

### Town and Country.

Oscar Keithley was a member of the County Fair Board in town on Saturday attending to his official duties.

Ike Howard, newly appointed member of the Fair Board, was in Heppner on Saturday attending a meeting of the Board.

L. W. Briggs has been confined to his home by sickness for the most of the past two weeks. He is now able to be about the streets again.

An 8-pound daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Parker, of Six Dollar, on last Sunday. The young lady is very welcome.

Tyndal Robison, Eight Mile farmer, was in Heppner Saturday. He was accompanied home by Fred Teague, who will work at the Robison farm this season.

E. F. Clark is feeding a bunch of cattle at the Kate Moore place on Lower Butter creek. He will be down there with the cattle until they are finished off for market.

During the rush of tax collecting, Ex-Sheriff McDuffee is helping with the work in the sheriff's office and his appointment as deputy for that purpose was last week confirmed by the County Court.

Ray White is down from Bremerton on a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George White, who reside near Lexington. He expects to get his discharge from the Navy about the first of April.

Mrs. Jennie Matlock of Canyon City received word this week that her son Horace Matlock had arrived in New York from over-seas and was enroute for home. He served in the air service.—Blue Mt. Eagle, Canyon City.

Max Rogers arrived home from the Presidio in San Francisco on Monday evening, having been honorably discharged from the service. Military training has evidently been a fine thing for Max and he looks as fit as a fiddle.

County Physician Chick was called to Hardman Monday on account of some cases of small pox there. He inoculated a number of people with vaccine serum and put the places under quarantine where the disease is now prevalent.

The estate of the late Henry

Pitcock of Portland, publisher of the Oregonian, is estimated at about ten million dollars. He had much valuable property outside of the great newspaper. His wife names Edgar B. Piper as editor of the Oregonian.

Work was resumed in earnest Monday morning on the Gilman building next to Universal Garage. Mr. Gilman hopes that there will be no interference with operations now and that the building will be ready for occupancy shortly after the first of March.

J. G. Thomson, senior member of the firm of Thomson Bros., is confined to his home this week suffering a very severe attack of quinsy. Mr. Thomson has been very sick from the trouble which is one of the most painful afflictions the human family is heir to.

The City Council will hereafter hold their meetings in the room up stairs in the Roberts building recently vacated by Attorney S. E. Notson. Quarters for the accommodation of the Council have been fitted up there, and the use of the room is also tendered to the Commercial Club for its meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely of Morgan were visitors in Heppner over Monday night. Mr. Ely is feeling good over the prospects for crops in his part of the county. He states that there is at present about five inches of snow over the Morgan hills and grain is coming along well, with a lot of fall sowing.

William O'Rourke came in from Camp Lewis on Monday evening. William has resigned his position in Uncle Sam's Army and will return to the more prosaic affairs of life in the Heppner hills for a time at least. He may, however, decide to enlist in the army again as he has become somewhat enamored with the life.

The Morrow County Creamery are not just ready to announce where they will put up their new building, but we are authorized to say that it will be settled by the coming week. They are planning a building of concrete construction throughout that will be thoroughly fitted for the business and will put the creamery in permanent quarters.

E. M. Huidon and Dr. Bruer of Portland, were in Heppner the first of the week. These gentlemen are the present owners of the Hanshaw farm in Black Horse and were here this week looking after their interests. Mr. Huidon contemplates

moving his family to Heppner just as soon as he can get a house to live in.

Stephen Doak, extensive farmer of the Ione section, was doing business in Heppner on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Case is confined to her home by sickness, suffering a general nervous breakdown.

The Ionian Serenaders, second number of the Lyceum course, High School auditorium, Wednesday, Feb. 26th.

Miss Grittlinger, superintendent of civilian relief of the Red Cross, with headquarters at Portland, arrived in Heppner Wednesday evening to spend a day or so here and assist the local Red Cross Chapter in its work along this line.

The ladies of the Red Cross are requested to meet at the work rooms on Tuesdays and Fridays for sewing on refugee garments. The call is very urgent as the allotment must be shipped by March 1st.

The next number on the Lyceum Course will be given at the High School auditorium on February 26. This will be one of the finest numbers of the series, "The Ionian Serenaders." Look up your season ticket and have it ready.

Will Cronk, district manager of the Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co., with headquarters at Ione, was in town on Monday. Mr. Cronk is of the opinion that the crop prospects around Ione are good at the present. Grain has continued to grow right along all winter and is now looking well and there is a large acreage in. Should the weather conditions continue favorable, Mr. Cronk looks for one of the best crops in the history of the Ione country this coming season.

#### PUBLICITY PUT IN THE RECORD

(From Klamath Falls Herald.)

Not since the day when the late J. Proctor Knott delivered his celebrated, albeit, too lengthy panegyric on Duluth, which although intended as a slam at an appropriation for the development of that great lake port, really proved the best advertisement the place could have had, has there been anything recorded in the pages of that sterling, conservative publication, The Congressional Record, more exciting than the recent speech by representative Nick Sinnott of Oregon, in which he described Crater Lake in the following language:

"Crater Lake, cauldron-like and circular, 7,000 feet high, is perched amid the peaks. Perpendicular sides of slaggy lava rises over a thousand feet from waters of indigo blue 6 miles across and 2,000 feet deep.

"To the scientist, a mighty volcano collapsed within itself, Mount Mazama, 15,000 feet high, telescoped.

"To the poet, 'the sea of silence, a lake of mystery'

"To me, a shell hole of a war of worlds—who knows?"

"Could the great blind poet have seen this marvel ere his pen had Lucifer and his host of rebel angels—hurled heading flaming from the ethereal sky.

With hideous ruin and combustion, down—  
In Miltonic imagery here he'd have found the impact."

This is certainly a graphic description of "Where Lucifer Lit" and if Representative Sinnott's effort cannot be described as putting apples of gold in pictures of silver, refining pure gold and painting the lily, then there is no such thing as hyperbole.

Will our own John D. Raker of Modoc, with its majestic lava beds and other evidences of the time when chaos struggled with entity; "Where long ago the Titans fought and hurled for missiles mountains;" will our own Congressman Church, whose district embraces the wondrous Yosemite, permit this to stand as the solitary tribute to only one of the many areas of grandeur the Pacific coast can boast, or will they give California its need of publicity thru the same medium and by more graphic description of its greater wonders draw attention to their existence?—San Francisco Bulletin.

There is only Sinnott and Oregon has him and is proud of him. Our California neighbors may coax their congressmen to "talk" about their Yosemite and their lava beds, but they must worship at the Sinnott shrine for a long time before they will be able to acquire the artistic touch of our beloved Nick.

#### THEY ALL DEMAND IT.

Heppner, Like Every City and Town in the Union, Receives It.

People with kidney ills want to be cured. When one suffers the tortures of an aching back, relief is eagerly sought for. There are many remedies today that relieve, but do not cure. Doan's Kidney Pills have brought lasting results to thousands. Here is Heppner evidence of their merit.

Mrs. H. Hughes, Court St., says: "My back ached and throbbled so badly at times I could hardly stand the pain. The way my kidneys were acting was causing me a lot of distress. I had taken only a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills when I noticed a big change; my back felt stronger and my kidneys acted more regularly. One box permanently cured the trouble and since then I have enjoyed the best of health."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Hughes had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Carl Her is up from Portland, where he is living at present with his family. Mr. Her formerly owned the Shelby Lee place west of Heppner, which he farmed for several years.

### RULE TO BE MORE FREE

Republicans in House and Senate Plan Improved Procedure.—Committee Places Divided.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Plans are being rapidly completed by Republican leaders in both the Senate and House for making the control of those bodies in the new Congress less centralized than under Democratic rule and more amenable to the influence of the general membership and of public opinion.

In the conservative Senate, which from time immemorial has followed tradition, a mild revolution has just been brought about in a twinkling by the very youngest in point of service of the solons there and with the grudging approval of the older heads. In this the lead has been taken by Senators George Moses, of New Hampshire, and Fred Hale, of Maine, both reared in a school of politics which in the past has been termed almost reactionary, the former a protegee of the late Jacob H. Gallinger and the latter a son of the late Eugene Hale.

Senator Norris, of Nebraska, introduced a bill in the early part of the present session to do away with what he designated as the interlocking committees among the senators. Under this system members who have served for many years command the entire course of important legislation. One old and influential Democratic senator is chairman of one of the big committees and at the same time is second in rank on three others, so that he not only is the most potent force in shaping bills which pass through his own committee but is as well a conferee in others on bills which have passed both houses and are to be considered for the elimination of differences in conference. This strict application of the seniority principle has made it possible for a few men to run the Senate end of the Capitol.

Moses therefore worked out the scheme and Hale presented it in the meeting of the Republican senators that each senator shall hereafter have membership on two of the major committees, of which there are ten. These are Agriculture, Appropriations, Commerce, Finance, Interstate, Commerce, Foreign Relations, Judiciary, Military Affairs, Naval Affairs.

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## OUR TRADE MARK

We take pleasure in calling your attention to the trade mark above which we have adopted for use in connection with our advertising, and on our stationery.

In developing this trade mark we had in mind associating our institution with the three basic industries of Morrow County, as well as securing an emblem of interest to all its citizens; one representing the factors upon which their prosperity and ours so largely depends.

Under this emblem our future efforts toward building up our community and financing its industries and enterprises will be directed. It is our sign of COMPLETE SERVICE.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
Heppner, Oregon

# Grand Ball

IONE, OREGON, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1919

For the benefit of the Masonic and Eastern Star Lodges of Ione.

**Music by Cummins' Orchestra**  
EVERYBODY WELCOME SUPPER IN THE HALL

**THE BEST DANCE OF THE SEASON**

COMMITTEE:  
W. H. Cronk    F. L. Christenson    T. B. Buffington

## IMPORTANT TO AUTO OWNERS

**H**AVING leased the mechanical Department of the new McRoberts-Cohn Auto Company Garage, we are prepared to assume the care and upkeep of your car in a satisfactory manner. The shop is being rapidly equipped with the latest models of machinery and no job will be too intricate for us to handle.

**We have had years of experience in this work. Will make prompt delivery.**

The season is fast approaching which permits the use of your car. Bring it in and let us look it over. We will tell you what it needs and you can rely upon our advice.

We stand behind our statements and guarantee our work.

## Welch & Lininger



A Special Offering  
Charming New Silk Blouses

**U**NUSUAL, indeed, in many ways, is this offering of beautiful new blouses; unusual as to styles—styles that are decidedly new and chic, and that were designed especially for this and other good stores in other towns and cities who are co-operating with us in this unique blouse service. Then, too, they are unusual as to the quality of the fabrics and very unusual as to the values.

### Priced this week \$4.50 and \$5.75

This is the last shipment of these silk blouses due us on a contract placed early last summer, when the price of fabrics was much under the present price.

We are putting on sale this week some very attractive wash waists. Values you have not seen for a long time. They are voiles, batistes and flaxons—some in plain white, others with colored collars.

### Priced this week 85c each

Many prudent housewives have taken advantage of the wonderful values on our bargain tables and gone home richer and happier.

### WATCH THESE BARGAIN TABLES.

They show new and wonderful bargains each week.

# Minor & Company