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BOARDMAN WILL BE HOST AT BIG BARBECUE

Entire Northwest Invited to Attend Big Picnic on Edge of John Day Project—Portland Will Send Delegation—Prominent Speakers.

All roads will lead to the Chas. Dillabaugh farm, four miles from Boardman on the West Extension of the Umatilla Irrigation District, on Monday, May 31.

Boardman people are making plans for a big barbecue and picnic on that day and they have extended an invitation to the people of the Northwest to come and get acquainted. The Dillabaugh farm, which is one of the best on the project, is at the extreme end, where irrigation leaves off and that vast wandy area begins. His farm borders upon the proposed John Day project. People will have an excellent opportunity to compare the results of irrigation to the present aridity of the John Day project. It was only three or four years ago that all the Boardman country was a desert.

The big gathering will present an educational feature of high value. Many people throughout the Northwest have heard much of Boardman. Here they will have the opportunity to see and learn what great strides this fertile region is taking. Eminent speakers will be heard. Colonel Emmett Callahan, one of the most polished orators on the coast, A. W. Cobb and Sam H. Boardman, "the father of his town," will speak.

All sections will probably be represented at the barbecue. Through the efforts of George Quayle, secretary of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce, a delegation of Portland business men will attend. These men, many of them, are already acquainted with the possibilities of the great John Day project, but want to see the country itself, in order that they may more fully appreciate the value of such an irrigation scheme.

A large number of Heppner people will be present. While plans are not complete, it is likely the local band will also attend.

Bad Train Wreck on Southern Pacific Near Portland.

One of the worst train wrecks in the history of railroading on the Pacific coast occurred Sunday morning near Bertha station, just outside of Portland, when two inter-urban electric trains on the Southern Pacific met in a head on collision. Nine were killed and about seventy more were injured more or less severely. An investigation is being made to find the cause of the accident.

The Pine Grove Grange, composed of East Side orchardists at Hood River, has gone on record as favoring the passage of the millage bill for the support of state educational institutions.

STRAYED

From my Rhea creek ranch, one 4 year old steer, dark red and white spotted. Right ear cropped and left ear under-slopped. Branded EXE (last E turned around) or lay 8 on left ribs and right hip. Also one red heifer, 3 years old, with same brand and mark. Reward. Notify E. G. Haverstick, Heppner.

L. P. Davidson, west end farmer and stockman, candidate on the republican ticket for county commissioner, spent Monday in Heppner on business.

An experience of more than eight years as Deputy Secretary of State thoroughly qualifies Sam A. Kozier for Secretary of State. He should be nominated May 21, and elected in November.—Paid Adv.

Emil Groshens and James Kenny left the first of the week for Hot Lake to spend a vacation of two weeks. They made the trip by car.

J. B. Sparks, theater man of Heppner and Condon, is a business visitor in Enterprise. Mr. Sparks is engaged in selling musical devices to moving picture theaters and his visit here is to interest local people in his line.—Enterprise Record Chitain.

W. W. Smead, local wool buyer, made a business trip into Washington the first of the week.

W. O. Hill and M. D. Tucker, prominent Lexington business men, were in Heppner on Tuesday.

Clive Huston was in the city Monday from his farm home in Sour Dough canyon, and announces that he will start work on his new house soon. Crops out his way are looking good.

Floyd Fraser was up from Ione on Monday to attend to business matters.

WOULD LIKE TO RENT house furnished or partly so, for 2 or 3 months. Call 30 F 3 or write box 78, Heppner.

CAR STOLEN—REWARD
New Ford car, motor No. 345877, license No. 52514. Taken from the John Kikenny ranch in Sand Hollow Sunday, May 2, at 1:30 a. m. Liberator reward will be paid for any information leading to the recovery of this car. Notify the Gazette-Times.

Jos. Snyder Sells Ice and Soda Business to E. E. Beaman

E. E. Beaman, formerly in the fuel business in this city will hereafter strive to keep people cool instead of warm. He has purchased the ice and soda business from Jos. Snyder, who has operated the Heppner Ice and Soda Works the past three years, and has leased the plant from J. W. Cowins. Mr. Beaman has employed Lee Cantwell as manager. Mr. Cantwell has been in the employ of Mr. Snyder during the last few years and is thoroughly familiar with the business. It is not improbable that Mr. Beaman may decide to engage extensively in the cold storage business in a short time.

Church Tenders Reception.

The members and friends of the First Christian church of Heppner gathered at the church parlors on Wednesday evening, to the number of about 150, and tendered a reception to Mrs. W. O. Livingstone, who has come from Marion, Kansas, to begin the work of her husband as pastor here for the coming year.

A sumptuous feed of chicken and other delectable edibles had been prepared by the ladies, and under the direction of the young ladies belonging to the young peoples' class of the Bible school the large company were seated at the tables and served in a manner betokening the good head-work and direction of the head waitress, Miss Alma Akers. Instrumental music and singing also livened the occasion.

At the close of the banquet, toasts were responded to and there was a time of general good feeling and fellowship, the first real get-together meeting of the church since the war, and it seems to speak volumes for the immediate future prospects of the work of the church.

Mr. Livingstone is expected to arrive in Heppner within another couple of weeks or so, and it is the hope of this church that under the leadership of this splendid people there will be a forward movement in church circles of our little city.

Lexington Man Takes Own Life.

David E. Leach, aged 70 and a pioneer of Lexington, ended his own life last Friday morning by shooting himself through the head with a .38 calibre revolver. His body was found in an out house near the T. H. Nichols home, where Mr. Leach lived.

Upon being called from Heppner, Coroner Case made an investigation. Inasmuch as it was a plain case of suicide, Mr. Case deemed it unnecessary to hold a jury.

Mr. Leach is said to have been in poor health for a long time and it is believed that through worry of this and other matters, his mind had become temporarily unbalanced. Several children survive him. The funeral was held at Lexington on Saturday.

Albert Matteson Passes.

Albert Matteson passed away at his home in this city on Tuesday morning, May 11, after a lingering illness. He had been a resident of Morrow county for 45 years, and was therefore, a pioneer of this section. The deceased was a native of the state of Illinois. He is survived by his wife, Julia Gaunt Matteson, who is quite ill at her home, eight children and one brother, Edgar Matteson.

The funeral was held from the Christian church this afternoon, Mrs. Livingstone conducting the service. Burial took place in Matteson cemetery, south of this city.

Carl Brantley, superintendent for Gelst Brothers Construction company, made a business trip to Pendleton the last of the week. Mr. Brantley reports rapid progress on the new pipe line. The red wood pipe is now being laid through town to the reservoir on the hill.

The people of the State are demanding efficient and qualified men for public positions. In the nomination and election of Secretary of State this year they have an opportunity to secure such an official. He is Sam A. Kozier, present Deputy Secretary of State. Mr. Kozier has been Deputy Secretary of State for more than eight years past and is especially qualified.

County Clerk, J. A. Waters is confined to his home on Court street this week with an attack of rheumatism.

E. J. Starkey made a business trip to Monument Saturday. He says the Heppner-Monument road is in good condition.

LARD for 30 cents a pound at the Central Market. Try some of our home-made bacon.

Clarence R. Howell of Hardman was a Tuesday evening visitor in Heppner.

Rhea Luper was in the city the first of the week after making a tour of counties north and east of here and reports that new support is coming to him every day in his campaign to land the nomination for public service commissioner from this district. Mr. Luper has a wide acquaintance over the district, where he has served as adjudicator of water rights from the state engineer's office for several years. He left on Monday for Central Oregon.



PLANS ARE UNDER WAY FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Woman's Relief Corps and G. A. R. Veterans Will Be Joined by Civic Organizations in Annual Observance of Memorial Day—Speaking and Music Will Feature.

Memorial Day will be observed on Saturday, May 29th this year. The plans for an excellent program are being worked out by Bertha Drew Gilman and other members of the Woman's Relief Corps, assisted by other organizations of the city. L. A. Hunt has been named chairman on arrangements.

A meeting was held in the council chambers on Monday evening, at which tentative plans were made which will include an automobile parade at 10:30 a. m. This parade will form at the city park on lower Main street and go to the cemetery, where the graves of those who fought to preserve America, will be decorated with flowers. Citizens will be requested to be on hand with their cars and all the flowers possible to obtain.

In the afternoon, beginning at 1:30 p. m., a parade, with the G. A. R., the members of the American Legion as their body guard, children and others, including the band, will form at the court house and march to the Fair pavilion, where a program will be given. Addresses by prominent speakers will feature this part of the program.

MEMORIAL SUNDAY, MAY 23.

By the request of Rawlins Post, G. A. R., of Heppner, Memorial Sunday will be fittingly observed by services at 11:00 A. M. on May 23rd at the Christian church. The address will be delivered by Mrs. Livingstone and the Post extends an invitation to all G. A. R. veterans, members of the W. R. C., Spanish-American War veterans, and soldiers, sailors and marines of the late war, to attend this service. It will be a union service to which the public of Heppner is cordially invited.

Ray Huddleston came over from Lone Rock Wednesday.

MORROW HEIGHTS ADDITION

Because of certain changes deemed advisable, no lots will be offered for sale at present.

J. W. Morrow

CITIZENS ENDORSE THE EDUCATIONAL MEASURES

Public Officials and Others Commend Elementary Tax Bill, Higher Educational Bill and Soldiers' Aid Measure to Morrow County Voters.

To the voters of Morrow county: The following measures submitted to the people to be voted on in the coming May Election have been endorsed by the Heppner Commercial Club, the Heppner Patron-Teachers Association and the Heppner Civic Club.

In addition we wish, as individuals, to add our personal recommendations and in behalf of the boys and girls of our homes and of the young soldiers lately returned to us to whom we stand eternally pledged, to solicit your vote for such measures.

These measures are:

HIGHER EDUCATIONAL TAX ACT. 310 X YES.

SOLDIERS', SAILORS' AND MARINES' EDUCATIONAL AID REVENUE BILL. 312 X YES.

STATE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FUND TAX. 314 X YES.

SIGNED: Gilbert W. Phelps, Circuit Judge; S. E. Notson, District Attorney; Wm. T. Campbell, County Judge; Lena Snel Shurte, County School Supt.; R. E. Allstott, W. P. Mahoney, D. W. Bottrott, Sam E. Van Vactor, C. E. Woodson, R. J. Vaughn, Mayor; W. C. Cason, M. D. Clark, W. G. Ball, C. L. Freeman, T. J. Humphreys, Sam Hughes, L. A. Hunt, George Thomson, J. G. Thomson, Chas. Thomson, S. A. Pattison, L. E. Bisbee, Frank Gilliam, C. L. Sweek, D. M. Ward, Geo. McDuffee, Jos. J. Nye, A. M. Phelps, John B. Cason, S. W. Spencer, John F. Vaughn, John Kikenny, Nels H. Justus, Dean T. Goodman, Vawter Crawford.

Chas. McMenamin arrived in Heppner last Friday from his home in De Kalb county, Illinois, and will spend some time visiting with his brother, F. A. McMenamin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Turner and son Donald spent Sunday with relatives in this city. Mr. Turner reports crop conditions in his locality highly satisfactory at this time.

Dave and Will Hymel, Sand Hollow sheepmen, were in the city Wednesday. Shearing is now in progress at their Rose Lawn ranch.

Clyde Wright, extensive south end sheepman, was in town on Monday looking after business matters.

Theodore Anderson of Eight Mile was a Monday business caller in Heppner.

Judge Frank H. Robinson, Ione attorney, is attending court in Heppner this week.

Frank "Biz" Engleman, well known Ione business man spent a few hours in Heppner on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allstott of Eight Mile have been spending several days in Heppner.

"If nominated and elected, I shall always have in mind that I am acting in the capacity of a trustee of the people's interests," says Sam A. Kozier, now Deputy Secretary of State and Republican candidate for Secretary of State, in the voters' pamphlet.

ALL IN THE WEEK'S NEWS

Carl Yount, Ione wheat buyer, spent Sunday and Monday in this city.

L. Monterestell, prominent Pendleton business man, has been spending a few days in Heppner this week.

Vern Jackson of Gooseberry, accompanied by George Carkhuff of the same place, spent Monday in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Erik Bergstrom of Eight Mile were in the city on Wednesday.

Ernest Lundell of Ione was here on Monday. Mr. Lundell is now engaged in the garage business in the Egg City.

Mrs. LaVerne VanMarter and son are guests for the week at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Turner north of this city.

Mrs. C. C. Patterson entertained on Thursday and Friday afternoons of last week at bridge parties at her home in the Gilman building.

T. J. Matlock, who raises pure bred hogs on his Hinton creek ranch, passed Monday in town while looking after business affairs.

E. L. Reany, Lawrence Reany, K. L. Beach, Royal Tyler, George R. Mead and W. F. Barnett were among Lexington visitors in Heppner on Monday.

A. E. Kincaid is up from Portland home this week to look after his Morrow county interests. Mr. Kincaid owns a fine wheat farm in the Black Horse section.

Mrs. R. E. Crego returned to her home in this city the first of the week after visiting for sometime with friends and relatives in Portland and The Dalles.

E. L. Vinton, state highway engineer who has charge of the survey on the Willow creek highway, is a visitor in Heppner today. Mr. Vinton now has his headquarters in Ione.

A number of Heppner people are reported confined to their homes with the mumps. Among them are Carl Haynie, Carrol Shurte, Mrs. H. C. Githens, Ruby Corrigal and Earl Cronk.

The ice cream and soda fountain at Patterson & Son's Drug store opens this week with new features and increased service after being closed during the winter months. They handle the well known brand of Hazelwood ice cream.—Adv.

T. J. Mahoney, president and general manager of the Columbia Basin Wool Warehouse company of Portland, visited over Sunday in this city at the home of his brother, W. P. Mahoney. Mr. Mahoney was accompanied by his son Gilbert.

Alfalfa in the Irrigation section will soon be ready for the first cutting according to Chas. Powell, who was a business visitor in Heppner on Monday. Irrigation is growing fast, says Mr. Powell and rapid development is taking place there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duval, D. C. Duval, S. J. Ritchie and Nathan Smith were visitors in Heppner on Wednesday from the Duval ranch of Artesian well fame. Mr. Duval has just finished the plowing season on his ranch, having turned over 2500 acres of land with his new Best tractor.

Having served as Deputy Secretary of State for more than eight years past, Sam A. Kozier, Republican candidate for Secretary of State, is in a position to make good his promise to the people that he will insist on the strictest economy in the administration of State affairs. Give him your vote.—Pd. adv.

W. B. Finley of north Morrow, who was attending to matters of business in Heppner this week, reports crop conditions in his section as excellent. Mr. Finley says there is lots of moisture in their ground and whether any more rain visits that part of the county or not, he believes his crop will mature to a good yield.

The past winter proved to be exceptionally hard on fruit trees, according to Harry Cummings, local nurseryman, who says that there will be no peach crop here this year. The trees were nearly all winter-killed. Mr. Cummings has been busy the past few days cutting down a number of peach and cherry trees at his nursery.

B. S. Clark and Gunnar Linthe, north Heppner farmers, were in the city on Wednesday. Crops are looking good in the Alpine-Sand Hollow country, according to these men. Mr. Linthe would like to see rural mail route service established between Heppner and Alpine, and believes there are sufficient families to warrant such a service.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. S. Snyder expect to leave tomorrow for Idaho to spend a few weeks visiting with friends. They will make a short stay in Pendleton on their way over. Mr. Snyder has just disposed of his ice and soda business here and wants to thank the people of Heppner for their kind and courteous consideration and for the liberal business given him. He is not leaving Heppner, only taking, with Mrs. Snyder, the first vacation in three years.

I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge Will Convene at Baker May 25-27

The I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge of Oregon will hold its annual convention in Baker this year on May 25, 26 and 27. Delegates will attend from Willow Lodge, No. 66 of this city. They are F. N. Frye, Albert Adkins and George McDuffee. Delegates from San Soule Rebekah Lodge are Mrs. Luther Huston, Mrs. F. N. Frye and Mrs. Stacy Roberts.

Car Turned Over But Occupants Were Unhurt.

Barney Ward, John Kelly and Emil Groshen were fortunate in escaping from an overturned car on lower Gale street last Sunday afternoon without sustaining injuries. The car skidded and flopped over on its side when something went wrong with the steering gear. The men were all thrown clear of the car. A blow-out in a rear tire was the only visible damage to the car after the accident.

Dr. H. T. Allison Returns to Heppner May 15.

Dr. Harold T. Allison will return to Heppner on Saturday, May 15, to resume his practice here after an absence of more than a year. He will have offices in the Odd Fellows building as formerly.

Echo Man in Oil Field.

Oscar Mitchell, father of Mrs. John Oliver of Echo, is now in the Montana oil fields. He is handling a stock ranch at Grass Range, and is director of a bank at that place. A recent copy of the Lewiston paper mentions his name in connection with a new oil district, and also tells of the drilling for oil by C. C. Pence, a distant relative of Mrs. Oliver. Mr. Mitchell used to live in the Butter creek district, on the ranch now occupied by Hiestand Moore.—Echo News.

Wilkins Organizes Hotel Company.

J. L. Wilkins, one time hotel man in this city, where he conducted the Palace hotel, has organized a new company which will build a hotel at the Evergreen Hot Springs, near Stevenson, Wash., according to Harley Adkins, who recently met Mr. Wilkins in Portland. Mr. Wilkins would make the new place a popular resort open to the public during the entire year. Until recently he has been manager of the St. Martins Hot Springs at Carson, Wash.

Ed Wright Leaves Commission.

Salem, Ore.—Ed Wright, for three years secretary of the Oregon Public Service Commission, will leave here soon for La Grande, where he expects to reside permanently. He is a candidate for the republican nomination for district attorney of Umatilla county. He was formerly county clerk of Union county.

WATER DUTY IS HEAVY TO GROWING BIG CROP

5.25 Acre Inches Required to Produce Ton of Alfalfa on Brown Loam Soils.

O. A. C. Experiment Station, Corvallis, May 12.—Water requirements and water cost of crops, based on water consumption of the plants showing the largest net profit per acre for several staple crops covering a 12 year period on experiment station lands, are pointed out by a station bulletin.

On brown silt loam at Corvallis the crop producing power of water is 5.23 inches per ton of alfalfa, 15.69 inches for a three ton crop, or 31.38 inches for a six ton crop. The water requirement under average farm conditions is not likely to be less, and this may be taken as an indication of the highest probable duty of water, for this section.

An average of three acre inches has been required for 100 bushels or six inches for 200 bushels of potatoes. One-half inch of water is required for a ton of beets—15 inches for a 30 ton yield.

Another new department bulletin deals with the improvement of wild meadows and tule land in eastern Oregon. There are a half million acres of these lands. On much of the area crop valuation can be doubled of tame clover and grasses instead of the wild growth. Tame grasses require much less water and have a higher feeding value. Both bulletins free on request.

C. E. Woodson and F. A. McMenamin will speak at the Federated church at 11 o'clock on Sunday morning on the subject of higher education. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Miss Zella Prophet, popular high school student, has gone to Yakima, Wash., where she will spend the summer months visiting with her mother.

Will Buschke, who is engaged in farming on the Higgs land at the head of Cason canyon, had an exciting time one day this week when his plow team ran away. Mr. Buschke was thrown from the plow and received severe bruises on one leg.

PATRON-TEACHERS HELD ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Four Problems Affecting School Life Will Be Solved by Association—All Officers Re-Elected for Coming Year.

The Heppner Patron-Teachers Association re-elected all the present officers at the regular annual election which was held at the high school auditorium on Tuesday afternoon. The officers are Mrs. C. E. Woodson, president; Mrs. Frank W. Turner, vice-president; Mrs. A. M. Phelps, secretary and Mrs. W. B. Barratt, treasurer.

Reports of the secretary and treasurer were read as well as those of the various standing committees. Mrs. Shurte reported on the progress of the campaign in behalf of the educational tax measures. Valuable educational work for these measures is going on in all parts of the county. Speaking by leading business men and films at the theaters are telling the story of Oregon's needs for more and better school facilities and increased pay for teachers.

Recently Mrs. Woodson, president of the association, sent out a questionnaire to the members of the senior class of Heppner high school asking them what the association could do to make school life more profitable and pleasant. The class returned with the following four suggestions: Provide a tennis court; a gymnasium floor; a boarding place for pupils and supervised dancing. The equipment committee has been instructed to provide the tennis court. Mrs. Shurte will inquire into the feasibility of getting the Fair pavilion for the gym and Mrs. E. R. Huston, Mrs. W. B. Barratt and Mrs. Gay M. Anderson were appointed on a committee to act in conjunction with the Civic club in providing a boarding place for pupils next year. Supervised dancing will be taken up at the next meeting of the association, which will be on Wednesday, May 26.

Regular services both morning and evening at the Christian church on Sunday, May 16, preaching by Mrs. Livingstone. The Bible school meets at ten. Last Sunday there was a greatly increased attendance, and many more can be cared for. New classes are in process of organization and all will be made welcome. Come.

FOR SALE—Four room house on highway near depot. \$300.00. Philip Gler.

SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR MORROW COUNTY, OREGON.

T. J. Jones, Glenn C. Jones and Alva Jones, Plaintiffs.

vs.
Chris Peterson and Mrs. Chris Peterson, his wife; Walter Berry and Emily Berry, his wife; also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate hereinafter described, Defendants.

To Chris Peterson, Mrs. Chris Peterson, his wife; Walter Berry and Emily Berry, his wife, and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate lien or interest in or to the real property hereafter described, Defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiffs filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before six weeks from the date of first publication of this summons, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear or answer, for want thereof plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in their complaint, viz: That you and each of you be required and compelled to come in to court and set forth any right, title, interest, lien or claim that you or either of you may have or claim in, to or against the following described land, to-wit:

The Northwest quarter and the South half of Section 17, the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter and the North half of the Northeast quarter Section 20 all in Township 3 South Range 26 E. W. M.; that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of said lands free and clear of all liens or interests of you or any of you. That neither you or any of you have any lien upon or interest in said lands or any part thereof and that you and each of you be forever debarred from setting up asserting or maintaining any such lien, claim or interest, and that Plaintiffs' title to said lands be forever quieted as against you.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof in the Gazette-Times, a weekly newspaper published at Heppner, Oregon once a week for six consecutive weeks by order of Hon. G. W. Phelps, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 10th day of May, 1920, and the date of first publication thereof is May 13, 1920, and the date of last publication will be June 24, 1920.

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