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MAN INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

William Fuzier Receives Cut in Neck From Broken Wind Shield When Car Goes Into Ditch.

As a result of an automobile accident that occurred on Sunday afternoon, Wm. Fuzier is in the hospital at Heppner under treatment of Dr. Allison for serious injuries.

Mr. Fuzier works for Hynd Bros. on their Sand Hollow ranch, and joined with Wm. and David Hynd in a little spin around the adjacent country in their new machine. In the auto were Miss Annie Hynd, Geo. D. Anderson and a young son of Mr. Lowe, merchant at Cecil. The accident occurred on a grade about two miles from the Hynd home and in the vicinity of the Sand Hollow school house. Wm. Hynd was at the wheel and David was occupying the seat beside him. They were going down a grade at the bottom of which was a sharp turn to make going up the other side. Apparently the steering gear of the car refused to work, for instead of keeping to the road the machine went off the grade into the ditch and made an abrupt stop against the bank. The force of the impact threw all the occupants of the back seat of the car over the heads of those in the front seat. Mr. Fuzier and Miss Hynd being the only ones receiving any injury. Miss Hynd received a broken nose and some slight injuries to her head and breast, and Mr. Fuzier was forced headlong through the glass wind shield. His throat was cut in front almost from ear to ear but very fortunately the injury was not deep enough to sever the windpipe or the jugular veins for had this happened he would have bled to death very shortly.

John Kilkenny happened along just at the time of the accident and the injured people were rushed to Heppner immediately where they received proper attention at the hands of the physician.

Mr. Fuzier suffered much from the loss of blood and would have bled to death before reaching town had it not been for the fact that Mr. Kilkenny used the precaution of filling the wound with dry flour which had the effect of stopping the flow of blood to a great extent. The wound was a peculiar one, the flesh of the neck being entirely cut out and leaving a hole almost large enough to receive a man's fist. It required between 40 and 50 stitches to close up, and it looked for a time as though the chances for recovery were against him. However, at this writing he is doing well and his physician states that his recovery should be rapid unless some unforeseen complications set in.

The other people in the car escaped injury. The machine was jammed up some and is being put in repair at the Heppner Garage.

The Hynd boys greatly deplore the accident, and while they each escaped bodily injury they were in a state of mental anguish for a time until it was ascertained that those injured would pull through all right.

Wool is Being Shipped Out.

The warehouses at Heppner are busy these days receiving and shipping out the wool clip of Morrow and a portion of Grant county. Big teams arrive at Heppner daily from the interior country with wool and are loaded out with freight. The wool is coming along in fine shape for shipment and goes out in the sacks as received, none of it being baled. There has been an unusually large amount of Grant county wool hauled to Heppner this season, and there is a lot of it on the way now. All these clips have been purchased at private sales and as a consequence there has been no ripping up of sacks, making it much easier to handle through the warehouses.

Extensive Sheep Shipments.

Sixteen double-deck cars were loaded at the Heppner yards yesterday with sheep, for shipment to Fryst Co., at Seattle. They were principally two-year-old weathers and were contributed by Arch Cox and L. V. Gentry. Eight cars more were loaded out of the local yards this morning. These are from the John Hayes bands and go to Montana.

For School Director.

Having been solicited by many of the citizens of Heppner to become a candidate for the office of school director for School District No. 1, A. M. Phelps has finally consented to become a candidate.

Miss Lilah P. Clark departed on Saturday for her home at Lents, Oregon.

SELLS MILL AND YARD

A deal was consummated the past week whereby Reid Bros. become the owners of the Slocum planing mill and lumber yards. A. M. Slocum has conducted this line of business in Heppner for the past 20 years and has also been the owner of different saw mills in the county but he retired some time since and has been conducting the planing mill and lumber business in Heppner only. He still owns considerable residence property here which can be looked after from Portland where his family resides. Reid Bros. have a good trade in lumber and building material in this city, are the owners of a saw mill in the vicinity of Black Butte and were in a position where it is necessary for them to have better milling facilities, hence it stood them in hand to take over the business of Mr. Slocum. We bespeak for them the abundant success which their enterprise merits.

ELECTRIC POWER FOR DAY SERVICE SOON

Many More Improvements Are In Line for Heppner Light & Water Company.

Heppner Light & Water Co. have all things ready for turning in the day current, which will be done the coming week for a try-out. They have been working on the details of this service for some time and have now reached the point where they want to see how their system is going to work. Mr. William Canada, representing the General Electric Co., of Portland, was in Heppner on Tuesday to get some idea of what our city will require in the way of electrical utilities and as soon as the power company here get all details of the service worked out they will handle the supplies of the General Electric Co. at Heppner. Electric motors, heaters, cookers, laundry accessories and all sorts of conveniences for the home and shop are now provided where a day current is available, and all these things are to come to Heppner now upon the installation of this new service. It is rumored that the company will also extend their line to Lexington for the purpose of furnishing power and light to the people there, and those living along the line as well. However we are not authorized at this time to give this as a definite statement, though it has been street talk for some time that this extension is one among the many extensions and betterments planned by Heppner Light & Water Co.

Henry Schwarz, late of Corvallis, and a butcher of many years of experience, has re-opened the Peoples Cash Market which is well stocked with all kinds of fresh and cured meats. Mr. Schwarz announces that he will put his business on a cash basis and offers the public the benefit of this to be derived in lower prices. See his advertisement elsewhere.

Oregon University won the championship in baseball in the Northwest college conference this year, by winning the series from W. S. C. of the eastern division at Eugene last week. Oregon also won championships in track and tennis. Washington won the championships in football and basketball.

I. O. O. F. COMMEMORATE

Willow Lodge No. 66, I. O. O. F. will hold their annual Memorial service in the M. E. Church, South, Sunday, June 14, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

Brother W. T. Goulder will deliver the Memorial address. Special music has been prepared for the occasion. The citizens of Heppner and vicinity are cordially invited to attend. All Oddfellows, whether belonging here or elsewhere are requested to meet at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 10:30 and march to the church in a body.

Aged.

"Why, look here," said the merchant who was in need of a boy, "arn't you the same boy who was here a week ago?" "Yes, sir," said the applicant. "I thought so. And didn't I tell you then that I wanted an older boy?"

"Yes, sir. That's why I'm back. I'm older now."—Exchange.

M. S. Corrigan, president of the First National Bank of Heppner was in the city from his Butter creek home for a day or two the first of the week.

Art Finley of the Banana Belt, was in Heppner on Tuesday.

LARGEST WHEAT CROP IN HISTORY OF UNITED STATES IS IN SIGHT

Government Crop Experts Place Yield This Year at 900,000,000 Bushels, Or Half of the World's Production—137,000,000 Bushels More Than Any Previous Year.

The United States Department of Agriculture has, in their June report, placed the total prospective wheat yield for this country, this year, at 900,000,000 bushels. This enormous crop will be 137,000,000 bushels more than ever grown in any one previous year.

There will also be large yields in oats and barley, probably second in size in the history of the nation. The report states that the wheat crop will be half of the world's production this year.

Statistics for the wheat crop, with comparisons for other years follows:

Spring wheat, area planted, 17,990,000 acres, compared with 18,485,000 acres last year and 19,243,000 acres in 1912 and 20,381,000 acres in 1911. Condition, 95.5 per cent of normal, compared with 93.5 per cent last year and 93.6 per cent the ten-year average. Indicated yield 14.6 bushels per acre, compared with 13 bushels last year and 13.5 bushels the 1909-13 average. Estimated total production, 262,000,000 bushels, compared with 239,819,000 last year.

Winter wheat—Area planted, 35,387,000 acres compared with 31,699,000 acres last year. Estimated total yield, 638,000,000 bushels compared with 523,561,000 bushels last year.

Barley, rye and hay are also above the average of other years.

The 1914 Morrow county wheat crop will equal the 1912 crop, which was around the 2,000,000 bushel mark, according to N. A. Leach, traveling over this section for the Kerr, Gifford Co., of Portland. However the past week has witnessed ideal growing weather, and T. J. Mahoney, of the First National Bank, on this account, places the prospective yield at from 10 to 15 per cent more than the 1912 crop. The acreage this season is far in excess of any previous year, and for this reason, all present predictions may be exceeded by a large margin.

LEXINGTON BREVITIES

Frank Mason is cutting hay for Ed Pointer with his self-blinder.

Miss Lela Pomeroy departed Saturday to spend the summer at Tygh Valley.

Charley Gray, who has been very sick with typhoid fever is reported to be improving.

Misses Leona Davis and Hulda Burchell attended the Heppner High School graduation exercises.

Mrs. Effie Carmichael is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Vida Smith at College Place, Wash.

N. A. Leach, representing Kerr, Gifford and Company of Portland, was in this vicinity looking over the crop prospect.

Saturday a steady fall of rain all day. Not heavy, but just right. It will make the wheat fill soon and the fall grain come out.

The 8th grade pupils took the examination at the school house Thursday and Friday of last week. The examination was conducted by Miss Rammona Bissell.

Ralph Phillips has recovered from his gunshot wound sufficiently to permit him to be around again. He is taking the eighth grade examinations.

Robert O. Williams, who left here last fall to spend the winter in Portland, returned Wednesday to take up his residence on his ranch near Lexington.

The last few days there has been quite a change in the weather from warm to cold. Frost has been reported in some places. Anyway it is fine weather for wheat and other crops.

Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Zink, was given a farewell dance by Mr. Zink, before leaving for the farm north of Lexington. They expect to return to town in the fall so the children can attend school.

C. A. Morey took out a brand new Deering header last Thursday to cut his crop on Strawberry flat. Chas. reports he will have considerably more grain this year than last. Several more headers are being set up for use in this vicinity.

The members of the Independent Shearing plant from Lexington have all returned, having finished the season's shearing in Morrow county. Most of the crew are preparing to start for Montana to finish the season's shearing there about the 10th of July.

A party was given Thursday evening to the 6th grade pupils by their teacher, Miss Eva Swanson, at their room in the school house. It was a farewell to the pupils by the teacher, who goes to the lone school next year. Miss Swanson will be greatly missed by all and it is with regret that she was not retained here for another year.

D. E. Gilman departed this morning for Portland to remain a few days on business.

Frank Hall, of the City Meat Market, shipped a carload of hogs to the Portland market on Monday.

Ora Adkins, who runs the C. A. Rhea place on Rhea creek, was doing business in our city Tuesday.

YOUNG PEOPLE WED

Oral L. Scott of Blackhorse, and Tena L. Devin of Sand Hollow were married last Sunday morning at six o'clock by Rev. W. T. Goulder, of the South Methodist church. The young people took the morning train for Portland, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Mr. Scott is a prosperous young farmer of Blackhorse, where he resides with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Scott. Miss Devin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Devin of this city. She is quite well known here where she attended school, and has many friends. Miss Devin graduated from the Heppner high school, being a member of the 1912 class. The Gazette-Times extends congratulations to the young people.

GRADUATES CROWN CAREER WITH SUCCESS

Pleasing Play, "She Stoops to Conquer," Presented in Excellent Manner.

The graduating class of the local high school gave a much appreciated and well-rendered play to a packed house on Commencement evening, June 5. Every part was well placed and each character gave evidence that time and talent had been expended in preparation. In fact, every detail showed that the class of 1914, which is the first class to hold Commencement exercises in the new High School building, felt the privileges it enjoyed. All the handicaps that the previous classes endured, this class did not suffer. The fine new stage with all its conveniences, serves well to enhance the enjoyment of the audience and the efforts of the entertainers.

But had conditions been otherwise, there is no doubt but that, "She Stoops to Conquer" would have been a success.

The "Special Numbers" were also laden with good things. This portion of the exercises proved that Heppner has an excellent promise of producing some good entertainers in the musical line.

After a short presentation speech by H. H. Hoffman, Supt. Notson delivered a very appropriate address to the class.

Cast of characters:
Sir Charles Marlow... Ralph Justus
Young Marlow... George Peck
Squire Hardcastle... Harvie Young
George Hastings... Miles Potter
Tony Lumpkin... Creston Maddock
Diggory... Walter Yeager
Roger... John Elder
Dick... Loren Mikesell
Stingo, Landlord of the "Three Pigeons"... Walter Yeager
Matt Muggins... Edward Clark
Aminadab... Samuel Stevens
Mrs. Hardcastle... Mildred Allison
Kate Hardcastle... Nora Hughes
Constance Neville... Ella Aiken
Maid... Gladys Musgrave
Postillion... Stephen Irwin
Special Numbers:
Piano Duet, Edith Thorley and Alberta Goulder.
Solo... Alberta Goulder
Sam and Tilly's Courtship...
Ella Hayes and Dempsey Boyer
"School Days are O'er".....
Glee Club... Glee Club
"Venezia"..... Girls Glee Club

Oscar Doble was in town Monday visiting with his parents here. He has just finished a high school course at Echo and left Tuesday morning for Portland from where he will go to the coast to spend the summer.

Roy Kicker is now on the rapid road to recovery after having an experience with blood poison. He ran a nail into his foot some two weeks ago but after having it lanced by the Hermiton physician Sunday he will soon be all right.

Locates Six Families in Morrow.

Within the past few days, D. E. Gilman of this city has disposed of Morrow county land to six different families who will locate here in a short time. Mr. Gilman is also responsible for locating two new families in Grant county recently.

Wool Sales at Shaniko.

Wool at Shaniko last week sold as high as 20 1/2 cents. J. W. Fisher drew the top price. Among those selling were:
Tom Brogan 19 1/2 cents; L. L. Jones 18 1/2; D. T. McRhae 18 1/2; McRhae Estate 17 1/2; Marion Osborne 17 1/2; R. R. Hinton 19 1/2; Hilton & Burgess 18; Tom Hamilton 18 1/2; John Asher 16 1/2; Garrett Asher 17 1/2; Bridge Creek Stock Ranch 19 1/2; Murdo Finlayson 17; Alex McLennan 17; Malone Estate 17 1/2; A. C. Benton 17 1/2; M. M. Derr 19; B. P. Woodward 17 1/2; Donald McKay 17 1/2; Tom Fitzgerald 19 1/2; Nat Shown 19; P. D. Buker 19 1/2; J. McLennan 17 1/2; F. A. Knox 17 1/2; S. B. Davis 17 1/2; R. W. Johnson 18 1/2; H. C. Rooper 19 1/2.—Fossil Journal.

Mrs. Chas. Cox returned home visit of two weeks in the Rose City, from Portland on Saturday after a

Mayor Smead has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to sit up. His improvement will necessarily be somewhat slow but it is gratifying to his numerous friends to know that he is on the road to permanent recovery.

See us before buying your years supply of flour. We can save you money. HEPPNER MILLING CO.

NEWSLETTER TELLS OF STATE PROGRESS

First Unit in Dock Construction Work at Flavel To Cost \$3,000,000.

Portland, June 6. (Special)—On last Wednesday Astoria witnessed the opening of an era of improvement and progress which will far surpass in importance all the activities at the mouth of the Columbia for the past century. The first unit of the Port of Astoria municipal dock was commenced. The first pile was driven in a project to reclaim the waterfront of the city by the construction of a great concrete sea wall, ground was broken for the Clatsop County section of the Columbia highway, and at Flavel, a suburb of the greater city, work was started on the construction of a great system of docks for the accommodation of the magnificent steamers which the Hill system is having built for the service between the mouth of the river and California.

The municipal docks, which will be located at Smith's Point, will consist of a dock and warehouse 90 by 100 feet on the west side and a dock 100 by 600 feet on the north side of the point, the development, when complete, providing 6,000 feet of waterfront with piers long enough to accommodate the largest ships that can pass through the Panama Canal.

The improvements at Flavel will include a system of docks of sufficient capacity to accommodate any vessel which can enter the river and this first unit of the project will cost approximately \$3,000,000. The contractors are busy at work constructing camps for their workmen, erecting shops and installing powerful machinery which will be required in driving construction at top speed. It is estimated that the first dock will be ready for use within ten months from the driving of the first pile.

On the north side of the Columbia the Government is pushing the North Jetty ever farther and farther out into the ocean, hauling and dumping rock at the rate of 4,000 to 5,000 tons every day. A giant pile driver occupies the seaward end of the trestle steadily hammering great trees into the sand as a support for the rails over which the miniature locomotives haul endless trainloads of boulders which are tumbled into the surf at an average rate of nearly ten tons per minute. The rock is transported on barges from the quarries on the river bank above Vancouver, Wash. Every carload is weighed between the receiving dock and the jetty.

Late in October the Manufacturers Association of Oregon and the Land Products Show company will hold a great joint exhibit in the Portland Armory and a temporary building to be erected near by. The object of the show is to gather a vast quantity of products of Oregon soil to be shown first at Portland and afterward the best of the material to be installed at San Francisco during the exposition next year. The prizes offered for land products will amount to about \$4,000.

On June 4 more than 1,000,000 pounds of wool was sold at Shaniko at prices ranging from 16 1/2 to 20 cents per pound. The wool was practically all taken by five buyers, one of whom bought 480,000 pounds. The largest individual sale was of 77,000 pounds at 18 1/2 cents.

An Eating Proposition.

A stalwart young German applied for a position on a farm. As he walked into the barn he addressed the farmer: "Hey, mister, will you job me?"

"Will I what?"

"Will you job me? Make me work yet?"

"Oh, I see! you want a job," said the farmer. "Well, how much do you want a month?"

"I tell you. If you eat me on der farm I come for \$5, but for \$25 I eat myself at Schmidt's."—National Food Magazine.

E. C. Keeney, prominent resident of Monument was in Heppner on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. C. Fell, formerly of Heppner, but now a resident of Redmond, Oregon, is here to receive medical treatment. She will enter Heppner Sanatorium today for a surgical operation.

Mrs. W. T. McRoberts departed for Portland on Tuesday to attend the Rose Show. Mr. McRoberts went down on Wednesday to join his wife. After spending a few days in Portland they will return home via Pendleton.