

BAD LUCK

Sheep Killed and Camp Went up in Smoke

McCullough Has a Streak of Bad Luck on His Way to Market With Sheep.

A. H. Barnum, who has been with J. B. McCullough, assisting him in driving 3,000 mutton sheep from Lake county to the railroad, returned to Lakeview last Thursday thoroughly disgusted with his trip. Barnum acted in the capacity of driver, while McCullough, who purchased the sheep here this summer, was camp tender. They reached the lower end of the lake, at the Lauer reservoir, below Alturas, on the 10th inst., having been without water for three days at a time during the trip. On that date Barnum went out in the morning to round up the sheep, having set fire to a tree at camp the night previous; McCullough was assisting in the round-up, when suddenly their attention was attracted to a terrible fusillade of shots. They rushed back to camp and found the tent and everything the camp contained a mass of flames, having caught from the burning tree. The firing was caused from the Winchester rifle and pistol cartridges exploding. Guns, ammunition, bedding, provisions and the complete outfit was totally destroyed. The worst of it was, they were far from any place where they could restock the larder, but, fortunately, found a neighbor who let them have a small piece of bacon, coffee for one day and a small amount of flour. They managed to get along with these scant rations for three days, when they reached a place to purchase supplies.

The trip was most unfortunate in every respect. Out of the band of 3,000 fine mutton the coyotes killed about 100 head. The sheep also suffered for want of water, and the feed was scant. Barnum says the coyotes were almost as thick as flies, and were so poor and hungry that they would run in and kill sheep after sheep before they could be driven off. He says there was no use trying to kill the ravenous animals with a gun—they were so thin that they would split a bullet.

The publisher of the Prison Missionary at the State Penitentiary for the past two years finds the income of the paper is not equal to the expenses, and appeals to the charitably inclined for assistance by way of new subscriptions, which is the only source of revenue open to it. The Missionary is doing worthy labor inside the prison walls. The subscription price, 25 cents per year, should be sent to "Publisher Prison Missionary," Salem, Oregon, by all who desire to help the good cause.

The Dalles Columbia Southern Railway Company have a crew of surveyors now in the field selecting a route for their road to Prineville.

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Pete and Jonas can be found by their old friends under the opera house, badly disfigured but still in the ring. Call there for a cool drink or a good cigar. 23

Prof. Graham has been engaged by the committee having in charge the Modoc County Fair, to play in the brass band at Alturas during Fair week. The Professor will receive \$5 per day for his labor.

Post & King lost a big stock in the fire but they have another just as good. Fine liquors and cigars; A. B. C. beer. Under the opera house. 23

The emergency bags sent by a church society to Kansas soldiers in the Philippines contained among the necessities a box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the well known cure for piles, injuries and skin diseases. The ladies took care to obtain the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, knowing that all the counterfeits are worthless. Lakeview Drug Co.

Artesian water was found at a depth of 68 feet at Tom McCormack's ranch in Harney county. A fine stream of water now flows from the top of the well, and many in Harney county are now arranging to experiment on the same line. Lake county should have hundreds of artesian wells—there is little doubt of the success of the experiment, once tried here.

A big invoice of fine Old Bourbon Whisky has just arrived in Lakeview. These goods were bottled expressly for Post & King by Hilbert Bro's., Louisville, Ky. It is in pocket shaped pints, with nickel drinking cup. This is said to be the finest bottled goods ever shipped to this section. 37-1f

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