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CONDON GUN CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING; RE-ELECTS OLD OFFICERS

Club Is in Good Condition Financially - Will Send Delegate to Portland Convention - China Pheasants Doing Well.

The annual election of officers of the Condon Gun Club was held Monday night in the assessor's office in the court house. Bills against the Club were audited and ordered paid. The report of the treasurer was read and accepted. This report shows that the Club is in excellent financial condition, with all debts paid, \$84.80 on hand, two good traps and a large supply of blue rocks. There are now forty members in good standing. The officers of last year were re-elected as follows; A. B. Searcy president, Chas. H. Horner secretary and Frank Hollen treasurer. It was decided that the Club should send a delegate to the general convention of gun and rod clubs which is to be held in Portland in the near future to discuss the situation of the fish and game commission and other pertinent things. Otis Campbell was selected with A. B. Searcy as alternate delegate. It was reported that the China pheasants which were liberated in this county several months ago are doing very nicely and it was decided that the secretary report this to the state game warden and get more pheasants in the spring. It was decided to hold another big turkey shoot on Christmas day. The meeting then adjourned subject to the call of the president.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS FROM WHEAT CITY

The P. C. E. Co. shipped a car of wheat Tuesday to Portland. The Farmers Union billed out a car of wheat Tuesday. The P. C. E. Co. shipped a car of wheat Saturday to Portland. A car of wheat was shipped to Portland Saturday by the Arlington Lumber Co. A turkey shoot will be held at Eightmile on December 20th. Some of the members of the local gun club expect to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer of Wheeler County were guests at the Hurlburt home Sunday. They went to Portland Monday. A country dance was enjoyed at Phil Starr's home Monday night. Dancing started at seven o'clock in the evening and lasted until seven Tuesday morning. Wm. Gross is among those who renewed their subscriptions last week. He reports that his wheat crop is looking very good and expects a big crop next year.

The bazaar given by the Congregational Ladies Aid Saturday was a splendid success. Approximately \$55 worth of goods were sold and a small supply is left on hand for the next sale.

Alice Cuendet slipped and fell on the sidewalk Tuesday evening and sustained a fracture of the left arm. Drs. Miller and Wilhelm, who were called, report that the break is not a serious one and the patient is getting along very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Echols left yesterday morning for Newport, Virginia, the former's old home. They will spend the winter there and return to Condon in the early spring.

CONDENSED NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST

John Smith went to Portland Tuesday. Mrs. Fred May went to Portland Tuesday. J. A. McMorris was an Arlington visitor Tuesday on business. Jas. Couture went to Portland Tuesday. John Brace of Olex was in this city Monday on business. J. W. Lillie was over Monday from Mayville on business. Mrs. W. J. Miller left Tuesday morning for Silverton to visit relatives. The Arlington Lumber Co. shipped a car of cattle and hogs Sunday to Portland.

LESS SMALLPOX IN ARLINGTON

The spread of smallpox in Arlington has been checked. There are only a few cases and as these are under strict quarantine there is little danger of any more.

Mrs. Minerva Montague left this week for Halfway, Ore. where she goes to visit her daughter, Mrs. Spaulding. Her husband will join her a little later and they will spend Christmas there.

Clyde E. Turner and family of Montana are visiting relatives and expect to be here the most of the winter. Mr. Turner is a grandson of Wm. McKinney.

Mrs. Gray who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tubbs, has returned to her home at Walla Walla.

Sherman Hamblen and family, who have been away visiting for a few days, are back.

F. M. Crews and J. W. Oliver of Blalock were in Arlington the first of the week on business.

Jas. Larch of Clem was in Arlington the first of the week visiting relatives.

Ray Moore was over from Spray the first of the week.

Bruce Hull, a graduate of the local high school, has discontinued his course at the University of Pennsylvania and is now in Canada.

Chester Titus and wife left Wednesday morning for Portland. Mrs. Titus will remain there for some time on account of her health.

I. B. Carter of Mayville was in this city the latter part of last week and made a call at this office to renew his subscription. Mr. Carter who is one of the good farmers of the Mayville neighborhood, says he will not have to haul his wheat to Condon many more years but will ship it on the railroad from Mayville.

CLIMATE IN GILLIAM IS GOOD AS THE BEST

That the climate of Gilliam county is second to none is shown by the fact that residents of Arlington have been eating grapes from the vines up until December 7th. Nasturtiums and other flowers have been in bloom there until within the last few days. No cold weather has yet been experienced in any part of the county.

GILLIAM MAN HEAD OF FARMERS UNION

J. D. Brown of Arlington was elected president of the Farmers Union for Oregon at the recent convention at La Grande. Mr. Brown has for years made a study of rural conditions and the methods of bettering them and it is safe to say that no more able man could be found in the state to head the Union.

FIRST CORN SHOW GREAT SUCCESS

GILLIAM COUNTY CORN WINS PRIZES

The first corn show ever held in Oregon closed at Pendleton Saturday night and was pronounced an immense success. Several of the best prizes were won by farmers of this section of the state and three were brought home to Gilliam county. J. F. Deos won the prize for the best

ear of corn of any variety. It scored 94 1/2 points. The first prize for the best acre of corn grown by a boy under sixteen was won by Lawrence May of this city and the second prize in this contest was won by Nate Brown also of Condon.

ITEMS FROM CONDON PUBLIC SCHOOL

Miss Searcy is now teaching the seventh grade while Miss Bouchet is teaching the eighth grade for the present.

The champion reader for this week is Kleoh Austin.

Last Friday afternoon the seventh and eighth grades had a spelling and arithmetic match. Ester Noble of the eighth grade won in the spelling match. Herman Bouchet of the eighth grade in the arithmetic match.

The seventh grade has been writing a little story about old heirlooms to see who would get the prize which is a box of home made candy. Mable Hoskins won the prize with a very pretty

story of a penny.

The Condon Public School is planning to have Christmas exercises in all classes and all parents are invited to attend.

Emmett Hoskins is spelling one hundred words a day to get a prize and we think he will get it.

The new scholar is: 1st grade Merle McCarty.

Two of our fourth grade pupils Geraldine Hansen and Lester Harrison have gone away.

The pupils that have returned are: Lola Keizur and Mervyn Moore.

Annie O'Rourke.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Chas. F. Kennedy went to Pendleton yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fagan returned to Clem Monday.

C. O. Portwood and wife left yesterday morning for the springs.

R. W. Cooke went to Portland Wednesday to attend the stock show.

F. T. Hurlburt returned Monday night from a business trip to Portland.

S. B. Couture shipped a car of hogs to Portland Tuesday. There were eighty-eight in the car and they averaged 191 pounds each.

F. M. Pliter went to Portland Wednesday. He drove his auto to The Dalles and shipped it from there by boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Howland returned to Gwendolen Saturday.

Henry Neel went to Portland Monday.

J. W. Kirschner went to Gwendolen yesterday to do some surveying.

A son was born on Tuesday to Prof. and Mrs. D. W. Hammack of this city.

Dr. Miller reports a son born on Monday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Greiner.

R. W. Tate shipped a carload of hogs Monday to the Portland market. There were eighty-one in the car.

Sheriff Mon'ague went to Salem Sunday with L. V. Green whom he delivered to the warden of the penitentiary.

PAY YOUR TAXES BEFORE NEXT APRIL 1ST; NO REBATE NEXT YEAR

Lester Goff, formerly of Lone Rock, who was recently convicted in Grant county of stealing cattle was given an indeterminate sentence of from one to ten years in the penitentiary.

DEEDS RECORDED DURING THE WEEK

Colby Clarke et ux to Wm. B. Pratt, 3 lots in Condon. John W. Phillips et ux to Fred Phillips, 160 acres. State of Oregon to Jobe F. Lewis, 80 acres. State of Oregon to Cleve S Chamberlain, 40 acres. Balfour, Guthrie Trust Co. to S. B. Barker, 1200 acres.

Mrs. M. Fitzmaurice returned Tuesday evening from The Dalles.

Geo. Crum has moved to Olex and has ordered the Globe sent him there.

A letter from Leo Shelley who is at Phoenix, Arizona contains the information that Mrs. Shelley is improving slowly.

NEWSY NOTES OF LONE ROCK

Fog and wind are the order of the day in this vicinity.

John Madden Sr. was in town Monday.

A son was born on Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Memphis Johnson.

Dixie McCraw, Lone Rock's new marshal, is doing a land office business these days. On Monday afternoon three local men were in the cooler.

Mrs. W. C. Conroy is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Ward.

W. H. Harrison has moved his family to town for school purposes.

Owing to the sudden change of the weather, almost everyone is suffering from a cold.

G. T. Millen of Missouri is visiting his aunt, Mrs. D. C. Andrews. Willis Robinson has made proof on his homestead near Fossil and is again living in Lone Rock.

Grange met as usual on Saturday. In addition to the usual business election of officers was held.

Mrs. Lee Byers arrived this week from Haven, Kansas and expects to remain through the winter.

Mrs. J. M. Williams spent Sunday at the Murphy home.

W. R. Roberts has been feeling quite poorly for some time past. Mrs. Emmet Moore and Mrs. J. J. Kelly were guests of Mrs. M. J. Yarbrough Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lillie of Mayville are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goff. George Perry was in from Rock Creek Monday.

Jack Burke returned from Heppner the latter part of last week.

Messrs. E. R. and E. H. Carpenter of Heppner were here Friday.

George Crawford left Tuesday for Arlington where he will spend the winter.

Penalty Starts on April First and Increases With Each Month - Will Become Delinquent After September First.

Taxes must be paid next year before the first day of April, instead of the first Monday, if the taxpayer does not want to be penalized. Also there will be no rebate on taxes no matter how early they be paid. On all taxes not paid before April first a penalty of one per cent will be added, if not paid before May first two per cent, June three per cent, July four and August five. If the taxpayer pays only one-half before April first, he will be penalized on the other half in the above ratio. All taxes unpaid on September first become delinquent and on these a penalty of ten per cent will be charged as well as two per cent interest until paid. The county treasurer will collect the taxes up to September first and all delinquent taxes will then be turned over to the sheriff for collection.

The minimum temperature registered by the government thermometer so far this fall has been 21 degrees above zero and this only one night. For the majority of the days for the past two weeks the temperature has been close to the freezing point.

J. D. Estes, formerly a resident of Condon, came up from Portland Monday to attend to some property interests which he still holds here.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT CONDON CHURCHES

Congregational Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Divine service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Pastor R. M. Jones will preach both morning and evening. Themes - The Translation of Enoch. Junior Endeavor at 3:00 p. m. All are welcome to the services.

Fremont Ward went to Portland Wednesday.

Geo. McKay was over from Waterman yesterday.

Francis V. Galloway, an attorney of The Dalles, was in Condon Tuesday evening.

H. I. Sawyer is back in Condon again after an absence of almost exactly seven years.

D. R. Parker, G. W. Parman, L. G. Parman and Otis Campbell went goose hunting Saturday. It is reported they got four geese.

District Attorney Weinke is using a new Royal typewriter. It is the latest model and is the best typewriter ever put on the market.

Dr. Cathey of Portland arrived in Condon Tuesday evening to look over this field with a view of locating. He has definitely decided to locate here and has engaged offices in the Condon National Bank building. After leaving college he practiced for some time before doing post graduate work in New York and then practiced with his brother in Portland. He comes well recommended.

ON CHRISTMAS NIGHT We Will Give Away Absolutely Free \$40 HOWARD WATCH.....24-PIECE SILVER SET Each 50c Purchase Entitles The Buyer to One Chance on the Watch and Each 50c Purchase of Ladies' Goods Entitles Buyer to One Chance on the 24-Piece Silver Set. Ira Bennet :: Olex, Oreg.