

LEXINGTON WHEATFIELD

CHAFF FROM THE STRAW STACK

If your wife is growing restless, if she tentatively tugs, at the dingy window curtains, if she studies all the rugs; if she talks about wall paper, if she views the window panes with an eye that sees them tarnished by a lot of streaks and stains, then you may as well be as patient as a mouse, for a feeble man can't stop her, she will soon be cleaning house.

A Umatilla county school teacher recently wrote the mother of a pupil in order to get her views on corporal punishment. Following is the reply: "Dear Miss—You writ me about whipping my sun. I hereby give you permission to beat him everytime it is necessary to learn his lessons. He is just like his father; you have to lern him with a club. Pound knowledge into him. I want him to get it and don't pay no attenshun to what his father says. I'll handle him."

Some visitors were being shown over an English pauper lunatic asylum. They inquired of their conductor what method was employed to discover when the inmates were sufficiently recovered to leave. "We have a big trough of water," said the conductor, "and we turns on the tap. We leaves it running and tells 'em to bail out the water with pails until they've emptied the troughs." "How does that prove them?" asked one of the visitors. "Well," said the conductor, "them as ain't idiots turns off the tap."

SCHOOL NOTES

The eighth grade class is working diligently now preparatory to the eighth grade examination the 17 and 18 of this month.

The ninth grade has about completed all its work but the Algebra. That will keep them busy the remaining few days of school.

Following is the financial statement regarding the Recital. Expenses, hall \$3, drayage on piano \$2, advertising \$3, curtain 30 cents, wire 15 cents, total \$8.45. Receipts at door \$16.50 Balance \$8.05. The balance will be divided equally between the two churches.

The school board has experienced considerable difficulty in obtaining satisfactory applications for the vacant positions. Any person who knows a good teacher will do the school a favor by having them send in an application for a position.

JURY LIST.

List of Circuit Court Jurors, drawn for the May term of Circuit Court which convenes on May 21, 1906.

W. W. Brannon, farmer, Eight Mile; W. S. Smith, farmer, South lone; George Noble, capitalist, Mt. Vernon; J. B. Carmichael, farmer, Lexington; C H Bartholomew, farmer, Pine City; Joseph Doherty, stockman, Lean; T. J. Carle, undertaker, South lone; George W. Chapin, stockman, Dairy; J. S. Young, farmer, Eight

Mile; James A. Brown, farmer, Gentry; Thos Graham, farmer, Dry Fork; J. H. Frad, farmer, Gentry; Dan Summer, farmer, Lexington; W. P. Dutton, farmer, Mt. Vernon; Julius Keithley, poultryman, Heppner; W. B. Finley, stockman, Alpine; P. M. Garrigues, merchant, Mt. Vernon; J. W. Cowins, bottler, Heppner; A. Rood farmer, Heppner; Chas Hams, hotel keeper, Dairy; Stacy Roberts, farmer, Dairy; Chas Allinger, carpenter, South lone; J. L. Kincaid, farmer, South lone; A. H. Allen, farmer, Dairy; D. O. Justus, sheep raiser, Mt. Vernon; A. H. Stamp, farmer, Gentry; George Stevenson, farmer, Heppner; M. R. Morgan, farmer, South lone; M. F. French, farmer, Heppner; Perry Hopkins, carpenter, South lone; Ralph Benge, farmer, Lexington.

COUNTY NEWS.

Heppner Gazette—

Andrew Reaney was up from Lexington, Friday. Mr. Reaney reports that grain is looking excellent in the Lexington wheat belt.

Workmen are now at work on the new home of the Gazette in the Abrahamsick building on May street. The building will be well fitted for the printing plant and the location will be much better than the present place.

Heppner Times—

Heppner Blackman, who was a cartoonist on the San Francisco Bulletin prior to the fire, returned to his home

here Monday on a visit to his parents. L. W. Hill and wife were visitors in town Monday. Mr. Hill reports crops looking well in his locality northwest of Lexington.

Attorney Sam E. Van Vactor was unanimously elected chairman of the democratic county central committee, also a member of the state committee at a meeting held here April 25.

Ione Proclaimant—

The Odd Fellows entertained a large crowd at their hall in this city last Thursday night. About 125 partook of the elegant lunch and a general good time is reported.

N. A. Leach, traveling agent for Kerr, Gifford & Co., spent Sunday and Monday in Ione which was one of the last places he visited on a trip to all their warehouses in Eastern Oregon, and he says the prospects here are the best he has seen east of the range this year.

NOTICE

Bathing within the town limits, in Willow Creek, is strictly forbidden. If persisted in arrests will be made.

W. G. SCOTT,
Mayor.

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TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned against bathing in Willow creek within sight of my residence. Parties persisting in doing so will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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MRS. JANE PENLAND.

BLACK HORSE

Harvey Parsels had a narrow escape last Friday of being killed while plowing, his team became frightened and tried to run away, throwing him from his seat on the plow between the team and plow, tearing his clothing and cutting two severe gashes in one leg one gash almost to the bone, also cutting one arm.

The crops look very nice so far, we hope it will continue so.

Mrs. E. S. Duran was a Lexington visitor Thursday last.

W. G. Scott was a Black Horse visitor Thursday of last week.

Barney Doherty who got hurt is improving very rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Duran spent Sunday last with George Mead and family, all enjoyed a pleasant day.

It Is Dangerous to Neglect a Cold.

How often do we hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurrence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia, and has gained its great popularity and extensive sale by its prompt cures of this most common ailment. It always cures and is pleasant to take. For sale by W. P. McMillan.

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Many nice Hats to offer, far below cost. Call before they are all gone.

WE are offering odd suits of clothing in order to clean up our Stock far below cost of Manufacture.

SHOES we have those to offer at 50cts. which cost at least \$2.50 to \$3.00 to make, they must go in order to make room for new goods.

DRESS GOODS \$1.50 values at 95 cents, \$1.00 values at 60 cents, 75 cent values at 40 cents, 65 cent values at 40 cents, 50 cent values at 30 cents, we must let them go at some price.

GREAT values in Laces of all kinds, Embroideries, etc.

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