

WITH THE MALHEUR COUNTY FARMERS

COW HOLLOW

By The Happy Farmer

Our old neighbor Doc Raffington is having quite a time of it. His severe cold developed into pneumonia.

Doc is a real old pioneer, having pioneered in Oklahoma in the early days. He saw the flourishing little city of Perry, Okla., when it was born. One day was fine prairie sod as far as you could see and the next day it was a very busy town of five thousand population all in tents.

We call him Doc because he is a dentist by profession. He has been stopping that awful toothache for thousands for over a half a century. When he was just a boy he started working in the office of an old dentist. He worked his way through school and college and then through dental college. He says dentistry in the old days was not what it is today, he made his expenses and saved a little money working as a dentist while still in school.

Doc was married about the time the "Strike" in Oklahoma opened and their home was at Perry for some time. He was a messenger of mercy to those with the toothache like unto the old Circuit Rider in Oregon's early days was a messenger of mercy to those of troubled souls.

Dr. Raffington made his circuit of western Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas and eastern Colorado. He traveled by train and team and carriage. In those days dentists were scarce and he covered all the territory he could and made his rounds regularly so all the people knew when to expect the dentist in town.

During all these years his hobby has been "the farm" and stock raising. He still has quite a large ranch in western Oklahoma, but he has become very tired of office life and so much drought has made him decide to leave his old home state and so he now has one of the best homesteads in Cow Hollow and is a pioneer again.

Sunday night Elza Niccum sat up with Doc and Mrs. Raffington only slept about an hour. Tonight your writer is setting up with him. It is now 2 a. m. and Mrs. Raffington has just dozed off to sleep in her chair. She certainly is made of the stuff the old pioneers were.

Clarence Niccum's little 14-month

old boy while playing and kicking in his high chair truned it over and fell on the heating stove. His molter was near by and got to him immediately but he burned himself quite badly on one side of his face and chin and inside his left hand. Of course a bad burn looks terrible on so small a child but the doctor said it would not leave a scar.

Lieut. Cloninger has had a cold but he is up and going again and out side of that we believe all of Cow Hollow is enjoying good health.

George Gabriel is now ready to move his family into their new house. We new landers are always glad when a neighbor can improve his farm and better his living conditions.

Russell Howell has been buying himself some farm equipment. A team of white mules, a wagon and harness, a hay rake and a few other implements.

He called his white mules "White Angels" One of his Angles is about 200 pounds larger than the other. We told him that the idea of one larger than the other was so he could puff the larger on down hill on his hill sides and make them look alike.

Sam Gates sold some of his big-year to Roy Rookstool. Sam says it is the best grain you can get for chicken feed. The heads look just like the cabin corn we used to raise in Oklahoma and we always valued it far ahead of corn for egg production.

Sam has the largest crop of corn in the hollow. He has traded some corn for some hay as he has no hay. Some of us have more grain and others have more hay than we need so by trading around we help to feed our stock.

Mort Wickson has moved back on his homestead. He is still working at the sugar factory but he has decided to move back on the farm even if he must drive 14 miles to work.

Bill and Frank Parker have both got themselves straw barns built up for their stock. Theirs and Doc Raffington's are the only barns in Cow Hollow so far and a straw barn just beats no barn all hollow.

Clarence Niccum bought a nice young heifer from Dale Limbaugh last week. Clarence bought (through the rehabilitation loan) three cows last spring. He admits he isn't much of a judge for he only got one good cow out of three and that good one bloated and died so now he has corn fed the other two for beef and now he must replace them as best he can.

Dude Parker butchered a small beef during the cold weather but now that it has turned warm his wife has canned what was left of it for safe keeping.



MALHEUR COUNTY GRANGE CALENDAR

Grange Name	Master	Meeting Days	Location
BOULEVARD GRANGE	Frank Sherwood	2nd and 4th, Thursdays 8:30 p. m.	Cairo
BIG BEND GRANGE	H. R. Hatch	1st and 3rd, Tuesdays 8:00 p. m.	Wade Schoolhouse
OREGON TRAIL GRANGE	John Stam	2nd and 4th, Wednesdays 8:30 p. m.	Oregon Trail Schoolhouse
VALE GRANGE	C. E. Charles	1st and 3rd, Fridays 8:00 p. m.	I. O. O. F. Hall Vale
OREGON SLOPE GRANGE	Jim Danielson	1st and 3rd, Thursdays 8:30 p. m.	Park Schoolhouse
HARPER-WESTFALL GRANGE	Charles Belgarde	2nd and 4th, Fridays 8:00 p. m.	Harper Schoolhouse
AROCK GRANGE	Ted Hon	2nd and 4th, Saturdays 8:00 p. m.	Arock
WILD ROSE GRANGE	D. L. Anderson	2nd and 4th, Saturdays 8:00 p. m.	West of Huntington
EL DORADO GRANGE	Floyd Howard	2nd and 4th, Fridays 8:00 p. m.	Ironside
SNAKE RIVER GRANGE	Paul Parkinson	2nd and 4th, Tuesdays 8:00 p. m.	Annex Schoolhouse
I. O. N. GRANGE	Norman MacKenzie	1st and 3rd, Fridays 8:00 p. m.	Sheaville
KINGMAN GRANGE	M. D. Clough	2nd and 4th, Mondays 8:00 p. m.	Kingman Schoolhouse
JAMIESON GRANGE	Ray Garrison	1st and 3rd, Wednesdays 8:30 p. m.	Jamison Schoolhouse
MALHEUR COUNTY POMONA GRANGE	J. Edwin Johnson	Four times yearly	(Places advertised)

OWYHEE BULL GOES FERDINAND

When Frank Crocker went out to the barn lot to feed his stock Monday morning he found the pen where the bull belonging to Crocker Brothers was supposed to be, empty. One side of the fence was battered down. Mr. Crocker could hear the animal bellowing and upon a hurried investigation discovered him sitting in the bottom of a 15 foot well with water about half way up his body. The well was three by four feet and boarded up and as Mr. Bull is judged to weigh 1400 pounds just about filled the space as far as width was concerned. Neighbors gathered to help extricate him and a tunnel was dug down one side until he could walk out, which he did, apparently none the worse for his prolonged bath.

Mr. Crocker had figured out that he jumped the fence landing with his front feet on the other side of the well which was just over the fence and his hind feet on top of the boards on the well which went through with him and because he so nearly filled the space his fall was broken enough to prevent injury even though he reached the bottom of the well.

4-H CLUB

The Best Yet 4-H club under the leadership of Mrs. E. L. Jamison and composed of girls from the Richland and Buena Vista districts has been successful so far.

The seven members are taking sewing, most of them their third year and besides their work accomplishments have had a Halloween party and are now looking forward to a Christmas celebration.

Plans are now for a Christmas caroling and sleigh ride, if there is any snow. There will also be a tree with presents at the home of their leader.

Another one of their plans is to raise enough money to send one member to Corvallis next fall and to publish a club paper in the near future.

LINCOLN

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewellen of Cow Valley were Monday visitors at the Pre home.

Miss Geraldine Brooks was a visitor in Payette Sunday.

Arnold Anderson is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. John Pennington has purchased a new pickup.

The county agent held an interesting meeting at the Lincoln school house Friday evening. Different subjects were discussed and it was very beneficial to the many new settlers of our community and was well attended.

There was a birthday party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neilson Tuesday evening. Harry Holten and Mrs. Neilson being the honor guests. After a pleasant evening of games and visiting light refreshments were served.

At Boise Sunday—

Lewis Mosier of the Boise Payette Lumber company drove to Boise Sunday morning, spending the day there with his brother, John Mosier, a Tacoma public accountant.

Nyssa the Bargain Center.

THE Nyssa Pharmacy For CHRISTMAS GIFTS

The Ontario Argus, official advertising \$2.55; election expense \$365.00, \$374.55. Lytle and Swan, attorneys, H. O. Stacey, estate, emergency fund, \$300.00. Bank of Malheur, general assistance, \$340.53. David F. Graham, county court expenses \$2.35; traveling expenses \$17.05, \$19.40. Shunn's Transfer, court house expense, \$4.00. C. W. Glenn, sheriff, office expense \$4.33; collection of taxes \$31.48; salary of tax clerk \$100.00; board of prisoners \$104.25; traveling expenses \$13.14. \$353.20. H. S. Sackett, clerk's office; supplies \$128.58; circuit court \$28.02; election \$9.65; court house expense \$3.45. \$169.74. Murray Morton, assessor's office supplies \$5.00; traveling expense \$10.00, \$15.00. Kathryn Claypool, county school superintendent, traveling expenses \$20.74. Stanley Mallett, watermaster's salary and expenses, \$151.50. Kessinger Garage, watermaster's expense, \$3.90. Adams Motor Company, watermaster's expense, \$41.85. James McDonald, deputy watermaster, \$39.50. Antunio C. Graham, watermaster's expense, \$5.75. Argonaut Cafe, board of prisoners, \$4.90. Perry Purvis, justice court costs, \$18.30. Albert J. Hays, registration of voters, \$6.10. Ernest Hawkins, justice court witness, \$8.50. The Malheur Enterprise, supplies; sheriff \$3.25; clerk \$3.00. Agriculture, supplies; court \$15.60; county school superintendent \$33.95; assessor's office \$9.45. \$133.40. John's Shoe Shop, election supplies, \$27.00. F. Ryan, registration of voters, \$57.80. J. E. Holly, registration of voters, \$2.50. Mrs. M. J. Schutter, registration of voters, \$3.00. D. M. Graham, registration of voters, \$53.80. H. C. Elms, registration of voters, \$0.70. Dora A. Matthews, registration of voters, \$0.60. Chas. J. Bush, registration of voters, \$2.30. Murphy, comes, registration of voters, \$0.70. J. L. Pope, registration of voters, \$1.40. Alice D. Bankoffler, registration of voters, \$0.70. M. D. Clough, rescinder, registration of voters, \$2.10. Geo. L. Baker, registration of voters, \$0.80. Mrs. D. H. Bayless, registration of voters, \$0.20. Geo. S. Parks, registration of voters, \$3.70. Ontario Argus, official advertising, \$19.20. State Department of Agriculture, supplies; sealer of weights and measures, \$14.18. Edna Flanagan Parris, county health nurse, \$100.00. Thomsen, restaurant, supplies; court expense, \$6.50. Nyssa Gate City Journal, official advertising, \$35.89. Ryder Brothers, clerk's office supplies, \$3.63. Oregon Agricultural College, funds for county agent, \$825.00. West Coast Printing and Binding Company, supplies; sheriff, \$27.50. County court expense, \$6.00. \$33.55. West Coast Printing and Binding Company, supplies; clerk's office \$93.00; election \$130.00. \$223.00. State Industrial Accident Commission, accident insurance, \$0.65. W. & R. Food Stores, indigent's supplies, \$4.00. Earl Graham, Administrator, supplies for indigent's veterans, \$19.50. Dr. A. Mann, indigent's expenses, \$2.00. Daley's Market, supplies of Old Men's home, \$5.49. Vale Supply Company, supplies; Old Men's home \$9.69; court house \$11.89, \$21.58. Home Lumber & Coal Company, supplies; Old Men's home \$14.40; court house \$3.61, \$17.36. Anna E. Pritchett, expenses; Old Men's home \$38.00; examination of Insane \$5.00, \$43.00. J. E. Sappe Transfer, drayage; Old Men's home \$8.42; court house \$0.40, \$1.40. Vale Drug Store, supplies; Old Men's home \$10.33; jail expense \$1.30, \$11.63; Malheur Home Telephone Company, court house expense, \$11.95. Carman Jersey Farm, supplies for Old Men's home, \$7.80. Ontario Laundry & Cleaners, expenses; Old Men's home \$7.20; jail \$0.50, \$7.70. Mrs. F. G. Cleveland, Old Men's home expenses, \$11.16. Idaho Power Company, expenses; court house \$32.93; jail \$9.75; Old Men's home \$9.90, \$53.58. Peterson Furniture company, supplies; Old Men's home \$44.25; indigent's \$10.00, \$54.25. Graham's Store, supplies for Old Men's home, \$9.48. Newton's Grocery, supplies for Old Men's home, \$47.29. C. C. Anderson Stores Company, supplies for Old Men's home, \$23.34. Electrohux Corporation, court house expense, \$7.50. Water Department, City of Vale, expenses; court house \$6.72; Old Men's home \$2.70. J. N. Allen Supply Company, court house expense, \$5.42. Lewis Hyde, court house supplies, \$2.25. Malheur Home Telephone Company, court house expense, \$5.00. Stockwell's Store, court house supplies, \$5.50. R. M. McKennon, rodent control expense, \$820.00. Ora C. Hope, treasurer's traveling expense, \$50.00. M. A. Biggs, district attorney's expenses, \$60.60. Malheur Home Telephone Company, court house expense, \$70.15. David F. Graham, county court traveling expense, \$30.00. Ora E. Clark, county court traveling expense, \$30.00. L. P. Peterson, county clerk traveling expense, \$30.00. H. S. Sackett, county clerk traveling expense, \$50.00. Bank of Malheur, dependent children, \$283.47. Aid age assistance \$754.03; blind assistance \$22.31, \$1,059.81. Percy Purvis, agent, insurance on court house, \$91.20. Fuson's Second Hand Store, indigent's expense, \$7.33. Vale-Owyhee Land Settlement association, balance due on 1938 budget appropriation \$250.00.

Jasper Perry, engineering expense (bond) \$170.00. Frank D. Morgan, engineering expense (bond), \$170.00. Walter Wood, engineering expense (bond) \$100.00. Don Seeman, engineering expense (bond) \$100.00. Erma Fauerso, engineering expense (bond) \$50.00. L. K. Buno, engineering expense (bond) \$100.00. \$26.34. November \$36.99, \$43.33. Malheur Enterprise, bond engineering office supplies, \$2.50. Oregon State Highway Commission, bond engineering's office supplies, \$10.13. Standard Oil Company of California, & Oil, \$183.53. Ontario Auto Parts, repairs for machinery, \$77.17. Service Corner, expenses, \$8.79. Frank White, bridge expenses, \$21.75. Fields Implement Company, payment on road equipment, \$170.00. Bunting Tractor Company, expenses, \$115.40. Columbia Equipment Company, repairs of machinery, \$13.89. Beal Pipe & Tank Corporation, culverts, \$29.70. Eds Tire Shop, repair of equipment for roads, \$5.00. Kinney Brothers & Keele Hardware Company, expenses, \$16.85. Ontario Concrete Pipe Company, 1 culvert, \$13.65. Van Patten Lumber Company, materials, \$24.55. Vale Forge & Welding Works, repairing road equipment, \$18.00. Winkler's Store, bridge material, \$4.22. Wulf Hardware & Implement Company, bridge material, \$22.18. Fish Lumber Company, bridge material, \$215.15. Walter Keele, trucking bridge material, \$5.00. State Industrial Accident Commission, workmen's compensation, \$55.82. Parker & Clark, repairs for road equipment, \$73.12. O. K. Tire Shop, supplies, \$10.00. Home Lumber & Coal Company, bridge material, \$75.86. Ben Struthers, right of way fence, \$3.00. Ed Romph, bridge material, \$9.00. Vale Supply Company, road supplies, \$35.50. Boise Payette Lumber Company, bridge material, \$119.00. Harper Mercantile Company, bridge material, \$8.60. Clarence Barrett, labor, \$6.00. Ben Franklin, labor, \$2.25. Geo. Eldredge, labor, \$2.25. P. M. Grigg, labor, \$9.00. Nephi Grigg, labor, \$3.00. Lloyd Dyas, labor, \$3.00. Frank Larrucea, labor, \$146.25. M. K. Johannessen, labor, \$25.00. Jas. R. White, labor, \$25.00. Clifford Kinick, labor, \$12.50. E. V. Bendixon, labor, \$13.50. H. McRae, labor, \$18.00. John A. Low, labor, \$18.00. Leland J. McKinney, labor, \$130.00. E. W. Thomsen, labor, \$45.75. Chas. E. Witty, labor, \$52.50. Miles H. Tretak, labor, \$25.50. Lawnie Boyer, labor, \$15.00. Chris Malt, labor, \$15.00. Kie Scott, labor, \$3.00. Cyrus Bishop, labor, \$4.50. Fred Rummel, labor, \$232.00. W. H. Utley, labor, \$145.00. Ben Rose, labor, \$1.50. F. W. Smith, labor, \$21.00. W. B. Eaton, labor, \$18.00. Paul Dobby, labor, \$6.50. Francis Dobby, labor, \$15.00. Wm. Miller, labor, \$15.00. Willis Harris, labor, \$6.00. Joe Shelton, labor, \$6.00. Lloyd Edmunson, labor, \$57.50. Jake Thomsen, labor, \$60.00. Fred Thomsen, labor, \$46.50. Geo. Wilson, labor, \$13.00. Tony Turk, labor, \$7.00. Adams Motor Company, repairs on road equipment, \$6.30. Hargue, bridge materials, \$2.00; labor, \$2.50, \$4.50. Union Oil Company, road machinery expenses, \$404.32. David F. Graham, traveling expense, Nyssa the Bargain Center.

penses, Shunn's Transfer, drayage, \$6.00. Chris P. Fauerso, traveling expenses (bond) \$70.31 & \$4.25, \$74.56. Chris P. Fauerso, engineer (bond) \$100.00. Jasper Perry, salary (bond) \$68.00. Frank D. Morgan, salary (bond) \$68.00. Walter Wood, salary (bond) \$40.00. Don Seeman salary (bond) \$40.00. Erma Fauerso, salary (bond) \$20.00. David F. Graham, traveling expense, \$30.00. Ora E. Clark, traveling expense, \$30.00. L. P. Peterson, traveling expense, \$30.00. Fields Implement Company, purchase of truck, \$400.00.

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Malheur County Library, salaries and expense, \$182.85.

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NOTICE TO WATER USERS

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Section 9. All such tolls and charges shall be due and payable in advance and unless paid within ten days same shall become delinquent. It shall be the duty of the Water Superintendent to notify each water user who is delinquent, and give such water user an opportunity to pay such delinquency, but if the amount of the delinquency be not paid within five days of the time of delinquency the superintendent shall forthwith shut off the water from such consumer and shall keep the same shut off until all such charges against such consumer are paid, together with the fee of One Dollar for turning on said water.

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