

LAW IS AFTER THEM

Another Pair of Alleged Horse Rustlers Taken In.

A Quartet of Suspects are Now Either in Jail or Have Given Bonds to Appear.

The population of the county jail is increasing and the number of men who retain their liberty through the medium of bail bonds is growing as a result of the spring campaign against the alleged horse thieves. Sheriff Mackay returned Saturday night from North Yakima with two recruits for his boarding house. They are H. Eubank and Frank McIntosh, both of whom are wanted in connection with the LaFollette robbery, but escaped at the time the original arrest was made. Eubank was captured in a North Yakima saloon April 30, and McIntosh the next day at Wenatchee, in Yakima county. Four horses sold by them and James Chamberlin in Yakima county were recovered and are held at North Yakima for identification. The horses are supposed to have been taken from this county and are described as follows:

White horse, branded JH connected on left shoulder. Brown gelding, broken tail bone, branded U on left hip. Light gray gelding, branded three O's in shape of a triangle on left hip. Brown horse, branded dim M with quarter circle over on hip. The horses had been misused, their backs being badly skinned, and when placed in the corral a couple of them could barely stand up. Another horse, a small animal, branded quarter circle G, claimed by McIntosh as his own, was sold in Ritzville.

On Monday the prisoners were taken before Justice Kirkland, who held them in bonds of \$1000 each for preliminary hearing Friday, May 9. In default of bonds they are in jail.

Whitman county, it appears, is not the only section subjected to the operations of the horse rustlers, as the work is going on actively in all adjoining counties. Stockmen are becoming enraged at the continued and daring thievery, and if something should happen to the rustlers one of these fine spring days they need not be surprised.

James Chamberlin, charged with being one of the gang who stole the LaFollette horses, and held in \$1000 bonds by Justice Kirkland for preliminary hearing May 9, furnished the bond Saturday and was released. The bond is signed by Jerome, Charles and William Chamberlin, Wm. Eltzner and Eugene Ringer. The hearing is set for 1 p. m. today.

Killed by a Squirrel Gun.

W. F. Williams of the firm of Moss & Williams, Pullman contractors, was found dead Tuesday in a wheat field a couple of miles south of Pullman with a bullet hole in his temple. He procured a gun Sunday and went squirrel shooting and when found Tuesday appearances indicated that he had crawled through a wire fence, dragging his gun after him, causing it to discharge, the bullet entering his right temple and passing through to the other side of his head, as shown by probing. The barrel of the gun was grasped in his right hand and the butt rested upon one of the fence wires. He was seen Monday by some men engaged in plowing, who thought that he had laid down to rest, but when seen again Tuesday an investigation was made and the facts discovered. He was about 47 years of age and leaves a wife, who was taken ill while on a visit to Oregon and was in a Portland hospital, and five children. An inquest was held, the jury bringing in a verdict of accidental death.

Demurrer Under Adjudgment.

The case of E. R. Barroll et al against Carrie Divine, the suit started last week by north end property owners, who seek by a new method of injunction to rid the West street district of houses of ill fame, came up in the superior court Monday and was continued to Tuesday on motion of the defendant, who, being unable to secure an attorney in Colfax, is represented by S. S. Denning of Moscow, with A. A. Wilson of Palouse as associate counsel. M. O. Reed represents the plaintiffs. The defense objected to the motion for an injunction, which was overruled by the court, and then entered a demurrer, which was taken under advisement, decision to be rendered next Monday. There are nine plaintiffs in the case, each of whom have contributed \$100 to a fund to be used if necessary in fighting the case to the last ditch.

New School Texts Adopted.

At a meeting of the county board of education, held last Friday and Saturday at the office of the county superintendent, a number of new text books were adopted. The New Education reader, book 1, was selected for use in the primary grades, the present course in reading being considered too difficult. Book 2 of the same series and Child Life will be supplementary texts and second reader. Other texts adopted are the Natural Elementary geography for the 4th grade, Frye's complete geography, and Brown's graded mental arithmetic.

Will Soon Have Lumber.

Recent rains and the melting of the mountain snows have brought the Palouse river to a stage which, aided by "splashing," will enable the Codd log drive to reach its destination and relieve the lumber famine at Colfax. A large force of drivers was put on this week and logs have been coming into the boom for several days. On Thursday the rear end of the drive was only five miles distant and a few days will complete the work. The mill will be started on the spring run some time next week.

Burglar is \$53 Richer.

Ed. Harpole's saloon was burglarized last Monday night by some one familiar with the premises and the location of a small box containing \$53, which was cached away in a drawer and which the burglar took. The thief gained entrance to the building through the rear window and left no clue.

Permits to Wed.

Marriage licenses were issued to the following couples during the week: John H. Smith and Ada May Stout, both of Albion; Nathaniel Davis and Jessie Wright, both of Sprague; D. S. Ryan and Bessie Ross, both of Hay; Horace Coffey and Bessie M. Wilke, both of Hay.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. J. F. Grimm of Farmington was in the city Saturday on legal business.

Mrs. Edwin T. Coman arrived home Sunday from a visit to her parents at Carrollton, Mo.

Geo. W. Lurie returned Saturday from a three weeks' tour of the middle western states, which section doesn't look as good to him as the Palouse country.

Chas. F. Stuart is in California.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. McLean of Oakesdale visited Colfax friends the first of the week.

Rev. H. G. Edgar visited Spokane Tuesday.

Miss Leona Griffin has accepted a position in Spokane, to which place she went the latter part of last week.

Mrs. N. M. Swanson and Mrs. G. Linden and families arrived from Sutherland, Neb., Friday last and are visiting Joseph Franzen, 10 miles east of town. Messrs. Swanson and Linden are expected to arrive in a day or two with a carload of household goods, horses, milch cows, etc. Their intention is to buy land and make their home here.

R. G. Hargrave and family moved into their new South End home Monday.

Dr. A. E. Stult went to Portland Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Fowler is visiting Mrs. H. H. Spalding at Almota.

Mrs. Ivan Chase and children left Tuesday evening for Oregon City.

Frank Pickrell of Des Moines, Iowa, accompanied by Mrs. Pickrell, visited his brother, J. N. Pickrell, during the week, also other relatives at Palouse and Lewiston.

N. E. McCaw, a pedagogue from Illinois, is visiting his brother, W. O. McCaw, and may decide to locate in the county.

Mrs. Julian Howard of Spokane visited Colfax friends Tuesday.

J. S. Buck was in town this week completing the purchase of the livery and feed barn formerly owned by him. He will move to Colfax about June 1 and take charge of the barn.

Julius Lippitt is expected home this morning from Portland.

Theodore Reed, Bayard T. Byrns, Prof. French, S. H. Nepper and A. J. MacDonald, editor of the Palouse and Inter-Mountain Farmer, composed a party of Moscovites who attended the cattle sale here Thursday.

CITY LAWS MUST BE OBEYED.

Boys Arrested and Fined for Boarding Moving Trains.

The oft-repeated warning of the city marshal that boys who violated the city ordinance prohibiting jumping on or off moving trains was put into effect Wednesday evening when John Powell, John Stinson and Miller McCutchen, lads ranging in age from 10 years up, were arrested for the offense. They boarded the outgoing Moscow train at the South End bridge and jumped off at the next crossing, where the marshal was waiting for them. Two other boys of the party took to their heels and escaped. The boys arrested were allowed to go to their homes and on Thursday were taken before Justice Kirkland, who pointed out the danger of the practice, gave them some good advice and imposed a fine of \$10 on each of them. Payment of the fine was suspended upon the promise of the boys that they would not hereafter indulge in the dangerous amusement. The city authorities propose to enforce the ordinance and stop the practice before some one is killed.

And the enforcement of city laws is not to be applied to boys only. There is an altogether too prevalent practice of shooting fire arms within the city limits, which is also prohibited by ordinance. This is to be stopped, Marshal Weinberg announcing that offenders will be prosecuted.

Music Drew a Crowd.

The May music festival, given by Prof. Kiefer and his class in vocal music, assisted by Miss Alice Rowena Williams of Gardfield, with Miss Fannie Davis of Colfax as pianist, packed the Opera house to its fullest capacity last Friday night. The program contained many numbers, which were alike well rendered and received.

Fire Nipped in the Bud.

A small fire in the roof of W. L. Schmidt's house caused the fire department to be called out Sunday afternoon, but their services were not needed, as the prompt action of neighbors subdued the flames before the boys arrived. The fire was caused by a spark from the chimney and the damage did not exceed \$25.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. Price 25 cents.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will have a dollar earning on Tuesday evening, May 20, at the Baptist church. Look for notice next week.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. U. L. Ettinger, South Colfax.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. B. Burgunder.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Leon Kuhn.

Garden hose at W. G. Busse's.

PROPERTY OWNERS OBJECT TO STREET STOCK FEEDING.

Usual Amendment to Nuisance Ordinance—Licenses Granted—City Engineer Employed.

In the absence of Mayor Lippitt, Councilman Barroll was chosen mayor pro tem and presided at the regular meeting of the city council held Monday evening.

Bills to the amount of \$590.50 were ordered paid from the current expense fund, and \$144.03 from the water fund. The report of the water committee, recommending various changes in the rules and regulations governing the use of city water, was adopted, and the same will be printed in pamphlet form.

Property owners, complained through Marshal Weinberg of the practice of hitching and feeding teams on those streets, and the marshal was instructed to cause notices to be printed and posted giving notice that the feeding of stock on such streets would not be permitted.

An ordinance amending the nuisance ordinance was passed. It prohibits the breeding of animals in the city unless within a distance of 200 feet of the barn or yard used for that purpose, give their written consent thereto, which consent shall be filed with the city clerk.

An ordinance establishing the datum plane or city base for all grade elevations, and establishing bench marks, was also passed.

License to conduct a card table and a pool table was ordered issued to Baird & Carr, also license to Andrew Johnson to conduct three card tables. Application of Ed. Harpole for a liquor license was granted.

By unanimous vote of the council the city clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for macadamizing a portion of Main street, particulars of which are printed in the calls published elsewhere. The work will include curbing, gutters, crosswalks and macadam, and the bids must be in by May 19.

The matter of employing a city engineer was discussed, and it was decided that the services of such an official were needed, therefore a motion prevailed to employ O. H. Horton in such capacity at a salary of \$100 a month until further notice.

Band Must Be Maintained.

The Colfax Military Band is an organization in which the citizens have just pride, and with reason, because its equal is not found in all the state outside of professional organizations. This is preliminary to saying that there is a possibility of the band disbanding, which proposition was discussed at a meeting held last Monday evening. The band, which has been self sustaining for several years, is now so short of funds that the leader, Prof. Reed, has been laid off, and unless additional revenue is secured will likely go to pieces. Such a result would be foreign to the wishes and interests of the people of Colfax, who have enjoyed the possession of an organization of so much merit, and its disbandment ought not to be allowed. The Gazette suggests that a fund be raised to keep the band going.

Grammar School Girls Won.

Tuesday's game of basket ball between the High and Grammar school girls' teams was won by the latter by a score of 9 to 7. The defeated team isn't satisfied and has asked for another game, which will probably be played 10 or 12 days hence. One of the spectators at Tuesday's game, a man who had an idea that basket ball was something like playing with dolls, is now an enthusiastic admirer of the game, declaring that it is a full sister and deserves to rank with football.

Death of Roscoe Neill.

Roscoe, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Neill, died Friday morning, May 2, of inflammatory rheumatism, with which he had been afflicted for about three weeks. His condition was improving and recovery was thought to be near, when the disease attacked his heart and death followed quickly. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at the family home in South Colfax, services being conducted by Rev. H. C. Mason of Pullman.

Ex-Auditor Raby Demurs.

The cases against ex-Auditor Raby, set for hearing last Friday, were postponed until Wednesday on account of the death of the son of Thos. Neill, who is Raby's attorney. On being arraigned Wednesday Raby took the statutory time to plead and when brought up Thursday filed demurrers in each case, which were taken under advisement by the court until next Wednesday.

The Teachers are Here.

Eighty-one pedagogues were present at the opening of the teachers' examination Thursday and it is expected that this number will be increased to about 90. This is the first examination of the year, the February examination having been skipped because of lack of money in the state school fund. The examination is being held at the armory.

Biliousness is a condition characterized by a disturbance of the digestive organs. The stomach is debilitated, the liver torpid, the bowels constipated. There is a loathing of food, pains in the bowels, dizziness, coated tongue and vomiting, first of the undigested or partly digested food and then of bile. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets allay the disturbances of the stomach and create a healthy appetite. They also tone up the liver to a healthy action and regulate the bowels. Try them and you are certain to be much pleased with the result. For sale by F. J. Stone.

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Dainty new designs in narrow mouldings can be found at Sherman's art store.

Tents! Tents!

All sizes at W. G. Busse's.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

During April the highest temperature was 71 degrees, on the 1st, and the lowest 21 degrees, on the 23. The total precipitation was 98-100 of an inch, the greatest in any 24 hours being 50-100, on the 18th.

W. A. Davis, the well known Steptoe farmer, will help support the government by paying taxes on a live black bear owned by him and which the field deputy assessor concluded was worth about \$10 for assessment purposes.

A valuable horse belonging to Prof. F. N. English was almost ruined Tuesday while running with a plow. The team ran down the south grade from the college and as the plow was jerked along it struck one of the horses on the hind leg, severing an artery.

Isaac Hickey and Alice Hickey of Oakesdale were divorced Wednesday in the superior court, on the grounds of incompatibility of temper.

The Edgar A. Torrance farm of 4060 acres, one of the largest in the county, situated near Diamond, is being offered for sale in tracts to suit purchasers by the Palouse Land Co.

When completed, about July 1, the new play house will be named "The Ridgeway," in honor of our own Kate Hogan, who, as now planned, will open the house some time during the summer.

The auction sale of shorthorn thoroughbreds, which began Thursday afternoon and will be continued today, attracted many buyers from the county and outside points. The shipment, which arrived the first of the week, comprised over 80 head, filling five cars. The sale is being held at the fair grounds.

Mrs. Rea Zweifel has filed suit for divorce from John Zweifel on the ground of desertion and failure to provide for the plaintiff and her child.

Hairy Necks Pay Toll.

Effective May 15, in the morning, patrons of Colfax barber shops will pay 5 cents extra for having their necks shaved, if their jobs otherwise do not amount to more than 15 cents. A 25 cent job entitles your neck to be shaved without extra charge. This change in the scale is by mutual agreement of all the barbers, who have an appetite for beef. In different sections of the east the labor unions are expressing their opinion of beef prices by voting unanimously to abstain from meat eating for a period of 30 days.

Jesse A. Frye of Whatcom, Senator Foster's candidate, was named Wednesday for United States district attorney by the president.

Stands Like a Stone Wall.

Between your children and the tortures of itching and burning eczema, scaldhead or other skin diseases—How? why, by using Bucklen's Arnica Salve, earth's greatest healer. Quickest cure for Ulcers, Fever Sores, Salt Rheum, Cuts, Burns or Bruises. Infalible for Piles. 25c at F. J. Stone's.

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80 acres on railway 1/2 mile from Fallon. Small house. Well fenced. 70 acres in splendid winter wheat. Price \$30 per acre; on easy terms. Deal with the owner and save money. H. W. Goff.

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OVERALLS, Men's bib, blue stripe were 75c 50c

SHOES, For men, Hamilton-Brown for \$1.25

SHIRTS, For men, good quality, only 25c

HATS, Men's worth \$2.50 to \$3.00 \$1.50

PANTS, Men's Jeans, worth \$1.50, only 95c

GLOVES, Men's, worth 50c, for \$25c

SUSPENDERS, Men's worth 25c, for 10c

MEN'S SUITS, All wool, worth \$7.50, now \$4.90

HANDKERCHIEFS, Blue and Turkey Red, worth 10c, now 5c

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Star tobacco, per lb plug 45c

Climax tobacco, per lb plug 45c

Horse Shoe tobacco, per lb plug 45c

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Street Machinery

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Bids will be received for the above machinery either separately or as a whole. The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Copies of the specifications for above machinery can be had by addressing the undersigned, HOWARD BRAMWELL, City Clerk, Colfax, Wash.

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