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BIG REBEKAH CONVENTION A SUCCESS

Saturday, Jan. 21, was one to be remembered in the annals of Rebekahship, the occasion being a county convention, the first since 1915. Mrs. Nettie Whetstone, the state president, paid her local lodge an official visit on Friday evening and assisted in their final arrangements for the Saturday convention.

The local lodge met at 10 a. m. Saturday with the following officers in the chairs: Rosa M. Phelps, N. G., Bessie Campbell, V. G. pro tem, Ella Benge, Chaplain, Alice Bayless, I. G. pro tem, Amy McFerrin, O. G. pro tem.

The officers of the lodge were directed to surrender their chairs to the convention officers, with Sister Olive Frye chairman, Bessie Campbell, vice-chairman, Etta Bristow, marshal, Mary Swanson, conductor, Elvina Beasley, inner guard, Amy McFerrin, outer guard, Loa Taylor, chaplain.

The following committees were appointed:

Memorial: Mrs. Florence Hughes of Heppner, Mrs. Minnie Forbes of Lone, Miss Opal Briggs of Heppner.

Resolutions: Mrs. Sadie Sigbee of Heppner.

Question Box: Mrs. Sadie Sigbee of Heppner, Mrs. Bennett of Lexington, Mrs. Pearl Chidsey of Heppner.

Secret Work: Miss Opal Briggs of Heppner, Mrs. Moore of Lone, Mrs. Padberg of Lone.

Press: Lillian Turner, Opal Cason, Neva Clabough.

Thanks: Mrs. Bennett of Lexington, Mrs. Tom Johnson of Heppner, Miss Gladys Musgrave of Lone, Mrs. Addie Roberts of Heppner.

Convention adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

Upon opening in the afternoon the state president, Mrs. Nettie M. Whetstone of Pendleton, together with her grand marshal, Mrs. Olive Frye, district deputy president, Lillian Turner and district deputy grand master, Ed Bristow, were introduced and given the honors of the degree. Mrs. Rosa Phelps gave the address of welcome in a creditable manner. The response was ably made by Mrs. Bennett of Lexington. A roll call proved that Lone was represented by 19 delegates, Lexington 2 and Heppner 41. Each lodge gave reports of the work for 1921.

Under new business the place of meeting was decided upon and Mrs. Bennett on behalf of Lexington lodge invited the convention there for 1922. It was decided to meet in February of next year.

A short recess was called for preparation of questions for the question box. Following this Lillian Turner, Sadie Sigbee and Mrs. Kincaid gave short talks on different phases of Rebekah work.

The lone degree staff exemplified the team work with a team of ten in a most pleasing manner.

President Nettie Whetstone then gave an instructive talk on "What Rebekahs Have Done for the Children in the I. O. O. F. Homes."

Next came the nomination of officers: Chairman, Cora Warner, Lexington; V. Chairman, Etta Bristow, Lone; Secretary, Minnie Zochert, Lexington; Treasurer, Ada Brown, Lone.

After the reports of committees the officers were elected and duly installed by President Nettie Whetstone.

The convention adjourned until 6 o'clock when a big banquet was served for Rebekahs and Odd Fellows, after which the following program was rendered:

- Vocal solo, *My Dreams*..... Neva Clabough
- Russian Folk Dance, *Elaine Sigbee*..... Neva Clabough
- Vocal Solo, *Little Boy Blue*..... Lillian Turner
- Male Quartet, *Down In the Old Cherry Orchard*, Delbert Clabough, T. E. Chidsey, Chas. Barlow, Frank Turner.

Character Song..... Leola Bennett
Reading..... Addie Quesinberry
Baritone Solo, *"Shipmates O' Mine"*..... Delbert Clabough

The big day closed with the hearty good wishes of all going with our president, Mrs. Nettie Whetstone.

Respectfully submitted,
LILLIAN TURNER, Chairman.
OPAL CASON.
NEVA CLABOUGH.
Neva Clabough, Press Committee.

Dr. R. J. Vaughn departed for Baker the first of the week, to look after business interests there. He is associated with his brother in the running of a big ranch near Baker. He expects to be absent from Heppner for several weeks.

'BABE' RUTH A HOME MAN

Every mother, wife, sweetheart, daughter and sister will want to see "Babe" Ruth, the idol of America today, the home-run king, who comes to the Star Theatre on Monday and Tuesday as the star in a six-part super-feature cinemadrama, "Headin' Home." There is not a single woman in America today who has not listened to her husband, son, sweetheart or brother refer to this remarkable American sportsman.

To the fair sex "Babe" Ruth means and exemplifies the best in manhood. He is an example of clean living. He is what women characterize a home man. His home and wife come first. While he is in love with the national pastime his family is a most happy one and down in the farm section of western Maryland "Babe" enjoys the simple life.

His career reads like a Horatio Alger, Jr., novel, for "Babe" was adopted by Jack Dunn, manager of the Baltimore International League club when a mere lad. He was educated in the public schools there by Jack Dunn who took a liking to him after seeing him play in a back-lot game with other boys. "Babe" made his debut with the Baltimore Orioles and then was sold to Joe Lanning, then owner of the Red Sox and Providence team. Babe was sent to Providence and that year he brought the team within an ace of winning the championship by his splendid mound and bat work. The following season he went with the Red Sox who in turn sold him to the Yankees.

The story that "Headin' Home" tells makes an especial appeal to the women folks. It is based on the love of a misunderstood boy for his mother and is intermingled with a sweet love story.

First Christian Church.

LORD'S DAY, JAN. 29.

Did you miss the latest movie serial? Too bad. Did you miss the last dance? If you did, what was your loss? Were you disappointed because you could not get to the card party the other afternoon? No harm done. If you miss all of these habitually, you will not miss any of the things that inspire and make life worth while. If you have missed the revival meetings up to date, you have missed real intellectual and spiritual food, both of which we all need so badly. Harman is preaching the real gospel, which means wonderful sermons, and Gates is a wonder. Hear them; hear them as often as possible. Sunday morning and evening and all the week except Monday evening. You are cordially invited; come to our fine Bible School and great Endeavor Sunday. A big welcome awaits you.

The sermon topics for the week follow. Hear them.

Thursday (Today): "Confession: To Whom: For What?"

Friday: "Conversion, Active or Passive, Which?"

Saturday: "How a Statesman Came to Christ."

Sunday A. M.: "Shall We Know Each Other There?"

Sunday P. M.: "What Name?"

Monday: "No services, Rest Night."

Tuesday: "Can I Know I Am Saved?"

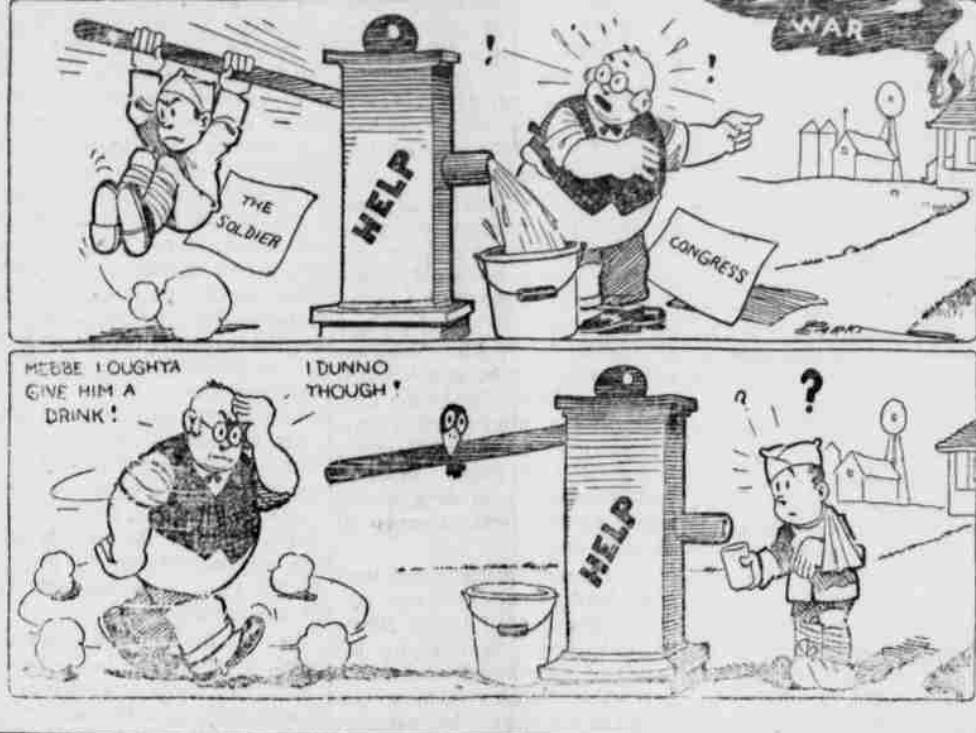
Wednesday: "Can A Man Be Saved Outside the Church?"

Dr. R. Z. Grove, dentist of several years practice, has become associated with Dr. R. J. Vaughn of this city and will take up the practice of his profession here. Dr. Grove comes to Heppner highly recommended as a dentist and well versed in all lines of the profession. Dr. Vaughn is the officially appointed dentist of this district of the U. S. Public Welfare Service, and all ex-service men should look these doctors up for information. Dr. Grove arrived in Heppner early last week, and the arrangements between himself and Dr. Vaughn were consummated and he is now ready to serve the public of Heppner and surrounding territory.

Mrs. Johnson, county health nurse, will leave for Portland in the morning, having in charge a couple of little boys from Boardman, cripples, who are being taken to the city to receive medical assistance under the provisions of the state law pertaining to crippled children. They were sent under the order of the county court, their parents being unable to give them the required assistance. Mrs. Johnson feels sure that the boys will be restored to normal health by the proper medical attention.

At the Federated church Sunday: Sunday school 9:45 and preaching at 11:00 a. m.; Junior C. E. at 5:30 and C. E. at 6:30, followed by sermon at 7:30. E. L. Moore, Pastor.

SPEAKING OF THE BONUS



Fine Agricultural Program Begins on February 6th

A fine agricultural program will be put on in Heppner beginning on Monday, February 6th. The program as outlined at present runs as follows:

On Monday, Professor Brewster will discuss Feeding, Housing, and Culling of the Poultry Flocks for Egg production. A. H. Lea of the Oregon Cooperative Grain Growers will also discuss the work of that organization to farm and answer any question that the farmers may have.

Tuesday will be given over to discussion of livestock problems.

Wednesday will be a great day for the wheat men. D. C. Stephens, from the Moro Experiment Station will give a couple of lectures illustrated by charts which no wheat man can afford to miss. R. V. Gunn will discuss wheat costs which interest every farmer now.

The program for Lexington and Lone is as follows:

Monday, Wheat, Stephens and Gunn Tuesday, Poultry..... Brewster Lone

Tuesday, Wheat, Stephens and Gunn Wednesday, Poultry..... Brewster Wednesday, Home Economics. Thursday, Home Economics.

These meetings will take place as an Agricultural Chautauqua. Keep them in mind. Although it is not necessary for you to buy a season ticket or pay out a single cent to enjoy them yet remember that it is just as important as though it cost you five dollars for a large program. There ought to be a day attendance for each meeting. The exact hour for each session will be announced later.

HEPPNER YOUNG WOMAN IS MARRIED AT TACOMA

Miss Gladys Lane a popular young woman of this city, niece of Mrs. M. D. Clark, was married at Tacoma, Wash., on January 14, to Dr. Milton H. Fisher, Rev. Sidney T. James, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church, performing the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher are at home to their friends in Tacoma where Dr. Fisher enjoys an extensive practice. The many friends of Mrs. Fisher in this city extend hearty congratulations.

Christian Endeavorers Had Special Meeting on Sunday

There was a special meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies of the Federated and Christian churches on last Sunday evening at 5:30 at the Federated church. Mrs. Effie Ritchie of Freewater, a state worker, was present and addressed the assembled endeavorers and a program suitable to the occasion was rendered and refreshments were served.

As Mrs. Lillie Turner has been chosen as one of the soloists who will be on the program at state assembly of Rebekahs which meets in Eugene next May. This is an honor that Mrs. Turner appreciates highly and she expects to be in position to take her place on the program.

WINTER'S RABBIT CAMPAIGN VERY SUCCESSFUL

After carefully checking estimates made by the different cooperators who have been poisoning rabbits during the winter's campaign and taking into account the organized hunts at Lone and Heppner, as well as the organized drives we find that about 110,000 jack rabbits have been accounted for during the campaign. The problem of eradicating the jack-rabbits is a serious one. Not only is there a vast amount of territory used for breeding grounds by this pest and is hard to get on to do effective work, but it is also difficult to get the rabbits to take any one bait under all conditions. However, for the most part the campaign has been successful and pronounced by the U. S. Biological Survey to be one of the most comprehensive campaigns put on in this section of the country.

The result of the drive put on at the Sloan Thompson place on Butter creek to clean up a badly infested area last Thursday show that 4600 rabbits were corralled; another drive put on there on Sunday netted 500 rabbits.

The lone organized hunts which ran for a little over two weeks with 86 contestants on a side, accounted for 3,559 rabbits.

The campaign will be pushed just as long as weather conditions are favorable and other methods of control will be used right on through the spring and summer months.

"The Miracle Man" Hailed as Picture of Unusual Merit

George Loane Tucker Production Has Most Powerful Appeal.

Hailed by critics as one of the greatest motion pictures ever produced, "The Miracle Man" will be displayed at the Star Theatre on Sunday next. It is the screen version of George M. Cohan's play that scored so emphatically on Broadway some years ago, and which in turn was based on Frank L. Packard's famous novel. No picture in recent months has had so much praise lavished upon it for the dramatic quality of its story, its keen characterization, and beautiful photography.

The story of "The Miracle Man" centers around an old patriarch of the hills who has gained a reputation for his power to heal the sick and crippled. To him come a band of unscrupulous crooks from the slums of New York—Tom Burke, their leader; Rose, The Frog, and the Dope—who have conceived a scheme of capitalizing the healer's gift and taking the money for themselves.

What follows is one of the most absorbing stories ever unfolded on the screen. In the hands of such talented players as Thomas Meighan, Elinor Fair, Betty Compson, Lon Chaney, and W. Lawson Butt, the development of the chief characters under the influence of the deaf and blind patriarch is portrayed with admirable skill.

Residence Property For Sale.

Just outside Heppner city limits, a little over an acre of ground, nearly all in alfalfa, 4-room house, good barn, garage, chicken house, cellar and two good wells of water—all for \$1500, \$700 cash, balance on easy terms. Here is sure a snap for a family wanting to move in to school their children. E. M. SHUTT.

Rabbit Drives at Boardman.

There have been several rabbit drives a week down in the Boardman country, so we are informed by our good friend, John L. Jenkins, and from 600 to 2500 rabbits per day have been done away with. The snow there is about 4 inches deep on the average and it has been good feeding weather with the sheep eating up their hay well. The alfalfa has been pretty nearly all consumed, so on the river was frozen to thickness of a foot and the ice harvest has been on with ice houses filled to overflowing. Some pretty cold weather prevailed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Turner have been spending the past week in the city, enjoying a visit with their relatives.

LOCAL NEWS HAPPENINGS

"Lift up your heads, O ye gates; And be ye lifted up, ye everlasting doors: And the King of Glory will come in.—Psa. 24:7. Suggested by Evangelist Gates.

WANTED—Woman to do housework. TROY BOGARD, Lone, Oregon.

E. E. Rugg, Rhea creek farmer and stockman, was in Heppner for a short time on Saturday.

M. L. Case, accompanied by his two sons, Lawrence and Lonnie, left for Portland Friday to spend a few days visiting in the city.

Mike Szepek, ranchman from north Sand Hollow, was in the city Wednesday with a supply of eggs and other produce from his farm.

Robert Young, former Heppner boy, now a traveling salesman, was in Heppner over Sunday and Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Young.

Miss Alma Akers has returned to her Heppner home from Arlington. She has been working as bookkeeper in a store at Arlington during the past year.

Miss Cecil Schreyer of the Bureau of Nursing, American Red Cross, is expected in Heppner the coming week to make an inspection of the work here. Miss Schreyer is visiting in Eastern Oregon and should be in Heppner the early part of next week so we are, informed by Mrs. Johnson public health nurse.

ZEKE'S TRANSLATION.

Lord Babbington was instructing a new Zeke in his duties, adding, "Now, Zeke, when I ring for you you must answer me by saying 'My lord, what will you have?'"

A few hours afterward, having occasion to summon the servant, his lordship was astonished with the following: "My Gawd, what does you want now?"—*St. Louis Times.*

HEPPNER HI LIFE

Edited By JUNIOR ENGLISH CLASS

HEPPNER HIGH WINS 25-2.

On Friday Heppner played the first game of the season, winning an easy victory over Lone High.

The game started slowly with neither team scoring in the first quarter, but early in the second Linn of Lone made a field basket and scored Lone's only points. Soon after this, Doherty dropped one thru and Heppner was off.

Wishing to give as many of the squad as possible a chance Coach Heppner sent Wright in, in place of Irwin at the beginning of the fourth quarter; then after a few minutes he sent Irwin back in and had Mahoney take McDuffee's place.

Heppner's success was as much due to the five-man defense used, as it was to superior playing.

While all of Heppner's team played good ball, the work of Doherty and P. McDuffee was especially good.

Linn, Lone's tiny forward, played a good game but was stopped by the five-man defense.

VanMarter officiated.

The lineup:

Doherty 6	F	Blake
P. McDuffee 13	C	Linn 2
Clabough 2	C	Balsiger
Witcraft 4	G	Warfield
Irwin	G	Bornelt

HEPPNER HIGH CALENDAR.

- Feb. 11. Basketball game, Heppner vs. Lexington, at Heppner.
- Feb. 24. Basketball game, Heppner vs. Lone at Lone.
- Mar. 4. Basketball game, Heppner vs. Lexington at Lexington.

ERWIN ELECTED PRESIDENT.

One of the most exciting student body elections ever recorded in the history of H. H. S. was held last Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock. Party leaders were chosen the day before by Don Case, student body president, so that they might have time to choose a platform and candidate.

The bulletin board was surrounded by a crowd all Tuesday morning, each student eager to read the platforms and sign up. Under the leadership of Carl Cason, a "Booster" party was formed which promised among other things: high school dances; no more cigarettes, free lunches for high school students at noon and free transportation to and from school. Raymond Ferguson, leader for the "Potato Digger" party, made up a program which provided for: telephones on desks of all students; no teachers over twenty-five years of age; Lexington and Lone to be made suburbs of Heppner to enable better acquaintance between all concerned; and bobbed-haired girls to pay a tax of fifty cents.

Up to about one o'clock only two parties existed but another, "Polshchiki" party sprang rapidly into prominence. Twenty minutes were allowed each party to prepare for their speeches, etc., and the meeting was then called to order by Don Case.

Nominations were first in order for the student body officers, after which the time until two-thirty was spent in electioneering by the various students. Guy Hall, Keith Logan and Paul Aiken were appointed to prepare ballots for voting, and a recess of ten minutes was declared.

Competition for the different offices ran very high, but Ellis Irwin was elected president. Reitha Owen was elected vice-president. Luola Benge, secretary, Florence Cason, sergeant-at-arms, James Clabough, fire chief, Ailene Spruells and Duck Lee, yell leaders.

Speeches were given by the newly

DR. CONDER IN RAGE FOR REPRESENTATIVE

Editor The Gazette-Times:

Wish to commend the article appearing on first page of the last or current number of your paper, Jan. 19, 1922, in which you, discussing the political situation relative to a candidate seeking the nomination at the May primaries for joint representative for Morrow and Umatilla counties in the Oregon legislature, make use of the statement—which no one will question—"So far this paper has heard no mention of any one for this place from our own county. Mr. Woodson has declared that he feels he has done his full duty by his fellow citizens both here and in Umatilla by standing for this office at two elections and serving them as a legislator, a place, by the way, that he has so well filled, and in which he has set so high a mark, that it will be no easy task for another to take his place, so the field is now an open one. Heretofore, Umatilla county folks have conceded the joint representative to this county as this is all we have, and for our part we should be glad to see a strong man from this county put forth."

Having resided for about a quarter of a century, half of my life time, in Oregon, visited the Legislature often at Salem and taken part in its procedure and otherwise been intimately associated with the law makers, I have no personal ambitions of a political nature, but I think it my duty, and so desire to announce to the republican voters of Morrow and Umatilla counties that I will seek the nomination at the May primaries.

Having traveled extensively in all sections of the entire state of Oregon, and thus become personally acquainted with many of her citizens and problems, having resided continuously for the past thirteen years in Morrow county where I have an eight hundred-acre wheat ranch, and have wrestled with the problems common to the farmer and the stockman and having had extensive interests and experience in the stockraising business before coming to Morrow county and having met in a professional and business way the men engaged in farming and stockraising as well as other citizens throughout both Morrow and Umatilla counties, I may help some little to initiate some very much needed and desirable legislation if I am elected to this position in the Legislature.

J. PERRY CONDER.

Mrs. A. M. Moore and Mrs. O. D. Forbes of Lone were in Heppner over Friday and Saturday. They were delegates to the district convention of the Rebekahs from the Lone lodge. While in the city they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Livingston.

A very acceptable change in the weather struck this section on Wednesday and since then it has moderated very many degrees and the snow and ice is disappearing. We had more than two months of winter with stockmen doing a lively lot of feeding, and a change for better and warmer weather is about due. No complaint is heard, however, concerning feed, and the supply seems to be ample yet.

Several of the high school boys spent Friday boarding up the basketball hall and installing a new stove. Everyone in town owes them a vote of thanks for making the hall more comfortable, a thing which should have been done long before.

After the request of Mr. Heard that every high school boy stop at the basketball hall and carry in four sticks of wood apiece, a large pile was found inside the hall instead of outside as it usually is.

Both the girls' and boys' basketball teams had meetings last Friday to elect captains. Anita Turner was elected by the girls and Ellis Irwin by the boys.

A new flag has been raised on the school building. The former flag was too badly torn to remain there much longer.

The final semester examination on the Old Testament was taken last Friday afternoon by those taking Bible study. The five boys and one girl who took it reported it as far from easy and decided a little more study would need to be done, if they expected to pass the one on the New Testament this next semester.

The Senior and Junior Civics classes have been making a study of

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