

STAMP TAXES NOW IN EFFECT; PRICES OF STAMPS RANGE FROM 1-8C TO 20C

SENDERS OF TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH MESSAGES MUST PAY—ALSO DEEDS AND REALTY TRANSFERS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—There will be two classes of stamps for the payment of the stamp taxes which go into effect today. One class will be for use on proprietary articles and wises, the other for documents. The proprietary stamps range from 1-8 cent to 20 cents, and the documentary stamps from 1/2 cent to \$1000.

The adhesive stamps taxes are the one which in most cases will fall directly on the average citizen. Following is the official schedule of the stamps tax which goes into effect today:

Bonds, debentures, certificates of indebtedness by any association, company or corporation, new issues, \$100 par value 5 cents each.

Sales or agreements to sell stock, \$100 par value 2 cents each.

Agreement of sale of products or merchandise on exchanges, each \$100 1 cent.

Promissory notes, except bank notes for circulation and renewals, each \$100, 2 cents.

Bundles shipped by freight of express, 1 cent.

Telegraph and telephone companies on each message over 15 cents, 1 cent.

Senders of telephone and telegraph messages, on each over 15 cents, 1 cent.

Certificates of profits of corporations, etc., and transfers thereof, face value each \$100, 2 cents.

Damage certificates, etc., 25 cents.

Other certificates required by law, 10 cents.

Broker's note or memorandum of sale, 10 cents.

Deeds or realty transfers valued between \$100 and \$500, 50 cents.

Same, each additional \$500, 50 cents.

Entry of goods at custom house, \$100 value, 25 cents.

Same, not exceeding \$500 value, 50 cents.

Same, exceeding \$500 value, \$1.

Entry for withdrawal of goods from customs bonded warehouse, 50 cents.

Insurance of property, new or renewed policies, each dollar 1-2 cent.

Policies of insurance or bond of nature of indemnity for loss, each dollar, 1 cent.

Passenger tickets by sea to foreign port costing less than \$10, \$1.

Same, not exceeding \$60, \$3.

Same, exceeding \$60, \$5.

Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc., vaseline, hair dyes, tooth washes, graded in value of 5 cents up to 15 cents, each 5 cents 1-8 cent.

Same, valued from 15 to 25 cents, 5-8 cent.

Same, each additional 25 cents retail, 5-8 cent.

Chewing gum, etc., valued less than \$1 a unit, 4-10 cent.

Same, each additional \$1, 4-10 cent.

Voting powers or proxies, 10 cents.

Power to convey real estate, probate, 25 cents.

Palace or parlor car seat or berth, 1 cent.

MONUMENT WEIGHS 16,000 POUNDS

The N. A. Tibbits Granite Company of Portland has just completed the erection of the James McHaley monument in the local cemetery. This is probably the best monument in the cemetery. It is 6 feet high and weighs 16,000 pounds and is Eastern granite throughout. Six large horses were necessary to pull each block up the cemetery hill. James McHaley was one of the pioneers of this country and a prominent sheepman. He was killed about two years ago in an automobile accident near Lexington. He was a kind and generous man and his plain habits and manner of living are reflected in the monument which bears but the word, McHaley, in one-half round letters in relief.

W. T. McRoberts has purchased the Gentry residence near the Federated Church and will occupy same with his family in the near future.

Roy Whiteis and Joe Mason, two prominent residents of Ione transacted business in the county seat since our last issue.

Anyone interested in securing a new piano will do well to drop a line or call on me in Heppner. I represent the Packard Piano Factory and am prepared to offer you a new piano at a lower price than you can get anywhere. That statement might sound odd, but if you will talk the matter over with me, I can easily prove its truth to you.

I will accept livestock or old pianos or organs in exchange at a fair valuation. If you have a good horse or cow that you can spare, see me, I will give you terms to suit.

I have the instruments here and will bring one to your home and show you what a fine instrument we handle. Our "Bend" pianos, named after the President of our Company, will suit the most exacting. Prices from \$185 to \$500 for uprights; Players \$550 to \$850.

I live in the Ralph Jones house in Heppner. Mail address, Heppner, Oregon. Write me.

C. GUY WAKEFIELD,
Heppner, Oregon.
Representing the Packard Music Co.,
Portland, Oregon.

MORGAN MUTTERINGS

Special to the Herald, Dec. 1, 1914.

The Fourmile telephone company repaired their line here last Saturday.

It has been reported that we will have a new store in Morgan in the near future.

Mr. G. A. Miller has made arrangements to have Buffington and Nicholson drill a well for him. Mr. Miller says that he is tired of hauling water.

Mr. Earl Jackson is staying with W. G. Palmateer and they all say that Earl is some cook.

The Morgan people who attended the show last Saturday night at Ione were Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ely and W. F. and A. F. Palmateer. They said they had a fine time.

Everyone here is buying "War" stamps which must be stuck on everything you buy or sell.

O. O. Edwards went down to Portland Tuesday to take in the sights for a few days. Mr. Edwards has been working for some time on Paul Hialer's new house out the Lena way and says that Paul will have a modern home second to none in that community. You young ladies get busy; Paul is looking for a first-class cook.

The Sunday School Board of the Federated Church held a business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brown last night. A program for Christmas was discussed and other general conditions of the Sunday School. After the business was concluded refreshments were served.

The new-born babe of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burchell of Lexington died yesterday after having lived only one hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Phill Cohn are taking a week's vacation and left Tuesday morning for a visit in The Dalles, Portland and Astoria.

There are rumors in the community to the effect that a well known man is contemplating abandoning single-blessedness.

Henry Wagner took the initiatory degree in Willow Lodge No. 66, I. O. O. F., Wednesday night.

Notice to Customers.
I am now able to accommodate all my customers as I have my old bars ready for use.

W. T. McRoberts.

SOCIAL HYGIENE MEETING

Next Thursday night there will be a meeting of all people interested in social and moral hygiene in the auditorium of the High School at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. McMurdo, Supt. Hoffman, S. E. Notson and Dr. J. B. Wise, of Portland are on the program for speeches and C. E. Woodson is chairman of the meeting. This meeting is something which all should attend and get acquainted with the facts of diseases which must be eradicated. Be there.

The Annual Memorial services of the Elks Lodge next Sunday is something of community interest, as members and citizens alike are invited to attend. They will be held in the afternoon at the Lodge Hall in the I. O. O. F. building. Exalted Ruler, Mr. C. C. Bradley, of Portland, delivers the main address. There will be special music.

Doug. Gurdane and J. H. Bush have been getting eleven fancy chickens ready for the Portland show. Morrow County chickens are as good as any and this is shown by the way they are entered against the best in the West.

DEFINITE DATES SET FOR POULTRY SHOW

January 6, 7, 8, and 9, 1915, are the dates that have been definitely settled for the holding of the Third Annual Show of the Morrow County Poultry Association. The premium lists have been completed and are now being distributed. Mr. Keeney of Eugene, Oregon's greatest judge of poultry, will officiate at this show. Mr. Keeney is also one of the three judges at the big Portland show. A striking feature of the premium list is the large number of specialties that are offered by the merchants and business houses of Heppner. They take up four pages in the booklet, and will be reprinted in The Herald next week. It is probable that the show will be held in the Club Building. This will be announced later.

D. E. Gilman left this morning for Portland to transact business.

CARD OF THANKS
The undersigned desire to express their most sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly lent their aid and sympathy during the trying hours following the death and during the burial of our beloved wife and sister. We especially desire to thank the members of the Rebekah Lodge who attended the funeral from a distance and to those who provided the beautiful flowers.

R. C. McAllister
Dr. Turner

Cavalry Horses WANTED

The undersigned will be at the Stock Yards in Heppner on or about Dec. 10, definite date will be announced in this space next week. I want geldings or mares, 15 to 16 hands high, weight 950 to 1300 pounds, any color except white and light gray.

J. M. SHAW, Buyer

Watch this space for definite date and remember, I WILL BE THERE RAIN OR SHINE.

Any definite information required by interested parties will be furnished by Mr. Guy Boyer.

HONOR PUPILS FOR NOVEMBER

STUDENTS WHO MAKE IT A POINT TO BE PROMPT.

We have received the Honor list of pupils who have not been absent or tardy for the month of November and are glad to print the following names: Dist. No. 16, Miss Anna C. Troedson, teacher; Blanche Turner, Alfred Turner, Linea Troedson, Carl W. Troedson, Verner Troedson, Annie Stender, District No. 59, Miss Pifer, teacher; Elma Moore, Ethel Moore, Clarence Moore, Ralph Moore and Lisle Matteson, District No. 50, Mrs. Louise Ritchie, teacher; Ada Ashinhus, Ethel Copenhaver, Nina Campbell, Albert Miller, Boyd Copenhaver, Addie Ashinhus, Stella McDandel, Gerald Roberts, Bertha Ritchie, Olin Ritchie, Danie Campbell and Fay Ritchie, District No. 51, Harriet M. Stephens, teacher; Eva, Hazel and Hubert McDonald, Chester, Dollie and Earl McGraw, Oren and Alice McDonald, Guy and Carey Hastings, Victor Johnson and Virgil Stephens, District No. 9, Josephine McDevitt, teacher; Philip and Willis Doherty, Strawberry School, District No. 18, Miss Letitia Shewey, teacher; Vera Towne and Curtis French, District No. 20, Alice Arnold, teacher; Ann, Cassie and Margaret McDevitt, District No. 15, Vernus Young, teacher; Irvin Padberg, Hugh Shaw, Ralph Phillips and Lou Benga, District No. 17, Zetta E. Stephens, teacher; Erda Fradd, Henry Brown, Melvin Moyers, Beulah, Homer and Huldah Tucker, District No. 14, Zena Houser, teacher; 4th grade, Kelsie Devine, Anna Grabbill and Lewis Ball; 3rd grade, Irene Devine; 4th grade, Frank McGrath, District No. 57, Elva Troedson, teacher; Josephine and Mary Moore, Loyd McNabb, James, Richard and Josiah Logan, District No. 21, Vera Langdon, teacher; Vera Dalzell, Arthur Dalzell and Coral Warren.

District No. 34, Grace May, teacher; Leora and Elsie Watkins, Charles Kirk, Iseck Dexter, Alice Kirk, Harold and Flossie Hill.

In repairing the streets by the school the water has been turned off in that end of town. This happened at a very inopportune time for Gene Noble, who Bert Stone says, was scheduled for a bath tonight.

The Herald received \$1.50 of good Woodrow Wilson currency from our friend, Walter Robinson, who directs the semi-weekly sent to him at Merill, Oregon. Thanks Walter.

Emerson Keithley of Eightmile was numbered among today's visitors.

ENTERTAINS YOUNG PEOPLE

Mrs. Long gave a dinner party last night for her Sunday School class in honor of the two boys, David Wilson and Elra Hayes, who had just returned from the Boys' Convention at McMinnville. Those present were the Misses Helen and Ella Aiken, Edith Thorley, Mary Notson, Lucille Elder, Lola Briggs, Melba Griffith, Pearl La Trace and Marion Long. Besides the two young men in whose honor the party was given there were the Messrs Oren Wright, Harley Adkins, Lamont Slocum, Henry Aiken, Gene Penland, Lee Mead, Walter Cochran, Louis McGowan, Nerton Winnard, Tom Hughes, Stephen Irwin, Edw. La Trace, Edw. Winters and Edw. Clark. After the splendid dinner the boys made a report of their trip in an informal way and will have a written report to submit to the class next Sunday. They answered questions and among them they reported that they had an excellent time and were complimented for coming such a distance to attend the Convention.

There will be a district convention of the same character in Heppner some time in February, which will comprise delegates from three or more counties. This work is being carried on by the Y. M. C. A.'s and the churches and is something to be encouraged. Mrs. Long certainly has a fine class of young people and all are enthusiastic workers, which fact is shown by their raising the amount of money needed to send delegates to McMinnville. She will be glad to welcome any young man who is desirous of getting into this work and any young man not attending Sunday School can consider this an invitation to join her class.

Mr. Porter, who with Mr. Rogers, of Tacoma, Wash., bought one of the Gilmore ranches near Fox Valley, in Grant County, recently disposed of his interest in that ranch and has purchased the Sam Cochran ranch of 800 acres located on the flat just this side of Monument. With this sale goes about 100 head of horses on the place. This ranch is one of the best in that section of the country and has a fine house, equipped with hot and cold water and which is headquarters for all people traveling in that section.

At the recent election of officers the Rebekahs chose Mrs. Anna Brown, Noble Grand; Mrs. Florence Hughes, Vice-Grand; Mrs. M. E. Hendrickson, Secretary and Miss Ruth Winters, Treasurer. The Oddfellows' new list of officers are, N. E. Winnard, Noble Grand; F. N. Christensen, Vice-Grand; A. M. Phelps, Secretary and Clyde Brock, Treasurer.

Roy Campbell has his doubts about the pleasures of football. After the last Ione-Lexington game he discovered that his neck was slightly out of joint and came to Heppner to get the member properly adjusted.

The street leading to the right of the school is being graded just at the high point and made passable for teams, something that should have been done years ago, says Doug. Gurdane.

Wm. Hughes, the well known Portland capitalist, returned to the metropolis on Tuesday after having spent some time in this vicinity looking after business interests.

Forest Supervisor, W. C. Cryder of the Heppner Reserve, went to Pendleton on Tuesday to attend the Wool-growers' Convention, which was postponed from last month.

Mr. Luttrell of Blackhorse made a hurried trip to Heppner yesterday coming on a horse in 33 minutes for a doctor, one of his children being sick.

The people of Lexington and Ione will be entertained by the stock company now playing at the star. They will appear in Lexington, Friday night and at Ione Saturday night.

Fred Beck and wife, who have been in the employ of Andy Rood Jr. for the past few months, concluded their labors and left, Wednesday for Pendleton.

County Clerk-elect J. A. Waters has been in Heppner recently and has rented the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wells, the Slocum house in north Heppner.

COUNTY COURT AGAIN IN SESSION

MOSTLY ROUTINE BUSINESS TRANSACTED—MANY BILLS ALLOWED

The County Court is in session. The business transacted up to the present time was mainly routine business. The regular salaries and widow's pensions have been allowed. There were a few small road claims. The Circuit Court bills for jurors and witnesses and other expenses amounted to \$723.60 were allowed, as was \$499.20 for the State Accountants work in going over the records. It's too bad they didn't make it an even \$500, they would have gotten it just as easy and it considerable easier to write on a check. If ever money was thrown away, surely this was. If the work had been done at the end of the Officials term of office, there might be some excuse for it, but coming at this time of the year, it is simply money tossed away.

The Herald printed the 28 page premium list for the Morrow County Poultry Association and had it ready for delivery within 18 working hours after the copy was handed to the business manager. On previous occasions the committee has been compelled to wait two or more weeks for this booklet.

Mr. Knighten, who has been working for Newt Robinson for some time and visiting his brother, Mr. L. E. Knighten out in Eightmile, departed Tuesday for Waldport, Oregon, accompanied by Mr. Hendrickson.

CHARIVARI GIVEN ON THANKSGIVING

A usual charivari was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morland at the Jenkins ranch on the twenty-sixth of last month. The forty guests loaded the table with Thanksgiving goodies, among which there were at least fourteen chickens and all the other "trimmings" in proportion. The wedding and bride's cakes were carved amid much merriment. The carpet was quickly removed and the dancing feet and jovial actions of the crowd mingled with the music in one jolly blend. Tom Arnold and G. Fuller called some old-fashioned quadrilles which everyone enjoyed.

Mr. Morland said he was very thankful for—and his eyes rested on his bride who was daintily powdered in white serge and messaline; Frank spent most of his time with a couple of boxes of cigars and the boys said he wasn't a bit stingy.

Frank Pierce, a nephew of the late James McHaley, left for Pendleton yesterday. Mr. Pierce is interested in some gold mines in Alaska and showed us some nuggets which were practically pure gold. One of them contained \$32 worth of gold. He said that wood costs \$100 a cord in his country and everything else in proportion.

The premium lists of the Morrow County Poultry Association show are now being distributed. Anyone desiring one can get the same by addressing the Secretary. A number of these will be sent to the Portland Poultry show where they will go into the hands of Poultrymen all over the Northwest.

Oddfellows and their wives and Rebekahs and their husbands should not fail to be on hand at the lodge room next Wednesday night to hear Grand Patriarch Geo. W. Wright who has a message for all branches of the order. The entertainment committee is now preparing for a big feed on the above night.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH SERVICES
There will be usual services at the Christian Church next Sunday. At 11:00 a. m., the pastor will preach on: "The Constraining Power of Love." Endeavor at 6:45 and preaching at 7:30.