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## POULTRY ASSOCIATION HAS ELECTION

### E. G. Noble Re-Elected President and Frank Hall Is Secretary—Reports.

The Morrow County Poultry Association met on Friday evening last for the purpose of winding up the business of the recent show, to hear the reports and to elect officers for the coming year.

The report of the secretary and treasurer were handed in and placed in the hands of a committee to be checked over, and report on the same will be given at the next meeting which will be held subject to the call of the president.

As stated in our last issue, this second poultry show was a complete success and the business in connection therewith has been wound up in a very satisfactory manner, all bills paid and arrangements are being made to get lined out for the next event.

A new set of officers have been elected as follows: E. G. Noble, president; L. W. Briggs, vice president; Frank Hall, secretary; D. C. Gurdane, supt.; John Bush asst. supt.; W. R. Irwin, treasurer.

B. F. Keeney was chosen judge for the next show and the judging will be done by comparison. This was the system followed at the big Multnomah county show this year and it proved very satisfactory.

Special inducements are being offered to the country poultry raisers this season. It is the intention of the association to offer a number of silver loving cups to the chicken raisers of the county outside of the corporate limits of Heppner. These are to be prizes that will be worthy of the best efforts of the country people to compete for, and it will also bring them into line to receive some of the cash prizes as well. Heppner has been making a special effort to get together birds of a high class and the country fanciers have been timid in competing. To avoid this in the future the association is going to offer these special prizes for which the poultry raisers of Heppner will be barred from competing. The local raisers will be offered additional loving cups for which they can compete and the show will be placed on a broader basis with the view of making it of more general interest.

In comparison with other shows of the Northwest it is stated by those in a position to know that Heppner had the best of the most of them. Our show was not as large as some but the quality of the exhibits was very superior.

Many raisers will doubtless want to exhibit at the county fair next fall. This is to be held in September, and president Noble says that now is the time to be hatching the birds for that show. He is preparing at this time and will have a lot of fine specimens to select his show birds from by time of the county fair. For the January show the birds should be hatched in April and May.

The numbers 82, 96, 35, 19, 9 and 23, winners of the settings of eggs have not been presented yet. M. L. Case, G. L. Case, E. D. Brown and Frank Gilliam were the fortunate holders presenting their numbers and they have received each a setting of eggs.

The date of the next annual show will be January 6, 7, 8 and 9, 1915.

The following financial statement, covering receipts and disbursements of the last show has been prepared by President Noble and Secretary Hall, and the same is published at their request for the edification of all persons interested.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance, 1912.....	\$ 36 37
County appropriation.....	100 00
Membership fees.....	22 00
Ads in premium list.....	70 00
Gate receipts.....	24 00
Entry fees.....	69 30
To balance.....	96
	\$322 67 \$323 63
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Gazette-Times, printing.....	\$ 29 50
Case Fur Co, sign.....	6 00
B F Harrison Printing Co.....	1 00
Phelps Grocery Co.....	45
Minor & Co, mdse.....	14 17
A M Slocum, coops.....	28 00
W E Walbridge, labor.....	18 00
John Bush, labor.....	18 00
Claud Cox, stamps and env.....	5 00
Herbert Walbridge, labor.....	5 00
Ed Winters, labor.....	4 00
Wm Letraee, for saw dust.....	1 50
Cox & Benner, express.....	7 75
Andrew Rood, rent.....	20 00
Andrew Rood, storing coops.....	12 00
Light & Water Co, lights.....	1 00
D C Gurdane, straw.....	1 50
Harrison Printing Co, ribbons and cups.....	50 00
B F Keeney, judging show.....	60 00
Unpaid premiums.....	40 26
	\$323 63

The above shows 96 cents of a balance on the short side, but taking all into consideration the association is well pleased with the showing, and they desire at this time to thank the people of Heppner, and the county at large for the interest manifested in the show and for the courtesies extended, bigger and better things are promised for the next exhibition.

## COUNTY CLERK HILL THANKS THE PEOPLE

### He Also Endorses A. M. Mallory's Candidacy For The Clerkship.

(Paid Advertisement.)  
TO THE VOTERS OF MORROW COUNTY—

Having decided to retire from the political field of Morrow County, I wish at this time to express my thanks to the people of Morrow County for the honors they have conferred upon me. When I have completed this term of my office, I will have served in a public office twelve and one-half years—four years as deputy sheriff and eight and one-half years as County Clerk. This gives me the honor of the longest continuous service of any man in the history of Morrow County. During this time I have always endeavored to be an efficient and obliging servant of the people, and I feel that they have shown their appreciation of my endeavors by re-electing me four successive terms.

I believe that a word of endorsement from me in behalf of Mr. A. M. Mallory, who has announced himself a candidate for nomination to the office of County Clerk by the Republican party, would not be amiss. During the three years which Mr. Mallory has served as deputy County Clerk, I have found him to be efficient and faithful in his work, strictly honest, courteous and obliging to all patrons of the office. It is my opinion that the people of Morrow County will make a mistake if they do not give Mr. Mallory a term as County Clerk, for he is thoroughly familiar with the work and the law affecting the various departments of the office.

Again thanking you for the many honors conferred upon me and assuring you of my high appreciation of the same, I am,  
Very respectfully  
W. O. HILL.

## PURCHASER WILL GET FULL WEIGHT

### Sealer of Weights And Measures Will Have the Laws Enforced.

Having been appointed Inspector of Weights and Measures for Morrow County, I desire to state that I shall strictly enforce the laws in regard to the sale of all commodities affected by this law.

The law provides that the purchaser is entitled to the net weight or measure of any commodity purchased.

If the purchaser buys a ham, he is entitled to the net weight of the ham and should not be made to pay for the canvas cover and several ounces of wrapping paper.

He is also entitled to buy the ham at its true weight at the time of sale and not what it did weigh two or three months before. Merchants are cautioned not to use liquid measure for dry measure. In measuring cranberries and other like commodities, dry measure must be used. The loss to the purchaser where liquid measure is used instead of dry is about 15 per cent.

Cord wood must contain 128 cubic feet to the cord. Ice must be weighed at the time of delivery and not at the ice house.

A sack of potatoes must weigh 100 pounds, and if more or less than 100 pounds, the exact weight must be marked in plain figures on the sack. The purchaser is entitled to what he pays for and any person attempting to short weight another will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.  
W. W. SMEAD,  
Adjustor Weights and Measures for Morrow County.

### Spain Saddle Good as New.

The John Spain Round-up prize saddle, which was badly mutilated just after the last frontier show, now looks as good as it ever did. It is on exhibition in the display window of the Hamley store, the repair work having been completed by Louis Campbell, who was the original maker of the saddle. All of the silver that was cut off has been replaced and the cut portions of the skirt have been likewise replaced. The whole has been varnished so that the saddle is of one color. The work was done from a fund subscribed by Pendleton citizens.—East Oregonian.

W. F. Barnett, a prominent business man of Lexington, was in our city Saturday. He made the trip in his car and took back with him Jesse R. Kellems, the young evangelist. Mr. Kellems held services in Lexington in the afternoon.

Geo. N. Taylor, representative of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon, will speak at the Federated church, Sunday morning, January 25, and in the evening of the same day before the union meeting at the Christian church. Come out and hear him.

H. S. Harcourt, representative of the American International University, of Los Angeles, Cal., and formerly a well known newspaper man of the Northwest, was in this city on business the fore part of the week.

Bert Bleakman of Hardman went down to The Dalles Monday to buy in a piece of land.

### EIGHT MILE.

Mrs. Anna Pickett of Lexington is visiting at the home of T. W. Rippee for a few days.

Emerson Keithley, Frank Fraters and Mose Ashbaugh were Hardman visitors Saturday.

John Burton is doing some blasting for Frank Fraters this week. Frank is determined to get more water or lose what he has. We wish you success, Frank.

The four-week rabbit hunt at Eightmile Center was brought to a close Saturday night. The count showed a total catch of 1243 rabbits, the winning side having a majority of 59 scalps. A supper will be given Jan. 30.

A new telephone line is being built from Hardman via Rood Canyon and will connect with the Heppner and Eightmile line at T. W. Rippee's place. This will be a great benefit to both Hardman and Eightmile. We are looking with pleasure to the completion of the line. All the ranching along the line between Hardman and Rippee's will put in phones.

The strongest wind of the season, or for that matter for several seasons, visited Eightmile Saturday morning. We have no idea of the velocity of it but it blew the tops off several straw stacks and unroofed out buildings and turned several of them upside down. It was followed by a heavy snow storm which lasted about 30 minutes. We are glad to say we all lived through it and have about recovered our nerve.

Now that the rabbit hunt is over and we older ones have had the pleasure of hunting them and ridding the community of their pesty presence, let us now begin to arrange a little fun that the children can take part in as well as the older ones. Let us a little later in the season organize a squirrel hunt and at the finish give an ice cream social or something of this nature for the benefit of the little folks. Think it over.

### LEXINGTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Della McMillan and her two youngest children spent Sunday in Ione.

Case Fuqua is busy these days building a separate room on the residence of Bert Ward.

Mrs. Anna Pickett is visiting her daughter in Heppner and friends out on Eightmile.

Mrs. Art Gammel, residing near Lexington, is enjoying a visit from her father who resides in Southern Oregon.

The lathes came and as the weather permits work is again progressing rapidly on S. G. McMillan's new residence.

A large crowd greeted Brother Taber at the Methodist church Sunday night. A crowd like that one is very encouraging to the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Galy Johnson, parents of Mrs. Ed Burchell, are back in Lexington and vicinity after a pleasant Christmas holiday in Portland.

Willis Ward was quite ill with a gathering in his throat and the services of Dr. Chick were required twice. Willis is recovering at this time.

Miss Hazel Reaney returned to Lexington on Saturday morning from Heppner where she has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Nelly Baldwin, and incidentally attending the Christian evangelistic meetings.

The Ladies Home Missionary Society is very busy now finishing articles that they will have for sale at their coming bazaar in February. The ladies meet every Thursday and we believe will convene this week at Mrs. Taber's.

Those who attended the Methodist church on Saturday afternoon enjoyed a rare treat when Evangelist Kellems gave them an hour's address on "The Cross of Christ," and Mr. McCallam entertained them with a solo entitled "Does Jesus Care?"

We wonder if we are going to have an open winter and if our worst weather is over with. On Sunday morning on looking out of doors we beheld a mantle of snow on the ground and before noon it was all gone. How much more pleasant it is for us all to

have the snow go this way than for it to remain on a week or so until we are all sick of the sight of snow.

The sand and wind storm on Saturday caused Mr. Burgoyne to be out a sum of money to repair his warehouse. George Mead said that the wind lifted him off of the ground a short distance from his house. Other people suffered small losses in having roofings torn off of various buildings.

J. B. Sparks, of the Star Theater was a business visitor in Echo last week.

W. H. Cronk, manager of the Tum-a-Lum Lumber Co. at Ione, transacted business in Heppner on Monday.

Mrs. Guy Boyer was removed to her home on Hinton creek Monday, after being confined at the Allison-Culbertson hospital in this city.

Louis Pearson is having his tailor shop on May street thoroughly renovated and re-papered. The work, which is being done by O. E. Nordstrom, greatly improves the appearance of the place.

For Friday and Saturday evenings, the attraction at the Star theater will be "The Kiddies' Christmas," a Lubin two-reel production. This picture comes a little late for the holiday season, but is one of genuine human interest, and in order that the show may be properly enjoyed the management will admit all children up to twelve years of age free of charge.

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### Farmers' Convention.

There will be a mass convention of the Morrow County Farmers' Union, held on Saturday, the 31st of January, at Heppner. The members of all the locals are requested to be at the Courthouse promptly at 1 o'clock p. m. Besides the election of officers there will be a great deal of other important business to attend to.  
A. S. AKERS, Sec.

### The Federated Church.

The pastor, Dr. T. J. McMurray, will occupy the pulpit of the Federated church next Sunday morning and evening. All who attend these services are extended a cordial welcome. The forenoon service begins at 11 o'clock, and the evening worship at 7:30.

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SMEAD & CRAWFORD

## HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE BUSY

### Old Building Is Being Used For Gymnasium—Mid Term Exams In 2 Weeks.

The plate glass in one of the doors at the south entrance was broken accidentally last week during the severe wind storm. The glass was replaced Monday.

The Senior class will give two plays this year, one on class night and the other at commencement. It has not been definitely decided yet what plays they will present, but the public can look for some first class plays presented in a first class manner.

The debates in the English VII class are causing much excitement. The one given last Friday on the question of "Resolved that Heppner High School Needs a Gymnasium" was won by the negative, while that given Monday was a tie as to the number of points made by each side, the decision being given to the negative. The question was, "Resolved that Oregon Should Adopt State-wide Prohibition."

The principal gladdened the hearts of the pupils Monday by announcing that the mid-term examinations would come in a couple of weeks and that the exemption lists would be posted some time this week. Of course all those who expect their names to appear on these lists do not care about the near approach of these exams, but on the faces of those who do not expect exemption there is a seriousness which does not become them.

The High School boys are rapidly putting the rooms in the old building in fine shape for the gymnasium. Since securing the old building for this purpose from the school board the High School has been in a ferment of excitement and everyone is very anxious to have it put in shape for use. The gymnastic apparatus which was secured several years ago by the Commercial Club has been turned over to the board so there will be very little need of purchasing anything new in the line of equipment.

The Heppner High boy and girl basketball teams went down to Lexington last Thursday and played the two teams of Lexington High. The girls' game resulted in favor of the Lexington team, while the Heppner boys carried off the big end of a 24 to 10 score. After the games the visitors were invited to sit down to a fine banquet which had been prepared in their honor by the local high school. The trip was made in a hay rack and was greatly enjoyed by all who went down. Everyone has much to say in praise of the treatment they received at the hands of the neighboring high school and all vow that we will reciprocate when Lexington plays the return game here.

Notices of appointment are being sent out this week from the county clerk's office to those who were selected by the county court at the January term to serve two years on the election board of this county. Herewith is published a complete list of those appointed.

Max Crandall returned to his home in Hillsboro on Sunday after spending the past two weeks in auditing the books of the various offices of Morrow county.