

GRIM REAPER STILL AT WORK; YOUNG AND OLD DIE

Citizens of Heppner and Lexington were surprised and pained to learn yesterday morning of the sudden sickness and death of Mrs. R. C. McAllister, which occurred at her home near Lexington at 1:00 a. m. Thursday morning.

Emma Turner was born at Shedd, Oregon, July 23, 1884, being one of a family of eight children. Her parents are Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Turner, highly respected citizens of Salem. They formerly lived at Lexington.

The deceased lived with her husband in Heppner for a number of years, Mr. McAllister being engaged in the forestry service. Last summer they moved to Grass Valley, Ore., but later removed from there to Lexington where they have since been making their home.

The funeral services will be held at the M. E. Church South in Lexington, Saturday afternoon, the 28th at 1:30 p. m. Rev. J. D. Crooks will have charge of the services at the church.

Mrs. Judy Mitchell, one of Oregon's grandest pioneer ladies and a resident of this state for over a half century, died at her home in Heppner yesterday afternoon at 2:10 o'clock.

Mrs. Mitchell, whose maiden name was Judy Younger, was born in Clay County Missouri, September 25, 1834. She was united in marriage to Wm. Mitchell Nov. 3, 1852, and was preceded to the grave by her husband who died in Heppner Nov. 20, 1890.

"The next spring the then young couple longing to have a home where the best opportunities offered, crossed the plains to what was then the territory of Oregon, taking six months to complete the trip. They suffer-

ed many hardships, losing a number of cattle and horses in which their limited means were invested. They lived in Yamhill County two years, Lane County one year, Linn County two years and in 1859 moved to Eastern Oregon, settling on the Umatilla River, then a wild section very sparsely settled.

It was then in Wasco County but Umatilla was afterwards formed, and "Uncle Billy's" sterling worth, honesty and integrity caused the people to select him two terms as commissioner of the new county, and also assessor two terms. In 1885 Morrow County was formed from part of Umatilla and in 1886 he was elected County Judge.

Mrs. Mitchell was a kind and loving companion to her husband during all the years of their married life and suffered patiently with him in his sufferings and grief as well as enjoying his prosperity and health. She was a woman of indomitable will and energy, always standing for what she believed to be right.

Mrs. Mitchell was the mother of six children, three of whom preceded their father to the grave. Those who remain are Charley, Oscar and Mrs. N. F. Whetstone. She is also survived by several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The funeral services will be held at the Christian Church on Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Rev. Crawford will have charge of the services. Interment will be at the Masonic Cemetery.

BANK MUST PAY WAR TAX ON NOTES

The First National Bank of Heppner is one of the local business houses that will feel the drain of the "War Tax" which went into effect Nov. 1, as noted in our last issue. They will be required to pay yearly \$150 on the capital stock and surplus, besides a good sized sum on promissory notes.

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Mrs. Bonine arrived here last Friday evening from Omaha, Neb., and has accepted a position at the Heppner Garage. Mr. Bonine is a first-class mechanic.

John Hayes returned to Portland in time to place his feet under the family table on Turkey-Day.

Have you seen the new Patriotic patterns of Community Silverware at Haylor's?

JUBILEE SINGERS ARE WARMLY GREETED IN HEPPNER

A packed house greeted the Dixie Jubile Singers at the High School Auditorium Wednesday evening and to say that the program was thoroughly enjoyed is putting the matter mildly.

Each member of the company proved to be a singer of extraordinary ability and when they blended their voices in either a camp meeting "shout" or in the higher class operatic number such as selections from Ill Trovatore the harmony they produced was wonderful.

Worthy of special mention were the solos by Madame Buckner, prima dona soprano, Miss Helen Smallwood, contralto and Mr. Wm. Buckner, director of the entertainment and himself a bass singer who has few peers.

The entertainment lasted over two hours and at no time in the evening was there a dull moment. The large audience went away agreeing that such splendid singing had never been surpassed in this city.

Visits Valley After 40 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Matteson and R. J. Gaunt are at Yamhill, Oregon, where they will visit for several weeks. Mr. Matteson told us that this was his first trip to the Valley in the past forty years and we warned him not to take any of the tin money they try to pass off on a fellow down there.

LOST Between L. V. Gentry's and Wash Thompson's ranches—One dark blue overcoat, velvet collar. Had Boston, Massachusetts, brand on. Finder please leave at this office and receive suitable reward.

The carpentry work on the new blacksmith building being constructed by Henry Ashbaugh is nearly completed and exterior painting is now under way. This building helps the looks of that section of the street materially and is a credit to the town.

Drs. Lowe & Turner wish to announce that, owing to the death of Mr. Turner's sister, Mrs. R. C. McAllister, they will change their Heppner and Lone dates as follows: They will be in Heppner at the Palace Hotel on Sunday the 29th only, and in Lone on Monday the 30th only.

ODDELOWS ATTENTION

All members of the I. O. O. F. and wives and all Rebekahs and husbands are cordially invited to attend an open meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall in Heppner, on the evening of December 9, 1914, at 8 o'clock, to meet Grand Patriarch Geo. W. Wright who will visit Cayuse Encampment officially on the above date and who has a message for all branches of the order.

REVIVAL AT HARDMAN

Minister T. S. Handsaker and wife of the local Christian Church will begin a Revival at Hardman next Tuesday evening, December 1. All citizens of Hardman and vicinity are cordially invited to attend.

Orin Wright, who was operated upon by Dr. McMurdo at the Heppner Sanatorium recently, has sufficiently recovered to leave the hospital.

Miss Marie Summers was a visitor in Heppner the first of the week, soliciting subscriptions for The Condon Times, which paper is staging a contest for subscriptions.

Card of Thanks The undersigned relatives of the late Lafayette Penland desire to extend through these columns their words of thanks to all those kind friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us and extended acts and words of kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved husband, father and brother. Also to the many kind friends for the beautiful floral offerings. May God bless you for your kindness.

PROGRAM RENDERED BY GRADE PUPILS

While the weeks of the school year have been passing swiftly by the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades in Miss Casey's room have been working earnestly. We glean the following from the Secretary's report of Nov. 25.

Wednesday afternoon the Society gave its first entertainment. The room was tastefully decorated with white and gold streamers; on the blackboards pictures of the Mayflower and the log cabin, the birth place of Abraham Lincoln, were conspicuous.

Prof. Hoffman is spending the Thanksgiving holidays on his ranch near Rosburg. Harley Adkins spent Thanksgiving at the home of Prof. Howard at Stanfield.

Mrs. T. J. Mahoney entertained the Misses Power, Wallen, Newton and Walker at Thanksgiving dinner.

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MAXWELL CAR WINS

The local agency for the Maxwell automobile received a wire today informing them that a Maxwell car, driven by Barney Oldfield, won third in a racing contest yesterday at Corona, Calif., which went 301 miles. The Maxwell engine was never stooped from the time it was started at the beginning of the race and the average time for the entire distance was 85.9 miles per hour.

Society News

The members of the Bridge Club were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilkins at their spacious home last Friday evening. The prizes of the evening were won by Mrs. T. J. Mahoney and Mr. Dell Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Minor and son, Ellis, went down to Portland to be with Miss Blanche, who is attending school there, during the Thanksgiving period.

Miss Jessie Vickers is making a visit at the Wm. Dunlap home in Condon.

Mrs. Albert Bowker entertained a number of her friends at an informal dinner Thursday evening, the occasion being in honor of a certain "wild goose" that had placed itself in front of an unfriendly shotgun.

Miss Newton, one of the popular teachers in the local schools, went to Stanfield today to visit an old schoolmate over Sunday.

T. H. Huddleston was down from Seattle yesterday to eat turkey with his brother and sister, Jas. and Bess Huddleston.

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The S. E. Van Vactor family went to Arlington yesterday morning to help empty the larder at the Chas. Ames home.

Mrs. Lucinda Elder lies in a critical condition at her home in southeast Heppner.

Gif To Convention

Vawter Crawford Jr., Elra Hayes and David Wilson departed Thursday morning for McMinnville where they will attend the Boy's Conference as delegates from the local Christian and Federated Churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ayers are in the county seat today from their Parker's Mill home.

LONE AGAIN WINS ON GRIDIRON; SCORE IS 7 TO 0

The Turkey-Day struggle between the Lexington and Lone football teams on the latter's grounds was an excellent exhibition. The Egg City lads were returned the winners by the close score of 7 to 0.

The teams were evenly matched as can be judged by the score. Lone made her points within the first three minutes of play. They took the ball on the kick-off and punted to Lexington's 20-yard line where they regained the ball on a fumble.

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A large crowd both Lexington and Lone people were on hand to cheer their respective favorites and much enthusiasm was displayed. Walter Cochran, sporting editor of the Herald, acted as referee and Kenneth Blake of Lone officiated as umpire.

WAS THIS YOUNG MAN THANKFUL?

Cyrus Aiken, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Aiken, is one young man away from home who was no doubt thankful for many blessings yesterday. Among his chief blessings we would list the love of a mother, whose heart never stops beating for her son.

Mrs. J. A. Carle of Dayville, Grant Co., is in Heppner taking treatment from Dr. Conder.

Mrs. Smith of Rhea Creek has been quite ill from bronchitis.