

WEEK'S NEWS.

Local and Personal Happenings.

O. P. Hendricson is confined to his home by sickness.

You can get the heater you need at Case's Furniture Store.

We keep all kinds of fruits and lunch goods. Hendricson & Gurdane.

Banker W. G. Scott, of Lexington, visited Heppner on business, Tuesday.

House for sale or rent with one acre ground. Inquire 1st National Bank.

Assessor Wells is on duty again after an illness of several days which kept him at home.

Velox, Azo, Solio and Bromide papers and post cards, all sizes. Patterson & Son.

The Range of quality and economy, "The Crescent." Sold by the Case Furniture Co.

For your Christmas candies, call on R. M. Hart at the Palm. Nice fresh stock and prices the lowest.

Attorney C. E. Woodson is in Fossil this week attending the sessions of circuit court of Wheeler county.

Mrs. J. C. Hayes, who has been quite sick at her home in Heppner for the past ten days, is improving.

Our large line of carpet samples will enable you to buy the best carpets at home; shown at Case's Furniture Store.

Lexington and Ione met on the gridiron Saturday afternoon on the Lexington field. Ione won by a score of 16 to 6.

The Morrow Warehouse Milling Company wants your hides, pelts and furs, and will pay cash for all they are worth.

Billy Padberg was in town looking after business, Tuesday. He is much pleased over crop prospects in his section.

Miss Norma Morehead has returned to Heppner after an absence of a year visiting with relatives in Missouri and Oklahoma.

Liggett's and Fenway's candy, all kinds, all sizes, all prices. Fresh stock every week. Patterson & Son. The REXALL Store.

Miss Lilah Clark, of the Heppner High school, will depart on Saturday morning to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents at Lents.

SALESMAN WANTED—To look after our interest in Morrow and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address The Victor Oil Company, Cleveland, O.

We want 250 coyote, 100 lynx and 100 mink skins within the next 90 days and will pay you full value for them. Morrow Warehouse Milling Company.

County Clerk Hill has received the necessary supplies for registration of voters and the books will be open on January 2. You are invited to call early and avoid the rush.

A genuine old-fashioned dance was given on Saturday evening last at the country home of L. A. Florence. There was a large crowd present and everybody had a tip-top time.

John Simas came over from Monument to be in attendance at the meeting of the Heppner Wool-growers' Association, Saturday evening. He reports good winter weather, plenty of feed and all kinds of stock doing well.

The management of the Palace Hotel will entertain their friends on New Years night with a big dance and supper—all free. A genuine old-fashioned country dance is planned, and the invitation goes out to all their friends to be present and enjoy themselves to the full.

The press notices of the entertainment given by the Strollers Quartette in the towns of Oregon and Washington are flattering in the extreme. If you want to enjoy an evening of high class music, readings, and other features, attend the entertainment at the Christian church, Friday evening, and you will come away more than pleased with the Strollers. The committee have made the rate 75 cents for the entertainment, although the bureau did not like to see the price put below a dollar, as that is the rate charged in nearly all the towns. Edward Reno, the magician, will appear in the third number of the lyceum course, Jan. 8.

One stroke of a bell in a thick fog does not give any lasting impression of its location, but when followed by repeated strokes at regular intervals, the densest fog or the darkest night can not long conceal its whereabouts. Likewise a single insertion of an advertisement—as compared with regular and systematic advertising—is in its effect not unlike a sound which, heard but faintly once, is lost in space and soon forgot.

A novel entertainment was given by the ladies of the Eastern Star at Masonic hall last Friday evening. Elderly men and matrons donned childhood attire and the makeup of some of them was very comical. A program of old-time songs and simple recitations was presented, followed by a lunch of mush and milk, picture crackers and plain candies. The evening was greatly enjoyed.

John Harmson has disposed of his Morrow county holdings and departed with his family for the Willamette Valley to reside. He traded with Olaf Berggreen for farm property near Blodgett, Benton county, and Berggreen and family have moved on to the Harmson place here. Sorry to lose Mr. Harmson from our farming community but wish him success in the new location.

Native black marble in great quantities has been discovered in Wallowa county. This promises to be a valuable asset to that section of the state. Present supplies of black marble come from Belgium and Alaska and the new find will undoubtedly supplant the product of these two places, since freight is such a big item in the handling of this heavy stone.

The bazaar and cafeteria given by the ladies of the M. E. church, South, Thursday last, was a success in every detail. Many beautiful and useful things for gifts were sold, and the serving of supper cafeteria style, while new and novel, was appreciated, and was the means of bringing considerable cash into the treasury of the missionary society.

In the football game at Lexington, Saturday, Harold Mason was quite seriously injured and was carried off the field with a sprained knee. Mason is one of Ione's speediest players and the injury was the result of being tackled while making one of his swift runs.

W. E. White and family came in from Monument, Sunday, leaving on Tuesday for Los Angeles, where they will spend the remainder of the winter. W. E. thinks our winter has been a little too nice, so far, hence the hike for Southern California.

I have purchased the jewelry business of Arthur Smith and am prepared to do all kinds of watch and jewelry repairing, also plain and fancy engraving. I solicit your patronage.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blahm gathered at their home on Friday evening for a good social time. They brought in their refreshments, and playing of games music and dancing occupied the time until after midnight.

Go to Gilliam & Bisbee's for Community Silver guaranteed for fifty years.



A Merry Christmas

We are drawing near the end of the Christmas selling season, which in volume has exceeded our fondest hopes and our gratification and the spirit of the season leads us to extend to all our sincerest wishes

for a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

With two more selling days left

the stock though reduced in quantity is still replete with many useful, beautiful and artistic things

suitable for gift-making.

One Quarter Off

everything in chinaware, crockery and glassware, excepting Haviland and Royal Doulton.

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W. C. T. U. Column.

Under supervision of the Press Department of the W. C. T. U. of Heppner.

Last Wednesday the local Union held a mother's meeting in the parlors of the Christian church. A short but enjoyable program was given under the supervision of Mrs. E. D. Brown. The courtesy of Mrs. Turner in rendering two vocal selections was greatly appreciated by those present. Plans are being made to hold these mother's meetings once a month and problems of vital importance to all mothers will be discussed.

"As it is now that to be more important to know how to prevent disease than to cure it, so men are beginning to realize that it is better to save a man from crime than to punish him for having committed it. They are also beginning to appreciate the fact that society is often guilty of tolerating conditions that produce crime, and should share with the criminal the blame for his offense."—Judge J. A. McIvaine of Washington, Pa.

This year, 1911, marks the 25th year since the work of the W. C. T. U. was first started in Japan. At the 19th annual convention held in July, nine women were present who had been members for 25 years. The oldest, now in her 80th year, is still active in the work. This old lady was nurse to the present emperor during his boyhood days.

The people living in nine prohibition states consumed twenty million gallons of liquor last year! But, listen, Adolph, the same number of people living in license states consumed just fifteen times that much. Now laugh if you can.—American Issue.

Every reason which in this country bestows the ballot upon man is equally applicable to the proposition to bestow the ballot upon woman; there is no foundation for the fear that woman will thereby become unfitted for all the duties she has hitherto performed.—Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed.

If you are looking for the best thing in heaters, don't overlook the "Oakwood" at the Furniture Store.

For a first class smoke, try Hendricson & Gurdane. They have a complete stock of the very best.

An A. J. Jordan carving set will make a nice Xmas present. The only place to get it is at Gilliam & Bisbee's.

We sell Kodaks and Kodak supplies for less than you can buy them elsewhere. Buy of us and save time and money. Patterson & Son, the REXALL Store.

THE IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT

\$1.50 FAMOUS **\$2.00**
The Box Hole Proof Hosiery The Box
For Men, Women and Children

Guaranteed to wear Six Months or new Hose FREE.

For Sale by SAM HUGHES

Heppner, Oregon, December 19, 1911.

THE Management of the Palace Hotel will give a Country Dance on January the First, Nineteen Hundred and Twelve. This will include supper, all absolutely FREE.

Everybody in Eastern Oregon is hereby cordially invited to attend. The best of order will be maintained and nothing left undone to make it one of the most enjoyable occasions ever held in Morrow County. If you dance, or believe in fun this means you. The best of music will be secured.

Floor management under direction of Orve Rasmus, A. Rood, Jr., Ed Currin and John Kenny. Dancing will begin at Eight-thirty sharp. **MADDOCK & COMPANY.**

Bargains in Xmas china at Gilliam & Bisbee's.

Carpets sewed, laid and lined by The Case Furniture Co.

Phill Cohn pays highest cash price for hides, pelts and furs.

Picture framing promptly and neatly done at Case's Furniture Store.

From 10 to 40 percent discount on all Xmas china at Gilliam & Bisbee's.

Do it now! Not only good, but cheap. Talk with Smead before insuring.

For a guaranteed knife or razor go to Hendricson & Gurdane's. They have the best.

School books and supplies for every kind of school work at Patterson & Son, the REXALL Store.

Grain of any description taken in exchange for Waitsburg and Idaho flour. Call on Phill Cohn.

You make no mistake when you buy a Crescent Range. They are guaranteed. Sold by the Case Furniture Co.

Notice To Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Galloway Telephone Company will be held at the office of the Slocum Drug Company in Heppner, Oregon, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, December 30, 1911, for the purpose of electing officers and the transacting of such other business as may be called to the attention of the meeting.

D. O. JUSTUS,
President.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 7th day of December, 1911.

For Sale.

A few thoroughbred Ancona cockrels at \$3.00 and \$5.00 each.
J. A. Waters,
Ione Ore.

Delman Ward and wife of Heppner came down from Monument Monday to visit Mrs. Ward's aunt Mrs. S. L. Cross.—Spray Courier.

Council Meets.

A semi-monthly meeting of the City council was held on Monday evening at which time six saloon licenses were granted for the first quarter of 1912, and permission was also granted the saloons to remain open all night on New Years. The tax levy for the year 1912 was placed at 3 mills, and the treasurer was instructed to make a time deposit of \$10,000.00 with the First National Bank. The special report of the recorder, presented at this meeting shows the cash resources of the city to be \$17,000, at this time and it is calculated that funds will be in hand to settle off the bonded indebtedness of the City when the bonds mature in the months of April and August next.

Upon the suggestion of Recorder Williams, prizes were voted to the Heppner fire department for the run they made on Sunday, Dec. 10, as follows: Company No. 2, \$20.00 and No. 3, \$10.00; Chief Richardson, \$10.00.