

SCHOOLS OPEN HERE SEPTEMBER 21; AFTER FAIR

The Heppner schools will be in full operation on September 21. It was planned to open a week earlier but the Institute starts at that date, lasting for three days with the Morrow County Fair opening immediately following.

The teachers consist of Mrs. Lucy Wedding, who comes very highly recommended from Harve, Mont. She will have charge of the English and Latin and will supply the place formerly held by Miss Clark. Miss Addie Schwittay, of Lake Forest, Illinois, will handle the German and History. She is of German descent, having spoken German from girlhood and all pupils who desire to take German will find her an excellent teacher.

WILL EXHIBIT STOCK AT THE FAIR

B. F. Swaggart is in town from his Eastern Oregon Jack Farm. On receiving a telegram from Pendleton announcing the death of his brother-in-law, Mayor Matlock, on Sunday evening, he ordered a car to be taken to Lone to take the morning train and accompany the body and family of the deceased to Portland, where the body will be cremated.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3--President Wilson will appear tomorrow before a joint session of Congress to ask for enactment of legislation which will raise funds to offset the loss of a hundred million dollars which will be lost this year to the government on account of the decrease in import revenues due to the European war.

We have put in a stock of Vacuum cleaners for family use and invite you to call and see them. There is one large \$125 machine for rent at the following rates: 75c for four hours; \$1 for eight hours; over four hours will be charged for eight hours. Those wanting to use the large machine can call the power house and we will deliver and call for it when through.

Dr. Conder was called to attend Robert Van Horn in the Blackhorse country on Tuesday. Mr. Van Horn has been suffering for about a year with creeping paralysis and was brought to town yesterday in order that he might be given the necessary treatments.

Clarence Stoner and Albert Meadors were sentenced last Monday to serve a term of thirteen years each in the Oregon State Penitentiary for their part in an attempted hold up of the O. W. R. & N. train No. 5 near Meacham, July 2. They confessed to Sheriff Taylor a few days afterwards. They are young fellows and stand a chance to leave the penitentiary at an earlier date. This was the incident in which George McDuffee played such an important part and which the railroad presented him with their check of \$1100.

The Purity League held a short meeting at the coach last night. The meeting opened by Sec. Beardsley in the absence of Pres. Burns. It was moved by Director Andrews to send Pres. Burns a bouquet of flowers during his sick spell. The motion was carried. Just then Private Huddleston a well known Squad man, came in and sat down. Operator Mead's name was brought up for membership and it was decided to let him examine the constitution and by-laws of the League and if he thinks that he can live up to them, he will be admitted. Sec. Beardsley was appointed to wait upon him. Director Andrews moved that the League appropriate enough from the funds to equip honorary member Huddleston with a new pair of trousers. The motion was carried. Nothing else appearing the League adjourned.

BUSINESSMEN WILL BE LIBERAL WITH FAIR BOARD

A meeting of the business men of Heppner was held Tuesday afternoon at the office of Secretary Smead of the Fair and nearly all business houses were represented. Mr. T. J. Mahoney addressed the meeting and informed those present that the time had arrived to make their cash donations to the Morrow County Fair Board. Secretary Smead pointed out that owing to the fact that the Fair is having permanent buildings constructed this year and as the amusement features and the premium lists had been added to quite extensively it would be necessary to have a larger amount of funds on hand this season than last year and with that end in view the Fair Board would like to have the business houses subscribe as liberally as possible. Practically \$1500 would be needed from that source, he said.

Our friend Noble's chickens are in search of some one to feed them. E. G. has been too busy at the shop. He recently hired Mr. A. C. Smith, a first-class harness man from Newberg, Oregon, and is now working his force until 9 p. m. at night to keep up with orders. Business is good with Noble, thanks to the catalog which the Herald printed for him some time back.

Mr. A. V. Templeton, a prominent stockman of the Spray country, came over to Heppner Wednesday on a business trip. Mr. Templeton engages in the sheep industry. He informed the Herald that more wool hauling has been done from his section to Condon the past year than ever before. This wool would be hauled to Heppner if the roads were better said Mr. Templeton.

J. B. Sparks' inventive genius has figured out a handy little air-forcing machine for private use or for a small garage. He has a tank underslung on a heavy plank and on top of the plank has the air pump and a small electric motor. The outfit is mounted on wheels and can be easily moved about. The pressure runs up to 100 lbs.

County Superintendent Notson is "up in the air" regarding the program for the Morrow County Teachers' Institute. Other institutes conflict badly with ours and Mr. Notson is finding it a difficult matter to line up his special talkers.

C. W. Shurte returned to Heppner Wednesday. He brought Mrs. Thomas who is in a precarious condition to the Heppner hospital for treatment. Mrs. Thomas has made her home with the Shurtes for many years.

Mrs. A. J. Hicks has moved back to Heppner and will look after her interests in the Star Hotel. Mr. Hicks expects to engage in the mercantile business at Stanfield and will move there from Stevenson, Wash.

For the next few weeks, O. M. Veager, the carpenter contractor, will be at the R. F. Wigglesworth farm on Butter Creek, and anyone wishing to consult him on the subject of building or repairing, please call him at that place.

FOR SALE--2 Jersey cows and one De Laval separator for \$150 or will sell separate. Eugene Barton, 5 miles north of Lexington.

LATEST WAR NEWS

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 2--It was reported here by Grand Duke Nicholas that the Austrian army has been crushed by the superior Russian forces which penetrated its center. The battle was pronounced as the most bloody of the campaign. The Austrians are still fighting but Nicholas said that they are so badly demoralized that it would be difficult to reorganize them. It is stated that one Russian army is directed against Konigsberg and Allensten and a second against Thorn and Graudenz.

PARIS, Sept. 2--Paris officialdom wore an air of confidence today. It was reported that the Germans are showing signs of exhaustion. The exertions and losses have been terrific and it is thought that they can not keep up the pace much longer. It is believed that their last reserves are in action and they have no further resources to draw upon. Provisions are becoming short, has also been reported to the Allies. The General Staff now does not think that investment of Paris is possible.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 2--Five thousand Austrians were left dead on the field by the Austrians forces and thousands were captured by the Russians was announced here by the War Office following the recent conflict in Galicia.

PARIS, Sept. 3--The Austrian port of Cattaro was bombarded by the French Adriatic fleet, Wednesday, and the fortifications were battered completely to pieces.

CARDINALS ELECT BISHOP OF BALOGNA AS NEW POPE; AMERICAN CARDINALS LATE

ROME, Sept. 3--"Benedictus XV" is the title of the new Pope, who was elected today. The new Pope is an anti-Modernist, like the late Pope Pius. He is about sixty years old and was ordained as a priest at the age of twenty-four. He has previously held many important positions as secretary to various Church dignitaries until 1907 when he was made Bishop of Bologna. Pope Pius advanced him to the Cardinal's rank last May. Though he was prominent among Churchmen, he had not the worldwide reputation of many other Cardinals. Benedictus XIV was elected Pope in 1740, 174 years ago.

ROME, Sept. 3--Cardinals Gibbons and O'Connell, two of the three American members of the Sacred College, arrived here at noon, one hour after the Pope was elected. The feat of climbing the famous Padberg hill was accomplished by Howard Lane of Lexington some time ago. Mr. Lane informs the Herald that his car made the climb with ease. Sparks' Studebaker and Blake's Humobile are the only other cars that have made the climb.

FOR SALE--16 Poland China hogs, eligible to registry. Also one good Durham cow, a heavy milker. James Bellamy, Castle Rock, Ore.

Threshing Outfit for Sale. Here's a bargain for the man who has a little spare cash or who can furnish bankable notes. It consists of a 25-h. p. Simple Russell Engine, and she's a daisy; a 33x54 separator with a long feed and your choice of two feeders, one a Garden City governor feeder or a Jackson, both of them A number 1; A Farmer's Friend blower and patent sieves. The price is right and \$300 goes off if you can furnish the good Wedrow Wilson dollars. This is the kind of a rig that you can afford to buy now and use or it will prove a profitable investment to keep and use next year as you can get it for a price that will warrant you in taking it in. Don't take too long to think this over or the seller might decide to keep it. Drop a line to the Herald or better yet, use the phone.

John Furlong, now in the employ of Fred Ashbaugh, wanted to see how the linotype operated and got his curiosity satisfied last Wednesday when he dropped into the semi-weekly office.

Amos Wineland of Fossil and Miss Nellie M. Miller of Portland were married in Heppner on Wednesday at the M. E. Church South Parsonage by Rev. Goulder.

Miss Mae Carter, of Pomeroy, Wn., who has been visiting at the O. M. Scott home in Heppner, left for Portland Wednesday.

W. B. Ewing and C. E. Smith left for their home in Cecil, Wednesday morning after a pleasant stay here of two days.

PARIS, Sept. 2--Though there seems to be no doubt that the Germans would strike the northern line of Paris Forts, military authorities insist that it would be impossible to isolate the city. The Germans are within forty miles of the city today. "The invaders center," announced General Gallieni, the Military Governor, "has thrown its entire weight against our lines without being able to make the slightest impression. Their right pressed our left back but slowly and in good order. We inflicted enormous damage on them and every attempt they made to break through from the North was blocked.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 3--This city is no longer known as St. Petersburg but as Petrograd, according to the edict of the Czar. It was reported here today that the demoralized Austrian Galician forces are retiring upon the first line of defenses behind Lemberg. They expect to make the next stand along the San river between the strongholds Przemysl and Jaroslav. As a result of the fighting so far, five Austrian army corps are practically annihilated and thousands of prisoners captured. In east Prussia when the garrison of Konigsberg citadel attempted a sortie the Russians won a complete victory. The War Office said that the German losses were enormous.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 3--Sweden proclaimed neutrality in the European war. It was officially stated that mobilization was to defend its neutrality.

ANTWERP, Sept. 2--Antwerp was again bombarded by German Zeppelin at three-thirty this morning. The bombs fell in the thickly settled suburbs and no serious damage was done. Belgian riflemen opened a furious fusillade but the Zeppelin disappeared in the distance.

SPECIAL Vaudeville TONIGHT, SATURDAY, SUNDAY Frank Carpenter Co. with The Churchill Sisters in The latest Son and Dance Hits. PICTURE PROGRAM 1--"The Frame-up," a 2 reel Broncho feature drama. 2--"Uncle's Namesake," Thanshouer, featuring the world-famous Thanshouer Kids, a sure cure for the blues.

Two acts of Vaudeville and three reels of Mutual Movies. 15c and 25c. F. M. Griffith, the well known rancher, was in Heppner this week and was slightly under the weather after a trip to the Court House to pay his taxes.

Regular Services will be held at the Federated Church on Sunday. Rev. Ferris will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening and all are cordially invited to attend, especially strangers.

A Mr. Baily from below Lexington, suffered from an accident in a mixup with a team of mules and came to Heppner Tuesday to have a doctor patch up the punctures.

Hides and Pelts Wanted Frank Wyner wants your hides, pelts and wool and will pay good prices for same. Call on or phone him at The Heppner Milling Company's office at any time.

Herman Neilson, one of the most substantial ranchers of Morrow County, was in this city the first of the week from his ranch in Rood's Canyon.

Engineer watchman, Vanada, went on a fishing expedition last Tuesday before he departed from Heppner. He visited Blackhorse lake and caught some small spehrs.

Mrs. Carter Young and son, Harvey, left for Medford on Wednesday. Mrs. Young will visit with her mother and sisters who live in Medford and Harvey will go to Eugene where he will enter the University.

Mrs. Ida Habilineh, mother of Mrs. Glenn Wells, returned to her home in Portland on Wednesday after a pleasant visit at the Wells home in this city.

SCHOOL NOTES

Teachers who have not yet reported upon their reading circle work should send for the blank and make the report in order to have the record in shape to entitle them to have their certificates registered.

In the premium list of the fair it is stated in the juvenile list that two premiums are offered for tomatoes. The item offering premium for 10 tomatoes should be for 10 potatoes. The work of the teachers institute this year will emphasize the industrial lines. Other work will receive attention, but the industrial work will be the leader. We hope to have with us Prof. Frank H. Shepherd and Miss Helen Cowgill of the Agricultural College. Mr. N. C. Maris, Industrial Field Worker, will be with us one day. With these three to deal with industrial lines, we may expect some good things. We expect, as in the past, to stress the matter of sanitation. Dr. Calvin S. White of the State Board of Health, has promised to be with us one day. Considering the position of the State Board of Education upon the matter of health conditions in the schools and the work which the State Board of Health is planning, we should be ready to take an advanced position regard to the sanitary condition of the schools. We expect to have State Superintendent Churchill with us again. As announced before, the institute will be held, Sept. 14, 15 and 16.

TELEPHONE SERVICE AT NIGHT NOW IN SIGHT

Mr. C. H. Moore, District Commercial Superintendent of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., returned to The Dalles yesterday after having completed his survey of the company's local buildings. Numerous complaints have been lodged with the local manager lately regarding the poor service but that official had no means at his disposal to remedy the auses. The visit of Mr. Moore was productive of good result. The witchboard will be overhauled and put in first-class shape. Rebuilding of the lines, as noted in the Herald of a recent issue, will be continued. Night service will be a new feature beginning next Monday patrons will be given the benefit of continuous service and calls will be answered almost of night as well as during the day.

Pilot Rock is certainly going to get in the map this year. Charley Ogilby and wife are going to Salem with an exhibit from that locality. People in that section are sending them grain, fruit and grass samples and these will be given a good space at the Fair. Commercial Club are behind the matter and the people are wide-awake to the advantages which such exhibitions give. The O. W. R. & N. is now carrying exhibits at half price and the Southern Pacific hauls them free and return.

NEWLON STRIKES WATER Spencer Akers is one of the most plentied men in Morrow County. This morning, ladies and gentlemen is caused from the fact that the drillers struck water in a new well on his ranch seven miles southeast of Heppner yesterday afternoon at the dept of 155 feet. The flow is strong.

As the new Model Studebaker will be out soon, I am offering my Studebaker Six Passenger at a price that will surprise you. I have several standing offers, some of which are only a little less than I ask for. This big powerful car which has only run about 1500 miles and is now equipped with a full set of new Goodyear All-weather tread tires. Also a new extra tire. A real bargain for anybody who wants a good roomy, easy-riding car. Looks like new and is as good as new. This car must be sold in the next ten days. Let us add.

J. B. SPARKS, Studebaker Dealer.

Mr. Wm. Luntford and Mrs. Mary Lee, prominent Lexington people, were united in marriage at that city Wednesday afternoon and have been busy since that time accepting the numerous congratulations with which they have been showered. Both are highly thought of in that neighborhood, where they are best known, and where they expect to make their home. This office joins their many other friends in wishing them their share of good things in life.

The Herald gives you 32 pages of Morrow County News every four weeks, twice as much local news as any other paper in the county and charges the same subscription price as its competitors. Besides, it reaches you twice a week, while the news is fresh.

A special vaudeville engagement will open at The Star Theatre tonight (Friday) and will continue tomorrow night and Sunday. The Frank Carpenter Co., featuring the Churchill Sisters in the latest song and dance hits will be the program. Prices 10c and 25c.

COUNTY COURT HOLDS MEETING TO HANDLE ROUTINE WORK

County Court met Wednesday in their regular bi-monthly session and are still at work as we go to press. Among the list of business transacted up to press time we noted the following items:

- The usual list of claims were allowed. S. E. Notson allowed \$150 for the teacher's institute. In the matter of the Viewer's report on the road petition of M. R. Morgan, the report was referred to the District Attorney. In the matter of the District Attorney's motion to cancel Certificate of Delinquency No. 129, ordered canceled. Warehouse bond of M. V. Logan, approved. Warehouse bond of Heppner Farmer's Union Warehouse Co., denied on account of insufficient surety. Warehouse Bond of Kerr, Gifford, Co., approved. Warehouse bond of Jordan Siding Co., approved. In the matter of the cancellation of certain County Warrants, Clerk ordered to cancel same. County Treasurer instructed to exempt the payment of penalty and interest on taxes. In the matter of F. H. Burgoyne's petition for a vote on local option in the Lexington precinct, Clerk ordered to give due notice of such election. Viewer's report of Ritter Road, read and accepted. E. A. Matteson's petition to change Road No. 319, first reading. Viewer's report on Road No. 337, second reading.

ONE NEWS BY OUR SPECIAL WRITER

Mr. Davis who has been practicing dentistry in Echo came over on a visit last Wednesday. He says that business in fine in Echo and everyone takes an interest and helps. He will remain there permanently but will be over on the 8th and stay a week to do some dentistry at the request of local parties.

Doc. Dye returned after a month's absence to resume his practice here. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson returned from the mountains last Monday evening where they have spent the last two weeks hunting and fishing. They report a fine time but say the shooting scarce.

Miss Muriel Cason came over from Walla Walla last Sunday to visit her relatives and friends here. She is employed in the Baker Boyer bank at Walla Walla and is spending her vacation here. She is staying at the W. C. Cason home and intends to stay a week.

W. C. Murphy and wife have moved to the Sperry house. Mr. Loren Hale drove up to the mountains to bring down Mr. and Mrs. Jackson last Sunday. He returned Monday.

Harvey Beesley and Tom Griffith went down last Sunday to work in the Morgan warehouse for George Ely. They were taken down by Fred Nicholson.

There are two reasons why some people don't mind their own business. One is that they haven't any mind, the other that they haven't any business.

Mr. and Mrs. Knappenberg and Mrs. A. E. Johnson with her baby returned from the mountains last Sunday. They have been camping there for the last three weeks and report a fine time.

Carl Troedson who has been sewing sacks on the Troedson and Troedson threshing machine is reported ill this week. Mr. Troedson is sadly missed at the machine and his early recovery is hoped for.

P. J. Linn has purchased the dray business of Frank Akers and will endeavor to give his customers the best service possible. He took charge last Tuesday. He worked for Mr. Akers for the past three months and thoroughly understands the business. Frank Christensen accompanied Charles Chick up to Lexington last Wednesday. They went for a joy ride and returned in the wee hours.

Mr. Mason has let the contract for his new store to well known Portland contractors and work will start in the near future.

Jack Kugleman was in Lone last week fixing up phones and transacting company business.

We heard the other day that a young man of this locality was sent up the creek with a load of hay with instructions to unload it at the ranch where he would see a sack hanging on the fence. The farmers between here and Lexington have him before the police court for disturbing the peace. But he delivered the hay all right.

If a locomotive engineer tanks up, does he make his own head light? (Continued on last page)