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## E. M. SHUTT TO MAKE RACE FOR SHERIFF

E. M. Shutt will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff at the coming primaries, according to a statement made by that gentleman to a representative of this paper last Wednesday. Persistent rumors had coupled Mr. Shutt's name with the nomination and the Herald finally decided to go to Mr. Shutt himself for the facts about a matter which is of general public interest. Mr. Shutt's statement follows:

"Ever since I returned to Heppner to live leading citizens seem to have it settled among themselves that I must come out for sheriff at the coming primaries. Up to this time I have withheld my decision in the matter but the demand has become so strong from all the political parties that I now believe it to be a case of the office seeking the man and I have therefore decided to consent to allow my name to be used in this capacity at the Republican primaries.

"It is certainly gratifying to me to observe that all the principles of local, county and state government and good citizenship which I have advocated and fought for during a 20 years' residence in Morrow county have been approved and ratified by the people and that most of those who formerly opposed some of these principles are now my firm friends and supporters.

I fully realize the great responsibility placed upon the shoulders of a peace officer, but if the good people of Morrow county see fit to again nominate and elect me to this position I will certainly endeavor to merit the trust and confidence thus imposed in me."

### Heppner-Lone Game Standoff

Heppner football eleven went down to Lone Sunday to walk around over the Lone eleven again for an hour or so but some how or other the walking around business was pretty well divided up. As a matter of fact the game was a double goose egg affair and all the "best of it" either team had to brag about might have been put in a goat's eye. The teams were so evenly matched that there was no room for much hollerin' on either side and about the quickest way out of the matter is to call it an all star game and let it go at that. Heppner still has the recollection of the first game to roll around under her tongue and enjoy, and plenty of faith that if a third is played we will come out on top. Lone however, has demonstrated that she knows the game and is not at all afraid of bumps and bruises when she goes out to play it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kirk were business visitors in Heppner Monday.

R. F. Hynd came up from Portland Monday to look after business affairs in Heppner for a few days.

## DR. GUNSTER VETERINARIAN LICENSED GRADUATE

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### Our Boys in Uniform

Harold Cohn got turned down because of alleged color blindness but he fooled the M. D. by changing his glasses and trying it again when he went through fine. Harold swore that if he couldn't get into the army or navy, he would buy and equip an ambulance, ship it to France and go along and drive it rather than come back to Heppner. He is now at Goat Island with a number of other Heppner lads, and they all expect to leave that island some day and make Billy Kaiser the "Goat."

Guyle Shurte, who enlisted in the hospital corps, is stationed at Vancouver. He reports that his first day's work as a Sammy was at the small end of a shovel and he learned the rudiments of pick and shoveling his way through life. Guyle was game tho and claims to like that sort of exercise.

### "King Of The World"

This popular Christmas Cantata, by Lizzie DeArmond and E. S. Lorenz, will be given at the Opera House, Christmas eve, by the Sunday Schools of Heppner.

One hundred and fiftyseven actors and singers will take part in rendering this favorite musical and dramatic presentation of the story that never grows old, and we predict that it will be thoroly enjoyed by the people of Heppner.

The entertainment will be free to all, but it is eminently proper while enjoying our Christmas this year that we remember the distressed of lands where famine walks in the shadow of war. Members of the Sunday Schools are requested to bring a dime for the starving orphans of Armenia.

By order of Committee.

### Heppner Man Owns Mt. Vernon Springs

E. N. Noble, a former Heppner boy, and who was engaged in business here for a number of years, is now owner of the Mt. Vernon Hot Springs, having recently purchased the property from C. F. Waters. Many people attended the dance given at the Springs recently and Mr. Noble reports that he had 90 for midnight supper. Mr. Noble is contemplating some extensive improvements at the Springs and expects to have the resort in fine shape by the time the John Day Highway is open for traffic. His hot spring resort will be one of the chief points of attraction along this famous highway.

An analysis of the water from these springs, made by Professor Knisley, of the Oregon Agricultural College, at Corvallis, shows the following minerals: Soluble Silicates, Iron Compound, Calcium Sulphate and Sodium Chloride. The temperature of the water in the different springs ranges from 108 to 123 degrees Fahrenheit.

Dr. G. M. Roberts, one of the oldest established and leading physicians of the county, says of the Mt. Vernon Springs: "I find upon examination of the chemical report made, that the Mt. Vernon Warm Springs contain valuable medical properties and would especially recommend them for the treatment of rheumatism, skin diseases and all catarrhal conditions of the stomach."

## Good, Old Santa Claus



Santa's Christmas Gift to the Red Cross will give the Sammies Joy; the Kaiser Gloom

### Red Cross Notes

Mrs. Binns, chairman of the Civilian Relief committee of Morrow County Chapter, American Red cross has been advised by F. P. Foisie, director of civilian relief of the northwestern division, that our Home Service section is prepared to advise all families of enlisted men as to their rights under the "War Insurance and Family Allowance Law."

In this connection the secretary of the treasury has sent out a letter addressed to all officers and enlisted men and women and their relatives, the principal points of which may be given in brief as follows:

The enlisted man with wife children is required to contribute up to one half of his pay for their support and upon application the government will add from \$5 to \$50 per month dependent upon the size of the family. Similar provision may also be made for dependent parent, brother, sister, or grandchild. For disability due to injuries or disease officers and men as well as army and navy nurses will receive from the government from \$30 to \$100 per month and should he die compensation from \$20 to \$75 per month will be paid his wife, child or widowed mother. Soldiers, sailors and nurses of age may take out, between now and Feb. 12, 1918, war insurance against death and total disability up to \$10,000 at a cost of from 65 cents per month per each \$1000 insurance at the age of 21 to \$1.20 per month at the age of 51. This insurance is purely optional. To provide protection until Feb. during the period the men are learning the details of the law the government automatically insures each man and woman in the service at the rate of \$25 a month during total permanent disability. If he dies within 20 years it pays the rest of \$25 monthly installments of \$25 each to his wife, child or widowed mother. Full information may be obtained from the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.

Lexington Auxiliary is now organized and is doing splendid work, according to Mrs. L. G. Herren who spent the day as the guest of Lexington Red Cross workers last Saturday. The Lexington workers sent a machine up for Mrs. Herren Saturday morning with an invitation to go down and assist in perfecting the business organization. The Lexington ladies are fully equipped with everything needed for carrying on the work in the very best manner even to work uniforms with which each member is provided. The work has been thoroughly systematized and everything is running like clock work. Mrs. Herren affirms that no similar organization in the county, nor for that matter, any where else, has anything on the Lexington auxiliary. A splendid luncheon was served at noon Saturday and the occasion was at once enjoyable as a social function and profitable to the great cause in which all Red Cross workers are engaged. Lexington members plan to come up to Heppner enmasse some evening to attend a regular business meeting of the Morrow County Chapter.

The following goods have been received from the different auxiliaries and branches and forwarded to Seattle:

From Hardman—15 bundles Gauze compressors; 9x9; 12 bundles absorbent pads 9x12; 7 bundles gauze compressors 4x1. Lexington—7 bundles gauze pads, 1 sweater, 1 pair socks.

Lone—25 bundles laparotomy pads, Lone also made 175 kits which were filled by Heppner.

Heppner—8 pairs pajamas, 6 taped bed shirts, 6 dozen dish towels, 5.9 dozen hand towels, 5 wash rags, filled 175 housewife kits.

There is plenty of work for all.

### Huston-Edmundson

Luther Huston and Mrs. M. J. Edmundson, well known and respected residents of Heppner, were quietly married at the Christian parsonage last Saturday morning. They will reside in the Otha Crawford house. Many friends will join in best wishes.

### Report On The High School Play

The play given by the high school last Friday evening at the auditorium was one of the most satisfactory that the school has ever given. The young folks rose to the occasion nicely and after listening to what they had to say it almost makes one glad he is bachelor. About one third of the people of Heppner were present, which was encouraging and appreciated. Some patrons liked the play so well that they asked that it might be repeated for the benefit of the Red Cross, but there will be many other programs, both religious and secular, given in the near future and we do not think it wise to repeat this performance. With the permission of the board of education, however the schools will be glad to give an entertainment for the benefit of the Red Cross later in the year.

The public will readily perceive that it takes the entire moral support of the school and patrons to produce a play like the one given last week, however the credit of training the players belongs to Mrs. Wedding, teacher of English in the high school, and we cheerfully and publicly grant her the same.

The proceeds were as follows:

Door receipts	\$87 25
Incidental expenses	11 50
Net receipts	\$75 50
Expenditures:	
Final payment on graf anola	\$18 25
Payment on duplicating machine	25 00
Picture for Domestic Art room and wall mottoes	6 00
Library books	26 25
Total	75 50

Respectfully submitted  
H. H. Hoffman  
Supt.

Henry Neel and L. A. Miller, well known Lone Rock stockmen were in Heppner Wednesday and Thursday on business. Mr. Miller has recently sold his stock ranch near Lone Rock to J. H. Huddleston, of this city, and is seeking a location for a home elsewhere. He expects to look at the Rouge River valley and Payette valley, Idaho, before deciding on a location.

## WORK AT COAL MINE WILL BE CONTINUED

H. V. Gates, president of the Heppner Light & Water Co., who has under taken the development of the Heppner coal property on upper Willow creek, informed the Herald Tuesday that a force of men are now at work in the timber getting out timbers for use in the mine and that a force of miners will be kept steadily employed during the winter. A promising body of coal has been found across the creek from the old workings and an incline will be put down on that to discover its extent. It is fully expected that, if the deposit proves to be permanent and in place that the quality will improve with depth and that another season may find Heppner and surrounding country supplied with fuel from our own mountains.

### LEXINGTON ITEMS

Dan Summers and Gust Johnson are busy building themselves a new garage, modern in every way, to shelter their new Dort car which they recently purchased from the local agents.

Little Laura Johnson 3 years old was the first to purchase a U. S. war saving certificate from the local Postmaster at Lexington. Little Laura, who has a brother working for Uncle Sam and who is fast earning laurels for himself and there by being promoted lacks just a few cents of having enough money to purchase another War saving Certificate. This little girl's thrift in buying War saving Certificates, should be practiced by other youngsters who are spending their money for things which they could easily do without. Our hats off to Little Laura for her assistance to Uncle Sam.

Justice Miller was in town Tuesday and hauled out a load of wood to his ranch.

W. L. Holmes the local Tom A Lam man has been confined to his home on account of illness. During his absence Mr. Stile is looking after the lumber yard.

A fine car of coal has been received by the Tom A Lam Co. and now would be the time to get that coal you wanted to mix with your wood.

Mrs. Mulligan of Walla Walla returned to her home after a two weeks stay in Lexington with her sister Mrs. Breshers.

Mrs. Breshers the local postmaster is still confined to her home on account of illness.

The Sunday School class of the Congregational church will hold their regular Xmas exercises on the morning Xmas Day while the people of the Christian Church will give a program on Tuesday night. All are welcome.

There were three new Fords unloaded in Lexington recently Mrs. Minnie Leach obtained one and Gar Scott purchased one. Charles Gray took the third one. There will be no school between Xmas and New Years.

Buy your Xmas and New Years postcards and booklets at the Postoffice.

Mrs. Grace Klum who has been in Lexington for several months returned to her home at Lebanon Oregon. Mrs. Klum was a waitress at Lane's restaurant and made many friends while here.

Wanted, a piano for storage or would pay rental.

Address P. O. Box, 141.