



BOOST CLUB WILL MEET REGULARLY

Friday Night Each Week To Be Devoted To Club Work.

Morrow County Boost Club held a short business session at the council chambers last Friday evening, and some matters of importance were taken up and discussed. The idea was presented of putting a man over at Madras to hand out Morrow county literature and to present to the large number of colonists being now landed at that point the advantages we have to offer in the way of cheap farm lands. It was decided that this step would be taken if found advisable after a visit to that section by a representative of the club. W. S. Wharton intends making a visit there the coming week and will report to the club, action to be taken thereafter.

The proposition of placing a man at Portland for the same purpose was abandoned as it is not practical.

What literature the club now has on hand will be distributed, and more will be provided, as it is the sense of the club that our publicity campaign has only begun, and while we may not get the results that were expected this year, they will come later, and now is a splendid time to advertise, and keep it up, and this will be done.

A good spirit pervaded the meeting. It was decided that hereafter the club will meet on each Friday evening to push its work along all lines. Also, it is the desire of the club that all strangers who may be coming to the county at this time will be made welcome in a way that they will appreciate, and a spirit manifested towards them which will show that our people are really glad to have them here, and if possible to suit them in the line they are looking for, to get them interested in the right way. Give them the very best side of our county, but in a way that we will not have to apologize for hereafter. We have something good to offer the newcomer and each and every person should be constituted a committee to boost for all we are worth; but while doing this, we should not give out the impression that we are after all he has in the way of cash—in other words, do not make it a real estate agents' graft, as it would appear some other sections are doing.

Morrow county is as good, if not far better than many other sections of the Northwest that are receiving more attention. We should not stand back to say so, and then prove it.

NOT A Word Of Scandal

marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spangh, of Manville, Wyo., who said: "she told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble, and made her feel like a new woman. Easy, but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 25c at all druggists."

Christian Church.

"Paul's Triumphant Joy" will be the pastor's theme for Sunday morning. In the evening, "Have you Lost the Christ?" Bible School at 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, topic "Our Debt to Congregationalism." Maynard R. Thompson, Pastor.

A Dreadful Sight

to H. J. Barnum, of Freeville, N. Y., was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "it has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Boils, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns and Piles like magic. Only 25c at all druggists.

A trip around town will convince you that Heppner citizens have been struck with the clean-up spirit in real earnest. The trimming of trees, cleaning of yards, repairing of fences and sidewalks and the painting of houses is the order, and many are getting their gardens planted and are putting out trees and shrubbery, and the work of beautifying goes on apace. The putting in of gardens at this early date may be a little premature, but this fine warm sunshine makes it hard to resist, and early spring garden "sass" is already showing above the surface of the ground. A few more weeks of the present sort of weather and some of our citizens will be eating new lettuce, radishes and onions. Such is our Oregon climate.

E. Nordyke was in Heppner on Saturday from Lexington. He was accompanied by his son, Guy, who is now a resident of Seattle and follows the profession of book keeper. It has been nearly twenty years since Guy left these parts, being at that time a small boy, and he notes many changes in and about Heppner, especially among those of his former associates who have grown to maturity the same as himself. He renewed many acquaintances while here.

Quite a number of strangers in Heppner this week, the large percent of whom seem to be of the genus hobo. They claim to be looking for work, however, and as lambing and shearing are right at hand they will have an opportunity to make good their claim as the services of every available man will be needed.

A. J. Hicks was up from Coburg on Friday, looking after business interests here. He is quite well pleased with his new location and claims to be doing a nice business already. Coburg is not a very large town, but it is progressive, and Mr. Hicks finds himself connected up with a growing business.

James Angus, who has had charge of W. O. Minors show herd of Shorthorns the past two years, left for Portland Monday, having resigned his position here. He will remain at Portland for the present, but a little later may decide to accept a position that has been offered him in Wisconsin.

Brice Howell, a nephew of Rev. and Mrs. Warren, and who has had a position on the branch line here for some time, departed Tuesday morning for Walla Walla, where he will take up work on the N. P. between that city and North Yakima.

The spirit of cleaning up and improvement is in the air. Clyde Brock is this week treating his family residence to a bright new coat of paint, and this adds much to the appearance of his handsome little home.

Judge Gilbert W. Phelps came over from Pendleton, Monday, and held court on Tuesday, his time being occupied chiefly in the naturalization of a number of citizens. He returned to Pendleton yesterday.

Thomson Bros. now have carpenters at work removing partitions and otherwise re-modeling their recently acquired store property, and putting the same in shape to better accommodate their rapidly expanding business.

Rood Canyon Road.

On last Thursday, R. F. Hynd and W. O. Minor, representing Heppner, and Judge Patterson and Commissioner Young, representing Morrow County, met at the proposed road down Rood Canyon, and with S. E. Notson, Emerson Keithley and County Road Viewer, C. E. Jones went over the piece of road surveyed through the Keithley land.

After carefully viewing the matter it was finally decided that the proposition of Mr. Keithley would be accepted, and it was agreed by him not to further oppose the putting of the road through his premises. As compensation for this agreement he was promised \$15 per acre for the land actually used in laying out the road, also to be furnished sufficient material for a three wire fence. On behalf of the county, Judge Patterson and Commissioner Young would not agree to bear all this expense, so a portion of it will be taken care of by Heppner business men so that there need be no delay in getting the road opened. The only matter necessary to be attended to now is the proper court proceedings, and this will be pushed along as rapidly as possible. In fact it should be arranged to do a certain portion of the work on this road at once, as now is the proper time to attend to it, and if it is necessary to wait until the county court orders the road open, then it will be too late in the season to stir up the ground, and those desiring to make use of the road this season will be disappointed. If it is now definitely settled just where the road is going, it would seem that this might be arranged.

It is gratifying to have this settled up, and the opening of this road will be of great benefit to Lone Rock and Heppner, making it much easier for those people to reach us and to do business over this way. It has been needed for a long time.

No Need To Stop Work.

When your doctor orders you to stop work, it staggers you. "I can't," you say. You know you are weak, run-down and failing in health, day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give tone, strength, and vigor to your system, to prevent breakdown and build you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at all druggists.

Almost Serious.

While on their way out home from Heppner one day this week, Emmerson Keithley and family got into a mixup with their horses and rig which for a moment or two looked rather serious for all concerned. While nearing the mouth of Gason canyon, the team suddenly shied at something in the road, and turning a sharp right face, went off an embankment and down into the ditch, making a plunge of about eight feet. Mrs. Keithley and the two children were in the back seat of the hack and she tossed the baby out and followed after it as best she could with the older child, but was not quite successful in making a clear jump and one of the wheels of the hack passed over her. Emmerson was carried down with the team and hack, and had to extricate himself from among the horses and rig. Fortunately, no bones were broken, and aside from a few bruises and a little injury to the hack, no damage was done. The babies escaped any injury whatever.

Ione News Budget.

(Mar. 22, 1911, by Cumtux)

Eighteen cases of eggs were shipped from Ione Monday.

Mr. Ely is spending a few days with his son at Morgan.

E. T. Perkins is giving the postoffice a fresh coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bryson are visiting with friends and relatives at Echo.

Five persons were baptized in Willow creek Sunday, Rev. Crawford of Heppner performing the ceremony.

E. M. Akers and wife of Junction City are visiting friends and looking after property interests in Ione.

We take great pleasure in telling that the Ione school has a new bell. We confess that the old bell got on our nerves.

Little Delmar Waters fell in a bonfire one day last week, burning his hands severely. They were healing nicely at last reports.

The weather these days is just grand. Even the much boasted California climate cannot beat it. But, says someone, "just wait."

We are informed that Judge John Pooley, who has 800 acres of land north of Ione, will soon begin plowing on this land with three eight-horse teams. The thirty head of stock and implements will be shipped in, and one of the Judge's sons will superintend the work.

Phil Doherty of Wells Springs had his sheep stampede while in the corral. They piled up, causing 400 head of fine ewes to suffocate, and causing Mr. Doherty to suffer a loss of \$2400. The writer had nine years' experience with sheep, and experienced but one stampede in that time. The corral fence was made of panels led to posts with baling ropes. When the weight of the sheep came up against this fence the rope broke, liberating the sheep and saving the owner hundreds of dollars.

Tuesday evening the Grammar and High schools of Ione gave an entertainment which was well attended and highly appreciated by all. The pupils taking part gave ample credit to the training of Miss Hull and Prof Kaufman. The program was as follows: "A Case of Suspension," a one-act comedy by ten high school pupils. Those taking part were: Agnes Pennington, Mabel Davidson, Lillian Troedson, Elvena Davidson, Blanche Madigan, Leo Gist, Robert Sperry, Roy Akers, Harold Mason and Jesse Jordan. The other comedy was "Aunt Lusan Jones," presented by five grammar school pupils. Characters: Aunt Susan Jones, an old-fashioned country woman, Emma Gist; Mrs. Markley, wife of a city merchant, Mae Gieger; Arabella Markley, her daughter, Della Davidson; Anna Wilson, poor niece of Mrs. Markley, Doris Wilt; Augustus Saldefrac, an exquisite, Merl Blake.

A Cold, LaGrippe, then Pneumonia

Is too often the fatal sequence. Foley's Honey and Tar expels the cold checks the lagrippe, and prevents pneumonia. It is a prompt and reliable cough medicine that contains no narcotics. It is as safe for your children as yourself. For sale by all druggists.

School Notes.

By S. E. NOTSON, Co. Supt.

On Tuesday, last week, I visited the school at Hardman. I found many of the pupils absent on account of measles. However, Miss Lillian Poff, the principal, and Misses Carrie Ward and Florence Olmsted, the assistants, were keeping the work moving as well as possible under the circumstance.

A new set of maps and a new encyclopedia have been placed in the advanced room since my former visit. The library books are kept in a neat bookcase. Window boards are provided for all the windows. In the primary room, each pupil has his own drinking cup, which is a move in the right direction. There is some talk of installing an up-to-date heating and ventilating plant in each room.

In the advanced room, I noted some excellent work in arithmetic, pupil map work, and muscular movement in writing. In the intermediate room, I was impressed with the freedom in recitation, the pupils expressing themselves in their own language. In the primary room, the little people were doing most excellent work in reading and language. They are a wide awake lot of pupils, and they think that Miss Olmsted is "just right." Although very short notice was given, in the evening a goodly number of people gathered at the church for a local educational meeting. The writer talked at

some length on the "Country Life Movement." Miss Poff followed with a short talk, and Miss Olmsted gave an appropriate reading, entitled "Make the School House Beautiful."

Foley Kidney Pills

Neutralize and remove the poisons that cause backache, rheumatism, nervousness and all kidney and bladder irregularities. They build up and restore the natural action of these vital organs. For sale by all druggists.

Miss Fannie A. Goodall, who is teaching the Pine City school, was thrown from a horse, Sunday, and quite seriously hurt. She will not be able to resume her duties for several days.

FOR RENT—320 acres of wheat land, ready for summer fallow, three miles south of Ione, Ore. For further information, inquire, Mrs. W. C. Young, 2703 Broadway, Spokane wash.

Albert Bawker returned from Nebraska, Thursday evening. He was accompanied by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bawker, who come to this county with a view to locating.

Nels Johnson returned Tuesday evening from an extended visit to Southern California. He reports a good time, but is glad to get back to Morrow county again.

Tom Flynn, Jerry Boyer and Mrs. E. C. Boyer, his mother, arrived at Heppner Monday evening from Garnett, Kansas, and will locate in this county.

W. O. Minor shipped a carload of his fine cattle to Portland on Friday where they will be entered for sale at the stock show this week.

Anything and everything at Gilliam & Bisbee's to work the ground with. You will need something—they will be glad to sell you.

Lexington Waifs.

(March 22, by Sox.)

W. P. Luttrell left for Bend, Oregon, last Friday morning.

W. E. Pointer and a crew of men are working the roads this week.

John McCormick was in town Tuesday after a load of seed barley.

Miss Nettie Davis received her new violin, Monday. She is quite a violinist.

Mrs. J. C. White, of Portland, is visiting with her daughters, Mrs. McCormick, White and Sibley, this week.

Bill Thornburg is busy now, for he is watching for salmon as he wants the first one that arrives at the dam.

Mr. Chas. Lee left at 5:30 Sunday evening for John Padberg's ranch to spend a week or so doing farm work.

Mr. Stamp, of Vancouver, Wash., spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. White, north of Lexington.

Frank Reany, who has been visiting with his brother Andrew this winter, left Tuesday for his home at Gordon, Wash.

E. D. McMillan and O. P. Cross spent Monday at the McMillan ranch, they both said they worked hard, (while eating dinner).

Did you laugh, well I should say so, those two old squaws would have made an Indian laugh had he attended the masquerade.

Miss Clara Vaughn, our primary teacher, visited over Saturday and Sunday with Miss Annie Campbell at the Campbell ranch, on Social Ridge.

Mr. G. C. Millett returned Saturday, from Southern Oregon and California towns, where he and Mrs. Millett spent the winter. Mrs. Millett stopped in Portland for a few days.

Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all registered outstanding Morrow County Warrants, up to and including September 9th, 1909, will be paid upon presentation at my office. Interest ceases after this date.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 23rd day of March, 1911.

Frank Gilliam,
County Treasurer.