best schools in Oregon. We have about nine months of free school each year. It is under the management of Prof. Stillwell, assisted by Miss Parish. There is a good farming country all around here, but the land is high, being held at from \$30 to \$75 per acre. There is lots of timber and plenty of water. The rainfall here during November amounted to 3.55 inches. We have a good local paper, the Courier, of which I will forward the Budget a copy. It can be seen from its advertising columns the amount of business done here. FRANK OVIATT. SHERIDAN, Or., Dec. 8, 1889.

What She Can Do.

What can a helpless woman do? Can live in one room with an invalid cousin, Or sew shop shirts for a dollar a dozen, Or please some man by looking sweet, Or please him by giving him things to eat, Or please him by asking much advice, And thinking whatever he does is nice; Visit the poor under his supervision; Doctor the sick who can't pay a physician; Save men a time by doing their praying; And other odd jobs there's no present pay in. —Journal of Women's Work.

BORN.

JONES—In Heppner, November 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Jones, a son.

DIED.

DOWNING—Near Fairview, December 6th, S. S. Downing, aged 37 years.

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FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THOSE WHO wish to have grain chopped, I will hereafter be prepared to run the chop-mill on Tuesday and Saturday of each week. S. B. HOPE.

PAY UP.

ALL ACCOUNTS ARE NOW DUE. PLEASE call and settle up at once, except on business on hand. R. LIEFELLEN.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, Or., November 20, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Judge of Morrow county, at Heppner, Or., on January 10, 1890, viz:

George W. H. Bruns, Hd. No. 1187, for the SW 1/4 of Sec. 12, Tp. 33, R. 20 E., W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Thomas Graham, I. B. Esteb, Jay Hall and Nathan B. McKay, all of Gooseberry, Or. F. A. McDONALD, Register. 7-14.

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