

## WEEK'S NEWS.

### Local and Personal Happenings.

1000 New Posts for sale.  
Phelps Grocery Co.

Go to the Bakery for your bread.  
26 loaves for \$1.00.

A. M. Mallory spent Christmas with his parents in Portland.

Miss Doris Wilt of Ione was a Heppner guest Tuesday evening.

W. E. Rood of Lexington was a visitor in our city Tuesday.

John Keegan, a former Heppner resident is over from Elgin.

J. M. Lundy was among the Ione people in this city on Tuesday.

J. A. Patterson was a Monday morning passenger to Portland.

M. Mollahan of Pendleton was registered at the Palace on Tuesday.

We pay highest cash price for hides pelts and furs. People's Cash Market.

Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Inquire at this office.

The Misses Elva and Lillian Troedson of Ione were Heppner visitors on Monday.

Ray Blake of Ione came up to Heppner Tuesday to hear the band concert.

Albert Adkins returned home on Tuesday after spending a week in Portland.

W. T. Campbell, Social Ridge farmer was seen on our streets the first of the week.

Rag rugs and carpet weaving. William Driscoll, residence opposite Heppner depot. 1 m.

Bring us your poultry. Highest market prices paid at all times. People's Cash Market.

Dr. F. N. Christensen returned on Monday from a visit of a week with relatives in Portland.

Wanted—Boarders by the day or week. For particulars inquire at Thomson Bros. store. 2t.

Frank and Howard Anderson came in from their respective ranches in Eight Mile on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Morgan has returned from a visit of several months with relatives at Moscow, Idaho.

J. A. Waters and W. S. Smith, business men of Ione were transacting business in this city on Monday.

Lost at Post Office or on street a bunch of keys. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward.

The annual installation of Eastern Star will be held in the Masonic Hall on Wednesday evening, January 7.

Miss Swanson and Miss Davis, two of Lexington's young ladies, came up for the band concert Tuesday evening.

Tarah Maloney returned from Portland Sunday evening after having spent Christmas with his parents there.

The First National Bank of Heppner will at its next meeting make application for membership in the Currency Association.

More autos destroyed by fire than any other way. Protect yours by getting a policy of Smead. None as cheap. None better.

A happy New Year with thanks for the liberal holiday patronage my many customers gave me.  
HAYLOR, Jeweler.

Frank Gilliam carried off the big Christmas turkey from the People's Cash Market on his guess of the number of beans in the jar.

Mrs. E. F. Campbell wishes to announce to the ladies of Heppner that she is residing agent for the Spirella corset; fit to measure. tf.

Miss Muriel McCarty, who has been attending school in The Dalles, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McCarty of this city.

E. D. Rood is up from Portland having arrived on Friday last. When he left the metropolis they were experiencing some winter thereabouts.

Harry Dinges and wife of Lexington attended the O. A. C. Band concert in this city last Tuesday evening. Mr. Dinges is a former student of O. A. C.

R. F. Wigglesworth was in from Butter creek on Saturday. His section has had very mild weather so far this season and but little feeding of stock has been necessary.

The Misses Sybill and Marie Hager arrived in Heppner Tuesday evening from Corvallis to spend a few days with their sister, Mrs. A. D. McMurdo, before returning to Eugene where they attend the University of Oregon.

For Sale—A four-year-old Guernsey bull. This is a splendid animal. I might consider trade for good beef producing cows.  
Joseph Eskelson,  
2m. Lexington, Oregon.

While on their way out home from town the day before Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Matlock had a run away and they were both thrown from their buggy to the ground. The accident occurred near the Rector place. Mr. Matlock received very severe bruises and his wife was considerably shaken up by the fall but they escaped broken bones.

Henry Blackman came in from San Francisco last evening and will spend a few days with relatives here. Mr. Blackman, who makes his home at San Francisco, is always glad to make his old home a visit and enjoy a pleasant time here with his many friends; in fact he really considers Heppner as his home and is always a booster for this section.

Albert Bowker, of Heppner Garage announces that he will receive a carload of 1914 Fords for delivery in March. There has been some slight changes in the appearances of this car but no variations in its general make-up. Its popularity still increases and we can expect to see them as plentifully used as horses and buggies in this neck of the woods.

W. W. Smead sealer of weights and measures, has received his equipment and will soon be ready to commence work. The outfit is quite extensive and consists of dry and liquid measures yard stick and tapes, scales and weights and scale testers, and the cost to the county is around \$200.

Mrs. Hattie Wilson who makes her home with the Stevens family in South Heppner, was operated on Monday for a severe attack of appendicitis at the private hospital of Drs. Allison & Culbertson. At this time Mrs. Wilson is reported to be getting along nicely.

Morrow county was represented at the State Teachers' Association by Misses Lillah Clark and Hazel Pawcett and Supt. Notson. The latter remained for the county superintendent's convention.

#### Jones-Crawford.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at noon on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vawter Crawford. Their second daughter, Janet Content, was united in marriage to LeRoy A. Jones, Rev. Henry A. Van Wicke performing the ceremony. Members of the families of the contracting parties only were present. The ceremony was followed by a sumptuous wedding dinner.

#### Slocum--Thorley.

Coming as a thorough surprise to his many Heppner friends, was the announcement on Sunday of the marriage of Mr. Eugene H. Slocum to Mrs. Cora E. Thorley, which occurred at the home of the groom at 9 o'clock Saturday evening. That Mr. Slocum had any such intentions had been kept a profound secret.

The wedding was a quiet one, but few of the relatives of the contracting parties being present, and the ceremony was pronounced by Rev. W. E. Goulder.

Mr. Slocum has been a resident of Heppner for many years and has built him a nice home here. Mrs. Slocum came to this city in July last from Canton, Ohio and for a short time has been Mr. Slocum's housekeeper. The marriage is indeed an appropriate one and this paper is joined by the friends of the newlyweds in wishing them many years of married bliss and prosperity.

#### Married

At the residence of the officiating minister, in this city December 24, Mr. Walter C. Bauthense of Salmon, B. C. and Miss Mary Ely of Morgan, Oregon, by Rev. J. V. Crawford, Mr. Bauthense is a stranger in these parts, but a gentleman of engaging appearance and address. Mrs. Bauthense has lived for a number of years in Ione and vicinity and is well known and highly esteemed by a large circle of friends and acquaintances whose best wishes will go with her to her new home beyond the border.

#### Some Oil Reductions.

At Heppner Garage: Gasoline in cases of 10 gallons. \$2.75; Eocene coal oil, per case, \$2.40; Pearl oil per case \$2.15. These prices will prevail until further notice.

ALBERT BOWKER.

#### Notice.

We hereby notify all persons having stock running at large in and around our premises on Little Butter creek and between Little Butter creek and Big Butter creek to take care of same at once or they will be taken up and disposed of according to law.

R. F. WIGLESWORTH & SONS  
4t

Anyone desiring to lease a good grain and stock farm for a period of three to five years to a good tenant, notify Smead & Crawford.

Alfalfa hay for sale. O. E. Adkins, Heppner Oregon. tf.

#### Evangelistic Meetings.

Great interest is being manifested in the meetings now in progress at the Christian Church. The crowds are steadily growing and the interest deepening. Thus far 17 have responded to the invitation.

The boys are a surprise to every one who hears them. The "Boy Evangelist" is preaching a series of sermons that have never been surpassed, at least in recent years, in our town. They are full of instruction, enthusiasm scripture and earnestness. No matter how long he preaches one never grows weary of listening to him. James McCallum, the singer is certainly making good. He is accomplishing almost the impossible in getting together and maintaining a large chorus, on one end of the platform he has a children's chorus and on the other an adult chorus, about 40 altogether. His solos each evening are very fine.

The evangelist has announced the following subjects and you will be the loser if you fail to hear him.

"Hydrosooterism."  
"A Model Case of Conversion."  
"What is it to Believe in Christ."  
"The Change of Heart."  
"The Great Restoration."  
"Hell."  
"Constancy in Well Doing."

#### Manual Training In Our Schools.

Some time ago I wrote in favor of placing manual training and domestic science in the high school curriculum of Morrow county. I mentioned that this could be accomplished at very small cost if the schools of Heppner, Ione and Lexington would combine on the subjects and divide the time of an instructor between the three schools. These are subjects which are fast gaining in our schools, not through the push of any book company, but because fathers and mothers are asking that their children have this training which holds such an important place in life's work. The training which these subjects give must come from something, otherwise the child goes through life as a cripple. Should you visit all the homes of Morrow county, I dare say you would find the proofs of many crippled children—homes only such in name and barren of all attractions, because the wife, as a child, had no one to bring out her talent, and farm machinery on the waste pile because the owner could not "nail two boards together." As a rule these disabilities must be handed down to the next generation unless the community, through the school, gives the instruction.

Just as agriculture has crowded into the course of study, so will manual training and domestic science in a very short time. Why should we wait until we are forced to receive them? The school that counts is the school that pulls instead of being pushed.

#### Forest Notes.

There are 703 bighorns or mountain sheep in the national forests of Nevada.

In 26 states there are state foresters who cooperate with private timberland owners in solving forest problems.

The forest service maintains nine experiment stations for use in reforestation and similar subjects.

The bureau of entomology and the forest service, working together for the control of forest insects last year covered more than 160,000 acres in their operation.

A national arboretum is being established in Rock Creek national Park, District of Columbia. Eventually it will contain all American tree species which will thrive there.

The total amount of land purchased in the eastern states for federal forests is nearly 800,000 acres. So far the principal work on these areas has involved their protection against forest fires.

#### Snows Cut Off Feed.

Stanfield Ore., Dec. 29.—The recent snows have hit the sheepmen in this part of the state pretty hard and have caused them to put thousands of sheep on feed. Until within the last four days, the sheep have been running on the winter range, but snow has covered the ground to a depth of about four inches and cut off the usual supply of feed. Most of the feeders were well provided with hay.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to import or sell any infected or diseased fruit of any kind in the state of Oregon.

Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100.

Printed by order of Harry Cummings, Fruit inspector for Morrow County. 4-mo.

For sale, at a bargain, a fine high grade organ. A. J. STEVENSON. 1m.

#### To Our Customers—

We sincerely appreciate the valued patronage entrusted to us by you during

**Nineteen Thirteen**

and

desire to extend our best wishes for your happiness and success throughout

**Nineteen Fourteen**

MINOR & CO.

#### Soap and a King.

Soap used to provide King James I. with a comfortable addition to his income. That canny monarch granted the company of soapmakers of Westminster the monopoly for the making of soap in England in return for the payment of \$30 a ton on all soap produced. The importation of soap was forbidden, and officers were appointed to deal with illicit soap boiling, its manufacture even in private houses for domestic purposes being punishable by heavy penalties. Moreover, a proclamation was issued that "the soap made by the company is good, sweet and serviceable for our people." The annual revenue derived by the king from this source amounted to about \$150,000.

#### Floorwalker Meant Well.

Teased into it, Jones had gone with his wife on an excursion to the realm of bargains, and in the great building with its many departments he had become separated from his better half. For an hour at least he remained lounging impatiently at the junction of many ways, where lifts, stairs and passengers met, and then, tired and angry, he approached the shopwalker. "Sir," he said to the frockcoated and suave attendant in tones of righteous indignation, "I've lost my wife." "Third floor and over the bridge for the mourning department" came the reply, with stunning force.—Cardiff Western Mail.

#### Steel Best For Mine Timbering.

By the use of steel in place of wood for mine timbering, waste due to decay, framing and fitting, fire and insects is entirely overcome, says Coal Age. Steel mine timbers also call for less excavation, cost less to erect, have a greater endurance and tend toward better ventilation. While the first cost of steel is nearly twice that of the wood used for timbering, the ultimate cost is lower, as steel lasts much longer. It can be used again and again, and if crushed it has a salvage value.

#### Several Officials.

He was approached by an old friend whom he had not seen for a very long time. After a mutual exchange of asking for the folks at home the younger man said: "You are rector here now, I understand." "Yes," answered the reverend gentleman. "I am rector of the church, my mother-in-law is director, and my wife is co-rector."—Detroit Free Press.

**New Year 1914**

**The Phelps Grocery Co.**

desire to extend to their friends and patrons their Best Wishes for Happiness and Success for the year 1914.

Also to assure you of our appreciation of your liberal patronage during the past year.

**NEW YEARS GREETINGS**

**R. M. HART**