

YOU! Do Your Christmas Coaling Early

HEED FUEL ADMINISTRATOR GARFIELD'S WARNING.

PULL TOGETHER—GET SERIOUS—WE'RE AT WAR
There is plenty of coal to supply all

BUT

It can't be mined and transported in eight months. It takes twelve full months to mine a year's supply.

There are only 200 days left until the snow flies.. Deliveries are blocked!

DON'T ARGUE—PROVIDE STORAGE ROOM—
If you haven't the cash on hand, borrow it.

Store Coal Now

IN MAY, JUNE AND JULY

Make what sacrifice is needed to keep your home warm, your factory running, and the food, clothing, arms and ammunition necessary for our Soldiers "Over There" flowing in a steady stream to the front.

Help win the war and protect yourself and your business at the same time.

"Tum-A-Lump"

(FOR ALL THATS GOOD—IN COAL OR WOOD)

SEE LEW AT LEXINGTON OR BILL AT IONE

Town and Country.

Henry Cohn brought up a new Cole 8 from Portland Tuesday.

L. E. McBea, former Morrow county stockman, is over from Pendleton this week.

Headline says, "Consumer will pay increased freight." Is there anything the consumer doesn't pay for, may we ask?

Lee Padberg, county commissioner, was in Heppner Wednesday on official business.

The lumber for the new J. G. Thomson residence on Court street, arrived on the ground this week.

Mrs. F. N. Frye and Mrs. Bert Hall returned Sunday from Seaside, where they went as delegates to the Rebekah Grand Lodge from the local Rebekah Lodge.

MARRIED—At the court house in Heppner on Wednesday afternoon, May 29, 1918, Jack Heffer and Mrs. Annie Carter, Frank A. Andrews, minister of the Christian church, officiating.

C. R. and Jas. A. Pointer were in Heppner a few hours on Wednesday, Jas. A. Pointer and wife have just returned from Eugene, where Mr. Pointer has been attending the Eugene Bible University. They will spend the summer at Lexington.

Raymond Marlatt, son of Mrs. Melissa Marlatt is now at Camp Fremont, California, according to word recently received in this city by his sister, Mrs. E. N. Gonty. He likes army life fine, although he was a little bit lonesome for a short time after his arrival there.

Jewett Murray left Heppner Wednesday for North Yakima, where he will report to the Yakima Draft Board, being called in the next quota to be sent from that place. Young Murray has been working in Umatilla and Morrow counties for several months.

E. M. Shutt informs us that his daughter, Miss Essie, is gradually growing stronger in the sunny and flower-scented atmosphere of Los Angeles, and that she is confident she will get well. Since the trips are always hard on her, she will not return home this summer, but will spend the heated season with her mother and brother on Catalina Island. Mr. Shutt expects to visit his family for a short time the coming fall.

ON JULY FIRST
The Gazette-Times Goes to \$2.00
Pay That Subscription TODAY
and save money

R. M. Akers and family were in Heppner Wednesday from Ione.

C. B. Sperry and C. A. Low of Ione spent a few hours here Wednesday afternoon.

Summer Pasture Wanted for 30 to 35 head of horses. Address Matt Halvorsen, Ione, Ore.

C. W. McNamer, the Ione meat market man, was in Heppner Wednesday, accompanied by Mrs. McNamer.

We wish to thank the people who so kindly helped us on Monday both in removing our stock of goods during the fire and in bringing it back again.

HUMPHREY DRUG CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson of Eight Mile were Monday visitors in Heppner. Mr. Anderson now does a large part of his farming with a tractor and therefore does not need as many horses as before. You will note his horse and mule ad in another column.

Home Guard Will Elect.

The commissioned officers for the Heppner Home Guard will be elected at a business meeting of the Guard in the Fair pavilion next Monday evening. A large representation of members is desired.

Christian Church.

Sunday, June 2nd.
10 a. m. Bible school.
11 a. m. morning worship. Sermon subject: "Division of the word."
7 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting.
8 p. m. preaching service. Subject: "The Search for Happiness."
No teacher training class or prayer meeting next week on account of the Bible School Convention and girl's convention.

COMING FRIDAY

"FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE WORLD"

A Drama of the World's Battle for Humanity
Fifty per cent of the proceeds will be given to the fire sufferers.

Saturday 'Bluebird'
"The Wife He Bought"
Featuring Carmel Meyers

See Bill Hart Sunday in "COLD DECK"

COMMUNICATION

Mr. Editor:
Will you kindly publish the following communication.

Believing that the Home Guard of Morrow county is an organization in which every loyal citizen of Morrow county, has an interest, I take this opportunity of conveying to the people of the county information concerning this organization.

The Home Guard is organized under the Sheriff and is subject to his command. The Guard has no authority to act, unless ordered to act by the Sheriff, who is Commander-in-Chief of the Guard. When a man joins the Home Guard he takes an oath similar to that taken by a deputy sheriff. Each member is supposed to attend drill twice each week, unless excused, and any reasonable excuse will be accepted, as the Guard is made up of busy men, and their business sometimes necessitates their absence from drill.

The object of the Home Guard is to protect life and property within the bounds of Morrow county, and to carry out this object, the members of the Guard are giving two nights each week of their time, and in case they should be called upon for active duty in guarding warehouses or wheat-fields, their services will be absolute without charge.

The Home Guards of the State of Oregon have recently been organized and John H. Hibbard of Portland has been elected Brigadier General, with headquarters at Portland, Oregon. The Home Guard organization has received the approval of the Governor of the State, and its hoped that the Home Guard will receive active support from the state.

In order to become a unit of the Home Guard under the present organization, it is necessary to have a company of 65 men who are regular attendants at drill. We have in the Home Guard at Heppner, over 70 members, but not more than 50 are regular attendants at drill. We are in need of more men in order to become a unit of the State organization and receive support from the state.

There are a great many men in Heppner who are not members of the Guard and who ought to be members, and how to get them to come into the Guard is the problem which we are trying to solve. No business man can make the excuse that he hasn't the time, for we are all busy, but we take time. We make a sacrifice because we believe that the Home Guard is a good thing for the county and we are willing to make a sacrifice to help a good cause. Almost every other county in the state has successful Home Guard organizations, why not Morrow county, where there is so much property to protect and so little protection provided. Let us all join the Home Guard and make it a success.

C. L. SWECK.

Adjutant, Morrow County Home Guard.

FREIGHT AND PASSENGER RATES TO INCREASE

Washington, May 27.—Twenty-five per cent rate increases on class and commodity freight will go into effect June 25. Railroad fares will be raised to three cents a mile on June 10th. Some heavy commodities will be raised over 25 per cent. This is announced today by the United States railroad administration. It quickly follows the announcement boosting railroaders pay, mainly in accordance with the railroad wage board's recommendation.

The increases designated are necessary because they must meet higher operating expenses estimated at from \$830,000,000 to \$860,000,000 over those of last year.

The traffic in heavy commodities which forms a large portion of the railway business will have increases not based strictly on the 25 per cent ruling.

Gave Load of Wood to the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Carter of Rhea creek have the thanks of the Morrow County Red Cross Chapter for a load of wood. The wood will be raffled off and the money will be given to the Red Cross. Both Mr. and Mrs. Carter have taken a chance on the wood and say if they win they will donate the wood back to the Red Cross. The local chapter recently realized considerable money from a turkey which the Carters gave to the chapter.

Reception For Boys This Evening.

A farewell reception will be tendered the 13 young men who leave Heppner Friday, at the Palace Hotel this evening at 8 o'clock. An appropriate program will be given, consisting of a few short talks, and some music. Dancing will then be indulged in on the dining room floor. The public is urged to attend.

The Gazette-Times Honor Roll.

The new subscribers placed on the Gazette-Times roll during the week were Geo. W. Millholland and Lee Sprinkel, Heppner; Flett Bros., Gwendolen; Eli Malloy, Lexington. Renewals were J. W. Vaughn, L. W. Briggs, J. S. Carter and Peter Curran, Heppner; Jas. A. Pointer, C. R. Pointer, and J. F. McMillan, Lexington; A. G. Williamson, Echo; J. W. Osborn, Cecil; C. M. Schriver, Ione; S. H. Bear, Fort Hill, Okla.

Cash Subscriptions In War Fund Drive More Than \$11,000 in Morrow County.

The completed report from Phill Cohn, cashier for the Morrow County Second Red Cross War Fund Drive, shows that \$11,177.27 was paid in cash to the solicitors and \$1349 was given in pledges. The report is as follows: Heppner, pledges, \$835.50, cash \$4,682.65; Ione, pledges \$5, cash \$1776.42; Lexington, pledges \$334, cash \$1761.25; Hardman, pledges \$56.50; cash \$705.95; Eight Mile, pledges \$19, cash \$989.75; Lena, pledges \$4, cash \$371; Pine City, pledges none, cash \$558; Irrigon, pledges \$83, cash \$148; Boardman, pledges \$12, cash \$184.25.

Memorial Services Well Attended.

The services held at the Christian church on last Sunday morning in honor of the G. A. R. and other war veterans, were largely attended, and the pastor, Frank A. Andrews, was heard in a very splendid address. The services were attended by the surviving members of Rawlins Post, G. A. R. of Heppner, the Womens Relief Corps and a few of the veterans of the Spanish American War. A quintette, consisting of Mrs. Noyes, Mrs. Frank Turner, Mrs. Winnard, Jesse Turner and T. E. Chidsey, sang special and appropriate songs, while the audience joined in patriotic airs. Rev. Noyes, pastor of the Federated church, assisted, and the congregation of his church joined in the services.

At the graveyard today, a gathering of some forty or fifty people held appropriate services over the graves of the departed heroes and assisted in the proper dedication of the graves of old soldiers, relatives and friends.

Wanted—Position as cook through harvest. Have had experience and can furnish references if desired. Mrs. W. Scott, 520 E. 13 St., The Dalles, Ore.

High School Play A Success.

As predicted the high school play "A Scrap of Paper" was one of the best pieces of dramatic acting ever indulged in by local students. Every

character showed talent and ability and the price charged was small in comparison with the rare treat given by the graduating class of 1918. About \$120 was realized from the sale of tickets, and of this sum, one half will be donated to the Red Cross.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers & Stockgrowers National Bank AT HEPPNER, IN THE STATE OF OREGON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MAY 10th, 1918.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$202,257.65
Overdrafts, unsecured.....	262.98
Liberty loan bonds:	
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent, unpledged.....	\$5,000.00
Payments actually made on Liberty 4 1/2 per cent Bonds.....	1,000.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription.....	1,650.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	2,176.52
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	11,932.09
Cash in vault and net amount due from national banks.....	35,192.63
Net amount due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in last two items above.....	198.83
Checks on other banks in the same city or town of reporting bank.....	75.00
Total of three items just above.....	\$35,466.46
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items.....	326.39
TOTAL.....	\$260,071.10
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$70,000.00
Surplus fund.....	5,000.00
Undivided profits.....	\$5,066.06
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid 4,411.10.....	654.96
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
Individual deposits subject to check.....	157,895.18
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....	212.99
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	447.36
Total of demand deposits.....	\$158,555.53
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):	
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	22,743.94
Other time deposits.....	12,996.67
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve \$35,740.61.....	
Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank, including all obligations representing money borrowed, other than rediscounts.....	10,000.00
Cash Letters of Credit and Travelers' Checks outstanding.....	120.95
TOTAL.....	\$260,071.10

State of Oregon, County of Morrow, ss:
I, S. W. Spencer, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
S. W. SPENCER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of May, 1918.
VAWTER CRAWFORD, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 2-16-20.
CORRECT—Attest:
J. W. BEYMER, JOS. M. HAYES, J. G. THOMSON, Directors.

The Price of Cotton is soaring Higher, ever Higher, but the Price of Worthmore Waists and Welworth Blouses STILL REMAINS THE SAME!



Before the War the Price of these Popular Garments were \$1.00 and \$2.00

And they still remain at the same Price

Before the War these Garments were regarded as the best value that money could buy. They are still just as sightly and just as serviceable.

The price of cotton and cotton fabrics has advanced excessively, reaching the highest figure since Civil War days and still their price remains the same.

Highest in Quality - Lowest in Price - Style the Latest and Best. Sold here only.

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