

## Local Happenings

### Officers of Eastern Star Installed Last Friday

D. Cox, Jr., who farms the place of Mrs. Sadie Lewis near Lexington, was Heppner on Saturday, and this office acknowledges a pleasant call from him. There has been much plowing done in his vicinity during the open spell, which was interfered with to some extent during the past week when the nights turned colder and the ground froze slightly. Generally, the grain in his vicinity is looking very fine, but in some fields where blue stem was sown the grain has frozen out. This would not have happened had it not been for the ground, and it is in spots where the fields were left bare from the blowing off of the snow and the subsequent cold snap. As a result some reseeded has been going on.

Miss Vivian Yocum, who has been a deputy in the office of Sheriff McDuffee for the past three years, has accepted a place with Crandall & Roberts, accountants of Portland. Miss Yocum is a very competent accountant and bookkeeper and her work in the sheriff's office here has been highly satisfactory to both officials and the public. Her new position will mean that she will visit many of the public officials of the various counties of the state in charge of Crandall & Roberts as experts. The place of Miss Yocum will be taken by Paul McDuffee, son of the sheriff, who is a graduate of Heppner High school, class of 1922, and a bright young man.

Chas. Stanton is down from Dayton, Wash., to look after his Eight Mile farm for a few days. He had a man on the place that was hired to do some plowing, but the fellow took a notion to leave rather suddenly for who, so Mr. Stanton had to get another man on the job. Winter conditions about Dayton are just about the same as here—mild and warm since the big snow disappeared.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scribner returned home from Portland on Thursday last, after having spent several weeks in the city. Mrs. Scribner visited with relatives near Portland, while Clarence was recuperating in the city and returns home feeling a lot better than when he left. Mr. Scribner is slowly but surely improving and regaining his former health.

For disorderly conduct, Marshal Devin "run in" five men on Sunday morning, and on Monday they were presented before Recorder Richardson and assessed a fine of \$10 apiece. Too much bootleg was the reason for the early morning disturbance.

Reports reaching Heppner from Portland state that T. J. Matlock, who recently went to that city to receive medical attention, has been operated upon, and may have to undergo another operation. His condition is reported to be very serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Slocum and daughter, Miss Kathleen, and Mrs. F. J. Lucas were up from Lexington on Friday evening to attend the installation of officers of Ruth Chapter No. 32, O. E. S., of which they are members.

Mrs. Jeff Jones departed on Saturday for San Leandro, Calif., where she was called on account of sickness in the family of her daughter, Mrs. Ellis Hendrickson. Mrs. Jones expects to be absent for a few weeks only.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Young of Heppner, were guests at the Jay Cox home the early part of last week. Mrs. Young is a sister of Mr. Cox. They are looking for a location.—Boardman Mirror.

The family of F. H. Haley, new manager of the Standard Oil plant at Heppner, was moved up from Ione on Friday last. They occupy the Wm. Copenhagen residence.

Wm. Hendrix, of Rhea creek, is a business visitor in town today. He was in last night to attend the I. O. O. F. installation ceremonies also.

Roy Neill, alfalfa raiser of Butter creek, was doing business in Heppner on Saturday.

Good eating apples for sale at \$1.00 per box and up. Heppner Bakery.

Elected to Membership in Fraternity. F. E. Bennett, formerly principal of Lexington schools, who is attending the University of Oregon this year, has been elected to membership in the Phi Delta Kappa, honorary educational fraternity at the University. Mr. Bennett spent the holidays with his family at Lexington, where Mrs. Bennett is engaged as one of the teachers.

### A DEMOCRAT'S VIEW

Senator Sam Garland of Linn county, addressed the Salem chamber of commerce on Tuesday and had somewhat to say regarding the ideas of Governor Pierce.

"You can't get much new into Governor Pierce's head until you get some of the old ideas out," said the senator, and he stated that he thought Mr. Pierce would make a fine governor in event that he accepts good advice.

"This is the kind of advice I am giving him," said the senator. Senator Garland declared that he did not agree with the governor with relation to a paid highway commission. "We can't pay a salary large enough to compensate a man big enough to transact the duties of highway commissioner," said the senator. "We must depend on the patriotism of our best men to serve on this commission."

"Governor Pierce has said that he is almost persuaded to keep R. A. Booth on the highway commission. This I believe is an excellent idea. If three green men should be named as members of this commission their work might fall and that would injure the democratic party."

Regarding a commission to handle state affairs, Senator Garland said he favored such a move, but would examine carefully into any bill to that end.

"We pay too much money for the government of this state. There are twice too many people on the payroll," declared Mr. Garland. "As to the income tax, I believe in it. Oregon must be relieved of its heavy taxation, and taxes adjusted more evenly."

"In regard to a gasoline tax, I favor a lower license for the automobile and a higher tax on gasoline. It is right that the man who travels most should pay the most."

### Slat's Diary

By ROSS FARQUHAR.

Friday—It done my heart good clear down to the roots to see Pug and Slim get into trouble and not being able to riggle out of it, they think they are so slick. Ole man Curtis reported them to the mayer & accused them of hanging crape on his door a few weeks ago and he just now found out it was them witch done it. When they was arranged before the mayer and called on to spone it, Pug seed it was out of the kindness of there heart they done it in order to keep the collectors away during the 1st of the month. & new they got to carry in ole man Curtis cole all winter.

Saturday—Ma herd the Davis twins was home from college for good. There pa sent them away to get a Education and I of them cum home with a had record and bob hair and the other I with a husband.

Sunday—Are Sunday skool teacher imprint on us that we was put into this world to do good to others and Bisters rised up and act her. What was the others put here for then. Ma and pa is on the outs & I cant find out why so.

Monday—Pa sure does sum foolish acts now and asasionally. The other day he jumped out of a otto wile it was running and like to of bursted both knee caps and tonite he tuk a bath and powdered hisself with a can of Louis lie. Ma says he is just naturally foolish enuff to stoop and by his shoe when a goat was hedded his way. Ma and pa still sore at each another.

Tuesday—Ma is still sore at pa for some Reason. This is the longest I ever seen her mad at him. At 1 time. I gesa she must be going after a set of furs this time in sted of a box of I pound Chocolates.

Wednesday—I am jest naturally unlucky. Mrs. Gillem fell and she rolled clean out into the st. this evening & I was studying and never even seen it happen a tall. When a fellow has to study he misses all the fun.

Thursday—I was rite only it was not a set of furs ma wanted it was a new rug for the setting room. She got it and now the dove of Peace is flopping his wings all over are happy little hum. And pa can smoke in the house if he wants to or anything.

Home Hygiene Course Free. Anyone interested in taking a course in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick, given by the Public Health Nurse, should call or see Mrs. Phill Cohn or Mrs. C. W. McNamer. There is no charge for the course but the necessary Red Cross book will cost 60 cents.

### Ione I. O. O. F., Rebekahs Have Installation

It took the big auditorium at Ione to hold the crowd of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs that gathered on last Thursday evening for the joint installation of officers. Members of the order from various parts of the county were present as the guests of the Ione lodges, two cars going down from Heppner.

Mr. A. M. Moore was installing officer for the Rebekah lodge, and Mrs. E. K. Lundell, grand marshal, and those installed were Miss Clara Linn, S. G.; Mrs. Ada Brown, V. G.; Mrs. Verda Ritchie, Sec.; Miss Vera Engelman, Treas.

A. M. Phelps of Heppner, Grand Herald of the Grand Lodge of Oregon, was the installing officer for the I. O. O. F. and the following were inducted into office: J. O. Kincaid, N. G.; George Ritchie, V. G.; E. L. Padberg, Sec.; E. J. Bristow, Treas.; F. M. Griffin, Fin. Sec.

Mr. Phelps in a pleasing address, then presented veterans' jewels to the following members for the Rebekah lodge, they having been members of the order for the past 25 years: F. M. Griffin, Mrs. W. T. McNabb, Louvis Sperry, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Morgan. The Rebekahs were organized at Ione on July 12, 1897, with a charter membership of 31, and these are the only members who went in at the organization now remaining.

John T. Kirk was in the city a short while yesterday from Ione. He had just returned from a business trip to Portland and St. Helens, Ore.

### F. and S. National Bank Holds Annual Election

We overlooked the annual meeting of the Farmers & Stockgrowers National Bank, held on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, a report of which should have appeared in our last issue. With the exception of J. W. Greath, the board of officers remains the same as last year: J. W. Beymer, president; Emmet Cochran, vice-president; S. W. Spencer, cashier, and J. E. Higley, assistant cashier.

To Attend Sheriff's Convention. Sheriff McDuffee went to Portland on Tuesday to attend a convention in that city this week of law enforcing officers from over the Northwest and British Columbia. District Attorney Notson left Wednesday afternoon to take in a part of the convention, as district attorneys have been invited to join in the deliberations. Representatives are expected from all of the group of northwest states, as well as California, Nevada and Utah, and British Columbia, and the more efficient enforcement of the laws in general and the prohibition laws in particular will claim the attention of those attending this convention.

## To Truck Owners

You can now save both time and expense in replacing your solid tires by bringing your work to me.

Have just installed a

### Firestone Tire Press

for replacing solid tires, and it will not be necessary in the future to send this work away.

Will also carry a complete stock of solid tires for trucks.

Come in and see the new machine do the work.

### Martin Reid

HEPPNER



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You can make a success of saving by starting with a small amount.

Success comes by steadily saving small sums. Open an account with us—\$1.00 will do it—add to this first dollar regularly whatever you can.

The four per cent interest we pay will increase your savings materially.

We invite small accounts as well as the larger ones.

### First National Bank

HEPPNER, OREGON

## PLOWING TIME

will soon be here

Better look over your old plows and see what repairs you need.

### Peoples Hardware Co.

Heppner Oregon

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UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

## Central Market

FRESH AND CURED MEATS  
FISH IN SEASON

Reductions in Prices have been made, and it shall be our aim to please.

We shall handle the best meat we can buy. Our customers shall be entitled to this at all times

GROVER SWAGGART, Proprietor



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FORBY GREAMBA, Post Commander.  
SPENCER CRAWFORD, Adjutant.