

THE HEPPNER HERALD

S. A. PATTISON, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER
An Independent Newspaper

Entered at the Heppner, Oregon, Postoffice as second-class Matter
TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION
One Year\$2.00 Six Months\$1.00
Three Months\$.50

HEPPNER NEEDS HOUSES

Right now Heppner's greatest need is more houses—some place for families to live.

The town can get along without a hotel—that much has been demonstrated for the past 14 months. We can get along without water for irrigation, street sprinkling and many other uses when we have to and after getting used to it but in this climate it is not quite the right thing to expect families to live in the street or on some vacant lot without shelter. And yet that is what people who are now in Heppner will have to do by the time school starts if they stay here. It is a matter of somebody building more houses or a lot of families being forced to leave. Many families have already left since the fire and every family that leaves takes away just that much prosperity from the doors of every business institution in the town.

Isn't it about time for Heppner to wake up and do something? Can we, as a community afford to allow this condition to continue? Isn't it possible for the owners of vacant lots and people who have money to invest to get together and build a number of cheap houses people could be comfortable in until they can do better? It is a mighty serious situation and one that, if not remedied soon, will put Heppner on the skids worse than the fire did.

COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

That all small towns are pretty much alike is hinted at in the following clipped from an exchange.

What this town needs is a community leader but the man who would take that position even though he received no pay, would not have an easy task. He could accomplish nothing without co-operation; and that essential is lacking in the average community. There is a pretty large proportion of the population in every town that, never intimating, becomes very vigorous in opposing whatever is proposed. They may really have no real reason, but it is their nature to oppose whatever is proposed.

Especially is the opposition to progress marked in the smaller communities, where, as the saying goes, everybody knows everybody else. And the mere fact that these opponents are acquainted with a man, no good, in their narrow judgment, can come out of him. This fact explains why strangers often can come into a community and "put across" something that a resident of the community could not possibly do.

Familiarity breeds contempt of neighbors to a large extent.

FORMER LONG CREEK LADY PASSES AT PORTLAND

The remains of Mrs. Carl Smith who died at her home in Portland last Friday, arrived in Heppner Saturday and were taken to Long Creek Sunday for interment.

Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Steach, of Long Creek, and she leaves a host of friends and acquaintances in that section who will sincerely deplore her untimely death.

Before her marriage Mrs. Smith was editor and publisher of the Long Creek Ranger for several years, a position she filled with marked ability.

Besides her husband and two-year-old daughter, she is survived by her parents, two brothers and two sisters.

ELKS RETURN FROM KIAMATH FALLS

Mayor Vaughn, S. W. Spencer and Tom Brennan returned from the Elks' convention at Klamath Falls Wednesday and their report is to the effect that the occasion was a live one from start to finish. Klamath Falls received the visitors with open hearted hospitality and nothing was overlooked that tended to the comfort and enjoyment of their guests.

There were not so many of the Heppner boys as in delegations from bigger towns but it is said that the boys took first money and the blue ribbon as a bunch of honest to goodness live wires.

FRANK ANDERSON BUYS FINE RANCH

Frank Anderson, one of the leading wheat farmers of the county and also a director in the Farmers & Stockgrowers Bank, has purchased the old Stanton farm in the Eight-solis country. The place contains 640 acres and the price is understood to be \$29,000. The farm is said to be one of the finest farming tracts in the county.

DRIVE SLOW—SAVE THE ROADS

Speaking of good roads it might be well for the people of Morrow county to learn to take care of the few miles the county built last year while we are getting ready to build more.

The long continued drouth is a hard test for macadam construction where speeding is habitually indulged in and it is said the short stretches of highway leading out of Heppner are being rapidly torn to pieces.

County officials say it seems to be impossible to regulate excessive speed by arrests and fines and they are appealing to the car-owners of the county, as a straight business proposition to drive slowly and save the roads at least until the rainy season comes on.

It may be necessary to vote some more bonds next year and there may be voters who will hesitate before voting more road money after seeing expensive roads already built being destroyed by local speed maniacs.

TWO STATE EVENTS AT HERMISTON

Dairy and Hog Show and State Dairy Convention

The people of Morrow County and especially the dairy men and livestock breeders are interested in the fact that the State Dairy and Hog Show will be held in Hermiston the 22, 23 and 24 of October.

The State Dairymen's Convention will meet at Hermiston on October, 24 and 25. At the conference held in that place on last Monday, the Commercial Club of Hermiston invited us to make Oct. 24th the Morrow county day.

This appeals to us as a good idea as it will enable any of us to attend both events on one day, which will probably be the best day of the four.

We should clearly get in our minds that this is not a Umatilla County occasion nor yet a Hermiston fair. These are both of them state wide events which are to be held at our very doors.

Morrow County has many people who are very greatly interested in hogs and cows and will, we believe, be increasingly so as time goes on, and we are very fortunate in having these events so close at hand.

It is our understanding that the State Dairy and Hog Show will be an annual event in that city.

L. A. Hunt
County Agent.

LEE NOTSON HOME

Lee Notson, son of District Attorney and Mrs. S. E. Nostron, arrived last Thursday from overseas after having spent some 18 months with the A. E. F. in France. Mr. Nostron is considerably disgusted when he thinks that after 18 months' service over there he never got to the front line trenches but plenty of his friends in Heppner prefer to have him back here safe and whole than to have taken chances on some other outcome.

Mr. Notson landed at New York some time ago but made the trip across the continent by easy stages visiting friends and relatives at many points en route. Because of that he other, middle west and inter-mountain fast since coming over, finding considerable difference between overseas army flow and the eats his aunts and cousins and other friends set before him as he came through Iowa and other middle west and inter-mountain states.

Ed Huston returned from a business visit to Portland last Thursday evening.

GIRLS GIVE SURPRISE PARTY

While the young men of Heppner's high school set are in the harvest fields accumulating a store of muscle, tan and dollars the girls are not languishing in loneliness but have developed a series of boyless parties at which they have the times of their young lives. The latest was a surprise given Miss Eulalia Butler on Tuesday evening by a number of her friends before her departure for a vacation trip to Portland and the coast. Those present were Misses Helen Barrett, Doris Mahoney, Charlotte Hall, Velma Brown, Audrey Grogan, Bernice Gibbons and Kathryn Pattison.

Uncle Eben.

"Dar ain' no use tryin' to bury de hatchet wif some folks," said Uncle Eben, "not as long as dey kin keep dodgin' into de hardware store an' gettin' mo' cutlery."

AN OLD STORY

According to recent press dispatches the U. S. Senate is to institute another inquiry into the price of "news" or print paper. We remember when early in the war paper mounted to the hitherto unheard of figure of seven cents a pound and the federal trade commission, or some other "commission" made an elaborate investigation into the paper business and after months of research a report was finally made to the government that it cost the manufacturers \$1.60 per 100 pounds to make paper and put it on the market.

Shortly after this report was printed in the newspapers of the country the price of paper advanced to 7 1/2 cents per pound and it is still pretty well up. Country printers should not become needlessly excited over any prospective reduction in paper cost. The new investigating committee may be no more effective than former ones have been.

FREAK DAHLIA WEARS FAMOUS T. R. SMILE

Hood River, Ore., Aug. 24.—Judge G. Ruggles, Hood River dahlia fancier, who has more than 50 varieties of gorgeous flowers, has developed a specimen this season that he calls "The Roosevelt Smile." The freak flowers are on the Siamese twin order, and double bloomers. The petals are a cream color, with the double center of old gold. The center is so formed that one immediately notices a likeness to Teddy's characteristic grin, so favored of cartoonists. Mr. Ruggles will try further development of this dahlia next year.

HIGH LIVING

Baby Gertrude found some coal. She nibbled it with great delight. Till pa said: "Gertrude, pray control Your expensive appetite."
Brooklyn Citizen.

CHURCH NOTICES

Federated Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. We use the lessons of the International Sunday School Association. Morning church service 11:00. Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m. Evening services 8:00.

H. A. NOYES, Pastor.

Christian Science

Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock in the lodge room in the I. O. O. F. building.

Testimony meetings are held every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Eugene Slacum. All interested are invited to attend these services.

Subject for Sunday, September 31, "Christ Jesus."

HEPPNERITES AT ROCKAWAY

(Rockaway Correspondant Oregonian)

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Minor and son, Stanley of Heppner, are located at their cottage until Labor Day.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Irwin at their cottage are Mrs. R. J. Vaughn and Mrs. R. T. Cochran of Heppner.

Heppner people who are making a short stay at the Beta cottage are Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hughes and children, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Straight and Michael Curran.

SOCIAL HAPPINGS

Mrs. Vaughn Hostess to Little Girl Friends.

Mrs. R. J. Vaughn was hostess at a delightful little girls' theatre party last Friday evening, given in honor of Misses Catherine and Margaret West, of Portland, who are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Patterson. Following the show refreshments were served at Patterson & Sons and several delightful musical numbers were rendered by the young guests.

Besides the guests of honor those present were Patricia Mahoney, Edna Vaught, Mary Patterson and Dorothy Pattison. Mrs. Ben Patterson and Miss Gladys Lane assisted the hostess as chaperones.

Save Your Eyes

You cannot buy another pair of eyes, but you can buy glasses that will preserve the pair you have.

If your eyes are giving you trouble, if you are bothered with headaches or find that you cannot read as readily as you used to, it's time you paid us a visit.

Most eye troubles can be relieved with proper glasses if attended to in time. It costs nothing to consult us and it is decidedly to your advantage to do so.

Oscar Borg
Registered Optometrist

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, W. E. Wiglesworth, has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Bitha Wiglesworth, deceased, by the County Court of Morrow county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same to me at the office of my attorney, Sam E.

Van Vactor, in Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, with vouchers duly verified.

Dated and first published August 26, 1919.

W. E. WIGLESWORTH,
Administrator of the Estate of Bitha Wiglesworth, deceased. 17-22
Read the Herald classified ads.

S
A
F
E
T
Y
&



S
E
R
V
I
C
E

Pay By Check

A good checking account is good business, no matter which way you take it. The cancelled check is your receipt. No need of keeping a lot of receipted bills.

And it is a good business reference for the business man, because it shows that he possesses method, caution and thrift.

For the woman it offers a simple way of keeping track of all expenses in the household.

We welcome new accounts.

First National Bank

HEPPNER, OREGON

Deposits Over One Million Dollars

Ford Cars

Ford Parts Ford Service

I take pleasure in announcing to the Ford owners and the general public of Heppner and Morrow county that I have opened an accredited

Ford Agency

in the Gilman building, on Willow street, Heppner, where will be found at all times everything needed in the Ford line.

I carry a complete stock of Ford parts and handle no other line. My place is exclusively a Ford shop.

Ford Price List

Touring Car with Starter\$719.70
Touring Car, without Starter\$619.70
Ford Truck\$684.70

Call and get acquainted

Chas. H. Latourell

PROPRIETOR

Special Sale of

WAR RELICS

This week at about half price. President Wilson can hardly accuse us of profiteering on these, at least.

Barley Flour, 50 lb sack, was \$3.75.	Now \$1.90
Barley Flour, 10 lb sack, was \$.90.	Now .45
Rice Flour, 10 lb sack, was \$1.25.	Now .65
Rice Self-Raising Pancake was \$1.25.	Now .75
Eastern Buckwheat was \$1.25.	Now .75
Eastern Buckwheat, was \$.50.	Now .35
Albers' Self-Raising Buckwheat, 40c.	Now .25
Cream Wheat Barley Mush, was .30.	Now .20
Whole Grain Wheat Mush, was .15c	Now .10
Corn Meal Flour (Lexington), 90c.	Now .45

No very large quantity of any of these so you had better hurry.

PHELPS' GROCERY CO.