

The Week's News

Local and Personal Happenings
in and About the City.

Just notice the windows at The Shoe Store.

Alfred Wright went to Portland, Thursday.

Attorney T. H. Robinson, of Ione, was in the city yesterday.

J. A. Woolery, of Ione, was a Heppner visitor yesterday.

Ladies, ask for the Himalaya shoe lace—at The Shoe Store.

Emil Scharf, of Monument, was registered at the Palace, Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearl Turner lost two children of diphtheria about a week ago.

John Kinsman shipped three carloads of cattle last week to Troutdale.

A number of Heppner sportsmen went to Arlington today to shoot geese.

Carr & Cox have moved Walter Crosby and Smith Burch's houses on higher ground.

John Parkins and wife were in the city the first of the week transacting business.

Mrs. Jas. Morgan and two children are ill with diphtheria at the home of Thos. Morgan.

Newt Whetstone has moved to the ranch he recently purchased from the Elder estate.

Albert Osmun purchased from E. A. Brundage between 400 and 500 acres of land on Balm Fork.

There will be no preaching services in the Baptist church next Sunday.—J. W. Mount, Pastor.

Foster Adams is erecting a cottage in Portland and expects to locate there permanently about the 20th.

Miss Cassie Thorburn will arrive Saturday from The Dalles for a two weeks' visit to Miss Kate Quaid.

See Minor & Co.'s display of Dress Goods in their south window this week. For Shirt waist and Jacket suits they can't be beaten.

Services at the Episcopal church both morning and evening, at the usual hour. Sunday School at the usual hour. John Warren, Missionary.

Mrs. Eva Rhea, daughter of J. P. Rhea, was married last week at her home in Ione to F. H. Hoenell, a business man of Portland.

A public subscription was raised for Mrs. James Brown, who was recently injured in a runaway. She returned home today.

B. K. Davis, a rising young attorney, of Pendleton, attended the inquest in the capacity of a stenographic reporter in the interest of the state.

District Attorney G. W. Phelps returned Tuesday from Granite, Oregon, where he had been on official business connected with his office.

H. L. Burchell's brother-in-law and nephew have arrived from Kankakee, Ill., and have purchased farms near Lexington, where they will make their future home.

Twenty Per Cent Discount on all Table Linens, Napkins and Towels this week at Minor & Co.'s. Account Thanksgiving all their finest linens included.

Miss Ethel Walbridge has resigned her position in the Ione high school on account of poor health. She has been a very successful instructor for the past three years.

We have just received a fine line of the Rochester Stamping Co.'s Plated Silverware such as Chafing Dishes, Cake plates, Knives, Forks, Common and Berry spoons, Coffee and Tea pots and Fern dishes at reasonable prices and every piece guaranteed. We have also a fine line of Cranberries, Sweet Potatoes, Figs, Layer and Common Raisins and others, Orange, Lemon and Citron Peel. In fact everything for the Thanksgiving table.—Minor & Co.

Special Prices
on
**Ladies' Coats
and Jackets**

The Fair
THE PLACE TO SAVE MONEY

Special Price
on
**Ladies' Shirt
Waists**

Extraordinary Price Reductions and Reasons for Same

By December 1st, or shortly afterward, we will open up by far the largest line of Christmas goods we ever brought to the city, or for that matter ever shown here. To do this we must have every inch of display and counter room in our store. Therefore we must empty them. For this reason at this early date we are offering you an unexcelled opportunity to buy your winter garments at wonderfully low prices.

Coats and Jackets

Regular \$15, 15.75 and 16.50 Jackets
12.50
Regular \$14.75 Tourist Coats
11.75
Regular \$12.75 Tourist Coats
10.00
Regular \$12.00 Coats
9.50
Regular \$11.50 Coats
8.75
Regular \$10.00 Coats
8.00

Shirt Waists

Regular \$5.00 Sicilian
4.35
Regular \$3 Sicilian
2.65
Regular \$3.00 Cassimere
2.65
Regular \$2.50 Flannel
2.15
Regular \$1.75 Flannelette
1.35
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FRANK NATTER KILLED.

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when the recorder asked Natter if he wanted to sign the complaint. Natter then struck Creswell in the face. As Creswell fell I started to support him when Natter says to me: "Stand back, or I'll kill you." I kept walking around trying to ward off the gun. Previous to this Matlock came in. While I was engaged with Natter, Richardson grabbed Matlock. The shooting came from the right and in front. I saw Natter fall. The next time I saw Creswell after he had fallen he was standing at one side of the door and Matlock on the other. Richardson was standing in the door. I didn't see Creswell get up. Couldn't see who fired the first shot. The shooting was so fast and so close I was blinded by the shots and couldn't tell who fired them. Witness identified the gun he took from Creswell, also another one Creswell did the shooting with, a pearl handled revolver with short barrel. This he took from Creswell's house the next day.

Walter Richardson: "I was in my office when Natter came in. He said to Creswell, 'Why did you hit me, Press?' 'Because you hit me first,' was the reply, 'and I don't allow no big athletic man to hit me without using some weapon.' There was some talk about letting the matter drop and being friends and I started to read the complaint, when I heard a noise back of me like a blow. I turned and saw Creswell on the floor, and Natter standing with a gun in his hand. Matlock jumped between me and Natter. Then I grabbed Matlock and began wrestling with him, I trying to get a gun that was in the safe. When we got to the middle of the floor I noticed Natter's gun was pointed at us. I said: 'For God's sake point that gun the other way.' A moment later Natter's gun was pointed at Creswell, when I yelled, 'Don't shoot that

man." At the same time Matlock shouted: "No, don't shoot him." I faced the safe and could see Creswell coming around and as he raised Matlock got away. The shooting then suddenly started and I went away. Who fired the first shot I don't know. No cartridges were exploded in Natter's gun. After the shooting I went back Creswell stood at the right, Matlock at the left of the door. I grabbed Matlock and ran around behind him to take his gun, when he turned to Press and said: "Well, I guess they have got me, boys." Matlock then stepped back and went out. Creswell also went out. I saw Natter lying in the corner and went over and felt his pulse. It had stopped. Natter was dead." Replying to questions, witness said Matlock came in a few minutes later than Natter, and that Natter had a right to be there.

W. E. Logan testified that Natter tried to get a gun from the bartender at the Palace hotel and failed. At that time one side of his head was bloody which the bartender washed off. Later he was standing in front of recorder's office and saw a man with white hat and smooth face, holding the marshal off with a gun. Heard shooting and left.

Walter Robinson saw Creswell in charge of the marshal go to recorder's office. Heard the questions between the two men as previously stated, and a proposition from one of them—"Let's be friends." While Richardson was busy with the papers saw Natter strike Creswell with gun. Saw Creswell fall. The shooting occurred a moment after, so rapid witness couldn't count the shots.

Geo. Conser testified that he helped lay out the body of Natter on the table and to wash and dress it. Found two bullet holes on his person and the scar of another.

J. P. Williams found a .38-caliber exploded bullet in deceased's vest pocket.

Dr. Hunlock testified that he assisted in the autopsy. The wound in the breast would not have produced death, but the wound in the head was sufficient to produce instant death.

The jury then retired and brought back a verdict that Frank Natter had come to his death from gunshot wounds inflicted by parties unknown.

The funeral was conducted yesterday under the auspices of Heppner Lodge No. 358 B. P. O. E. Every business house in the city was closed, and an immense throng of people were out to attend the last sad rites.

Sunday School Convention.

The Morrow County Sunday School Convention is to be held at Heppner, Nov. 25th and 26th. Evening sessions in Christian church and day sessions in the Baptist church.

FRIDAY EVENING

Devotional Service.....Rev. Chandler
"Our Text Book".....Rev. Beard
"The Organized S. S. Work".....

SATURDAY MORNING

Devotional Service.....C. A. Leffler
Business Session, election of officers,
"Sunday School Organization"
Round Table, led by Mrs. F. Warnock
"Methods of Teaching"

SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Devotional Service.....Rev. Coberly
"The Needs of the Rural S. S.".....
H. C. Gay, Mrs. T. L. Dorman, J. Gray
"The Relation of the Pastor to the S. S."
.....Revs. Crawford, Coberly, Mount
"How can we get and hold Young
People".....Ed Keller, Rev. Chandler,
Miss Ethel Reid

"The Summer S. S. Rally—How it may help the Work".....K. L. Beach
Mrs. E. D. Leach

SATURDAY EVENING

Devotional Service.....Rev. Adkins
"Christ, the Modern Teacher".....
.....Rev. Beach
"Our Aim in Teaching".....
.....Revs. Jones, Adkins, White

The news of both hemispheres—in The Weekly Oregonian.

Not A Sick Day Since.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50c, at Shuman Drug Co., Druggists.

Henry Dexter has given \$200,000 to the New York State Historical Society for buildings.

To The Gazette's Patrons.

The undersigned now has full control of the Gazette, having purchased the interest of Milton Harlan. I will endeavor to make a good newspaper and will always be working hard for the best interests of Heppner and Morrow county. FRED WARNOCK.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Fred Warnock and Milton Harlan under the firm name of Warnock & Harlan, has been dissolved, Mr. Harlan retiring. Fred Warnock will continue the business of the Heppner Gazette, paying outstanding bills and collecting all amounts.

FRED WARNOCK.

MILTON HARLAN.

Heppner, Or., Nov. 16, 1904.

For Sale.

Modern 8-room house, including pantry and bath; also barn, buggy shed, chicken house, wood shed, stone cellar 14x16, chicken park, corner lot, shade and small fruit trees. Four blocks from Postoffice. Terms reasonable. Inquire of Thos. Quaid.