

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The most highly appreciated gift is the portrait of one near and dear. The truth of this statement is so evident that you will very probably admit it yourself.

The most economical investment for the season is a dozen photographs of yourself, of the baby or of the family group; the same money cannot buy more satisfaction and pleasure to so many.

Conditions governing the cost of living and conducting business are such that there must be an universal readjustment of values, upward.

On the first of the New Year photographs must go up ten to twenty-five percent.

Make an early appointment, save the necessary increase of cost, and pleasingly perpetuate the memory of yourself among your friends.

A premium with each order over \$5.00 during November, so that the rush will not be at the last moment.

**AND REMEMBER**

Your friends can buy anything you can give them—except your photograph.

**SIGSBEE STUDIO**  
OVER STAR THEATER,  
Heppner, Ore.

**UNPRECEDENTED FROST TAKES APPLE TOLL**

Jack Frost has been making a November record during the past several days. The minimum temperature for the Lower Valley according to Cooperative Weather Observer Birge, reached 15 degrees above zero Monday night. The temperature was 16 degrees Sunday night and 23 on Saturday night.

Tuesday the orchardists began to make estimate of their damage. Mr. Sieg, judging by reports that he had gotten in, estimated the total frost damage on Tuesday morning at an approximate 10 per cent of the total crop. Fruit in apple boxes in orchards and in inadequate shelters were frosted and made unfit for commercial packs. Unless frozen apples are allowed to thaw too quickly they will be taken at the cider factory. The loss was minimized by growers, who placed heavy tarpaulins around their fruit and in many instances battened the cold with oil heaters. The local stocks of heaters were exhausted Monday and dealers had to wire to Portland for more of them.

The cold weather, according to old time residents, is unprecedented for early November.

While the apple loss is heavy, the damage to the Valley's potato crop will be proportionately greater. Because of the press of apple work but few potatoes have been dug, and it is estimated that nearly 50 per cent of the estimated 30 carloads of tubers for the valley will be effected by the frost. Many growers spent Sunday digging their potatoes.

Other Northwestern apple districts have been stricken far worse than Hood River. Reports from Wenatchee yesterday were to the effect that the temperature had reached as low as 5 degrees above zero and that the loss would reach 25 per cent. Yakima reported a temperature of from 5 degrees below to 10 above, but no report was made on the damage. At Spokane the temperature was two degrees above.

Other district will suffer greater than Hood River because of the lack of storage facilities. Hood River's loss was minimized because of the adequate storage terminals here.—Hood River Glacier.

**MORGAN NEWS**

George Ely and Earl Morgan returned from The Dalles last week with a new Ford car apiece.

A few friends called on Hal Ely and family last Saturday evening and spent a very pleasant evening.

Geo. B. Whitcomb, the merchant of Morgan is spending several days at The Dalles having a tractor made.

T. M. Benedict and daughter, Irene left Sunday morning for Portland where they will spend a few days.

Miss Echo Wade of Currinsville, Oregon who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity for some time left Sunday for Olex to visit relatives.

There has been much wheat hauled to the warehouse at Morgan and it will probably be about a month before the farmers are through hauling.

A community dinner is to be held in the Odd Fellows Hall Thanksgiving to which all are invited. A short program will be rendered just after the noon hour by the school children.

The Morgan people have just received a traveling library from the State Library of Salem. The set consists of 50 books and are free for any one to use in the community.

A literary society was organized at Morgan last Friday. The meetings will be held at the school house every Friday evening and a program will be rendered. The following officers were chosen: President, Echo Githens; Vice President, Oral Palmateer; Secretary and Treasurer, Lillian Troedson.

**Dorts Are Selling Fast.**

Karl Beach, of the firm of Beach & Allyn, Morrow county agents for the Dort car, returned last Saturday from Arlington with a car load of these machines. They have sold a large number of the cars to Morrow county people. Among those receiving a Dort the past week are John Piper and Alfred Nelson. Earl Warner received a car of the same make a few weeks ago, the first Dort sold in this county. Mr. Beach says that more deliveries will be made just as soon as he can get the cars here from Portland.

A. C. Barnekoff, the heavy weight Democrat of Portland, was in town Tuesday circulating the report that Wilson had been re-elected. Mr. Barnekoff has been mentioned as a probable successor of Postmaster Meyers of Portland.

**FOR SALE**—Pure blood Poland China Boar. Phone 27F32 or write Guy Boyer, Heppner, Ore.

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**BIG SHEEP DEAL BY STANFIELD'S IS MADE**

Malheur Livestock and Land Company Holdings Are Sold to New Company.

Baker, Ore.—Baker sheepmen were much interested today in the report of the sale of Malheur Livestock & Land Company to a company headed by the Stanfield brothers. According to the report the sale was one of the largest sheep deals ever made in the west and was consummated yesterday when Robert N. Stanfield of Stanfield, Ore., Montie B. Gwinn of Boise, G. E. Stanfield, Glen McCullough and H. L. Stanfield, purchased from P. H. O'Neil and sons the property of the Malheur Livestock & Land company. It is understood this property has a valuation of approximately \$650,000. The purchase price has not been made public.

The deal has been forecasted in special dispatches from Malheur county to the Baker Herald several weeks ago.

The holdings consist of 40,000 young, select breeding ewes; about 33,000 acres of deeded land and 28,000 acres of leased land, aside from forest reserve rights. The land is located in Malheur, Grant, Harney and Baker counties, Oregon. There are also some cattle and other livestock. Included in the real estate holdings is the famous Cowley ranch consisting of 11,200 acres, at the head of Barren Valley. This ranch is irrigated from a storage reservoir which is closed by a cement dam 70 feet high.

There are 1000 acres now in alfalfa and cultivation, and it is the intention of the present owners to immediately develop and place in cultivation an additional 1500 acres which will make 2500 acres of alfalfa in one tract.

**Federated Church.**

Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock a short service will be held under the auspices of the Endeavor society. After the service a congregational meeting will be held to act upon the question of calling a pastor. Every member is urged to be present, and all the friends and well-wishers of the Federated church are cordially invited to attend.

Frank Glider, an expert meat cutter and sausage maker from North Dakota has taken a position with the Peoples Cash Market in this city.

W. G. Scott of Lexington was a business visitor in Heppner Tuesday.

George Moore was down from his mountain home this week, bringing in a big load of cord wood.

Place your order early for that Thanksgiving turkey. Henry Schwarz is prepared to fill the orders at the Peoples Cash Market.

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| 3 3-year-old horses.              | 1 Hodge header.                               |
| 5 Spring colts.                   | 1 Disc drill.                                 |
| 2 2-year-old horses.              | 1 land packer.                                |
| 2 saddle horses.                  | 1 Harrow.                                     |
| 7 milch cows.                     | 3 3-bottom plows.                             |
| 4 yearlings.                      | 1 garden cultivator.                          |
| 15 Spring calves.                 | 1 set blacksmith tools.                       |
| 22 2-year-old heifers and calf    | 1 hack.                                       |
| 1 2-year-old Short Horn bull.     | 1 buggy.                                      |
| 1 Case automobile.                | 1 stack of hay.                               |
| 1 No. 12 DeLavel cream separator. | About 250 acres of pasture with straw stacks. |
| 3 wagons.                         | HOUSEHOLD GOODS.                              |
| 1 wheat rack.                     |   |

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