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### Not A Good Reason.

In speaking of the candidates for circuit judge, a man made a remark on the streets of Enterprise the other day that was astounding. Its purport was that someone else was to be preferred to Daniel W. Sheahan because the latter is a Wallowa county man.  
True, that is not the way he put it, but when the remark was analyzed, he who made it admitted that was the meaning of what he said though he had not meant that. He also finally admitted his remark was made thoughtlessly and it was an error.  
There is danger always when a home man is a candidate for a high office that votes will be cast against him just because he is a home man.  
The man already referred to, believes and says that Mr. Sheahan is the peer of any candidate for judge in this district, both in legal ability and general fitness for the office, yet he was unconsciously preferring another for no other reason than that the other lives in a distant city.  
It seems to us that in selecting a judge, ability and fitness should be the primary and chief requisite to be considered. After that, let the same reasons govern our choice as for other offices. And we are not slow to say, other things being equal, we will vote for the home man, the neighbor whom we know, in preference to the stranger.

### Mene, Mene, Tekel, Upharsin!

With failure stamped upon all his undertakings, and they have been many, from stirring up a county seat scrap fiasco to teaching two or three schools, editing a paper, and self-appointed guardian of the morals, manners and speech of the citizens of his community, Beishazer Jonas would take the right to decide the question of a court house from the voters of the county and leave it to some select few, whom he designates as "taxpayers".  
Just which "taxpayers" he doesn't now make plain—whether Methodist taxpayers, Presbyterian taxpayers, taxpayers who pay on above \$10,000 assessed valuation, or those taxpayers residing west of range 43 and north of the base line that bisects the county. The latter preferably, of course.  
Brother Jonas has read the handwriting on the wall. He knows that his "feeble calling is no longer in demand in this county," and is even now preparing for bi-yearly hegira to pastures new.  
Either that, or "his imagining hath made him mad."  
Or both.

### Hero Worship.

"No prophet is without honor save in his own country" is a time-worn saying illustrative of a peculiar characteristic of the white races. It is not true in the Orient. There, of two equally good men, the neighbor is preferred because he is a neighbor.  
In America, the practice of under-rating those we know is so common that it is in no small part the cause of boys with stirrings of ambition, seeking fame and fortune away from their home scenes.  
The basis of the custom is a tendency to hero worship that fetters the commonsense of this otherwise intensely practical people. And it is hard to make a hero out of one with whom we are familiar; whose daily life is an open book to us. Distance is a necessity for working the hero-worship enchantment.  
In his crusade against anarchy and anarchists, President Roosevelt should have the active backing of every law-abiding citizen. This sounds trite, but it is not. The word active takes it out of the commonplace. The least of us can give support by always being on the side of law and order, and we are active when it is known we are on that side.

The primary campaign in this county, with one or two exceptions, has been conducted with commendable fairness and friendliness by the candidates toward one another. With two exceptions no derogatory remarks have been used as far as we have heard. Nearly all have been content to let it be "voters' choice" May the best men win.

### Salting Stock Protects Range

The requirement that all cattle, horses and sheep grazing under permit on the National Forests be given salt at frequent intervals is a regulation which has been found to go a long way in protecting the range and conserving the forage crop.  
Experience has shown that the want of salt makes stock restless. If cattle and horses are not supplied as they need it, they roam and wander, haunt old salting grounds used in previous seasons, trampling the forage plants instead of eating them, pawing the ground, and in other ways injuring the range. But if their cravings are supplied, they scatter peacefully over the pasture grounds and feed at their leisure.  
Salt is so necessary to the easy and profitable handling of sheep on the

similar mineral spring on Elk river, in West Virginia, were famous for the herds of deer, buffalo and elk which frequented them. The adjacent ground was so deeply tramped that the marks were to be seen many years after the places ceased to be visited by these animals.

### CHICO CHIRPS.

Chico April 10—Charlie Clarke was thrown from his horse and badly hurt last week.  
Rev. Edmand made a trip to town Friday.  
Mrs. S. T. Tippet was calling at Mrs. Jane Daugherty's Saturday.  
Mrs. Glidden, Miss Glidden, and Peter McPherson were calling on Mrs. Clarke, and spent the evening playing "500".  
Miss Ollie Daugherty has been staying with her grandmother for the past two weeks.  
E. Hinton has brought his family out from the river. They will remain all summer.  
The Chico school house is completed and school will commence Monday if the teacher arrives in time.  
Farmers are plowing.

### Ditch Company Officers.

The stockholders of the Big Bend Water Ditch company, at a recent meeting, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, G. C. Schuler; secretary and treasurer, Dr. Peley; directors, W. H. Robbins, G. C. Schuler and Dr. Peley.

### Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wallowa County.  
Eunna J. Churchill, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Sancy J. Lapham, Grace P. Churchill, Roy L. Churchill, Nora M. Churchill, and R. P. Lapham, Guardian, Defendants.  
To Roy L. Churchill, the above named defendant:  
You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and court, on or before six weeks after the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff for want thereof, will take a decree against you for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit:—For a sale in partition of the following real estate: The S $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 32 in Twp. 8 N. of Rng. 45 E. W. M., in said county, and that the proceeds be divided among the parties to this suit according to their respective shares and interests, for the appointment of a referee to make the sale, and for such further relief as the court may deem just.  
This summons is published in The News Record, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published weekly at Enterprise, Wallowa County, Oregon, for a period of six consecutive weeks, the first publication thereof is the 2nd day of April, 1908, by order of the Hon. T. H. Crawford, Judge of the above entitled Court, made and dated the 1st day of April, 1908.  
O. M. CONKINS, Attorney for Plaintiff.  
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### Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Wallowa County.  
Grace Blackinton, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Albert T. Blackinton, Defendant.  
To Albert T. Blackinton, the above named Defendant:  
In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and court, on or before the expiration of six weeks from and after the date of the first publication of this summons, which date of first publication is April 9th, 1908, and if you fail to so appear and answer within said time, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the said court for the relief prayed for in her said complaint, to-wit: For a dissolution of the marriage contract now and heretofore existing between the plaintiff and the defendant.  
You will take notice that this summons is served upon you by publication thereof in the News Record for the full period of six consecutive weeks, commencing with the issue of April 9, 1908, pursuant to the order of Honorable O. M. Corkins, county judge of Wallowa county, Oregon, which order was made, dated and entered on the 8th day of April, 1908.  
BURLEIGH & BOYD,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.  
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### Real Estate Transfers

Week Ending March 28, 1908—Prepared By Wallowa Law, Land & Abstract Co.  
SERAINS to Edward Lindburg, ne nw, sec 36 and nw ne, sec 36, 4 n, r 44. \$1.00.  
Cordelia Ehnman to Taylor Bishop, e of e, sec 36, 4 n, r 44. \$1.00.  
J. M. Blakely, sheriff to Serepta Weaver, lots 7 and 8, blk 9, Wagner's Add. to Enterprise. \$3.63.  
H. H. N. Snow to Margaret E King, se of se 18, 4 n, r 43. \$10.  
F. I. Vergere to J. F. Vergere, lot 11, blk 13, town of Enterprise. \$1.00 etc.  
M. C. Wolverson to A. C. Miller, e sw, sec 5 and e nw, sec 8, 1 n, r 44. \$1.  
U. S. Pat to C. K. Walker, w nw, and n sw, sec 13, 3 n, r 42.  
U. S. Pat to R. F. Stubblefield, lots 1 and 2 and the s ne, sec 1, 2 n, r 47.  
U. S. Pat to Louisa E. Scott, s se of sec 33, and w sw, sec 34, 2 s, r 46.  
U. S. Pat. to James M. Crumley, w se ne and se sw, sec 17, 2 n, r 48.  
James Brown to The George Palmer

Lumber Co. e se, sec 15, and w sw, sec 14, 3 n, r 41. \$1.  
U. S. Pat. to James M. Crumley, e ne, sec 17, 2 n, r 48.  
U. S. Pat to Edward J. Garner, s ne, n sw, sec 1, 1 n, r 41.  
State of Oregon to J. S. Cook, e half of e half, sw se, sw, w half sw and nw of sec 36, t 3 n, r 44 e. \$600.  
A. E. Watson to Alice E. Caldwell, n half sw and w half se, sec 10, t 2 s, r 45, also s half sw, sec 10, and n half nw, sec 15, t 2 s, r 45 e. \$100.  
U. S. R. R. to Nina A. Fallman, e half nw and e half sw, sec 18, t 5 n, r 43.  
U. S. R. R. to W. L. Witherell, nw ne, sec 17, t 2 n, r 44 e.  
Margaret E. King to Margaret A. V. Lawe, se sec 16, t 4 n, r 43. \$10.  
J. H. Haun to S. V. Cray, bond for deed, lot 2, blk A, Lostine, Ore. \$2500.  
U. S. Pat to Peder Moe, w half se, sec 14, and w half ne, sec 23, t 4 n, r 43.  
Wallowa National bank to Tommie Elsie Marks, bond for deed, a tract of land beginning at the corner blk 10, amended Bank add to Enterprise. \$250.  
J. D. Abel to Katie L. Gilmore, lots 1, 2 and 3 in blk E, Flora, Ore. \$225.  
J. S. Cook to C. M. Lockwood, blk 34 in Zureber's add to Enterprise. \$3000.  
O. M. Corkins to Kate McElroy, tract of land in Wallowa beginning at sec cor blk 7, Residence Add. \$500.  
J. H. Haun to S. V. Cray, one acre in s half se, sec 10, t 1 s, r 43. \$125.  
U. S. Pat to Peder Moe, e half of sec 8, and w half sw, sec 9, t 5 n, r 44.  
U. S. Pat to Thomas M. Gilmore, sw sw, sec 4, w half se, sec 9, and ne ne, sec 8, t 5 n, r 44.  
U. S. Pat to Jessie S. Cook, se, sec 22, t 3 s, r 46.  
U. S. Pat to Agnes J. Cook, w half nw, sec 23, and sw sw, sec 14, t 2 n, r 46.  
U. S. Pat to Marj Etna Dobbin, s half ne and n half se, sec 23, t 2 n, r 45.  
U. S. Pat to Charles S. Rathbun, sw ne and w half se, sec 1, and nw ne, sec 12, t 1 n, r 41 e.

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