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### NEWS OF FARM AND RANGE

**Morrow County Farming**—That Morrow county is adopting diversified farming methods with success is declared by T. J. Mahoney, cashier of the First National Bank of Heppner. Mr. Mahoney says that the gain in cream checks for seven months in 1913 over eight months in 1912 was \$2140. There has also been a heavy gain in poultry shipments. On one day last year more poultry was shipped out of Heppner than had been shipped during the whole previous year. Hog shipments are also increasing, as is shown by the fact 1450 head of hogs were shipped from Heppner during 1913 whereas only 500 head were shipped during 1912. Many Morrow county farmers have already taken up the practice of running sheep on their places and find it successful.

**Additional Bounty on Predatory Animals**—The state game commission is now offering a bounty on wildcats and weasels in addition to the regular bounty offered by the counties. The commission will give a bounty of \$1 per head on wildcats and \$5 on each weasel. The county already offers a \$10 bounty on cougar and \$2 on wild cats. The state game commission is offering no new bounty on coyotes.

**Baker Poultry Show**—A poultry show is to be held at Baker January 22, 23, 24. A fine exhibit will be sent from the agricultural college at Corvallis accompanied by a man who will demonstrate how to handle poultry.

**Interested in Weather**—What the weather developments for the next few days will bring forth is a subject

of much interest to farmers just now. There are some who fear that the unusually warm weather of the past week may be followed by a north wind and a freeze that will injure the grain. However, little uneasiness is manifested by farmers in town today. They cite that the wheat is well started and we seldom have real freezing weather here when there is no snow.

**Roasting the Pig**—In preparation for the big farmers union meeting tomorrow and the lunch to be served at noon a pig is now in the process of being cooked at a local bakery shop while another pig arrived this morning from Heppner and will be roasted for the Saturday meeting. There is considerable interest in the coming meetings and with the good program arranged the sessions will be of interest. An open meeting is to be held tomorrow evening.

**Coming Irrigation Institute**—The railroads are giving a fare of one and a third for the round trip to the Washington Irrigation Institute to be held at North Yakima January 14th to 16th. The rates apply out of Pendleton.

**Reserve Almost Filled**—During the past season there were 7450 cattle and 1280 head of horses and 96-989 head of sheep grazed on the Wenaha reserve under permit. The grazing capacity of the reserve is 11,000 horses and cattle and 192,000 sheep.

**Walla Walla Poultry Show**—A poultry show is to be held at Walla Walla beginning January 12. It is by the Walla Walla Valley Poultry association and the judge will be J. H. Drenstedt of New York.

**Gold Eating Hen**—A man named H. Nutt living near La Grande killed a hen recently and found four pieces of gold in the chicken's craw. There is now speculation as to where the hen found the gold.

### SEATTLE HAS LOWEST DEATH RATE OF CITIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Seattle has the lowest death rate in the country, eight and eight tenths per thousand according to the census statistics for 1911 made public today. New Orleans and Albany are tied for the highest rate, twenty and four tenths. Of the states, Washington has the lowest rate, eight and nine tenths. New Hampshire is highest with seventeen and one tenth. Suicide is more popular in San Francisco than elsewhere.

The girl who marries the first chap who proposes misses a lot of more or less valuable experience.

## Newsy Notes of Pendleton

**Naming Election Judges.**  
In conformance with the state law, the county court is today naming the election judges and clerks who shall act during the next two years.

**Back from Bear Hunt.**  
District Attorney Frederick Stelwer arrived home this morning from a bear hunt on Meacham creek. The bear went over the mountain.

**Frontier Show Films.**  
The motion picture views of the Walla Walla wild west show are to be given here next Tuesday at the Alta theater. There will be three reels depicting the events of the show.

**Grover vs. Timmerman.**  
A. L. Grover of Helix has commenced suit against William Timmerman of the same town to collect \$2650 and interest, alleged to be due on a promissory note. A fee of \$200 is asked for his attorneys, Raley & Raley.

**Bound Over to Grand Jury.**  
Bert Mansfield, arrested on a charge of non-support of his wife, waived preliminary examination this morning and was bound over to the grand jury. Roy Pambrun, arrested as an accomplice of Bert Pixler, was yesterday bound over at the same time that Joe McBane was.

**Suing for Wages.**  
Alleging that he has \$801.10 due him from R. L. Blackburn for wages for services as housekeeper, Michel Wickesham has commenced suit for that amount plus costs and disbursements. The period of service extended from May 1910 to November 1912. It is alleged. James P. Neal is plaintiff's attorney.

**Decided Land to Wife; Sued.**  
Alleging that Jacob Schwartz died 29 acres of land in sec. 22, twp. 6, N. R. 35 to his wife for the purpose of defrauding him, Sidney Coyle, who alleges he secured judgment for \$245.80 against Schwartz in April, 1913, has commenced suit against the latter and his wife to declare the deed void. J. P. Neal and Brooks & Bartlett are attorneys for the plaintiff.

**Hoozers Being Tried.**  
Charged with tormenting and tantalizing Jacob Bell, the old man who is demonstrating a new kind of heating stove on the streets, Harvey Withers and Nell McDevitt are being tried this afternoon in the police court. Specifically it is alleged that they poured some liquid on his head that caused a burning sensation, poured water on his stove, putting the flame out, and induced the little O'Gara boy to cut the wires in the stove. The case has attracted considerable attention and the court room is crowded.

**Decide Upon Night School Today.**  
Interest in the proposed night classes at the high school being much more manifest at the meeting held last evening, the school board, Superintendent Landers and Principal Hampton will hold a meeting this afternoon to determine definitely whether or not the classes will be arranged. If satisfactory arrangements can be made with the instructors, undoubtedly classes will be organized as quite a number of additional persons last evening signified their desire to take the work. Interest seems to be strongest in the commercial department.

**Suit for Divorce.**  
Alleging that two years after their marriage in Portland in October, 1908, her husband, Otto Hiedmann began a course of cruel and inhuman treatment by cursing and assaulting her, Gusta Hiedmann, through her attorney, L. A. Esteb of Echo, has filed suit for a divorce, for the custody of their twin four-year-old boys and for the restoration of her maiden name of Brandt. She avers that the treatment of her husband became so brutal that in Nov. 29, 1912, she left

## CHIEF OF POLICE KEARNEY AND HIS FAMILY; KEARNEY WAS APPOINTED LAST NIGHT TO SERVE ANOTHER TERM



their home at Wausau, Wisconsin, and joined her parents in this county.

**Marries Ex-Sister-in-Law.**  
A marriage license was issued yesterday in Walla Walla to Frank Parr and Julia Agnes Parr, both of whom gave their residence as Pendleton. The woman is the divorced wife of her husband-to-be's brother and a third brother acted as witness. The Parrs are mixed-bloods and live on the reservation.

**Wants Main Street Completed.**  
T. J. Tweedy appeared before the council once again last evening to ask that the improvement of East Alta street be completed according to the requests of the original petitioners. It seems that a portion of a block near the Catholic church was not paved and that other property owners are still "sore." Mayor Matlock declared an effort would be made to complete the pavement this year.

**Featherweight Battle Tomorrow.**  
"Fighting Dick" Miller of Seattle and "Lefty" Bennett of Portland will meet at the Oregon theater tomorrow evening for their scheduled 20-round go and fans are anticipating a lively bout. Because of the Farmers' Union meeting on the same evening they have postponed the opening of the main event until 10 o'clock. Two preliminaries will precede it. Bennett has been doing his training here and announces himself in fine condition to withstand the Seattle strong-arm. Miller was due to arrive here several days ago but, on account of inability to secure any one to take charge of his business, was not able to leave until today. He is expected to arrive on the evening train. Asa B. Thomson of Echo has been chosen to referee the fight.

**Building New Apartments.**  
Work on the remodeling of the upper story of the La Dow block on Court street is well along; one suite of rooms is now completed and occupied and workmen are busy fitting up five other suites. In the portion of the building facing Court street there will be three fine suites of rooms, all fitted for housekeeping. Each suite will consist of a living room, bedroom, dining room, kitchen, bath, room and a store room. The old Secret Society hall is to be made into three suites, the rooms somewhat smaller than those on Court street. Another suite will be built adjoining the armory and supplementing the old clock rooms of the hall. W. F. Matlock, owner of the building is also planning on converting the armory hall into suites but has not yet fully decided upon that point. If the work is done the large room will be divided into six suites, three facing south and three facing east.

**HIGH HILL ON RAILWAY MAY BE WASHED OUT**  
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MISSES' SHOES, \$1.75 value for	\$1.25
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of the water board, or in the current war of newspapers, but we are interested in the truth, whether that truth be favorable to one faction or the other.

Undoubtedly a large sum of money has been expended by the water board in the development of a water supply at Thorn Hollow. That money is gone and whatever the fact may be, the work must proceed to completion with Thorn Hollow as a source of supply. We recognize that whatever may have been our original opinion as to the wisdom of that selection.

What is now necessary, as we view it, is a full and complete disclosure of the source, character and sufficiency of the water supply and a detailed statement of expenditures by the water board. If we are to receive water from the Umatilla river, let us know that fact. Such a condition would not mean that the water is impure, but it is unjust to the people to withhold any part of the facts. If in the low water season of the summer, the water supply south of the railroad track at Thorn Hollow is insufficient, we believe that the people are entitled to know that in order that the emergency supply from the river may be protected by proper filtration.

We respectfully petition your body, as representing the city of Pendleton, to immediately employ a disinterested, competent and careful engineer of the type of John T. Whistler, who installed the West Umatilla irrigation project, and also a bacteriologist, skillful and unconnected with any official body of the state, and that these men make full and complete reports to be given to the people in conjunction with the report of the experts upon the finances of the water board. It may take several weeks of time and some considerable expenditure of money, but we believe that our people are entitled to know the facts notwithstanding the expense. We are charging no man or set of men with dishonesty, but we do feel

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## WILL INVADE AUSTRALIA

**Jim Power.**  
Alvah Meyer, the sprinter, and Jim Power, the Boston miller, have joined the team of American athletes which is to invade Australia in an attempt to prove to the other side of the world that American athletes are the best on the globe. Meyer will run in 100-yard and 200-yard dashes. Power is the Boston mile runner who proved a sensation in amateur circles. He, with Kiviat, stands at the head of the millers in the United States, if not in the world.

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