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ENTERPRISE, WALLOWA COUNTY, OREGON, SATURDAY, JULY 16, 1910.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER

Wants

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WANTED.

Firstclass cook and dining room girl. W. A. Moss, Enterprise, Oregon. 22

Helped Out the Gunner.

Gadebusch, in the grand duchy of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, in celebration of the birth of a grand ducal heir decided to fire the regulation salute of 101 guns. An ancient cannon was hauled out for the purpose, and the firing began. Unfortunately the powder ran short after the ninety-third shot, and there was no means of obtaining any more in the town. The burgo-master was in despair, especially as ninety-three shots indicated that the grand ducal baby was a girl. At this moment the municipal bandmaster came forward with a luminous proposal, which was eagerly accepted. He dispatched his big drum major to the market place, where he struck eight powerful strokes on his instrument to make up the 101 shots, and thus the situation was saved.—London Standard.

Malayan Tree Dwellers.

The Sakals or tree dwellers, of the Malay peninsula build their houses in forked trees a dozen feet above ground and reach them by means of bamboo ladders, which they draw up when safely housed out of harm's way. The house itself is a rude kind of shack made of bamboo, and the flooring is lashed together piece by piece and bound securely to the tree limbs by rattan. These curious people are rather small and lighter in complexion than the Malays, though much uglier. They have no form of religion at all—not even idols—no written language and speak a corrupt form of Malay.

Hunting.

"Do you enjoy hunting?" "No." "Perhaps you have never had favorable opportunities for enjoying the sport. What have you hunted mostly?" "Before I was married I generally hunted for a boarding place. Since then most of my hunting has been for flats."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Putting It Gently.

Mr. Henpeck—I hear that young Jones and his wife are not getting along very well. Mrs. Henpeck (authoritatively)—Jones should never have married when he did. He was too young to realize the step he was taking. Mr. Henpeck—Yes, I know. But I like the boy. We have many things in common.

There is Hope.

Spellbinder (on the stump)—Gentlemen, in all my career I have never been approached with a bribe! Voice From the Rear—Cheer up, old man! Your luck may change.—Brooklyn Life.

OUR LITERARY CLUB.



We always like to meet with Mrs. Brown. She has the coziest home there is in town, a "Homey" kind of home, you know, a place where you can sit and sort of rest your face. I know of houses gewgawed so with style, that when you enter you put on a smile—A sort of social shine, as you might say, so that you'll harmonize and be so fit. But oh, how dreadful tired I should get if I should train forever with that set. No, give me Mrs. Brown—whose happy guest Can just lounge down and rest, and rest, and rest. Her rooms are low and broad, and quiet green— That restful green, and all the pictures lean At comfortable angles, and you chat in low and cozy tones—and there's a cat, Of course a cat, that yawns there in the sun A picture of content, like everyone. Then Mrs. Brown brings out her dainty set Of tea things, and we know that we shall get The very nicest, dearest cup of tea— 'Tis CHASE & SANBORN'S brand, you know, and we Have all of us been using it 'round town, It's always safe to copy Mrs. Brown.

GRAND JURY'S FINAL REPORT

FIFTY TRUE BILLS FOUND AND COURT IS BUSY WITH THE GRIND.

The grand jury's final report has been returned and the circuit court is busy with "grinding out the grist." Fifty true bills were found by the jury, the report as returned to the court being as follows: "To the Honorable J. W. Knowles, Circuit Judge for Wallowa county, state of Oregon: "We, the grand jury for adjourned term held in July, 1910, beg leave to submit the following report of our doings as such: 1. "We have been in session three days and returned into court 50 true bills of indictment, and no not true bills of indictment. 2. "We have carefully inquired into all matters brought to our attention, and have no report to make upon any matters investigated, further than we did not find sufficient to indict. 3. "In compliance with instructions we have visited all the county offices in the court house, and find them cleanly and neatly kept, and are unable to report upon the condition of the public records or any further management of any office. 4. "We appreciate the kindness and consideration of your Honor, and the constant assistance of the District Attorney and his deputy, and the faithful service of our bailiff, and would ask to be allowed to adjourn subject to the call of your Honor.

Troy District Needs Rain

Corn, However, Looking Fine—Other General News Notes of Interest. Troy, July 9.—There was a large attendance at the celebration at Troy, July 4 and 5, and everyone had a good time. Among those from a distance who attended were Hon. and Mrs. J. P. Rusk of Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. John Crossland of Enterprise.

DOLL PARTY IN HONOR OF MISS EISELE BRICHOUX

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White delightfully entertained in honor of their niece, Miss Eisele Brichoux of La Grande, Thursday afternoon. The children were dressed in matronly costumes and had their hair done high like big ladies. The guest of

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Christian church: Bible school at 9:45 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Topic, "The Feet and Christian Walking." Lord's Day morning service at 11 a. m. Union service at the M. E. church in the evening. We heartily welcome all. Gifford Ernest, minister.

"NEAR" FIRE IN ALLEY CAUSES TIMELY ATTENTION

Wednesday noon, between 12 and 1 o'clock, rubbish and boxes in some manner caught fire in the alley between the Jackson and Weaver drug stores and the warehouse of W. P. Sanna. For a time the flames threatened the warehouse and before being extinguished scorched the siding considerably. A very timely play of water on the fire, however, soon extinguished the flames before any serious damage was done.

CORVALLIS STUDENTS MEET AT HEAD OF THE LAKE

A number of students who formerly attended the O. A. C. at Corvallis, spent an outing at the head of the lake, this week, beginning Thursday evening. Those who left from Enterprise Thursday for Joseph were: Mrs. S. L. Burnaugh, Misses Jennie and Cora Berland, Eisele Bater and Audrey Combes.

Natural Gas Discovered.

ROSEBURG.—While drilling for coal in Flournoy Valley, about twelve miles from this city, the Douglas Development Company lately discovered what is supposed to be an unlimited supply of gas. A four-foot vein of coal was also found during the course of the drilling, which has been going on for more than two months.

LAUNCH "CHIEF JOSEPH" BURNS

BOAT BELONGING TO WALLOWA LAKE AMUSEMENT COMPANY IS TOTAL LOSS.

The launch "Chief Joseph," the larger of the two boats on Wallowa lake, operated by the Wallowa Lake Amusement company, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday night last. The company carried no insurance on the craft, it is understood, and the loss is a dead one of \$1600. The Amusement company in suffering such a total loss at the very outset of their enterprise have enough to discourage them, but it is hoped by every resident of the county that they will not permit discouragement to interfere with their many plans for making the lake the most popular summer resort in the whole northwest. Moreover the members of the company have the assurance of the sympathy and best wishes of the whole county. Men who put their money into an enterprise that means the advertisement of and the welfare of a whole county, and do so when they know there can be no adequate returns for two or three years, are assuredly entitled to the warmest well wishes of the people of that county. And in this beginning as in all others the old German proverb is pertinent, that "all beginnings are difficult."

SALE ON FOR NEW TOWN SITE.

The plat of survey for the new town site of Evans, situate adjoining the depot grounds at Lostine, has been accepted by the County officials and the sale of lots is now on. If you wish to get in on the ground floor, now is your opportunity. Phone or write Couch & McDonald at Wallowa, Oregon, as they have the handling of the entire tract. Prices reasonable and graded according to distance from depot. 2222 COUCH & McDONALD.

Official Proceedings Of County Court

First Judicial Day. Wednesday, July 6, 1910. Be it remembered that at a regular term of the county court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wallowa, begun and held at the court house in the city of Enterprise, in said county and state, on Wednesday, the 6th day of July A. D. 1910, the same being the first Wednesday in said month and the time fixed by law for holding a regular term of said court, when were present: Hon. J. B. Olmsted, county judge; Sam Litch, county commissioner; W. G. Locke, county commissioner; W. C. Boatman, clerk; Edgar Marvin, sheriff. The following proceedings were had to-wit: In the matter of the proposed road petitioned for by E. H. Tulley and others: Now at this time the viewers' report on the E. H. Tulley road comes regularly on to be heard, and after being read for the first time, the same is continued for a second reading. In the matter of the proposed road petitioned for by John Anthony and others: Now, at this time the viewers' report on the John Anthony road comes regularly on to be heard, and after being read for the first time, the same is continued for a second reading. In the matter of the examining of Road Supervisors' Reports: Now, at this time the Court proceeds to examine all Road Supervisors' Reports on file with the Clerk. Whereupon Court adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Second Judicial Day. Thursday, July 7, 1910. In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wal-

SUMMER NORMAL ENROLLMENT

TEACHERS OF COUNTY TAKE ADVANTAGE OF EDUCATIONAL WORK.

The attendance upon the summer normal being held here is good and increasing from day to day. The work is appreciated by the teachers of the county who attend, and the work thus performed by Superintendent Conley and assistants in increasing the teaching efficiency of Wallowa county is invaluable and meeting with the success it deserves. The following teachers have been enrolled thus far: Cecil C. Gormley, Powwaska. Mrs. Mary S. Franklin, Enterprise. Claude Cole, Flora. Emma Roup, Joseph. Katherine Galbraith, Joseph. Mrs. Fannie Roberts, Enterprise. Mabel Wilson, Enterprise. Matilda Hagen, Wallowa. Anna Fine, Enterprise. Dollie Southwick, Promise. Mildred Hamilton, Innaha. Emma Hartkopf, Enterprise. T. M. Roup, Utopia. Emma Weaver, Enterprise. Mary Broughton, Paradise. Mamie Nelson, Wallowa. Greta Harmon, Wallowa. Geo. W. Padcock, Flora. Edna Holmes, Flora. Nettie Brock, Flora.

PLEASANT RECEPTION IN HONOR OF MISS PROCTOR

Tuesday evening last at their residence in Enterprise, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hug gave a reception in honor of Miss Alice Proctor of Elgin, Mrs. Hug's sister, who is visiting in Enterprise. The evening was a most enjoyable one and dainty refreshments were served. Those present were as follows: Herbert Browning, Jake Bauer, Arthur Pace, Walter Sheets, Dr. Ketchum, C. G. Billeu and Fred Savage; Misses Audrey Combes, Lucile Corkins, Jennie Berland, Cora Berland, Joyce Craig, and Mrs. W. C. Ketchum and her mother, Mrs. Mayer.

NOTICE

On last Sunday the Christian Sunday school of Enterprise, Ore., went on record to work and vote for temperance and "dry Oregon." G. M. and Harvey Hendrickson, both of Paradise, brought in a load of hogs Wednesday, returning on Thursday.

Enterprise, Ore., July 14, 1910.

Policy Holders of New York Life Insurance Company.

Governor Hughes, of New York, has just signed a bill giving the New York Life the privilege of writing \$165,000,000.00 new business this year. No other company in the West has been able to procure the limit, \$150,000,000.00. I know the New York Life policy holders will be proud to know that they are members of the greatest financial ship afloat in the entire world and that they draw in cash if desired their portion of the earnings of the institution. Darwin P. Kingsley, president of the New York Life, is a Westerner and the acknowledged leader of the insurance world. JACOB I. McKNELLY, Special Representative. P. S. New York Life has just negotiated a \$250,000.00 in Portland for five years—which is more than gross premiums received from Oregon policy holders of the company for the year ending Dec. 31, 1909. Do not experiment when you want insurance but take it in a company that has achieved permanent solidity, the NEW YORK LIFE.

WALLOWA NATIONAL BANK

OF ENTERPRISE, OREGON. CAPITAL \$50,000 SURPLUS \$55,000. We Do a General Banking Business. Exchange Bought and Sold on All Principal Cities. Geo. W. Hyatt, President. W. R. Holmes, Cashier. Geo. S. Craig, Vice President. A. J. Boehmer, Asst. Cashier. DIRECTORS: GEO. S. CRAIG, J. H. DOBBIN, GEO. W. HYATT, MATTIE A. HOLMES, W. R. HOLMES.

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Advertisement for Chase & Sanborn's Coffee and Tea, featuring an illustration of a woman and child, and the text 'To feel good All day long' and 'W. J. FUNK & CO. ENTERPRISE, OREGON'.

Advertisement for Wallowa National Bank, detailing capital, surplus, and services, including 'We Do a General Banking Business' and listing directors.

Real estate advertisement listing various plots of land for sale, including '293 acres Alder Slope, \$23,000.00' and 'City Lots, \$100 to \$300', with contact information for W. E. Taggart.