

DELANEY IS WRONG.

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chief the instant delivery of the captive girls, and if refused or further delay was sought, that he would kill the chief then and there. That to pay no attention to him as they would all probably be killed any way.

Accordingly Ben Wright went to the camp 75 yards away. He told the chief he had come for the girls. The chief said in reply that he would not deliver them and never intended to do so. That he had men enough to kill all the white men and would do it. Scarcely had the words escaped the lips of the treacherous old savage than Ben Wright whipped a revolver from beneath his blanket and shot him dead. He then, with revolver in each hand, fought his way out as best he could. The instant that the first shot rang out, the men in waiting opened with their rifles, and then charged revolver in hand. The sudden onslaught terrified the savages, who, after two or three ineffective volleys of arrows, fled in dismay. Many jumped into the river and attempted to hide under the steep banks.

They were punched out with willow poles, and shot while struggling in the water. Others hid in the sage brush and were hunted out and shot as they ran. About 185 of the savages were killed and most of them scalped to prove to friends in Yreka that they had done good work.

After the fight Wright and his men returned to Yreka. Ben Wright was afterwards assassinated by a half breed while acting as agent on a coast reservation. This is the true, unvarnished story of the Ben Wright massacre.

The two captive girls were never released. One was killed at Hot Creek by the chief to settle a quarrel among the Indians. The writer and Judge Bellinger made a search and found a portion of her remains scattered about in the rocks where the body had been thrown. The other girl probably met a similar fate.

HAMMERSLY—HERYFORD.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Heryford about two miles north of Lakeview, was Wednesday evening, October 7, the scene of a very pretty wedding, when Mr. A. H. Hammersly was united in marriage to Miss Olive L. Heryford, W. B. Snider, the Lakeview City Recorder, officiating.

The services were conducted in the presence of the relatives of the bride and a few intimate friends of both bride and groom.

Miss Heryford was beautifully attired in a white silk, trimmed in white satin and silk applique and carried a beautiful bouquet of white sweet peas and maiden hair ferns.

After the ceremony, the happy couple departed for the Hammersly residence in South Lakeview where they will make their future home.

Mr. Hammersly has been a resident of Lakeview for the past 30 years and has a host of friends. He is at present employed by the firm of Ayres & Whitworth now under assignment.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Heryford, and has always been one of the foremost in the social circles of our city.

The Examiner joins the many friends of the bride and groom in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

Practically all the grading for the Intramural railway at the World's Fair grounds have been finished. The road will be ready for operation by January 1.

According to a report from the U. S. Patent Office the first steam fire engine was constructed in Egypt 150 B. C. A model of it may be seen in the government's exhibit at the World's Fair.

STOCK NOTES.

J. Howard, of Drews Valley sold 80 head of three-year-old steers to Swanson, of Sacramento, last week. The cattle were in excellent condition and brought \$27 per head. They will be delivered at the Howard Ranch on Oct. 16 th.

L. Ciscel, of the firm of Ciscel Bros. of Harney county, drove one thousand head of cows through this section last Tuesday. The stock are being driven to Glenn county, California, on account of the scarcity of feed in Harney County this fall.

H. R. Dunlap, assisted by L. Griffith, and Louis Barneburg, with B. Miller as cook of the outfit left for Crook county yesterday morning. They expect to drive 150 head of cattle, which Mr. Dunlap recently purchased from Jas. Gardner, back to Lake County, where they will be pastured for the winter.

W. D. Duke, buyer for Miller & Lux of San Francisco passed through town last Tuesday enroute to Gazelle. Mr. Duke, bought the beef of Whitmore & Spicer and several others at Steele Swamp, Modoc county, amounting in all to about 500 head. The price paid was six cents for cows and seven cents for steers, cattle to be delivered and weighed at Gazelle.

J. W. Howard, the Lake County Cattle King, arrived in the city Monday and will probably remain here the rest of the fall, says the Klamath Falls Express. Mr. Howard will feed from 2300 to 2500 head of cattle in the Klamath Basin this season. He already has his herds started this way and the first installment will reach here in a short time. He has bought all the Ankeny & Cantrall and Henley hay, besides some small lots from others. One can realize the immense expense of feeding a bunch of cattle this size when it is known that it will take forty tons of hay a day. The cattle will be marketed by the last of December. The first lot will be driven out sometime in November. Mr. Howard states that on account of the exorbitant price of hay this year, he believes there will be a much less quantity of cattle raised another year. He now has about 3500 head but does not intend to handle over 1000 next year.

Mrs. Prudence Basey.

Mrs. Prudence Basey, who died at her home in Salem on September 14, 1903, was born in Indiana on February 1, 1823. Her maiden name was Prudence Ayres. In 1839 she was married to J. J. Basey, who was a son of Isaac Basey, a member of the Lewis and Clark expedition. The spelling of the name has been changed in the present generation.

In 1853 Mr. and Mrs. Basey crossed the plains to Oregon, settling first in Yamhill County. They lived in that county a year, and another year in Jackson County, and then removed to Siskiyou, Cal., where they resided until 1866, when they returned to Oregon. They made their home in Spring Valley, Polk County, until 1871, when they removed to Salem. Here Mr. Basey died in 1894.

Mrs. Basey was a member of the Baptist Church and a devout Christian. During the years of her active life she was a tireless worker in the care of her home and the rearing of her family. In later years, when age and sickness limited the power of her willing hands, she was a patient and cheerful companion. She left four sons and one daughter—W. W. Basey, A. J. Basey and Mrs. M. B. Willard, of Salem; J. C. Basey, of Lakeview and J. N. Basey of Portland.

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