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HEPPNER, OREGON, THURSDAY, Feb. 23 1911

ANNUAL BALL

B. P. O. ELKS.

Brilliant Social Function At Club Hall.

Heppner society was in full bloom at the Club hall last night, the occasion being the annual Washington's birthday ball of Heppner Lodge No. 358 Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. The hall was tastefully decorated in purple and white, and a profusion of far boughs to brighten the colors home. Good music by an orchestra of six pieces aided in making the evening a success. Punch was served in one end of the hall, while in the front part of the room, J. L. Wilkins and a force of waiters served an excellent feed to the merry crowd. In all, the dance was a very successful affair, and those who were fortunate enough to be present, had a most enjoyable time.

Ione News Budget.

(Feb. 21, 1911, by Cumtux)

Albert Farnell has been quite sick with lagrippe.

Johnnie Brenner was to be married one day last week, so we heard.

Evangelist Meldrum preached at the Baptist church on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Bradstreet delivered an excellent address at church Sunday, 11 a. m.

Eben Andrews of Rhea creek, hauled into town a quantity of alfalfa hay last week.

Mrs. Joseph T. Knappenberg is recovering from an illness of a week's duration.

Fred Wilkins, with his family, departed last Saturday. He is to run his father's farm.

Robert Capon is in from Mr. Berry's ranch and will henceforth assist Mr. Rice on the dry.

Miss Edna Woolery and party of Portland friends are on a trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

Walter Ubanks stepped on a nail a few days ago, puncturing a foot, and the result is limping Walter.

J. O. Kincaid has been away for several weeks on business and is expected home on this evening's train.

In view of the fact that Dr. Chick is not quite as busy as usual, we infer that the health of Ione is improving.

W. H. Cronk, from Grass Valley, is installed at the lumber yard as manager. Ione welcomes him and his family.

Joseph Knappenberg has his men taking down an old warehouse in town, which he will use for building a shed on his ranch just below Ione.

Mrs. J. E. Reynolds, of Arlington, has been the guest of Mrs. F. H. Robinson, the past week. She departed for her home on this morning's train.

The ladies of the Christian faith have engaged Rev. A. M. Meldrum, of Athena, to hold protracted meetings here in the Baptist church. We anticipate success for him in this vicinity.

Sunday evening Rev. Meldrum and congregation called at the Congregational church, expecting to hear Rev. Bradstreet, but he had returned to Lexington, and the congregation kindly invited Mr. Meldrum to preach.

C. D. Lord, of Park River, North Dakota, left on the morning train. Mr. Lord is treasurer of the Oregon-Dakota Land Company. He thinks the prospects for Morrow county's future are excellent. He is a co-worker with J. E. Cronin in the interest of the country.

Bert Mason and wife arrived home at Ione on Saturday. Bert was married on the first of February at St. John, Oregon, to Miss Ruth B. Godfrey. Her father, Mr. Godfrey, was in business in Ione a few years ago. May health, happiness and prosperity be their lot. They are to reside in the J. P. Lody house.

Among the Ione literary society's attractions last evening was an instrumental duet by Misses Dorris Wilkes and Opal Cochran. The "tin can alley band" was also in evidence. The society is under obligations to the many Ione people for their assistance in the past in getting up attractive programs that were so well worth attending. The society has a special for the 25, an address by Evangelist A. Mackenzie Meldrum on the subject, "Explorers at Work Under Difficulties in the Coral Sea." This will include incidents about Cannibals and monsters of the deep.

A Big Laugh.

All those who attended the home-talent entertainment at the Christian church on last Friday evening certainly got what they had been promised. Prof. J. W. L. Kauffman, principal of Ione High School, was the main attraction, and his recitations and character sketches were simply killing. Of course, Heppner people expected a treat by the Professor, and they were not disappointed. Music by local talent filled in the program. The audience was good, and the receipts better, which is very encouraging to the people who had the matter in charge.

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MRS. MINNIE GIESE BAWKER.

The sad death of Mrs. Minnie Giese Bawker, wife of Albert B. Bawker occurred at their home in Hardman on last morning, after an illness of several weeks. Her death caused a gloom to settle on the entire community, as Mrs. Bawker was a woman of exceptionally fine character and much beloved by all the community. A very sad feature of this death is the leaving behind of two little children, one about two years old and the other an infant of a few weeks. These children are bereft at a very tender age, and can never know, perhaps, what a great loss they have sustained, and because of this the bereavement rests even more heavily upon the husband and father, who has the sincerest sympathy of the community. Funeral services were held at Hardman on Sunday, Rev. Walter L. Airheart, of Heppner, officiating. The remains were brought to Heppner Sunday afternoon and on to Mrs. Bawker's old home at Chapman, Nebraska, for interment.

Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Mo., 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.

Eight Mile Squibs.

L. E. Knighten and family attended the funeral services of Mrs. Bowker at Hardman, Sunday.

Mrs. C. L. Ashbaugh returned home Thursday from an extended visit with parents at Lost Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jones were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Jones last Saturday and Sunday.

The Morrow County Booster Club visited a few hours at the home of Mose Ashbaugh, on their return from Lone Rock. They report very good success from their work in the interior. They were accompanied by Mr. Thatcher, representing the O. W. R. & N. Co. No meeting was held at Eightmile Center owing to the bad weather.

Delegates were elected at our Local Farmers' union to attend the County Union meeting at Heppner, Feb. 23. Arrangements were also made to give a shadowgraph social at our next regular meeting March 4. The ladies will bring baskets, but instead of selling the baskets we will have the lady owning the basket to appear behind the curtain, and we will proceed to sell her shadow on the curtain to the highest bidder. A good program is being arranged and a splendid time is assured. Everybody welcome. The money derived from the entertainment will be used in building an addition to the front of our school house. E. M. C.

A King Who Left Home.

set the world to talking, but Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always KEEPS AT HOME the King of all laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they're a blessing to all his family. Cure constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25c at all druggists.

HARDMAN VISITED BY BOOSTERS

Heppner Business Men are Well Received-- Hold Good Meeting. Visit Lone Rock Also--Entire Trip a Thorough Success.

J. L. Wilkins, W. R. Irwin, S. W. Spencer, W. S. Wharton, Geo. Thomson, Vawter Crawford, Frank Gilliam, J. B. Huddleston, E. D. Brown, A. L. Ayers, and M. S. Maxwell, accompanied by Mr. G. W. F. Thatcher, was the delegation of Morrow County boosters that wended their way up to Hardman last Friday through wind, snow drifts and slush, on a mission of good-fellowship and to promote the get-together idea.

It was hoped that more of our citizens would go on this trip and aid in the plan of moving Morrow county to the front, but conditions seemed to work against them, and the few mentioned above were all who had the courage to face the threatening storm.

A meeting of the Hardman people was arranged for after the delegation arrived, and this was held at the I. O. O. F. hall in the evening, being quite well attended. Owing to stormy weather, a good many country people were prevented from attending, but the town folk turned out well. At the hall M. S. Maxwell was chosen to preside, and the meeting was addressed by Mr. Thatcher, Mr. Wharton and others, much enthusiasm being aroused along the lines of boosting Morrow county and its resources.

The meeting at Hardman was enjoyed by all, and a feeling of co-operation and mutual friendship was aroused as a result, many expressing the hope that other and more frequent gatherings of the same nature might be held in the future.

Some of the visitors were compelled to return home for Saturday, but J. L. Wilkins, J. B. Huddleston, Mr. Thatcher, and E. D. Brown took a trip to Lone Rock, going by way of Rood canyon. And in passing, we are reminded to say that this is one piece of Morrow county road that should be opened up, and at just as early a date as possible. There have been at least two petitions before the county court to get this road opened up and each has been knocked out for some reason that seemed good to those opposing it, but the time has come to lay aside differences and get at the proposition in a mutual spirit. Heppner is especially interested in getting this road through, and the matter of a few dollars that seems to be in the way should be promptly raised and all barriers removed to the speedy opening of this road. Of this we may speak more at length in future issues, as a part of the booster program is to work for good roads leading from the country districts to our towns.

The gentlemen above named reached George Perry's ranch about half past ten Saturday morning and there enjoyed a tip-top bachelor dinner, prepared by George himself, and the fellows did justice to the meal. In fact, George had

prepared for about one dozen hungry men, and these four had to do service for the entire company that was expected.

A little later in the day the company arrived at the ranch of J. B. Huddleston, near Lone Rock, where another big feed was prepared for them by Mrs. Ray Huddleston, and the "hungry" bunch was again asked to fill up with all the substantial that a resourceful housewife can think to prepare on such occasions. But it was impossible to do justice to the spread as it came too soon after the stop at Perry's. These people had also expected a larger company, and were disappointed because so few came. J. B. has a good ranch, is keeping it in good shape, giving particular attention to diversified farming. His brother, Ray, is on the ranch and interested with J. B., and everything is kept up in fine style. They are raising good horses, sheep, cows and hogs, and the place seems to be literally alive with the finest grades of chickens—nothing but first class stuff, all of it. Mr. Huddleston is working on the theory of diversified farming and is succeeding.

A meeting of the citizens of Lone Rock was held at K. of P. hall in the evening, and was addressed by A. B. Stanley, merchant, Mr. Cason, hotel man, on the part of Lone Rock, and Mr. Thatcher, Mr. Brown, Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Perry on the part of the visitors.

The matter of good roads and trading was the main topic of discussion, as the Heppner people did not care to carry the Morrow county boosting business into neighboring territory, but the question of the relationship existing between Lone Rock and Heppner in a business way, was discussed freely. The Lone Rock people plainly stated their desire to trade at this point, and also to make Heppner their shipping point, and the only obstacle in the way of this at this time is the almost impossible task of getting to Heppner with loads over the present roads. Roads must be improved so that these people can get out this way with their wool, wheat, and other produce, and when this is done that trade is ours. It is up to Heppner.

Following the speechmaking, the company present, numbering about 150, sat down to an elegant banquet prepared and served by the Knights, and the remainder of the evening was passed in eating, toasts, music, and a jolly social time.

This trip of Heppner business men was a success. Sorry that more did not go, as it was planned they should, but good will result from the visit of these few, and the invitation is open from all those sections visited for Heppner to come again.

Potatoes Stolen.

Albert Hahn, who resides on the Gilman land just above town, is minus a winter's supply of spuds which he had holed up a short distance from the house. He missed them on Tuesday and is pretty well satisfied as to where they went. He states that if the party had come to him he would not have raised any objection to going "havers," but thinks it downright mean to take the whole thing and leave him to go hungry. Hahn is willing to square the deal if the party will call and pay for the goods.

John Glasscock is up from Portland for a few days on a visit to his relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rice were in from Sand Hollow on Saturday.

Miss Margaret Boyles, who has been teaching music in the Heppner school, has resigned her position and departed on Tuesday morning for Portland. She will be succeeded by Miss Funk, from Nebraska, who is expected to be on hand the first of the week.

Leaving Heppner.

Messrs Huslat & Molden, proprietors of the Cash Shoe Store, have closed a deal for a general merchandise business at Hood River, and will close up their affairs in Heppner at once. The business they have taken over at Hood River is much larger than what they have been handling here, and being in a larger town, gives them a chance to branch out and get larger returns. Heppner people regret to see these gentlemen depart as they are wide awake business men, thoroughly up to date, and make things go. Success will no doubt attend them in the new field, and we hope that it will measure up to their expectations.

A party of about 20 members of the Christian Endeavorers of the Christian Church took a "hay ride" to Ione on Tuesday evening. While there they attended the meetings being conducted by A. M. Meldrum, of Athena, assisted by J. V. Crawford of Heppner.

FUNERAL OF L. W. HILL.

Funeral services for the late L. W. Hill were held in Heppner on last Friday afternoon at the Christian Church, conducted by Rev. Maynard R. Thompson, assisted by Rev. C. H. Davis of the Baptist Church. At this time it was expected that the remains would be shipped to Roseburg for interment, but this plan was later changed and the body arrived at Heppner on Saturday evening. A short funeral service was held at the undertaking parlors on Sunday afternoon and the remains laid to rest in the Heppner cemetery. As announced in last issue, Mr. Hill's sudden demise was caused by an acute attack of la grippe while he was yet at the Hot Lake Sanitarium, and the news of his death came as a shock to his wife and many friends here who were looking forward to his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Hill is left alone as there are no children. She has some real estate left her which consists of about 300 acres of land north of Penland Buttes; this is covered by mortgage. The widow has no other means than what may be derived from her interest in this land after the indebtedness is cleared up, and this will not be very large.

Reuben McKinley Cummings, the nine year old son of Harry and Emma H. Cummings, died at his home in Heppner on last Monday afternoon at four o'clock. The funeral was held at the Christian Church on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Thompson conducting the services. Death resulted from an ailment of the heart which the lad had suffered for the past two years. In this sad bereavement Mr. and Mrs. Cummings have the sympathy of the community.

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J. A. Trondson's farm residence, northeast of Morgan, is almost completed. He has moved into it.

Quite a large part of last year's crop which was stored in the warehouse at Morgan is still in the hands of the farmers. A. C. Morgan, the Morgan merchant, reports that the farmers in that vicinity are in easier circumstances than for several years.

Roy Glasscock was in Canyon City Wednesday and reports the sale of his ranch below Mt. Vernon to Everett Knox of the firm of Johnson & Knox of John Day. Mr. Glasscock will occupy the house and retain possession until next October, when he will move into his place which lies back of the river ranch which he sold to Mr. Knox.—Blue Mountain Eagle.

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