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CITY ELECTION DECEMBER 4th.

Heppner's city election is coming on apace, and no definite move is being made to get a ticket before the people. To be sure there are a few avowed candidates for the various offices, but there is to be a council elected, and it calls for four men to fill the places that will be vacant after the first of the year. The feeling is prevalent that the office of councilman is an unpleasant one, and as a matter of fact it is, yet the affairs of the city must be looked after and the best material among the business men should be brought out and they should not hesitate to take upon themselves the responsibility of looking after the city government.

During the coming term there will be business of importance to be handled that will call for the best talent we have, so why not get together, pick out a good ticket of representative men and place it before the voters of the city for their approval on election day. Men like T. J. Mahoney, S. E. Van Vactor, A. M. Phelps, Jim Thomson, E. M. Shatt, Frank Gilliam, E. D. Brown, and perhaps many others of the standing of these gentlemen might be induced to take charge of the duties of councilmen; there is no harm at least, in putting it up to them.

There certainly is no excuse whatever for not taking intense interest in the matters of the municipal government, and there should be no hesitancy on the part of any of these men named to come forward and accept a nomination. We are not naming these men as the Gazette's ticket, but merely suggesting that men of this character and measure of business ability should be urged to accept these duties.

Senator Borah, of Idaho, has prepared a bill to be presented to congress for an additional \$15,000,000 to aid reclamation projects in neglected districts. This is to be used in connection with the \$20,000,000 already available, in hastening the completion of government irrigation projects, and should be the means of getting the west Unatilla extension to moving. We are glad Senator Borah has taken it into his head to help us out, and in this effort he will undoubtedly have the united support of the Oregon delegation. It seems too bad that Oregon has to depend on the work of a senator from another state to get what is justly due us, but it appears to be the case.

The Yakima country carried off the apple honors at the American Land and Irrigation Exposition held in New York. By virtue of the award of the judges, Mrs. Ella D. Rowland of Zillah is the Apple Queen, for she won the \$500 in gold offer by Howard Elliott, president of the Northern Pacific Railroad and a \$1,000 silver trophy. Second honors went to Robert Johnson of North Yakima. Mrs. Rowland has been living on her orchard for eighteen years. It cost her \$40 an acre. She has refused \$1000 for it. Many other awards were made to exhibits from the Pacific Northwest.

Legislation that will give the buyer of clothing the same protection as the pure food law gives the purchaser of provisions is to be sought as the result of the recent convention of Oregon woolgrowers. "Pure Wool" may be demanded and those marketing and selling goods of poorer quality must label their product, showing how much wool and how much shoddy the goods contain, if the proposed measure is made a law.

We welcome to our exchange table The Silverton Journal, by Fred Warrick, Vol. 1, No. 1, just received this week. It is a bright sheet, edited in Fred's best style, and he is no amateur in the country newspaper field. The paper is alright, Fred, and here's hoping for your very best success.

If this senatorial proposition was conducted on the same principals as baseball, Oregon would have drafted Senator Borah before this. If Idaho will part with him we are sure Oregon will trade both our senators even up for him.—Hermiston Herald.

A deal is now being negotiated for the title to hop lands near Independence whereby Krebs Bros. and Pacific Const. brewers will combine yards with an aggregate of 1000 acres. The company will have a capital stock of \$250,000 and this farm will be the largest in the world given over exclusively to hop growing.

We are pleased to announce that through earnest solicitation of his numerous friends, Attorney Sam E. Van Vactor has consented to become a candidate for the office of mayor of Heppner. It certainly gives the Gazette pleasure to support Mr. Van Vactor, as he is eminently fitted for the place.

HENRY JONES.

The Gazette is called upon to chronicle the passing of another Morrow county pioneer in the death at Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland on Thursday, November 16, 1911, of Henry Jones, formerly of Heppner. Mr. Jones had been in poor health for several years past, and his affliction finally caused him to be taken to the hospital for treatment. The remains were brought to Heppner last Saturday, and funeral services held at the M. E. church, South, on Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. P. Warren preaching the sermon. Burial was made in the Masonic cemetery under the auspices of Heppner Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M., of which Mr. Jones had been an honored member for a long number of years, and a Past Master of the lodge.

The services at the church were simple but impressive, and there were many beautiful floral offerings. Mr. Jones had lived in Morrow county since 1874, and during all of the time of his residence here, until some ten years ago, he was actively engaged in the sheep industry on his ranch east of Heppner and was successful. The infirmities of age creeping on him, he moved to town, later retiring from the sheep business. He rented his ranch and moved to Portland, where he and his family have resided for the past five or six years.

The following is a short sketch of his life:

Born near Cold Brookdale, Shropshire, England, November 23, 1834, the fourth son of Robert and Catherine Jones. He came to America at the age of 19 years, landing at New York on May 12, 1853. For a number of years he followed his trade of iron moulder in different cities of the United States. In the year 1855 he came by steamer from New York to San Francisco, and followed mining, making some money, and later selling his interests for one thousand dollars. He then went to Montana and prospected near Helena and mined for two years, then in Nevada, finally entering the employ of the Union Pacific Railroad company, continuing with them until the golden spike was driven in Utah that completed the first transcontinental line in the United States. Mr. Jones came to Heppner in 1874, taking a claim which is part of the large ranch he later acquired.

His marriage occurred in Pendleton, December 12, 1880, when Miss Margaret Tompkins became his wife. To them seven children were born, but only two survive, Stella and William Henry.

Mr. Jones was a member of the Episcopal church and the Masonic and K. of P. lodges.

Resolutions of Condolence.

At a regular meeting of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., held in their Temple on the 18th day of Nov. 1911, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty Ruler of the Universe to remove from our midst our beloved brother, Henry Jones, who has for so many years been a true and faithful member of this lodge, and an upright and God-fearing citizen of the community, and

Whereas it is but just and fitting that due recognition of his name and virtues be had. Therefore be it

Resolved by Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., that while we bow in humble submission to the will of that One before whom all Masons bend their knees in reverence, we do not the less mourn the loss of this brother that has been taken from us. His labors are ended here below but we trust that he has entered upon the higher and nobler life, which can only be reached through the portals of death.

Resolved that we deeply sympathize with the family of our deceased brother in their affliction, and commend them to that One who is able to comfort and sustain the widow and orphan and uphold them in the hour of trouble.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., and a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of our deceased brother and to the newspapers of Heppner.

(FRANK GILLIAM,
P. O. BORG,
H. A. EMERSON,
Committee.

At the Churches.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. John McAlister, Pastor.
Bible school, 10 a. m.; preaching at lone morning and evening.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.
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Sunday school at 10 a. m.; at 11, heart service for everybody. Let us take an invoice of our stock in trade, test our spiritual condition by use of the Christian's Thermometer. The Epworth League meets in interesting session at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30, subject: "A King's Banquet." "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord".

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Sunday, 10 a. m., Bible school; 11, Communion; 6 p. m. choir practice 6:30; Christian Endeavor; 7:30, song service and sermon. Monday, 7:30 p. m. teachers' meeting. Thursday, 7:00 p. m., prayer meeting. Free seats for everybody.

Jones—Straight.

Married at the parsonage of the M. E. Church, South on Thursday Nov. 16, 1911, Ralph D. Jones and Ola L. Straight, both well known residents of Heppner, Rev. E. P. Warren officiating. The young couple departed on Friday morning for Malheur county where the groom has an uncle living, and they expect to make their future home there. The Gazette extends congratulations and wishes them success in life.

Luper—Potter.

Mr. Rhea Luper and Miss Gladys Potter were two souls united in Vancouver, Wash. on Monday the 13th of Nov. and have taken up their residence for the present at Salem where Mr. Luper is employed in the office of the state engineer.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Luper, of Heppner, and the bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Potter, of Spray, and the wedding was the result of a little romance of their own and was carried out as a surprise to their parents.

To these young people the Gazette extends its congratulations, and wishes for their great success on life's journey.

Adkins—Hughes.

Mr. Ora Ernest Adkins and Miss Laura Frances Hughes were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hughes in Portland on Wednesday, Nov. 15, 1911.

Mr. and Mrs. Adkins are now enjoying their honeymoon visit-

ing different points in the state of Washington, and are expected to be at home to Heppner friends the last of the week.
Mr. Adkins is the eldest son of J. J. Adkins, is a native of Morrow county and one of our very best young men. He is engaged in farming and it was just the proper thing to take unto himself a helpmeet. The young couple have our heartiest congratulations.

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