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## LOCAL DOCTOR IS OFF FOR THE FRONT

**Dr. H. T. Allison Leaves Friday For Army of Southern Department and Will Go to France Soon as Officer in Medical Corps.**

Dr. H. T. Allison, for many years a practicing physician of this city, has received his orders to report for duty to the Commanding General of the Southern Department at Douglas, Arizona, as a commissioned officer in the medical corps of the U. S. Army. From there he expects to be sent to France soon.

"I am not leaving Heppner because I want to," said Dr. Allison a short time before his departure, "but because I believe it is my duty, as well as the duty of every other able-bodied physician to enter the service of their country in this time of need."

"Heppner is my home and will continue to be. I will return to Heppner and take up my practice just as soon as conditions permit. In the meantime we are keeping our home here and Mrs. Allison will remain here until I return."

"During my absence, Dr. Winnard will look after my practice and I earnestly request my former patrons to go to him when in need of medical or surgical advice. All over the country the good, ethical physicians who cannot enter the army have agreed to take care of the practices of those who have joined the colors and turn over a certain percentage of the fees from the absent doctor's practice to his family, or those dependent upon him. This, Dr. Winnard has kindly consented to do for me."

"I desire to thank the people of Heppner for their kind and courteous treatment of me and will look forward with pleasure to my return, which, I hope, will be soon."

Dr. Allison has seen army duty before, having been an officer in the National Guard for seven years. His brother, Major W. F. Allison, is now in the Engineer's Corps, stationed at Vancouver Barracks, but expects to be sent to France soon.

When Dr. Allison leaves Heppner tomorrow he will be accompanied as far as Portland by his mother, Mrs. Wm. Allison, who is going to Seattle to make her home with the family of her son Major Allison, while the war lasts.

Mrs. Gay M. Anderson and children will leave Saturday for Goldendale, Wash., where they will visit at the home of Mrs. Anderson's parents.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**  
Notice is hereby given that the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, has appointed Minnie L. Leach administratrix of the Estate of William E. Leach, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate must present them to me properly verified, at the office of Woodson & Sweek, attorneys at Law, at Heppner, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of first publication hereof.

Date of first publication August 9, 1917.  
**MINNIE L. LEACH,**  
Administratrix.

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, dated the 7th day of August, 1917, in a certain suit in the said Circuit Court, wherein C. W. Oathout as plaintiff, recovered judgment against Margret H. Kitch and Amos R. Kitch for the sum of Sixteen Hundred and Fifty and no-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of Seven per cent per annum from June 12th, 1915, and the further sum of \$200.00 attorneys' fees and costs and disbursements taxed and allowed at Nineteen and 40-100 Dollars, on the 4th day of August, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that I will on the 8th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock, P. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House in Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described property, to-wit:

Lots Two (2) and Three (3) and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 31, in Township 2 North of Range 24, E. W. M., in Morrow County, Oregon.

Taken and levied upon as the property of said Defendants, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of C. W. Oathout and against said defendants, together with all costs that have or may accrue.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, August 8th, 1917.  
**GEORGE McDUFFEE,**  
Sheriff of Morrow County, Oregon.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Lee Padberg, county commissioner, motored up from Ione Tuesday.

Ralph I. Thompson of Portland is spending a few days in Heppner on business.

Ben O. Anderson is spending a few days in Heppner this week from his Eight Mile home.

H. V. Smouse, extensive farmer of the Fairview section was a Heppner business visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Glenn Y. Wells has returned from an extensive visit with relatives in Pendleton and LaGrande.

Dr. A. D. McMurdo has returned to his practice after spending a few weeks of recreation in the mountains.

John W. Johnson, local contractor, made a business trip to Ione Tuesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thomson, of the firm of Thomson Bros., are representing that firm at Buyers' Week in Portland.

D. J. Butcher, Portland official of the Pacific Telegraph and Telephone Company, was in the city this week on business.

The ladies of the Federated church will hold a window sale at the Case Furniture store on Saturday morning, August 11.

Mrs. Frankie Luper, local milliner, is attending Buyers' Week in Portland and incidentally making purchases of her Fall stock.

J. H. Raymond and wife of Morgan were Heppner visitors Tuesday. Mr. Raymond is an extensive poultryman of the Morgan section.

Mrs. L. G. Herren of the Herren Millinery Parlors, is a guest of Portland this week while attending the sessions of Buyers' Week.

Miss Freda Heffner of the Herren Millinery store, is attending Buyers' Week in Portland, where she is a guest of Mrs. C. E. Wallenstein.

A new subscriber to the Gazette-Times is Jas. Marts, who left this week for Whitney, Ore., to take charge of Mike Kenny's sheep.

Mrs. Lena Snell Shurte, county school superintendent, returned Wednesday evening from Portland, where she had been spending a few days on business.

Miss Evelyn Shipley departed Sunday for Portland and the coast to spend a vacation of two weeks. She will attend Buyers' Week while in Portland.

R. M. Hart, local merchant, is attending Buyers' Week in Portland and taking a much needed vacation. He may make a visit to beach resorts before returning home.

While in Ione Saturday, the editor was entertained at lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Cronan and received a taste of genuine Ione hospitality. Mr. Cronan is assistant cashier of the Bank of Ione.

H. M. Cummins, cashier of the Bank of Ione, went down to Portland last Saturday to spend a few days. His family is enjoying an outing in the mountains near Underwood, Wash., at the present time.

A. M. Phelps of the Phelps Grocery Co., is spending several days in Portland and on the coast. Mr. Phelps went down primarily to attend Buyers' Week but is taking some side trips to the coast, in hopes that it may prove beneficial to his health.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Shutt were in the city this week from their summer camp at Parkers Mill. They were looking for a house or furnished rooms in which to live during the winter. Mr. Shutt will be engaged in the buying and selling of cattle after he becomes located here again.

J. S. Young came in from his ranch in the Eight Mile district Wednesday and reports harvest under way there now. His son Harvie, who farms the home ranch, is using a one-man combine harvester this year and is meeting with success. The wheat is turning out a little better than 15 bushels per acre.

While in Lexington this week, the editor had a pleasant chat with Harvey, "Pap" McAlister, a seasoned veteran of the Spanish-American War. "Pap" is a strong supporter of the Rooseveltian idea and had signed up to go to France with Teddy's volunteers. He is still anxious to get into the service and will probably enlist at the first opportunity.

Creston R. Maddock this week received a letter from Walter Yeager, who is now on a ship running between St. Helens, Ore., and San Diego, Cal. Mr. Yeager is in the radio service as operator. Two other Heppner boys who were his classmates in school are also in the service. Ellis Hendrickson is still on a boat between Balboa, Harry America, and San Francisco. Harry Wright is on a run between San Diego and Seattle. The boys all like their work fine, according to Mr. Yeager.

## FIRST DRAFT MEN ARE APPEARING BEFORE LOCAL EXEMPTION BOARDS

Young men of draft age in the State of Oregon are appearing before the local exemption boards in the various counties this week. The first step toward becoming a full fledged soldier in Uncle Sam's army is the physical examination.

In Morrow county 82 men have been called up for this examination. The number is being examined one third at a time. Thursday, Friday and Saturday are the days chosen by the local board for the physical examination and this morning found a large number of young men on hand as a result of the official call.

The local board consists of George McDuffee, sheriff; J. A. Waters, county clerk; and Dr. N. E. Winnard, examining physician. An allowance of fifty per cent has been made for exemptions.

**Heppner Man Buys First.**  
C. A. Minor of this city has bought the first tickets for the 1917 Pendleton Round-Up. He placed on order for 16 seats for the last day of the big show and sent his check along to pay for the same. Mr. Minor is an ardent booster for the Round-Up and every year finds him there with a good sized party.

**BIG CARNIVAL IS COMING**  
The Sound Amusement Company will arrive in Heppner next Monday.

**NAVY ENLISTMENTS HAVE BEEN LIMITED**  
Postmaster Richardson has received the following bulletin from the navy recruiting station in Portland which explains enlistments and ratings now open and those that have been filled.

Enlistments in the following ratings in the navy have been discontinued for the present: Landsmen for Yeoman, Landsmen for Electricians (general), Plumbers and Fitters, Shipwrights, Shipfitters, Blacksmiths, Boilermakers, Painters and Printers.

Enlistments in the following ratings, however, are being made, but the Portland station has been limited to 25 men per week: Apprentice Seamen, Machinists Mates, 1st and 2nd class; Cooks, Firemen, 1st, 2nd and 3rd class; Hospital Apprentices, 1st and 2nd class (only two per month); Landsmen for Bakers, Bakers, second class, Mess Attendants, 3rd class; Landsmen for Ships' cook, Ships' cook, 4th class, Landsmen for Musicians, Machinists' Mates, 1st and 2nd class, Ships' cooks and all previous service men entitled to enlist.

**FOSSIL WOMAN KILLED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT**  
Mrs. Z. T. Keyes, mother of Henry D. Keyes, County Judge of Wheeler County, and sister of Robert Booth, of Eugene, was injured fatally shortly after six o'clock Monday, when the automobile which Judge Keyes was driving skidded and turned over three times.

Mrs. Keyes was caught under the car and crushed. She lived for an hour, however, and had been brought in another car to Fossil where she expired.

The accident occurred at Fossil creek, about 14 miles from Rose. The car skidded while crossing the bridge.

The others in the car, Judge Keyes and his daughter, Miss Viola Keyes were slightly injured.

Judge Keyes was driving to Fossil from their summer home at Twickenham when the accident occurred. Judge Keyes is a brother of Mayor Keyes of Salem.

**Morgan Man Sells Ranch.**  
J. H. Raymond, who has been farming a few miles above Morgan, sold his ranch this week to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lanch of Laurel, Ore. The place consists of 588 acres and is mostly hill land. The price paid was \$10 per acre. The deal was made through E. F. Younger.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen McFerrin was operated upon by Dr. McMurdo this week. Her tonsils were removed.

## MORGAN NEWS ITEMS

Geo. Ely motored to Ione on business Tuesday.

B. F. Morgan expects to finish his heading this week.

Geo. Whitcomb's Tin Lizzie is in the garage for repairs.

Mrs. Swank left for Portland Monday to visit her brother.

Miss Harriett Hendricks called on Miss Bessie Witsell Wednesday.

"Wid" Palmateer and family were out joy riding last Sunday.

T. M. Benedict is combining his grain now and is pleased with the results.

Will Palmateer returned home last week after attending his mother's funeral.

George Whitcomb's cook, Mrs. Gaumnitz, got her trunk after a short delay at Ione.

Mrs. Fred Ely and children, David and Ellen, took dinner Sunday at Geo. N. Ely's home.

Mrs. J. H. Raymond returned Monday from a visit with her father in Anaconda, Montana.

Geo. Whitcomb and cook visited F. M. Broady's orchard and brought home some nice peaches.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Morgan have a new arrival at their home, a nice baby girl was born Friday.

Mrs. Hendricks and daughter Harriett, who have been visiting Mrs. Halbrook, will return soon to their home in Portland.

Miss Lillian Troedson has returned after a vacation of several weeks. While away Miss Troedson visited in Spokane and Seattle.

**Hospital Notes.**  
The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moyer of Lexington was operated upon at the Heppner Sanatorium in this city Monday for appendicitis. The case was a severe one, as the appendix had ruptured. Reports from the hospital state he is now getting along nicely.

Miss Nellie Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Clark, underwent an operation last week, as did her little brother.

Louise Thompson, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thomson, underwent an operation this week.

Henry Cohn underwent a minor operation at the Heppner Sanatorium this week.

**They Like Our Paper.**  
Among our new subscribers of the past week are Wm. Perry of Yamhill, Ore., S. E. Willis, Baker, Ore., Ben Busch, Jr., of Lexington, Lee Mead of Heppner, Ore., and W. E. Walbridge of Heppner. E. G. Haverstick, Walter Kilcup and Sterling Fryrear are also recent Heppner subscribers. Listed among recent renewals are E. J. Stevenson of Heppner, Mike McCabe of Spray, Thos. Ross and E. O. Neill of Echo, C. H. Bullis of Hardman, Mrs. C. H. Curtis, Marshfield, W. E. Wiglesworth, Echo, W. E. Straight, Lena, Mrs. J. W. Cradick, Eight Mile, A. E. Bates, Hardman, H. W. Storey, Strome, Alta, Canada, Oscar Mitchell, Grass Range, Montana and Henry Blahm of Heppner.

**Truck Driver Vomoses.**  
Frank Duval, who has been driving the George Bleakman truck between Heppner and Hardman for the past several months, took a sudden notion to decamp the first of the week, and left for pastures new. He "ditched" the truck under the shade of a tree in Heppner and departed without so much as saying "hello" to Bleakman and letting him know what he was doing. It is rumored that a lady of the Hardman country departed at the same time, her destination being the same as that of Duval.

**Please Return the Flag.**  
Several weeks ago, during the drive of the Morrow County Red Cross Chapter, the county gave one of their big flags to the committee for use in decorating one of the cars in the auto parade. The car was later stripped of the decorations, after the parade, at the Fair pavilion. Old Glory was gathered up with the bunting and other material and stored away by someone. The county is anxious to get its flag returned. If these people who took the decorations from the John Vaughn car at the Fair pavilion will look through their stored up decorations, they may find the flag, and if they do, Wm. Ayers would be glad to have it returned to him at the court house.

**They Are On Their Way.**  
Pictures of Mrs. Albert Bowker and Mrs. George Purdy which appeared in the automobile section of the Sunday Oregonian, show that these women have progressed many miles on their Mexican journey, and are now in California. They have adopted the names of "Hep" Bowker and "Con" Purdy, thereby signifying the towns from which they hail.

## JOHN CURRAN CUTS MANY FANCY FIGURES

**Series of Mishaps Mark Sheepman's First Days as a Motorist—J. G. Doherty Gets Broken Leg.**

The first days of John Curran, motorist, have been filled with thrilling mishaps, not unattended with serious results.

Mr. Curran was bringing the J. G. Doherty family into church Sunday when the big touring car came to a standstill while coming up a hill. After several attempts to start the car with the self-starter, Mr. Doherty got out of the car to push it back down the hill. Once started, the car made a rapid descent and Mr. Doherty jumped on the running board to assist in steering the car. The machine stuck a barbed wire fence, throwing Mr. Doherty off the car. He received a broken leg above the knee and also several painful scratches on the face and arms. Mr. Doherty was brought to town for attention, being taken to the Mike Kenny home.

Monday night Mr. Curran was driving on Heppner hill when his car plunged violently off the grade. Mr. Curran was thrown through the wind shield and a deep cut in his head resulted. He suffered a great loss of blood but otherwise was unharmed. The car was considerably damaged, the front axle being badly twisted from the impact with the bluff.

Probably there are but few people who have experienced the thrills of early motordom that Mr. Curran has experienced. One of the good ones happened last week, when through a mistake, he put his foot on the accelerator instead of the brake, and as a result tore up about a half a mile of fencing along the roadside.

**FOR SALE**—Good land 2 1/2 miles from Castle Rock, sec. 29-4-24, near water and rail transportation. Artesian wells three miles north and some south also. Water within 25 feet of surface on this section. Land \$15 to \$18 per acre; terms. Address owner, A. B. M., White Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

**BIG TIMBER DEAL IS RECORDED HERE**  
Earl & Edwards Land and Lumber Company Sell 20,000 Acres of Eastern Oregon Timber Land to Albert Hirsheimer.

One of the biggest deals recorded in Morrow county for some time was that which went on record at the local office recently. The Earl & Edwards Land and Lumber Co. have sold their immense holdings of some 20,000 acres to Albert Hirsheimer of LaCrosse, Wisconsin. Both parties to the deal live in Wisconsin.

The land is situated in three counties, 8600 acres of the land lying in Morrow county and the balance in Wheeler and Grant counties. The consideration was not named.

**TORPEDO DEMONSTRATION AT STAR THEATRE**  
A real torpedo and demonstration of its use will be an attractive feature of the Star's program on Friday and Saturday. This torpedo is the kind used by the United States battleships and submarines. The navy department is sending this interesting and practical demonstration so that people may know more about the real work that is being done in peace and war.

The Navy automobile, in charge of an officer, will give practical demonstration of the working of this weapon as it is being used in the World's War. Also there will be a number of films flashed on the screen which are intensely interesting. There is no danger, as all the explosives have been removed. The demonstration is free to the public.

**Takes Tumble and is Hurt.**  
A. E. Bates came down from Portland Tuesday and departed for Heppner on Wednesday, where he will remain for a short time. Mr. Bates took a tumble off a platform about seven feet onto the floor of the new warehouse at Hardman on which he was working, cracked a rib and also badly sprained his wrist, and he considered it an opportune time to take a vacation while the injured parts of his anatomy were mending. The accident occurred last Friday. He contemplates purchasing a truck while below, which he will use in and out of Hardman.



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