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HEPPNER BOYS ENTER THE NAVAL SERVICE

Three Heppner lads, Harry and Charlie Groshens and Elmer Prasley, left Wednesday morning for Portland where they will enter the U. S. navy. Harry and Elmer, both of whom are 18 years of age, have enlisted for a term of three years, and Charlie, who is but 17, has enlisted for a period of four years. The term of enlistment in each case will end when the boys have attained their majority.

The boys will not know until after their arrival in Portland where they will be sent, but expect it will be either Mare Island navy yard, at San Francisco, or the Bremerton yard on Puget Sound.

The boys say they are going with an eye to business rather than to have a good time, and while they look forward with much interest the chance the service will offer to see the world, they all expect to improve their time by learning a good trade. Harry Groshens and Elmer Prasley expect to perfect themselves as electricians, while Charlie Groshens will probably take up the trade of carpentry. Chief Quartermaster S. Watson, of the Portland Naval Recruiting station, came out Tuesday and accompanied the boys to Portland on Wednesday morning.

Victor Groshens, father of Harry and Charlie, is responsible for the enlistment of the boys, having urged them that it was their duty to serve their country. Mr. Groshens is a well known citizen of Heppner, a Frenchman by birth, but a genuine, dyed-in-the-wool American by adoption.

C. A. Johnson, of Lexington, is another naturalized citizen of Morrow county who believes in putting the U. S. navy on a war basis. A few days ago Mr. Johnson took five Morrow county young men to Portland at his own expense, one of them being his own son, and presented them at the naval recruiting station for enlistment. The five young men passed the physical examination easily. Lieutenant-Commander J. H. Blackburn saying that he never saw better physical specimens than these stalwart Morrow county boys.

Many Morrow county friends of all these young men will wish them good luck in their adventure.

No Race Suicide Here

Dr. Winnard reports the birth of twins to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moyer, of Blackhorse, on Wednesday, March 21. Mr. and Mrs. Moyer have been married three years and ten months and are the parents of six children. At the first visit of the stork twins were left at the Moyer home, and at the next two visits single babies were the prizes, and now this latest double play brings the family up to an even half dozen. Dr. Winnard reports mother and babes to be doing nicely.

The Federated Church

The topic for the morning sermon will be the second commandment. Evening sermon, "God's Use of the Common place."

If you want churches in the community do your duty and help to make them successful by making it a practice to attend their services. You are most cordially invited.

H. A. Noyes, Pastor.

New Citizens Admitted

Judge Phelps held a short term of circuit court here Tuesday to hear proceedings in naturalization when the following persons were admitted to citizenship.

William Thomas Crow, of Lexington; born in Oregon, became a British subject while a resident of Canada, and is now reaf-

firming his allegiance to the United States.

Philip Sydney Thurston, of Lexington, native of Canada.

John McMerney, of Heppner, native of Ireland.

Gust Adolph Johnson, of Lone, native of Sweden.

John Keegan, of Heppner native of Ireland.

Herbert Edwin Tastone, of Lena, native of England.

MARRIED—Mr. Lee Sprinkel and Miss Clara Bayless, well known young people of Heppner, were united in marriage last Monday afternoon in the office of Attorney Sam E. Van Vactor. Judge J. P. Williams performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Sprinkel will reside in Heppner.

H. S. ATHLETIC CLUB ENTERTAINMENT FINE

At the "Smokeless Smoker" given by the High School Athletic Association last Thursday evening a good, clean list of events was put on.

In the first wrestling bout Sigabee weighed in at 116 pounds and Parker at 120. The boys put up a pretty 15-minute bout which resulted in a draw.

The boxing event of the evening was between Nicholson, at 140 pounds, and Ingram, at 144. This event was scheduled for four 2 minute rounds, but "The best laid plans o' mice and men gang aft a-glee," and in this case Ingram was left in the second round. The bout was not lacking in interest, however, while it lasted.

In the exhibition wrestling match between Lieualle, at 156 pounds, and Winnard, at 159, with Bowman as referee, a pretty bit of work was shown.

In the handicap wrestling match between Groshens, at 165, and Bowman, at 160, Bowman won three falls and the match within an hour.

Blindfold boxing, pole match and other stunts added to the interest of the session.

Church of Christ

Services Sunday, March 25. Subject of the morning sermon: "The Spirit of Christ in Man."

In the evening the subject will be "The Destinies of Man," and will be illustrated on the blackboard. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

REVISED MAP OF PROPOSED HIGHWAY

We present herewith a revised map of the highway routes designated by the road bonding bill. This map corrects many of the errors made in the hastily prepared sketches that were published soon after the legislature passed the bill. It also shows the cities and towns along the state highways.

While this is not an official map, it has been inspected informally by the members of the State Highway Commission. The Commissioners are precluded by their official positions from expressing any opinion as to exactly where the roads will go, until such time as they hold hearings in the different counties and take such formal action as the law requires in locating and designating the highways permanently.

The kind of roads contemplated in the bonding act is shown in small type.

"Paved roads" are those designated to be hard-surfaced after the counties prepare the road beds. This simply includes grading. It does not involve the county in the expense of cement or crushed rock foundation as part of the paving.

"Post roads" are highways constructed in co operation with the Federal government. Any designated highway over which mail is or may be carried is subject to classification as a post road. It is proposed to grade the post roads and put a suitable surface on same, (not a pavement) the sum for this to come from the Federal government and the state bond issue.

"Forest roads" are the same as "Post roads," except that they must be built within or leading to National forests. This expense is shared by the government, the state and the counties.

"Paved and Post roads" are roads which are to be paved by the state over such mileage as the counties may prepare ready for paving; the remainder of the mileage of those roads will be improved as "Post roads."

The bonding act confers full jurisdiction upon the State Highway Commission to make minor changes in location, and the Commission has expressed its policy,

which is to learn the facts in each locality before making final locations, so each state road may be placed where it should be to serve the population of the counties traversed by it. Not until after these hearings have been held in all the counties will it be finally determined where all these state roads will be constructed, so there will be ample opportunity for correction of errors or changing of such local routings where same may be done to better serve the county population.

CECIL NOTES

J. W. Osborn has purchased a new Vela car of Evert Snell of Arlington.

John Miller went to Portland, Sunday.

Jim Whitney, Jim O'Connor and Tom Sheridan, of Cecil, attended the St. Patrick's Ball at Heppner.

Mr. Cummins, who has been painting J. W. Osborn's new house, finished last Friday and returned to his home at Willows.

Gaylon Falkner, who has been away the past year, has returned and is now working for Ellis Minor.

There will be a dance in the Cecil hall next Saturday evening, March 24.

Mrs. Charles Smith, of Heppner, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Logan visited with Grandpa and Grandma Melton last Sunday.

Pete Banerfeld told your correspondent to be sure to put in the paper that he, Pete, was soon to be married.

T. H. Low is pruning the orchard of Ellis Minor this week.

R. C. Warden, employed by N. F. Lawson, while trimming the limbs from a tree, received an ugly gash in the left ankle when his ax glanced. He was brought to town and Dr. Winnard took several stitches in the wound. At last accounts he was doing well.

St. Patrick's Day Service

At the St. Patrick's Day service in the Catholic church last Saturday morning, Rev. Father O'Rourke delivered a striking discourse on the influence of the Irish race on the world; how Irish priests went forth among the barbarians of Europe proclaiming the story of the cross and pointing out the way of life; how, later, they came in numbers to the New World, where they made an ineffaceable impress on the national life and character. Father O'Rourke is a gifted and polished orator and his remarks on this occasion, had they been spoken outside the sanctuary of the church, would have evoked hearty applause.

ST. PATRICK'S EVE PROGRAM PLEASURES

The entertainment given in the opera house last Friday evening, the eve of St. Patrick's Day, was of a high degree of merit, the large audience present being delighted with every number.

A children's chorus opened the program and the sweet childish voices delighted the auditors and called forth a hearty encore. That man who does not admire the trained voices of children singing must be a pessimist, indeed.

The beautiful vocal solo, "She is the Daughter of Mother McChree," was delightfully rendered by Mrs. John Kilkenny, whose deep, rich, well-modulated voice is so well suited to the old Irish melodies so dear to the heart of every loyal son and daughter of Erin's Isle.

Mrs. C. L. Sweek served as accompanist throughout the evening and favored with a piano solo which was highly appreciated.

Sandy Anderson, popular local vocalist, pleased with the good old number, "How Ireland Got Its Name," and was recalled.

Mrs. R. J. Vaughn sang a beautiful solo entitled, "It Was Only an Irishman's Dream," receiving a hearty encore.

Rev. Father E. J. Power of Portland then delivered a lecture on the pertinent topic, "Ireland's Hopes and Aspirations." It was a masterful effort and was both enjoyable and instructive. The speaker pointed out that the three outstanding traits of the Irish people are Faith, Chastity and Courage, these qualities being firmly implanted in the heart and soul of every loyal Irishman.

Following the lecture, Miss Peggy O'Rourke delighted the audience with the beautiful Irish melody, "Avonreen," her clear soprano voice just fitting the composition of the selection.

Then came the inimitable Jock Coleman with his catchy repertoire of "Irish melodies," quips and jests, and many a side-ached in that audience before he loosed his grip on them and let them recover breath. Jock came mighty high spouting it all by trying to masquerade as an Irishman, but Father O'Rourke took care of that by announcing that "Jock is really a Scot, although he plays the fiddle like an Irishman."

Mrs. Ray Bonine, who, beside being a native born Heppner woman, has achieved an enviable reputation as a professional singer, favored the audience with the popular old favorite, "Killarney." Her remarkable, deep contralto is a never ending pleasure to her audiences, and Heppner has much reason to be proud of her.

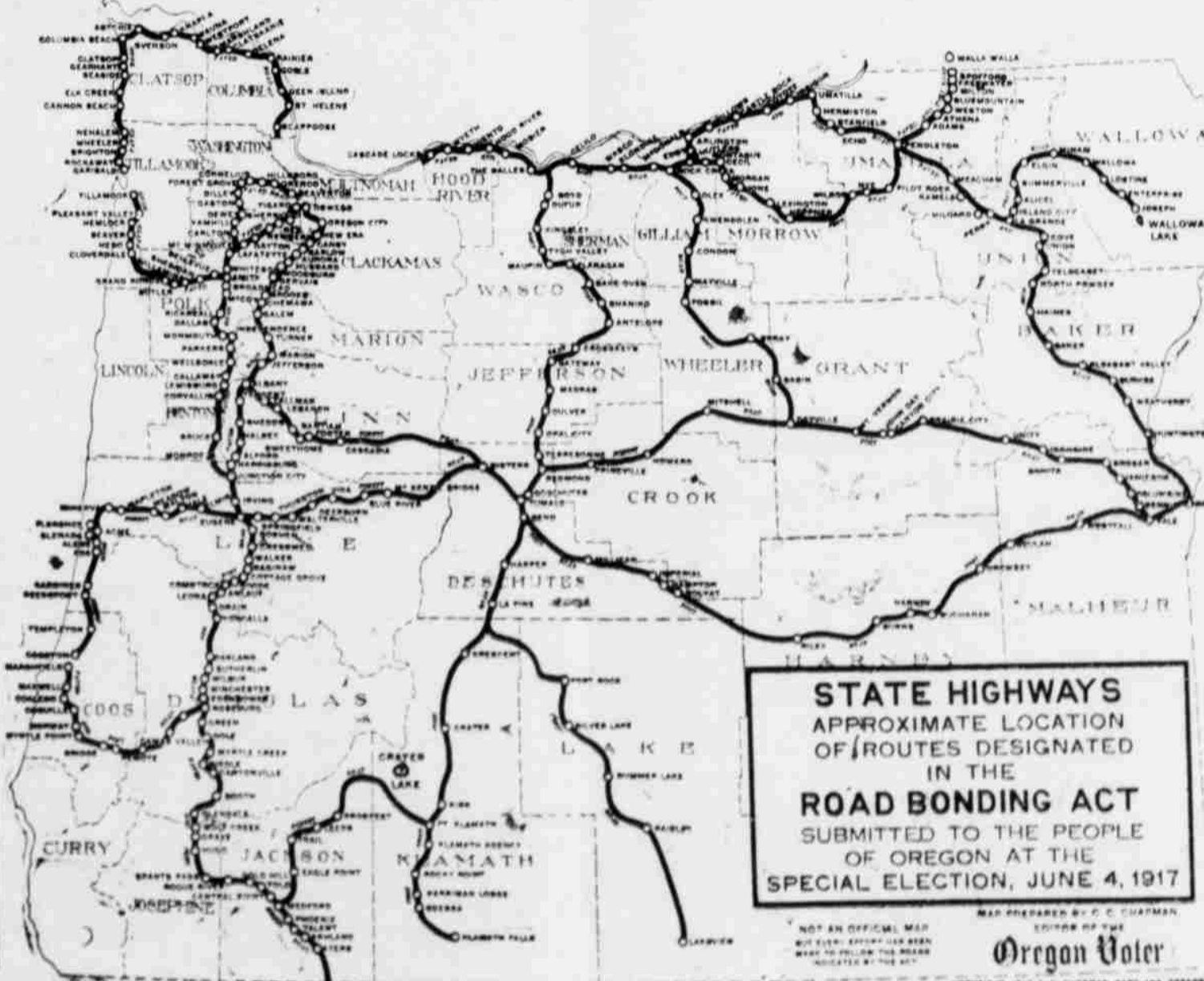
Then came Pat McDermott in his unexcelled Irish jig dancing, with Jock Coleman behind the fiddle and Sandy Anderson tickling the fiddle. A nimbler pair of heels than Pat's would be hard to find in this workaday world.

As a finale the audience rose and joined in singing "God Save Ireland," and "America."

LOST—Large brown milk maid. Black stripe. Left on bench on west side of Fair pavilion at Elks' ball. Finder will please leave at Herald office. Reward, 46-48.

Catholic Church Services
Sunday, March 25: First Mass 8:00 a. m. Second Mass at 11:00 a. m.

F. W. Burns, the landscape gardener of Condon, is here for a few days, with trees and shrubs for Spring planting. d47



Attention! Farmers!!

A meeting of the Farmers' Union will be held at the court house at 1:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday, March 24, in the interest of the proposed grain elevator for Heppner. All persons interested in this matter, either directly or indirectly, are urged to attend this meeting. Committees now in the field securing subscriptions will report progress at this meeting.

W. G. McCARTHY.

**STATE HIGHWAYS
APPROXIMATE LOCATION
OF ROUTES DESIGNATED
IN THE
ROAD BONDING ACT
SUBMITTED TO THE PEOPLE
OF OREGON AT THE
SPECIAL ELECTION, JUNE 4, 1917**

NOT AN OFFICIAL MAP
BUT EVERY COUNTY HAS BEEN
MADE TO FOLLOW THE ROAD
INDICATED BY THE ACT
MAP PREPARED BY C. C. CHAPMAN
EDITOR OF THE
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