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## VICTIMS OF HEPNER FLOOD

Hundred and Fifteen Already Interred—It is Expected Many Will be Found in the Debris.

Jone, Ore., June 16.—Ellis Conner, a stock raiser of Jone, returned from Heppner at 2 o'clock this morning. He left the scene of the disaster at 6 o'clock and brings the latest news from the scene.

"It is now known," said Mr. Conner, "that at least 275 or 300 people were drowned, 115 corpses have been hastily buried in wooden boxes and some were merely wrapped in blankets. There were still several wagon loads of dead on their way to the cemetery when I left. Heppner itself has now been pretty well searched except in piles of debris, where it is thought great numbers of bodies will be found.

"Between Jone and Heppner," said Mr. Conner, "there are great piles of debris, but the flood passed so quickly that the roads have not been seriously damaged. The railroad track, however, from Lexington is badly torn up. It looks strange to see the heavy steel rails bent and twisted like corkscrews and the heavy timbers splintered like matchwood. In Heppner itself the flood swept a clean path a mile long and one or two blocks wide through the town, following generally the course of Willow creek."

## LIST OF THE DEAD.

Jone, Ore., June 16.—A list of the dead or missing, as near as could be ascertained last night is as follows:

James Matlock.  
Mrs. Tom Matlock.  
J. S. Hockel and two children.  
Son of Wm. Ayers.  
W. W. Allen, wife and daughter.  
Mandy Jones.  
Mrs. James Jones.  
A. C. Geiger.  
Percy Dawson, baby and two boys.  
Mrs. Nora Floren.  
Mrs. Ada Curtis and baby.  
Blanche Redfield.  
—Kernan.  
Vashita Andrews.  
Pearl Jones and family.  
James Willis.  
Fred Krug, wife and four children.  
Mr. & Mrs. Dawson and four children.  
Stoller family.  
Tom Howard, wife and three children.  
McBride family of six.  
Herriman, wife and father of Long Creek.  
Lijest and child.  
Abs Wells and wife.  
Mrs. Ashbaugh and six children.  
Dr. McSwain.  
Christman.  
George Thornton, wife and child.  
Mrs. Kethley and grandson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gunn.  
Mrs. Padberg.  
Maude Leffer and mother.  
Grover Wright.  
Mr. and Mrs. Long and five children.  
Ora Roberts.  
Maude Kethley.  
Mrs. Robert Hynd and two children.  
Fred Oxley.  
Alice Boyles.  
Wilber Beard and family.  
Florence French.  
Zedda McDonald.  
Nellie Howard.  
Fred Willis.  
Ed Reed, wife and baby.  
Percy Looney.  
Mrs. Henry.  
R. O. Hart and wife.  
Jenkins family.  
Charles McClary's child of Pendleton.  
Mrs. Bates and daughter.  
Eunice Briggs.  
Mrs. Clyde Wells.  
Andrew Petersen of Hillsboro.  
—Kelley.  
Small boy.  
J. J. Harris.  
Mrs. Woodward.  
Mrs. N. Davis.  
Mrs. Elizabeth Willis and daughter.  
Mrs. Adams.  
Family of George S. Waggert.  
D. James, wife and daughter.  
J. L. Myers.  
J. W. Ayers.  
Mrs. Beach Hynd.  
Hazel Hynd.  
Mrs. Guy Boyd.  
Fisher, of Spray.  
Mrs. C. L. Andrews and four children.  
Dr. K. F. Vaughan and wife.  
Mrs. C. A. Rhea.  
Mrs. Lloyd Estes.  
Mrs. Wm. Meyers, Jr., and four children.  
Mrs. Abrahamson and daughter.  
Mrs. J. Woodward.  
Hanks and wife.  
John Steer of Portland.  
W. A. Peterson.  
J. M. Cooley.  
Assessor W. L. Daling and wife.  
Mrs. Church.  
B. Gentry.  
Three Japanese.  
Seven Chinese.  
Mrs. Gueridan.  
George Kentyale and wife.  
Mrs. O. G. Boyd, three children.  
A. S. Weil.  
Harry Wells.  
George Wells.  
Mrs. Clyde Wells.  
Mrs. Curtis and child.  
Mrs. Nora Adkins.  
Baby of J. K. Carred.  
Mrs. Dave Hamilton and two daughters.  
Harry Hadley and wife.  
Mother and child.  
Bertha Frislow.  
Mrs. Lambe.  
James Willis and two children.  
William Dawson and wife.  
In addition to the foregoing are 20 babies and strangers that were not identified.

## THREE FLOOD SURVIVORS.

Pendleton, Ore., June 16.—Three men who survived the flood at Heppner arrived in the city last night. They are Dr. R. Ball, J. J. Kelley and A. P. Bradbury. They left the flooded city at noon yesterday after having witnessed the destruction of the town and assisted in the rescue.

"The storm was something fearful. It could be easily seen from the city and the people were gathered in their yards and on their porches to witness the display in the heavens. The rain was not falling in Heppner, but could be seen some distance away. Sharp and vivid flashes of lightning were accompanied by howling thunder. Then suddenly the thunderstorm died away and left an ominous silence. The noise subsided. Then a low rumbling noise was heard, very faint at first but growing louder. The city is situated on Willow creek which makes a sharp curve above the city. As the people became frantic, but in a moment the van of the flood burst in view around the curve of the creek, carrying in its crest the

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"A prominent physician whom I consulted told me the muscles of the digestive organs were partially paralyzed and could not perform their work without help of some kind, so I have tried at different times about every laxative and cathartic known but found no help that was at all permanent. I had finally become discouraged and had given my case up as hopeless when I began to use the pre-digested food Grape-Nuts."

"Although I had not expected this food to help my trouble, it did. I began to eat Grape-Nuts immediately from the first and in a few days I was convinced that this was just what my system needed."

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## MR. DAVELER'S PHILOSOPHY

Resolution by Davis Reported Unfavorably—President Young's Picture for Irrigation Convention.

The only matter which caused trouble at the city council meeting last night was the resolution offered by Councilman Fernstrom, requesting the Herald to retract certain statements contained in the report of the council proceedings of last Monday, wherein it is claimed that Councilman Fernstrom was misquoted, resulting in editorial comment upon the part of that paper unfavorable to the councilman from the Third precinct.

The resolution follows:

"Whereas, The Herald has published a report purporting to be the minutes of the proceedings of the last council meeting, wherein they state that remarks made by a member of the council to this effect: 'Councilman Fernstrom opposed the resolution on the ground that it was a scheme on the part of the non-Mormons to throw odium and suspicion upon Mormon city officials,' and whereas said statement is an absolute falsehood, that no member of the council made any remarks or expressions that could be construed as such;

and Whereas, The said paper, on the strength of these falsehoods, in an editorial, proceeded to abuse and scandalize the members of the council;

Be it resolved, That the management of the Salt Lake Herald be requested to retract and apologize for its untrue and false statements, and that unless a satisfactory retraction is made that the councilmen of the city be authorized to withdraw from the Salt Lake Herald."

The matter discussed.

Fernstrom moved that the resolution be adopted, and in support of his motion, said that the statement in the Herald was false and scandalous, and was not only an insult to himself but was a slap in the face to the entire council. He said that the Herald wanted to introduce a resolution in the council making charges against a certain man, which he refused to do, and that the threat was then made by the management of the paper that they would get even with him.

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City Attorney Nye reported that the city's title to the new isolation hospital site is clear and unencumbered. He stated that the land and water commissioner had informed him that he had made a mistake in calling the council's attention to the fact that the title was clouded by certain tax sales, as it is so clouded and not the north half upon which the hospital will be located.

The city attorney also submitted four copies of the contract with A. L. Hamlin for the construction of the hospital. The contracts were approved by the council.

COTTELL REIMBURSED.

City Auditor Reiser presented the bill of President Cottrell for \$10 for filing the quo warranto proceedings in the court and for the duty of collecting the same. The amount was ordered placed upon the appropriation list without any comment whatever.

MUST SHOW CAUSE.

Adding Chief of Police Burdick notified the council that on last Sunday Charles Cushing, bartender at the Court saloon on the corner of Fourth and State streets, had been arrested for violating the Sunday liquor ordinance and had been fined \$50. The chief recommended that steps be taken to revoke the license of the proprietors of the saloon. Upon motion of Robinson the council and committee meeting were adjourned until Monday night and show cause why their license should not be revoked.

MORAN GETS CONTRACT.

The report of the committee on finance, police and prison and fire department, recommending that the contract for the heating plant for the new city jail and police and fire headquarters be awarded to B. J. Moran, was adopted after receiving the signatures of President Cottrell and Councilman Eardley, who opposed awarding the contract to Moran when the matter was referred to the committee.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Thomas introduced a resolution authorizing the passage of an ordinance making it obligatory upon all appointive officers of the city to attend the council and committee meetings. The resolution was amended so as not to include the chief of the fire department and chief of police and was passed.

The committee on claims was referred the claim of T. E. Bird for \$210 as damages for injuries to his horse by falling through a defective bridge over a ditch on the corner of Fifth South and Ninth East streets on April 7, 1903. City Auditor Reiser submitted the department payrolls for the first half of June, amounting to \$9,