



First Spring Excitement.

The first free open-air entertainment of the season was furnished a large number of Heppner citizens yesterday morning. One of Morrow county's prominent farmer citizens drove to town in his two-horse-mobile and hitched the team to an electric light pole in front of Thomson Bros. store. From some cause, unknown to deponent, it took fright, broke loose and hit the pike for home. It passed the Gazette office a moment later under a full head of steam, and about a hundred yards behind came Charley Thomson on the trail, determination depicted on every feature, and speeding like a full blooded race horse. The team kept the road until it passed the flouring mill, so did Charlie, but just before he overtook it, Fred Cramp stepped in front and stopped, thus spoiling Charlie's grand achievement, but not until he had proven himself the champion sprinter of the town.

Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accused Bucklen's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c at all druggists.

Splendid Address.

Dr. W. E. Vaughan came in on the delayed train Tuesday night, reaching the church a few minutes after 8 o'clock, and found a very good crowd awaiting his arrival. Some had gone away because of the late hour. He delivered a splendid address, taking as his subject—The Two Sons of Zebidies who asked the privilege of setting the one on the right and the other on the left in the Lord's Kingdom. He emphasized the importance of looking after the boys and showed up the tendency of this age.

Foly Kidney Pills are a reliable remedy for backache, rheumatism and urinary irregularities. They are tonic in action, quick in results and afford a prompt relief from all kidney disorders. For sale by all druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cochran, of Monument, visited their daughter, Mrs. F. W. Turner, this week.

After More Jerseys.

C. R. Pointer, of Lexington, departed for the Willamette valley, Tuesday morning, to purchase another carload of Jersey milk cows and heifers. He recently shipped up a carload and had no trouble whatever in disposing of them to the farmers in the Lexington neighborhood, and the most of the new shipment are already spoken for. Glad to see the interest the people are taking in this matter of introducing good milk stock, and the wisdom of this move will be seen before many months roll around.

Pleasant Party.

A very pleasant time was had at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Van Vactor on Saturday evening by a small party of young people. Miss Grace invited in a few of her girl friends to spend the evening with her and to make the occasion even more pleasant and enjoyable. Mrs. Van Vactor arranged to have a few boys present also, so the young folks altogether had a most enjoyable evening. Games were played, and cookies and coffee served as refreshments. There were present: Ruby Corrigan, Margaret Bradley, Marie Hager, Eva Herren, Janet Crawford; Ellis Minor, Ray Rogers, Sidney Hallock, Marshall Phelps, and Harold Cohn.

Back Again.

W. T. McNabb and family, who have been residing in Idaho, near the city of Nez Perce, have returned, with their stock and farming implements, to their old home at lone, and will again take up their abode in Morrow county. It has been three years since Wes left this county and he has convinced himself that our section is ahead of the locality where he has been. Farming in this county is much easier, and the final returns better and more satisfactory. It is a pleasure to note the return of such people to this section, and we hope that Mr. McNabb will be as successful here as he was in former years. After all, it is hard to stay away from Morrow county, and we shrl not be surprised to hear of many more doing as these people have done.

The Finish

of Minor & Co.'s big sale comes this week. All those desiring to save from 30 to 50 per cent. on first class merchandise are requested to hurry and buy their Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes before Saturday. The reduced prices will be withdrawn after February eleven. Why not do your trading this week and save big money instead of waiting? Buy your supplies now instead of paying regular prices later on.

Minor & Co. have an established reputation for square dealing, therefore you can depend with confidence on any statement made in their advertising, no exaggeration or inflated values, nothing but best goods at lowest prices is what has built up the biggest business enterprise in Morrow County.

Meeting a Success.

Those delegates who attended the tri-state meeting of the Farmers' Union at Walla Walla last week, have returned and pronounce the meeting a success. The attendance was not as large as expected, yet the representation was good from the states of Washington, Oregon and Idaho, and some things that the farmers have been working for were definitely settled, and good will come out of the deliberations of the convention. This meeting handled some big questions, and there were some warm discussions on different subjects, but it only cemented the fraternal spirit between the farmers belonging to the union, and will be the means of bringing about many things that the farmers are working for. The editor of this paper enjoyed the convention very much, and feels greatly repaid for the time spent in attending. The knowledge gained there will be of use to us in the future.

Married.

Cards are out announcing the marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Godfrey, St. Johns, Oregon, on Wednesday evening, Feby. 1, 1911, of Ruth Bernice Godfrey to Bertell Mason. The young couple will be at home to their friends at lone, Oregon, on and after Feby. the 25th.

A REAL BOOST FOR THE BOOSTERS

Publicity Committee Meets With Grand Success

Heppner Business Men and Citizens Subscribe Very Liberally—Over \$1100 is Result of Three Hours' Work. Morrow County's Resources to Be Thoroughly Exploited During Coming Season.

As a result of less than three hours work on Monday, the soliciting committee of the Morrow County Boost Club, consisting of Messrs. W. S. Wharton, Clyde Brock, and J. L. Wilkins, raised the splendid sum of \$1100 as Heppner's donation to the work of advertising the resources of Morrow County.

This committee was appointed some time ago, and the preliminary steps taken to get funds together, but the actual work of soliciting had not been taken up, and some were beginning to fear that the work had been forgotten and that the Boost Club had gone to its long sleep, and there were even those among us who had dug its grave many times, but the work of the committee and the prompt and liberal response that they met with, disproves such a theory, and adds strength and encouragement to the cause of putting Morrow County on the map.

Heppner is alright and so are her business men. The proposition of publicity funds is settled, and our advertising will go ahead without delay. The county is also responding, as we understand that at this time D. E. Gilman has raised something over \$400.00 in his field, and the towns of Lexington and lone are yet to be heard from.

The following is the list of the Heppner boosters, and if you have not joined the ranks its time for you to get on to the band wagon and toot your little horn for a BIGGER AND BETTER MORROW COUNTY:—

Bank of Heppner.....	\$ 50 00	W P Scrivner.....	5 00
First National.....	50 00	J W Cowins.....	5 00
Palace Hotel.....	50 00	W W Smead.....	10 00
D E Gilman.....	50 00	C E Woodson.....	20 00
W P Dutton.....	25 00	S E Notson.....	10 00
Morrow Whee Milling Co.....	50 00	J C Hayes.....	10 00
Gilliam & Bisbee.....	40 00	C C Patterson.....	7 50
Minor Bros.....	50 00	Nunamaker S & L Co.....	25 00
G C Millett.....	50 00	W O Hill.....	10 00
Minor & Co.....	50 00	F E Boyden.....	10 00
Vaughn & Sons.....	40 00	Geo J Carrin & Sons.....	40 00
Thomson Bros.....	35 00	John Bregman.....	5 00
Andrew Road.....	25 00	A E Patterson.....	10 00
Slocum Drug Co.....	20 00	J M Hayes.....	20 00
Sam Hughes.....	25 00	Hendrickson & Gurdane.....	5 00
Hiram Tash.....	5 00	Case & Dix.....	15 00
W W Stewart.....	20 00	Patterson & Son.....	10 00
Oscar Borg.....	15 00	H L & W Co.....	20 00
E G Noble.....	20 00	Star Hotel.....	10 00
E D Brown.....	10 00	R. M. Hart.....	5 00
Mike Healey.....	20 00	Heppner Gazette.....	10 00
Thos. Brennan.....	5 00	Otheo Crawford.....	10 00
N E Winnard.....	20 00	John Byland.....	5 00
M A Leach.....	5 00	J. B. Huddleston.....	5 00
A M Phelps.....	20 00	Heppner Times.....	10 00
P T Holcomb.....	5 00	A S Akers.....	20 00
J L Yeager.....	5 00	Theo Anderson.....	10 00

Life Trails

A large and appreciative audience greeted the Rev. W. L. Airheart last Friday evening to hear his lecture "Life Trails."

The lecture was well received by those present and Mr. Airheart proved conclusively that he had made no mistake in choice of subjects. His delivery was good and his subject was handled in a manner that showed his ability as a scholar and thinker.

In his pictures of the trails of life the contrasts were plainly drawn; the one leading down in the valley where there is darkness and gloom; the other along the hillside of sunshine and hope.

To those who view life seriously his lecture was more than interesting, and after hearing it we believe that very few of us would choose the lower way, but rather the way along the hillside where we can

have the sunshine of life as we travel.

It was easy to perceive that he had made a study of life and has a very broad and comprehensive view of the subject.

We have no hesitation in saying that if Mr. Airheart should decide to deliver his lecture at other points, his audiences will be given a treat that is worth much more than the admission fee.

By referring to the advertising columns, you will note that the big sale at Minor & Co. closes Saturday. This has been a genuine bargain sale, and all those who failed to take advantage of it certainly missed an opportunity to get bargains. The sale all the way through has been conducted on the plan of absolute fair dealing, and has been a success in every way. You should avail yourself of the closing sales days and be convinced that what we say is true.

HAS NO SUBSTITUTE

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

Application for Liquor License Cause of Lively Discussion.

City council met in regular session at the city hall on Monday evening, with Mayor Woodson and councilmen Minor, Humphreys, Aiken, Kirk, and Noble, present.

The application of Pete Eaton for a liquor license was the means of opening up a lively discussion. The license committee reported adversely on the petition, but the question being presented to the council, that body refused to sustain the report and proceeded to vote to grant the license.

The issue was raised, of course, upon the question of the right of the council at this time, under the provisions of ordinance No. 123, to grant any further licenses. The license committee being C. A. Minor, Humphreys, and Noble, the two former held the view that no further license could be granted. Mayor Woodson stated to the council, before a vote was taken, that he would not support the granting of further licenses under this ordinance, and that if it was the intention to do so he would refuse to sign a license thus granted; that before undertaking to do this the council should first annul the ordinance.

The council then proceeded to vote on the question of granting a license to the applicant, and the ayes and nays being called for, the vote was as follows: Ayes, Aiken, Noble, Kirk; nays, Minor, Humphreys.

Upon further discussion, however, the vote was reconsidered, and the matter of granting the license left as reported on by the license committee.

Bills allowed as follows:

H. A. Emerson, interest on bonds paid August and October, \$550.25; H. A. Emerson, principal and interest on bonds, \$1,058.33; interest on \$16,000 bonds, \$450; Bank of Heppner, exchange, \$5.60; W. E. Walbridge, labor, \$10.00; J. C. Hayes, care of prisoner, \$3.60; Heppner Gazette, printing, \$25; A. M. Slocum, lumber, \$7.30; D. V. S. Reid, surveying, \$2.50; Minor & Co., merchandise, \$10.50; J. A. McCraw, salary, \$75; J. P. Williams, salary, \$16.50; H. A. Emerson, salary, \$8.33; Wm. Ayers, labor, \$2; Light & Water Co., current, \$99.60.

Ordinance No. 125, repealing all ordinances now on the books of the city in conflict with ordinance No. 123, was presented and read third time and passed.

Ordinance No. 126, relating to construction and repairing of sidewalks, was introduced and read first time.



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