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IONE HAS MANY BOOSTERS FOR GOOD ROADS

A strong delegation of representative members of Heppner Commercial Club went to Ione on last Friday evening, the purpose being to interest the people of that community in both the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce and good roads for Morrow county. A crowd of Ione's representative citizens were gotten together and H. M. Cummins presided. He called on W. W. Smead to present the Chamber of Commerce, which he did in an explicit manner, and made it easy for the committee to gather in their full quota of memberships for Ione in a very few minutes, when they got to that part of the program. Mr. Woodson was then called on to talk some about the road program, and after his clear presentation of this question and showing the need of bonding the county in order that a sufficient fund might be created from which we could expect to match dollars with the State and Government in their road program, the question of bonding was put and adopted by the Ione people unanimously. In fact their enthusiasm is abundant and genuine, and they were for getting the question up at just as early a date as possible. The Ione people will also move to get their Commercial Club going again and thus be in position to unite upon all questions coming up that are for the betterment of their little city and its surroundings. At the close of the meeting the quota of memberships, 19 we believe, was immediately subscribed and we have not learned how many more, thus putting Ione over the top in good shape in the drive for the State Chamber of Commerce.

Enjoy Splendid Social Time.

A splendid social time was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Oden of Fairview last Saturday evening, the occasion being the 49th birthday of Mr. Oden and the 5th birthday of little Margaret Becket, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Becket, and the families joined in celebration of these events. One of the features of the occasion was the birthday cakes, one of which was trimmed with 49 candles and the other with five candles, the former being an immense piece of culinary architecture about 24 inches long and 8 inches high, while the latter was an immense angel cake and both were pronounced delicious by the 130 people present. A very pleasant social time was had, as is always the case when the people of the neighborhood gathered at the Oden home.

New County Agent to be on Job Soon.

F. L. Ballard, of O. A. C., was here over Friday last. Mr. Ballard is Assistant State Leader of County Agents, and we are informed by F. R. Brown, the retiring agent for Morrow county, that a new man has been secured to take his place, and that his appointment will soon be made by the county court. Mr. Ballard has the territory of Eastern Oregon and there are a number of vacancies in the office of county agent of different counties yet to be supplied, and it is not easy to get the men.

The marriage of Mr. John E. MacAnally to Miss Lella Ruth Bangham was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Notson in this city on last Sunday evening, March 23, at 7:00 o'clock. F. A. Andrews, officiating. The wedding was a quiet one, not even the closest friends of the contracting parties being wise to what happened, and it was late the next day before the event became generally known to their friends. Mrs. MacAnally is one of the teachers in the Heppner school and the groom is operator at the depot, which position he has held for several months past. The newlyweds plan to take their honeymoon trip at the close of school. Just at present they are busy receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Barlow came up from their home near Oregon City last week and are having a visit with their sons and daughters in this county. They have been making their home for the past two years in the Willamette Valley and like it there very much. Mr. Barlow says they are getting good roads now in Clackamas county and he is pleased to note that Morrow county is beginning to move in that direction.

Norton Winnard and Arthur Campbell arrived from Eugene on Sunday last and are spending the week in Heppner, having received a short vacation from their studies at U. of O. They will return to Eugene on Sunday.

Makes Official Visit.

Mrs. Mabel Settlemeier of Woodburn, Grand Worthy Matron of the Order of Eastern Star of Oregon, made Ruth Chapter No. 32 of this city an official visit on last evening. She was greeted by a very large turnout of members of the order here and the time was taken up in exemplifying the work. Mrs. Settlemeier visited the Ione lodge on Tuesday evening. Following the lodge ceremonies here the members and visitors enjoyed a feast of good things in the banquet room. Visitors from Ione lodge were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cronk, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Moore, Mrs. Willard Blake and Mrs. T. B. Buffington. While in Heppner Mrs. Settlemeier was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ayers.

TRAIN LOAD OF WAR RELICS WILL BE HERE

Portland, Oregon, March 26.—A train laden with all kinds of relics and souvenirs of the war is to visit Heppner at an early date, according to announcement of Victory-Liberty loan officials. The train is to be officially designated as "The Trophy Special" and is to make a complete tour of the state, making stops at all points reached by railroad.

The object is to give the people of Oregon an opportunity to see war instruments and implements of which they have often read but have never seen. At the places visited the train will be open to all visitors and the exhibits will be explained by competent attendants accompanying the train. The tour of the train will be made under the auspices of the Victory-Liberty loan, which will be the fifth and last loan. The loan drive opens on April 21.

The exhibits will be furnished by the war department. Word has been received at the Portland headquarters of the loan committee that the relics have already been shipped but owing to the uncertainty of their arrival the committee is unable at this time to set a definite schedule for the train. This will be arranged as soon as possible and due announcement will be made.

The train will consist of two flat cars, bearing the bigger relics, such as guns and equipment, and one exhibit car carrying the smaller relics and souvenirs.

A list of some of the exhibits is as follows: French baby tank, German minewreiter and howitzers, German Albatross motor, German field guns, trench motors, gun limbers, airplane motors and parts, parts of Zeppelins, barbed wire used at Verdun, machine guns, uniforms of all nations, noise bombs, star shells.

Found Best Climate Here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cummins of Ione enjoyed a short visit the past week from some old-time Dakota friends, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Babb and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Babb, of Wakonda, S. D. These people, who have been making a tour of the west, came to the coast via the southern route, spending some time in Southern California, as well as at other points on the way north. They reached Ione, where they remained for several days, and were frank in stating that they had found the most delightful weather conditions here of any point they had visited on the entire trip. They were well pleased with this part of the country.

Mr. Snider Sells Farm.

A deal was completed the past week through the agency of the Farmers Exchange of this city, whereby Clive Huston of Eight Mile takes over the 560-acre farm of R. W. Snider in Sour Dough canyon just east of C. W. Valentine's farm and known as the Perry Chandler place. This is considered a fine piece of farm land, and we understand that Mr. Snider made a very satisfactory sale. He has been on the place for the past three years.

Sanford E. Clark and Mrs. Melissa Marlatt, both old-time residents of this county, were married at the home of Mrs. Marlatt in this city on Saturday evening, March 23, Frank A. Andrews, pastor of the Christian church officiating.

Capt. C. A. Smith, engineer in the employ of the Burns & McDonald people who have the contract to make surveys for Heppner's proposed new water system, is here and engaged at present in making an estimate on the old water plant. As soon as this is finished, the work of running the survey for the conduit line from the mountains to town will be undertaken. Burns & McDonald are under contract to have this work finished by the middle of May.

SEND ME THE BILL



W. E. HIATT GIVES BOOST FOR HIS TOWN

Former Heppner Resident, Now Living at Kelso, Wash., Tells About His Present Location.

Gazette-Times, Heppner.
Dear Friends:—

A few lines to let you hear from me. Just at this time the flowers are beginning to bloom and we are reminded that spring has arrived and the tiller of the soil is beginning to get busy. Already many gardens are made and the grass is from two to six inches high.

Kelso is a flourishing little town of about 2000 population. Located here are three saw mills, one box factory and two shingle mills. The Crescent Shingle Co. is putting up a large mill this side of the river which they expect to have completed in about three months. Besides the city has two banks, two hotels, three garages, four dry goods stores, seven groceries, two hardware stores, two second hand stores, two so-called 15-cent stores, two drug stores, two butcher shops and five churches.

The railroad here is double tracked and is used by three different companies and we have twelve passenger trains per day.

Many lumbering camps are located near this city and lumbering is carried on here extensively. Wages run from \$3.50 to \$7.00 per day. The country is also well adapted to dairying. Some bottom land lying between Kelso and the Columbia is being diked and will become very valuable, and while being located in the midst of these favorable surroundings, Kelso is also the home of the smelt fishing industry and great quantities of these fish are marketed from here. Two fishermen went out the other day and after 40 minutes work they caught 30 boxes of smelt, making 1500 pounds of fish. I know this sounds rather fishy but the men are here to prove my statement, see them.

Respectfully,

W. E. HIATT.

Kelso, Wash., March 17, 1919.

We can not vouch for the great quantity of smelt they gather at Kelso, but we can testify to their quality, as Mr. Hiatt remembered us with a fine lot of the fish which arrived here on Thursday evening last, fresh from the Kelso fishing banks. Mr. Hiatt will please accept our thanks for the fine treat.—Ed.

Gets Another Car of Fords.

Heppner Garage is having a pretty hard time of it keeping up with the demand for Ford cars. They received another car load this week, direct from the factory, and these are being assembled and will soon be ready for delivery. Mrs. Bowker states that they will not last long.

Attend Doings of D. O. K. Ks.

Chas. Thomson, R. N. Crawford, Herbert Driskell, Emmett Jones and N. F. Lawson meandered across the sands to The Dalles on last Saturday to be present at the initiation of a large class into the mysteries of the "Dokeys" at that city on Saturday evening. Messrs. Driskell, Jones and Lawson were candidates. The gentlemen arrived home late on Sunday afternoon and report having had just all kinds of fun.

DELCO LIGHT CONVENTION GREAT SUCCESS

Local Dealer Returns From Dayton, Ohio, Where He Attended Meeting.

Charles Vaughn, the local representative for Delco-Light, the electric light and power plant for farm homes, has just returned from Dayton, Ohio, where he spent last week attending the Third Annual Delco-Light Convention. In speaking of his convention experiences Mr. Vaughn said:

"There were nearly one thousand Delco-Light men in attendance, which made it the largest commercial convention ever held in Dayton. And it proved, too, to be the most enthusiastic and successful convention in the history of The Domestic Engineering Company, makers of Delco-Light. The Dayton hotels were crowded to the limit with the Delco-Light men who came from all parts of the United States and even from most of the larger foreign countries. All meetings were held in Memorial Hall which has a seating capacity of about twenty-five hundred. And meals as well were served there for the entire convention body."

"On the main floor of the convention hall were exhibits prepared by the different departments of the company. The engineering, sales, advertising, foreign, service, treasurer's and other departments all had complete displays of the work they are doing in the home organization."

"In the basement of the hall was the necessary show. Here were displayed about five thousand electrical appliances used in connection with the Delco-Light plant. Lighting fixtures of all kinds were shown in a large room built and decorated especially for that purpose. In the regular display booths over one hundred manufacturers were represented and the articles shown included all electrical appliances to the farm home. This part of the convention in itself constituted the largest electrical show ever given in Dayton."

"R. H. Grant, general manager of the Domestic Engineering Company, opened the convention with an address which radiated the enthusiasm that was to characterize the convention from start to finish. The awarding of prizes to winners of the various sales contests of 1918 and a trip through the new Delco-Light factory at Dayton made up the first day's program and this was followed by two days of close study of the problems and plans of the organization by the whole convention body. On the last day the delegates, one thousand and strong, paraded through the streets of Dayton. The parade was followed by a banquet at the Hotel Miami, where the crowd was so large that it was overflowed from the ball room to the grill. There were talks by officials of the company and by some of the delegates. The principal speaker of the evening was Hon. James M. Cox, Governor of Ohio."

"The Delco-Light convention just completed is remarkable, not merely on account of its size, but as evidence of the growth of the Delco-Light organization. The first Delco-Light convention only a few years ago numbered less than a hundred delegates. The one just closed was at-

Old Friends Meet in Sand Hollow.

The home of Hynd Brothers in Sand Hollow was the scene of an unusual coincidence on Sunday, March 16th, as reported to this paper by Mrs. Jennie Lowe of Cecil. After an absence of more than 25 years, the following people, all former school chums in Arthur, Ontario, Canada, were brought together: Mrs. W. E. Pruyn of Heppner, Mrs. T. H. Lowe, (date of Durham, England), Miss Black, of Arthur, Canada, Chas. Thomson, of Heppner, Ed. Bristow, of Ione, Miss Blanche Bristow, of Vancouver, B. C., W. G. Hynd, David Hynd and Miss Annie Hynd of Rose Lawn, Sand Hollow. The meeting was rather unexpected and it is needless to say that the old-time friends spent a most enjoyable afternoon.

OREGON MOTHERS FACING BIG TASK

Dr. Louise Richter will be a big factor in helping the women of Heppner in the fight against the social evil in Oregon when she speaks to the women and girls of the city on Saturday at 8:00 p. m. in High School Auditorium.

There are now very few persons in Oregon who do not know of the splendid health record of this state. In the first million drafted, while the average state sent thirty venereally diseased men per thousand into the service and the state with the highest percentage sent eighty-nine per thousand, Oregon sent less than six per thousand.

This wonderful record has been made possible by the splendid cooperation of the people of Oregon during the past seven years in educational propaganda for clean young manhood and womanhood.

There is no fact connected with the war of which Oregonians may feel more justly proud than of this record of her manhood and of the foresight that made such a result possible.

But with our pride comes a great sense of duty—the duty to keep Oregon in the proud position she holds—to keep her standing as a beacon to the rest of the world in its struggle for clean living.

The Federal Government and other states are now realizing the terrible drain upon economic resources, health and morals resulting from the social evil and are taking up the fight against its ravages. Oregon must continue to show them the way and it is upon the mothers of the state that this duty principally falls.

We must, if we are to continue the fight effectively, have an educated parenthood to give to the young the information that every boy and girl should have. One generation of parents knowing their duty and having the confidence of their children would do much to eliminate the red plague from our state.

It is hoped that every mother and every woman interested in understanding herself or her children will hear Dr. Richter while she is here. Dr. Richter is a physician with twenty-three years practice. She has been specially prepared by the War Department to bring her message to women and girls and she speaks under the auspices of the Oregon Social Hygiene Society.

There will be no admission charge to the lecture and no collection will be taken.

Gets Artesian Flow.

Report reaches this office that our good friend, Dick Johnson, formerly a resident of Heppner Flat, but who has been located at Boardman for the past couple of years or more, where he is developing an irrigated tract, has struck artesian water on his place. He has just finished a well at a depth of 95 feet and the water gushes out at the top a distance of fifteen feet from the ground, giving sufficient force for piping water throughout his house. This is a piece of good fortune on the part of Mr. Johnson and also opens up further and greater possibilities for the Boardman district.

tended by nearly one thousand. The reason for this growth lies not merely in good business methods but more particularly in the fact that through taking cheap, safe and reliable electric service to the farm home, Delco-Light supplies the greatest single need of the rural community. The intense rural interest in this matter was indicated by the presence at the convention of the editors of many of the leading farm papers of America.

"Of course the convention was marked by great celebration of the growth experienced in 1918, but by far the more outstanding feature was the preparation of plans for an even greater growth during the year to come."

METHODIST ORGANIZATION TO HELP 5TH LOAN

Portland, Ore., March 24.—The services of the entire Methodist centenary organization, together with 17,000 Methodist pastors and 75,000 Methodist minute men, were pledged to the government to put over the Victory Liberty loan at a session of the National centenary committee which has just ended at Columbus, O., according to a statement here by Dr. Charles S. Bowen, executive secretary for the northwest for the \$105,000,000 centenary movement, who with his associate, Dr. A. L. Howarth, returned from Columbus today.

Not to put any obstacle in the way of the government, the Methodist intensive financial drive was postponed until May 18-25, in order to give precedence to the Victory loan. The Methodists also placed themselves on record against any conflicting conventions during the loan drive.

"Wherever regular services or special centenary meetings are held in local communities, opportunity is to be given to the loan committee to present the loan campaign and to sell bonds," said Dr. Bowen.

"The centenary publicity department is to get behind the Liberty loan tooth and nail. The Methodist press is to strain every effort to promote the loan. A special edition of Missiles, the organ of the Methodist five-minute men, is to be issued at once and the minute men's services are tendered to the government."

"Throughout the northwest, we shall bend every effort to make the Victory loan campaign ours just as much as if it were the Methodist centenary drive."

"Every area secretary from the 20 areas of the centenary were present. There was unanimous approval of the plan."

"Christianity and Methodism are heartily behind the loan. Our churches are open for presentation of the loan. Our organization is ready to be used for the loan."

"I suppose this is the first time any great religious movement has been turned over bodily to the government."

"This means that 4,000,000 Methodists will get behind the Victory loan even with greater enthusiasm than they might have originally planned."

Secretary Glass was advised at once of the action of the Methodist Centenary, Dr. Bowen said.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Sarah A. Scott died at her home in Lone Rock, Sunday, March 16, 1919, aged 62 years, 11 months and 16 days.

Sarah A. Perry was born in County Tyrone, Ireland, March 31, 1856. She was the youngest of ten children and came to the United States with her parents when seven years of age.

She was married to Henry Perry, Sept. 1, 1872, at Pittsburgh, Pa. To this union were born seven children, two of whom died in infancy. Her husband died Dec. 19, 1888. On July 29, 1891 she was married to Wm. J. Bradfield. To this union were born two children.

She came to Oregon with her family in 1893 and settled at Lone Rock. On April 5, 1907 she was married to Nathaniel Scott at Lone Rock, who passed away Nov. 16, 1916.

When a young woman she became a member of the United Presbyterian church and ever since lived a good Christian life.

She leaves to mourn her loss, seven children and eight grandchildren, besides numerous other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mary Barker, an honored pioneer of the Butter creek and Echo sections, died at the home of her daughter, Miss Beulah Barker in Echo early on Wednesday. Funeral services will be held at Echo on Saturday at 11:00 o'clock.

New Plumber Arrives.

Alex Gibbs arrived from Pendleton this week and has accepted a position as plumber with the firm of Gilliam & Bisbee. Mr. Gibbs is a man of long experience in this line, having worked for eight years with the firm of O'Shea Brothers in Portland and for the past two years he has been working at Pendleton. Mr. Gibbs learned his trade in Scotland.

Frank Hayes and wife of Pendleton were in Heppner Saturday, making a visit to his brother, Andy Hayes, and other relatives in this city.