

LOCAL NEWS

Ed Neill was in town from Butter creek Saturday.

POSTS FOR SALE—See Peoples Hardware Company. 28tf

Mrs. May Hughes, a former Heppner resident, was here from Portland during the week.

Alex Starr, who has been working with the county road crew for the past year, has left for Mexicali, where he expects to reside.

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F. M. DeNeff, of the law firm of Bowerman & Kavanaugh, Portland is here this week on business before the circuit court.

Extensive repairs have been made recently on the Methodist church, including a new floor in the basement, concrete work on the foundation and repairs on the belfry.

F. A. McMenamin is here from Portland attending circuit court. Mr. McMenamin is attorney for Alvin Strait, charged with an assault with intent to kill.

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A. D. Leedy is here from Portland attending circuit court. Mr. Leedy was formerly a resident of Canyon City and enjoys a wide acquaintance throughout eastern Oregon.

J. S. Beckwith, maker of pot books, but whose official title spells official court reporter, is here as usual to take down just what everybody says during the trial of a case.

W. E. Pruyn, manager of the Heppner Light & Power Co., was a Portland visitor during the week.

Mrs. Cochran was a business visiting the week.

Mrs. Walter Cason was in town for a short time Saturday, having been called from Portland to lone on account of the illness of her mother. She will return to Portland in a day or two, her mother being much improved.

S. H. Boardman, of the live town bearing his name, is here this week on business in the circuit court. Mr. Boardman is in charge of the highway repair work between here and the junction.

Judge Gilbert W. Phelps and Mrs. Phelps are here from Pendleton, the judge holding the regular term of court and Mrs. Phelps renewing old acquaintances here. The Phelps were former residents of Heppner.

License to wed was issued by County Clerk Anderson last Wednesday to George F. Mahrt, 25, and Eva Mahrt, 19, both of the Gooseberry district. County Judge Campbell performed the marriage ceremony in his chambers on the same day. Mr. and Mrs. Mahrt will reside on his ranch at Gooseberry.

The two Bob Alstotts, senior and Junior, were delivering fat hogs at the stock yards Saturday afternoon for shipment. The Alstotts are extensively engaged in the hog business on their Rhea creek ranch. Jeff Jones and R. D. Alstott were also interested in the shipment.

Dr. McMargo reports that Bert Stone is recovering rapidly from the effects of an operation performed last Saturday. The operation was a dual one for the correction of a rupture and the removal of the appendix.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Van Vactor are here from The Dalles for a few days, while Mr. Van Vactor is attending to legal business in the circuit court. Mrs. Van Vactor is also busy calling on old friends and neighbors in Heppner.

George Krebs, well known Cecil stockman, reports that their sheep are coming in from the upper country and feeding will start soon. Feed on the range near Cecil is not good on account of lack of moisture early in the season. Recent rains have been plentiful but the weather is too cold for grass to grow well.

Mrs. F. R. Spaulding returned from Hood river Friday, where she was called two weeks ago by the death of her father, E. W. Winans. Mr. Winans was just past 98 years of age and was a native of New York City. He resided in Illinois until 1886, when he removed to Oregon. Besides Mrs. Spaulding he is survived by one other daughter and four sons.

Mike Marshall, sheepman and alfalfa grower of Boardman, was in town Saturday on a short business trip. Mr. Marshall says Heppner is all right as a good county seat town to visit once in a while, but when it comes to every day living Boardman has the world beaten. "It's the place," he declared, "where alfalfa is bigger, cream more golden, honey sweeter, girls prettier and the climate better than any other spot in the known world." Mike argues that he is not a Boardman booster but only a seller of the plain, unvarnished truth about his home town.

County Court Proceedings for the December Term

Court met in regular session at the Court House in Heppner, Oregon, with all members present, on Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1923, when the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

Court approved, continued or rejected the various claims presented against the county as per notations on the face of each claim.

Court canvassed the result of the vote in Road District No. 1 for special tax levy of 5 mills and found the result to be 19 votes to none in favor of said tax.

Court canvassed the result of the vote in road district No. 2 for special tax levy of 8 mills and found the result to be 24 votes in favor of said tax and 13 votes against.

Court ordered the balance of Bond money to be transferred to General Road Fund for the credit of Heppner Hardman Bond Fund.

The assessor was instructed to extend on the tax roll for the coming year the Fire Patrol tax as submitted by the State Forester.

An agreement was entered into with the City of Heppner for the use of the County jail for city prisoners for a period of one year, upon payment by the city of the sum of \$1.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Table listing various bills and amounts, including R. W. Morse, Rodent, \$320.00; Geo. McDuffee, Prohl, 18.00; Eddie Chidsey, Market, 28.30; Gaddis & Dixon, Market, 204.30; Peoples Hdwe. Co., Market, 3.70; R. Moore, Market, 14.70; E. Bucknum, Market, 7.05; Con Adkins, Market, 12.30; J. W. Kirschner, Roads, 107.30; W. O. Bayless, Roads, 32.00; Louis Pyle, 12, 10.00; Roy Stamp, HHB, 4.55; A. O. Devin, HHB, 4.55; Tum A. Lum, HHB, 646.45; State Accl. Comm, HHB, 7.18; First Nat. Bank, Roads, 5753.32; F. & S. Nat., Roads, 226.59; Bank of Ione, Roads, 326.31; O. W. R. & N., HHB, 20.10; Inland Empire Bank, Spl L, 133.86; Alex Warren, No. 2, 1.49; Sherman Shaw, HHB, 1.50; Heppner Transfer, HHB, 2.46; E. L. Berry, Gen. Road, 20.50; Howard Copper Co., HHB, 808.26; E. J. Keller, 8, 1.75; Standard Oil Co., HHB-12, 406.60; Gordon & Fink HHB, 22.76; Gilliam & Bisbee, HHB, 161.80; R. H. Lake, HHB, 12.85; Watt Powder Co., HHB, 648.40; Dan Henshaw, 16, 2.74; C. B. Oral, Sealer, 5.70; L. S. Shurtz, Library, 22.50; W. W. Smead, Clerk, 166.66; W. L. Mc Carthy, Gen. Road, 17.50; Daisy Becker, Wid. Pen., 17.50; Sadie Morry, Wid. Pen., 10.00; Hazel Logan, Wid. Pen., 32.50; Rebecca Knight, Wid. Pen., 17.50; Amy McFerrin, Wid. Pen., 17.50; Lydia Ritchie, Wid. Pen., 25.00; F. J. Gordon, Poor, 15.00; Ida Fleischer, Poor, 15.00; Jess Kirk, cor, 30.00

Table listing names and amounts, including Andy Cook, Poor, 30.00; L. P. Davidson, Co. Ct., 18.50; R. L. Benge, Co. Ct., 10.01; Leach Bros., Election, 5.00; Peoples Hdwe. Co., Election, 18.25; Pac. Telephone Co., Cur. Ex., 42.61; M. L. Case, Coroner, 88.70; Chas. Vaughn, Coroner, 15.00; Gilliam & Bisbee, Ct. Hse., 28.73; Heppner L. & W. Co., Ct. H., 45.47; Humphreys Drug Co., G. Rd., 1.82; C. V. Hopper, Gen. Rd., 7.10; M. R. Fell, Gen. Rd., 6.95; Heppner Elevator Co., 16., 3.00; Ida Dexter, 16., 8.25; J. T. Kirk, 16., 1.00; G. W. Kirk, 16., 10.75; Mrs. C. W. McNamer, Supt., 5.00; Mrs. L. S. Shurtz, Supt., 97.50; A. L. Cornett, Jus. Ct., 40.25; Geo. McDuffee, Cir. Ct. et al, 61.75; Irwin Hodson Co., Office, 30.75; Glass & Prudhomme, Tax C., 7.17; Ione Independent, Tax Com., 13.15; Heppner Herald, Tax Com., 3.30; Gazette Times, Tax & Office, 59.89; Co. Agent, Co. Agt., 225.00; S. E. Notson, Dist. Atty., 29.09; Kilham Sty. Co., Office, 29.33

Mr. and Mrs. George Krebs and their twin sons were visitors from Cecil Saturday. The boys were one year old that day and going strong and in celebration of the event the youngsters had their pictures taken.

Elkhorn Best Eating Place in Town. We are now serving All Kinds of Shell Fish To Order. Our food is best quality, well cooked, neatly served. Special attention given to lodge and club banquets. Elkhorn Restaurant. EDWARD CHINN, Prop. We invite your patronage.

Sigsbee Studio Is now open and prepared to take first-class Photographs. B. G. SIGSBEE PHOTOGRAPHER. Located on Main Street Opposite Star Theatre, Heppner

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CONDON KIDNAP SUSPECT TAKEN

Condon, Ore., Dec. 6.—J. F. Henderson, a private detective, sought for more than ninety days in a coast-wide search as a suspect in the kidnaping of Frank Smith on the night of September 1, has been arrested and placed under \$2,500 bonds to appear before the Gilliam county grand jury.

Henderson, who says his true name is H. H. Stile, was arrested at Arlington early yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriffs Neal J. Boyle and Roy Montague. He is said to have admitted he was in the employ of the local Klan when Smith was kidnaped.

It is charged Stile or Henderson is the detective who posed as a state officer and "arrested" Frank Smith near Clem on the afternoon of September 1, and took him to Pendleton on a charge of shooting up the Klan hall in Condon. The warrant was sworn to before Justice of the Peace W. A. Darling at Condon.

When the arrest was made Stile declared they were going to take their prisoner to Condon, but when the John Day highway was reached, instead of turning south to Condon, Stile and L. E. Fry, who was driving the car, turned north to Arlington, where they put Smith in jail and later took him to Pendleton, where he was again locked in jail and given a "third degree."

Stile is formally charged with kidnaping, along with G. A. Chaney, the admitted leader of the Klan in Condon, L. E. Fry, Floyd Dunlap, Jane Doe Anderson and a party unknown. The matter is now in the hands of the Gilliam county grand jury.

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Star THEATRE Show Starts at 7:30. TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, DEC. 11 and 12— MARY WYNN and AL FERGUSON in "The Vow of Vengeance" A story of the Canadian patrol. — Also — Tenth round of "FIGHTING BLOOD." Everybody agrees that the Fighting Blood Series is fine entertainment. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13— JOHN BARRYMORE in "Sherlock Holmes" Founded on the stories by Conan Doyle. Everybody has read the Conan Doyle detective stories and have been thrilled by them. The picture is even more entertaining than the stories. — Also — FELIX as "THE GLOBE TROTTER" FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14— PAULINE GORDON and JAS. HARRISON in "The Critical Age" A picturization of Ralph Connor's "GLENGARRY SCHOOL DAYS," a delightful tale of romance, made in Canada, guaranteeing the most beautiful of outdoor scenery. You will like this one. — Also — "HAUNTED VALLEY and PATHE NEWS WEEKLY SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15— RICHARD BARTHELMESS and DOROTHY GISH in "FURY" A story of the Sea and a good one, with some real stars in the leading roles. — Also — PATHE REVIEW—Screen Magazine SUNDAY and MONDAY, DEC. 16 and 17— RICHARD DIX and MAE BUSCH in "The Christian" Founded on the book of the same name by Hall Calais. Whether you have read the book or not, see this picture.

Friday, Dec. 14 is the date of the Bethel Chapel Bazaar It will pay you to wait for it Fancy Work Handkerchiefs Home Made Candy Home Baking The ladies of Bethel Chapel Auxiliary cordially invite you all to visit them in their new quarters. Whether you purchase or not, come and enjoy a pleasant afternoon with us. Bethel Chapel The Church of Welcome This space contributed by Phelps Grocery Co.