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THURSDAY, November 13, - 1913

According to the published estimate of expenses for Morrow county for the year 1914, printed elsewhere in these columns, the state tax for this county will be \$48,000. This is the figure estimated and is far in excess of any sum heretofore called for. The taxable property as turned in by the Assessor is \$9,829,211, a considerable increase over that of last year, and this is true of every county of the state; yet taxes get higher all the time. Every session of the legislature creates new offices, commissions etc. and the expense piles up and must be met by taxation. Just where it will end no one knows but it is getting to a point where some good systematic "kicking" on the part of press and people is in order.

Perhaps there was a failure on the part of the authorities to get some indictments from the grand jury this week that we had a right to expect, but when it is understood that people who are witnesses to what is going on in violation of state and city laws will go before the inquisitorial body and swear point blank to their ignorance of any specific acts, we shall have to continue present conditions and simply say that it is all a mistake, and when any one tells you that there is gambling in various joints in Heppner, they know not whereof they speak. We are clean and as unspotted as the proverbial lamb of white.

Through the efforts of some local people the State Game Warden has been induced to liberate in Morrow county a bunch of about seven dozen Chinese pheasants that the species may propagate in these parts. This has been done in other years and a fair start of these game birds made here, but owing to the tendency of some sportsmen, so-called to kill everything they get a shot at, the proposition of stocking up with Chinas has been a slow one. These birds do well here if left alone, and will prove a valuable addition to the game reserve. Give them a chance and in a few years there will be plenty and to spare.

A woman's suffrage school will be opened at Washington D. C. next month.

The grand jury has met and adjourned and there are some people about Heppner breathing a little easier.

Striped suits will no longer be worn at the Sao Quentin Cal. state penitentiary. Hereafter gray cadet suits will be worn by the convicts.

The next tax roll will be collected by the county treasurer, and from thence on it will be the duty of that official to collect and receipt for taxes. The County Court has made provision for a deputy county treasurer on a salary of \$75 per month and the office will now be maintained at the Court house.

Felix Diaz, nephew of Porfirio Diaz, ex-president of Mexico was stabbed in the neck and beat with canes in an altercation at Havana Cuba last week. Diaz had made some insulting remark to a fellow Mexican and the trouble followed. The fellow who attacked Diaz was shot and is in the hospital in Havana. His condition is serious. The entire party that took part in the fracas have been arrested.

After living on a hundred and sixty acres of land in Baker county for years, built a house barn and other farm buildings upon the place besides fencing it and the land yielding him good returns under excellent cultivation, Herbert Chandler is now in danger of losing his homestead.

John Kline found out a few years ago that Chandler had not filed on the improved 160 acres but upon the adjoining 160, and he himself has filed upon the improved homestead. Chandler has been forced to sue.

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ANCIENT ORDER IS THING OF THE PAST.

J. Garfield Crawford, Former Heppner Man Is Married In Texas.

I have a weakness for obituaries. If there is any one thing I detest upon more than anything else it is a good, sound, healthy obituary, one that depicts every item of interest that in any way reflects a bit of credit upon the departed, and as carefully conceals everything of a contrary nature. I even like, upon suitable occasion, when the case is sufficiently provoking, to write out obituary notices for publication. One disagreeable fact in connection with my past experience along this line is, that I am invariably called upon to perform this duty over the remains of my dearest and best friends. Now, it has always seemed to me that it would be a matter of much greater pleasure could I write the obituaries of some of my enemies. But I have never been called upon to perform a duty of this kind and can only treat the subject hypothetically having no actual experience of the kind.

In every community there are individuals who so impress their personality upon it that whatever influences or affects them affect the entire community. The demise of such a one is a public calamity or public blessing according to the influence of his life upon those among whom he has lived. This remark does not apply simply and exclusively to persons; it is equally applicable to societies, guilds, orders, institutions that have a distinctive character and fill a well known want in society. The life of such a body may terminate suddenly and by violence and great harm ensue, or it may quietly serve out the purpose of its organization; fulfill its mission then silently fold its arms upon its bosom and calmly and peacefully pass out, honored and respected by all, and revered by those who had assumed its obligations and worshipped at its shrine.

This much as introductory to the announcement of the passing of the A. & H. O. of R. L.'s of Heppner, Oregon. This was an Order founded for the most beneficent purposes. Its ritual was a perennial stream of wisdom, holding ever before the weary and disconsolate neophyte the beautiful banner inscribed with the catalytic motto of the fraternity "While there is life there is hope."

For years and years this noble Order carried its soul cheering messages of consolation and hope to the hearts of the faithful, pouring its healing balm into every wound until its virtues begin to manifest themselves in a decidedly practical way and the work of demoralization and disintegration sat in and it became too evident that the days of the Order were numbered and the time of dissolution was drawing near. So, when Oscar came to the parting of the ways, and tearfully announcing his intentions, called for and obtained his permit, then went and joined the benedictines and settled down to the quiet realities of private, family life, we are told that a perfect thrill of hope struck the entire bunch and literally stood them upon their heads. But the fate of one could not determine the fate of all without strenuous personal effort. This lesson they had to learn and they learned it, in time. When the case dawned on Pole in all its fullness he was not long in adjusting himself to improved conditions. His motto was "Whatever you do, do Quick" and so while others slumbered and slept he stole a march on them and before they were aware of his absence the

news came back from east of the Rockies that he, too, had gone over the road.

And now, last of all the country is shocked with the intelligence that Garfield has fallen a victim to the wily charms of a sunny Southern belle. It is enough. This is the last straw that broke the camel's back. The society could stand no further strain. The silver cord is loosened. The pitcher is broken at the fountain. A noble and inspiring Order has given up the ghost and gone into perpetual retirement. It did a great work. It performed a brilliant service for humanity and has entered upon a long and well earned rest. Requiescat in pace: which is Chinook for "may it never be resurrected."

And what shall we say for the two heroic souls who have clung with unflinching nerve and unflinching trust to the faithful craft as one by one their comrades have given up the unequal contest and retired from the fold. Certainly we can but admire their heroism as they have struggled manfully on through the weary years, hoping against hope, yet bravely pressing on toward the goal. Truly, the sympathies of a multitude of friends will surround them now in this, their double affliction, and the kindly offices of all good men will be engaged in their behalf, and the time is surely nigh when the martyr souls of Dunc and Andy will be redeemed and shine with a brighter lustre than all their comrades because of the prolonged agony through which they have been called to pass.

In the Fort Worth Star Telegram of Nov. 1, we find something like the following: Kitty Barry and J. Garfield Crawford, Star Telegram reporters, were quietly married Friday night at the residence of Andrew Hemphill, where Miss Barry had lived. The wedding was something of a hallow'een joke on friends of the young newspaper writers. No one was present save Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill, Miss Augusta Bates Heppner Blackman, boyhood friend of the groom, Mrs. Blackman, Mrs. Veasey of Van Alstine, sister of the bride. Rev. H. W. Knickerbocker, pastor of Cen-

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The romance of the newspaper office began the day Miss Barry reported for duty. Assignments threw the couple together frequently soon after Miss Barry's advent in Fort Worth. In the course of her services on the Star Telegram Mrs. C. has written columns of musical and art reviews, human interest stuff, and special articles on the activities of club women in Texas.

Crawford has "covered every beat" in the city and is particularly well known among rail road and livestock men.

Mrs. Crawford was born in Georgia. Her parents, members of prominent Georgia families, moved to Texas when Kitty was a child.

Crawford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Crawford of Heppner, Oregon. His parents are pioneers of the Pacific Northwest.

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