

WEEK'S NEWS.

Local And Personal Happenings of Heppner And Vicinity.

Claud M. Herren was down from his ranch yesterday.

Dan Barlow and wife were Heppner visitors Saturday.

Ben Patterson made a business trip to Portland this week.

C. B. Sperry, lone wheat buyer, was in Heppner last Thursday.

Emerson Keithley was in the town on business at the end of the week.

Sheriff Evans went to Lexington to attend to matters of business Monday.

Mrs. Percy Hughes of Butter creek was shopping in the city last Saturday.

Frank Burgoyne and wife were visiting friends in Heppner Tuesday evening.

W. G. Scott, the Lexington banker, was in Heppner Tuesday transacting business.

Prof. Steele, the dancing teacher, has rented the Club hall for his dancing lessons.

George Flint, Lexington business man, was in our city for a few hours Tuesday evening.

J. W. Cradick was in from his Hale Ridge farm Tuesday. He returned home Wednesday morning.

County Assessor J. J. Wells is suffering from a severe cold which he contracted several weeks ago.

Frank Engleman, well known lone business man, transacted business in Heppner last Thursday evening.

J. R. Nunemaker, the Hood River fruit grower and inventor, is in Heppner looking after matters of business.

Omar Stanton, well known farmer of the Hardman section was transacting business in Heppner last Saturday.

Misses Leona Leach and Cecil Scott, popular young ladies of Lexington, were shopping in Heppner last Saturday.

Albert Slocum was a passenger to Portland last Sunday after spending several days in Heppner looking after business interests.

Miss Venice Jones of Portland came up from that city last Saturday evening to visit with her mother who resides at Parkers Mill.

Harry Gelsie, well known Hermiton young man, who formerly lived at Hardman, was transacting business in Heppner this week.

T. D. Matthews, resident of Pendle, but formerly a well known stockman of Butter creek, was a Heppner visitor several days last week.

John Natter is rapidly recovering from the ill effects received from a dislocated shoulder caused last week when he slipped and fell in his home.

Mrs. E. G. Slocum and children of Heppner, visited here this week with Mrs. Slocum's daughter, Mrs. M. L. Van Scholack—Arlington Independent.

C. B. Ewing, Will Ewing and W. W. Ewing were in Heppner Sunday from Cecil. The two latter were on their way to the Ewing mountain ranch on Caplinger creek.

At the recent city election in lone, C. C. Chick was elected mayor, M. B. Haines, E. T. Perkins, E. L. Padberg, councilmen and Mrs. C. T. Walker was elected treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tower returned to their Portland home last Saturday morning after visiting for several weeks at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Case of this city.

Jesse Hale and O. M. Yeager, young men of this city, have formed a partnership in the contracting and building business and hereafter will be in a position to bid on all jobs, both big and little.

Mrs. Otheo Crawford entertained a number of her friends last Saturday evening at her home on west Willow street. The evening was spent with sewing and music. Light refreshments were served.

J. C. Brown of Black Horse departed for California the first of the week, where he will spend the winter. He was accompanied by his daughters, Miss Caroline and Miss Mollie Brown as far as Portland.

C. F. Troedson and A. S. Peterson, two young men of Morgan, were Heppner visitors Wednesday. They report that all the seeding in their section is completed and the grain is coming up in fine shape.

V. L. and P. N. Gunter, two young men of Long Creek passed through Heppner Sunday on their way home from Portland, where they have been working the past several months. The young men are walking from Heppner to Long Creek, there being no stage from here to that point at the present time.

In a telegram received yesterday by County Clerk Hill from Salem stating the amount of State Tax which Morrow county must raise this year, the amount was \$21,400. The court will meet Monday to levy get several weeks ago, but owing to the delay of State officials, the county tax levy has likewise been delayed. The court will meet Monday to levy the tax for the year 1915.

Phone 26F33 for good wheat hay. 3t.

J. L. Wilkins made a trip to Hardman Tuesday.

Mrs. E. E. Vickers is visiting with relatives at Dayton, Wash.

Mrs. John Kilkenny and two sons were trading in Heppner Saturday.

J. W. Vaughn was in the city Saturday from his home south of Heppner.

Geo. Smith, Rhea creek farmer, was in town Saturday on a shopping trip.

Jay Devin and son Ostin, of Sand Hollow, were in the city on business Saturday.

Howard and Ben Anderson of Eight Mile were Saturday business visitors in Heppner.

O. B. Barlow, manager of the Jordan warehouse, transacted business in Heppner last Saturday.

John H. Padberg and wife and son were Heppner visitors Saturday from their farm home west of town.

Emil Grotkopp spent Friday in this city, returning to his Heppner Flat home Saturday morning.

W. E. Wright and Waldo Vincent, both farmers and stockmen of Little Butter creek, were in Heppner on business Wednesday.

William Scott, who with his brother, Harvey Scott, has the Spencer Akers ranch rented, was in the city Saturday. He reports dry conditions in his locality.

Miss Irma Davenport and Miss Waddell, both young ladies of Little Butter creek, were week end visitors in Heppner. Miss Davenport has charge of the Lena school.

Morrow county is doing some road work down Badger canyon, tributary to Rhea creek near the Crockett Kirk ranch. For this work a road scraper, drawn by Jeff Jones tractor, is being used. When finished, this will be one of the best pieces of road in the county, is the opinion of those who have lately been over it.

Rev. J. D. Crooks, pastor of the Methodist church, South, left this week for St. Louis, Mo., where he will spend the next month or more taking treatments from a specialist. Mr. Crooks has a son living in St. Louis who is a practicing physician. The church has granted him a leave of absence for that length of time.

A very enjoyable dance at Geo. Evans' farm on Black Horse, was indulged in last Friday night by some sixty people from town and country. The folks made merry until the early morning hours, when they departed for their various homes avowing that Mr. Evans was a most entertaining host. Walter Davis of Heppner acted as floor manager during the evening.

At The Catholic Church.

There will be three masses at the Catholic Church on Christmas Day. The first Mass will be at midnight on Christmas Eve, the 2nd at 9:30 a. m. of Christmas Day and the 3rd at 10:30 a. m. The first bell for the midnight Mass will ring at 10 o'clock and the 2nd bell will ring at 5 minutes before midnight. The Rev. Pastor will preach at both the midnight Mass and the 10:30 Mass.

Teacher's Examinations This Week.

County Superintendent of Schools, S. E. Notson, is conducting teacher's examinations at the Court House this week. Teachers who are taking the examinations are: Allen W. McCann, Irrigon; J. A. Gibbons, Castle Rock; Mrs. Joyce L. Hays and Miss Miriam Smith, Eight Mile; Miss Esther Cox, Cecil; Misses Margaret Osten and Etta Adams and Mrs. Margaret Cramer, Hardman; S. H. Doak, Mrs. Louise Ritchie, and Misses Anna T. Fern, May Severance, Mabel H. Smith, and Ina Gilbert, Lexington; Mrs. Alice Nichols, Gooseberry; Miss Winifred Romney, lone; Misses Luella Stamp, Ina Johnson and Gladys Musgrave, Heppner.

Christian Church Notes.

Subject of discourse next Sunday morning, "Our Passover." Evening theme, "What Lack I?"

Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:45 a. m.

Preparations are being made for appropriate observance of Christmas. The Sunday School and church voted to have a giving service. The program to be rendered is entitled: "White Gifts for the King."

There will be services at Hardman Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Handsaker assisted by members of the local congregation will conduct an evangelistic service.

Much interest was manifested in the revival services the past week and it is the intention of the minister to return soon for further meetings.

Lexington Holds Election.

At the city election in Lexington last Tuesday, C. G. McMillan was elected mayor, Otto Bobinett, J. B. Coxen and H. L. McAllister were elected councilmen, with Hank Parker and Mrs. Green tied for fourth place. W. P. McMillan was chosen recorder and E. D. McMillan was elected treasurer.

The Federated Church.

The Christmas sermon for the Federated church will be preached by Rev. Ferris next Lord's Day at 11 a. m. Special music will be rendered by the choir.

A cordial invitation it extended to all. Strangers welcome.

A six room house and five lots for sale, with chicken houses and out-buildings. This is a good buy. Price and terms all that could be asked for. For further particulars see Smead & Crawford.

The Gilliam & Bisbee snap table will supply your Christmas wants.

LEXINGTON.

Sheriff Evans was a Lexington caller Monday.

Clark Davis is the latest owner of a new Ford car.

Mrs. Pickett is confined to her home with rheumatism.

Ed Hunt was a Lexington caller Sunday in his Buick car.

Howard Slate returned Monday from a short visit in Idaho.

Born—Dec. 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dinges, a daughter. All are doing well.

Geo. Flint has moved into the Karl Beach house, recently vacated by Arthur Parker.

W. W. Smead, Orve Rasmus and Albert Bowker were Lexington callers one day last week.

John Carmichael is erecting a large barn on his ranch for the use of stock and machinery.

Miss Eva Swanson of lone spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pointer.

Harry Munkers is home after a visit of two months with his sister, Mrs. Sylvanus Wright at Monument.

Mrs. Susan J. Boothby has been on the sick list for several days. At the present writing she is able to be out again.

Jos. Burgoyne's new warehouse, which is being erected as an annex to his store, is rapidly nearing completion.

Ed Duran is in the mountains for a few days. It is said there is considerable snow in that locality at the present time.

The social dance given at the hall Friday night was well attended from all parts of the country. An enjoyable time was had by all who attended.

J. M. White is building a new house on his farm known as the Enos quarter. Nickson and Buffington will drill a well as soon as they can move the outfit.

Chas. Way, who moved with his family to Newberg last fall, is again in this vicinity looking for a location. Mr. Way says that Morrow county looks good to him.

During the late cold spell, the ice on the mill pond has been frozen to a depth of six inches. A force of men was at work Tuesday putting it away for summer use.

The town election passed off very quietly last Tuesday. There were no measures up to cause any comment. In the vote for councilmen, two nominees were tied for fourth place.

James Wade came over from Stanfield and is making preparations to drill a well on his farm which is situated near South Springs. He recently leased his land for a number of years.

Mrs. Julia Burchell returned to her home in Portland Wednesday morning, after spending several days visiting relatives and friends and her old home now owned by J. H. Campbell.

Bert Smith and Joe Spirlock went to the mountains Thursday. They will camp at the Duran cabin to make posts and cord wood. They went well prepared for the winter as they will be gone for seven or eight weeks.

Col. C. C. Boon left Friday for a vacation and to visit among relatives and friends who live in Pendleton, Milton and Walla Walla. It has been several years since the Colonel has been in those cities and he will notice many changes.

The outside work on the new addition to Leach Bros.' store is all finished. This makes the store and hall all in one building. The outside is all painted and in a few days a new heating plant will be installed and the entire building will be heated in a thoroughly scientific way.

The manufacture of show cases and store fixtures has been established on a large scale by the Woodcraft Co. in Marshfield.

I have 980 acres of land near Portland which is surveyed in 20 and 40 acre tracts. The same is being sold at \$40 per acre. I will exchange this for general grain and stock farm at cash value. Write for further particulars to Claud Cole, 4312 46th St., S. E., Portland, Ore. 3t.

England's Resources.

Philadelphia Ledger: England's resources in money seem inexhaustible. She has already loaned \$215,000,000 to her allies and friends for war purposes; \$50,000,000 to Belgium, \$4,000,000 to Serbia, \$8,000,000 to Greece, besides large cash advances to Canada, South Africa, Australia and New Zealand. These loans are without interest so long as hostilities continue. When the European nations took up arms against Napoleon England pursued the same policy. She financed country after country until the menace of a one-nation tyranny was banished. There is no doubt that Great Britain is in a healthy financial condition and better able to stand the drain and strain of a long war than any other power. And her financiers prophesy that when peace comes she will be in even better condition than when the struggle first began.

There are some Christmas goods on Gilliam & Bisbee's snap table, that are surely snaps.

YAKIMA POTATOES—Car just received. Phelps Grocery Co.

Go to Gilliam & Bisbee's snap table for china ware.

White Wyandotte cockerels for sale at reasonable prices. 1m. W. CLAUD COX.

Take a look at the Gilliam & Bisbee store windows; there is something there for your inspection.

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STRAY ANIMALS

I have at my place on Eight Mile two stray horses; one roach mane, sorrel, branded three bars on left shoulder; one gray, branded 61 on left stifle. Owner can get these animals by paying for this advertisement and settling pasturage. 3t. D. S. BARLOW.

ALFALFA HAY—About 45 tons to sell. See me at farm 2 miles up Willow creek from Lexington. 3t. R. W. SNIDER.

STRAYED—From my Rood Hill farm, a suckling mule colt, black and was gentle. Had no brand. Finder return to or notify me. Reward. FRED ASHBAUGH, Hardman, Ore.

WANTED AT ONCE—A wheat ranch. If you have a good first-class wheat ranch anywhere from 500 to 800 acres, well improved, with water on it, to trade for Willamette valley land or income property in Eugene, write to me at once. I can handle something up to \$30,000 or \$40,000. I will not consider any inflated prices as I know land values. If you mean business write me, giving full description, location and prices. W. B. SHELLEY, 774 Willamette St., Eugene, Ore.

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