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WILL BOOST OREGON COMMERCE CHAMBER

JAMES S. STEWART TO SPEAK TOMORROW EVENING

Statewide Campaign for Membership to Start Next Monday—Aim is Development of Oregon

A meeting has been called by the Heppner Commercial Club for tomorrow evening when it is expected that representatives from every section of the county will be present to take part in a conference having for its object the complete organization of the county into commercial bodies to act with the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce in working out the plan for a concerted effort towards bringing about a general campaign for the development of the latent resources of Oregon.

Hon. James S. Stewart, a former resident of Fossil and for many years publisher of the Fossil Journal and who has ably represented his district in the state legislature for a couple of terms, will be the principal speaker at this meeting, which will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall and as he is an enthusiastic booster for the state chamber as well as an entertaining speaker, his address will be well worth hearing.

Following is given a partial list of the activities the Oregon Chamber of Commerce proposes to engage in following a complete organization of the state and an assurance of the cooperation of all sections of the commonwealth:

This chamber of commerce is a creation of the various commercial bodies of Oregon. Its fortunes, attitude and character will be determined by the desires of its constituent bodies and membership. Its immediate intentions and activities in part are outlined as follows:

Arid Land Reclamation
The Board of Directors will raise the necessary funds and manage the campaign for the adoption by the people of Oregon of the resolutions submitted by the legislature providing:

For guarantee by the state of district reclamation bonds for a period of five years.

For authorization of the bond issue to meet the federal government's offer of funds for land reclamation in the state of Oregon.

For the adoption of the measure submitted by the legislature providing for a comprehensive land settlement.

For the public building program at the state capital, University of Oregon and Oregon Agricultural College, etc.

We will make it a cardinal issue through the year to secure from the

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HEPPNER TEAM VICTORS AT BASKET BALL

Heppner high school basketball team are elate over their success last Saturday evening in the final game with the Ione team when the local boys won with a score of 12 to 14. It was one of the very best games ever played in Heppner and both teams put up some fast and excellent work.

Prior to the game the Heppner team entertained the visiting team at a splendid luncheon which was served by Miss Struck and her domestic science class in the school dining room and after the game an enjoyable dance was given in the pavilion.

COMMERCIAL CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 18

A meeting of the Heppner Commercial club will be held in the council chambers Tuesday evening, March 18, at 8 p. m., at which business of importance will be given consideration.

Every progressive citizen of Heppner and vicinity is urged to be present at this meeting when the new organization will be perfected and important work for the future outlined.

W. P. MAHONEY, President.
S. A. PATTISON, Secretary.

INSTRUCTIONS TO TAXPAYERS

If single and net income for 1918 was \$1,000 or more, you MUST make a return.

If single and net income was less than \$1,000, DO NOT make a return.

If married and net income for 1918 was \$2,000 or more, you MUST make a return.

If married and net income was less than \$2,000 you DO NOT make a return.

If your net income was less than \$5,000 take Blank 1040-A from table.

If your net income was more than \$5,000 take Blank 1040 from table.

Be Sure And Read All Instructions Carefully Before Making Any Entries

Take the blank issued you and indicate on the work sheet your income from different sources, and all deductions allowable.

EXEMPTIONS
A married man living with wife or single man if head of a family, is allowed \$2,000.

A single man without dependents is allowed \$1,000.
For each dependent person under 18 years, or mentally or physically defective \$200 is allowed.

You may deduct all business expenses.

You may deduct all taxes—personal and property.

You may deduct all interest on indebtedness.

After all figures are entered check over carefully, present your blank at proper window, have it verified and acknowledged.

Hail St. Patrick!



St. Patrick! blest and loved Apostle,
To thee in heaven we raise
The tribute of our soul's affection,
Our earth-wide psalm of praise.

FIRE DESTROYS RESIDENCE

Orve Brown's residence in south Heppner was totally destroyed by fire at 11:30 this morning. The fire started in the roof and as the building was far from a city hydrant nothing could be done to save it. All the contents were saved and it is understood there was \$1500 insurance. The dwelling occupied by Nick Hall was threatened and hard work was required to save it as well as the Bryles residence, next adjoining on the north.

CIVIC CLUB TO GIVE BAND BENEFIT BALL

Ladies of the Civic Improvement Club are arranging for a grand ball to be given in the pavilion next Monday evening March 17, as a benefit for the recently organized Heppner band.

The ladies never do things by halves and it is a foregone conclusion that when they give a ball it will be by odds the event of the season.

While the date of this affair falls on St. Patrick's Day the management is in no wise connected with the Hibernian lodge under whose auspices the regular St. Patrick's celebration will be held.

A CORRECTION

In the announcement of the program for St. Patrick's Day in our last issue the statement that the merchants of Heppner would be asked to close in honor of the day was an error. The paragraph should have read "The merchants would be asked to decorate in honor of the day."

CURFEW WHISTLE WILL BLOW

Beginning this evening the Heppner curfew ordinance will be rigidly enforced. The big whistle at the power plant will blow one long blast at 9:00 o'clock and all children under 18 years of age, unless accompanied by parent or guardian, must be off the streets at the hour. Marshal Curran says this means just what the ordinance says.

\$1000.00

Buys a 27x122 business lot adjoining the Palace hotel property. See W. W. SHAMHART. 45f

ST. PATRICK'S ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM

The program for the entertainment which will be given on next Saturday evening at the high school auditorium is as follows:

Introductory Remarks, Rev. P. J. O'Rourke.

Piano Solo, selected, Mrs. C. L. Sweek.

Vocal solo: "I Used to Believe in Fairies," Miss Dorothy Pattison. Recitation and anecdote, George C. Hennessey.

Vocal solo: "My Irish Song or Songs," Mrs. R. J. Vaughan.

Lecture: "Why Ireland Should be Independent," Hon. Thos. Mannix. Chorus: "Old Ireland Shall be Free."

Vocal solo: "The Dear Home Land," Miss Peg O'Rourke.

George C. Hennessey in Irish song. Finale: "Star Spangled Banner."

NEIGHBORS OF WOODCRAFT ENJOY SOCIAL AFTERNOON

The Neighbors of Woodcraft and a few prospective members spent a very pleasant afternoon Thursday, March 6th, at the home of Mrs. Geo. Stevenson. Those present were the Mesdames G. McCarty, J. Cox, M. L. Curran, R. Bengel, Carver, C. Darby, T. Boyd, M. Church, C. Woods, Merritt, DeVore, Loye and Cecil DeVore, Ida Stevenson, Violet Merritt, Mrs. George Stevenson, Mrs. G. Moore, Mrs. Swendig, Mrs. W. A. Richardson. Refreshments were served, consisting of cake, salad and coffee. Music was furnished by Miss Violet Merriett and Mrs. Darby.

A MEMBER.

RED CROSS NOTES

The local chapter of the Red Cross will hold a Belgian drive on Monday, March 24th, at which time they will ask you to donate cast-off clothing for the benefit of the people of Belgium. The garments should be of good material—suitable for being worked over.

The local club rooms will be open on Tuesdays and Fridays for the issuance of yarn for knitting. A recent report that this yarn was for sale is entirely wrong.

Herald only \$2.00 a year.

TOWN OF LEXINGTON SHOWS PROSPERITY

OPTIMISTIC PEOPLE IMPROVE STREETS OF TOWN

Lexington State Bank Will Build Substantial, Modern Home Next Summer—Crop Prospect is Good

If Al Ayers, who sometimes inspires newspaper articles about the "Road to Ione" and the like, would take a little trip down to Lexington some day he would find nothing to complain of regarding the condition of the streets of that prosperous burg. Any comparison he might make between the streets of Lexington and Heppner would not have to do with Heppner of the old days but he would probably compare the Lexington thoroughfares with the present paved streets of the county seat.

The reason is that the city dads of Lexington believe in working their roads at the right time and that is when the ground is wet and it is possible to grade and crown the streets without piling up a dust heap.

About the time Al made his famous trip to Ione the Lexington people got busy and with a road grader and other necessary implements they waded into the muddy streets and graded them with a good crown in the center and a smooth surface and then let nature and ordinary travel take its course. The result is that the streets are now smooth and well packed and not a mud-hole in the entire length.

Lexington people are disposed to blame Bill Crock for the condition of their streets earlier in the season. They say that the way he used to tear back and forth from Ione to Heppner every day in that old rough-shod car of his was enough to wear out any street. His new Ford is so spick and span and shining, however, that it will not even stir up the dust next summer, they hope, and no farther trouble is expected from that quarter.

A Herald reporter spent a short hour, in Lexington, last Thursday morning and found the town prosperous and the people all optimistic. The Lexington district is the cream of the county as a wheat-growing community and the plentiful rainfall of the present winter practically insures a bountiful crop next summer, barring accidents, and at the government-fixed price, that spells prosperity with a capital P.

If business is not good around the Tum-A-Lum yard that smile on the face of Manager Holmes is mighty deceivin' and the same may be said of the banking and warehouse business represented by W. G. Scott who is one of the big and busy men of the town.

W. K. Corson, manager of the big mercantile establishment of Jen. Burgoyne, reports business good and especially in the implement line. Farmers are preparing for a busy season and that means good business for the merchants and implement men. Manager McMillan, of Leach Bros., also reported good prospects. Leach Bros. store is the largest in Lexington and one of the largest in the county.

The Lexington State Bank is prospering to the extent that they are now planning for a new and modern building to be erected next summer. The plans are not yet completed but it is understood the building will be of pressed brick and will be built as a modern and permanent home for the institution.

Cashier Hill confesses to being a busy man these days looking after the expanding business and is not looking for any side lines to fill in spare moments, thank you.

D. O. Justus received a phone call from his son Ralph at Arlington this forenoon saying that he will be in on the flyer this evening.

CHANGE IN PEOPLE'S CASH MARKET FIRM

C. D. Watkins, proprietor of the People's Cash Market, has sold a one-half interest in the business to R. M. Oviatt, of Wasco. Mr. Oviatt arrived in Heppner a few days ago and the deal was closed Monday morning.

Mr. Watkins took over the market last December and has been working under a heavy handicap since that time on account of the old building having been moved to the rear of the lot and his new building being not yet completed. The new firm hopes to get moved into their new building before many weeks and they then anticipate a bright future.

MRS. HERREN SECURES EXPERT TRIMMER

Mrs. L. G. Herren has secured the services of Miss S. G. Reynolds, an experienced hat trimmer of Portland, for the spring millinery season and is ready to give her patrons the very latest and most up-to-date service in millinery goods for the coming Easter season. The Herald erroneously stated last week that Miss Reynolds had accepted a position with Mrs. Luper and that error is hereby corrected.

MILLINERY OPENING

Our Spring Opening beginning March 15th and continuing through the month. We carry everything that represents attractive and stylish millinery. It is well worth your while to see what we are showing.

MRS. F. LUPER,

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PUNCTURED TIRES

Bring your punctured tires to SHAMHART and have them repaired.

45f.

Spring Millinery

I take pleasure in announcing to the ladies of Heppner and vicinity that Miss S. G. Reynolds, of Portland, has arrived and taken a position in my store. Miss Reynolds is an expert and artistic hat trimmer and her skill and good taste is at the disposal of my customers.

If in doubt about your spring hat call on us, I am sure we can suit you.

My spring showing of the latest creations in millinery is sure to please you.

Mrs. L. G. Herren
Milliner

PARKER & BANFIELD

COLUMBIA BUILDING, PORTLAND
Designing, Engineering, Constructing. Ten years experience in reinforced concrete and brick construction.

ROY V. WHITEIS, Local Representative