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## LXINGTON FARMERS USE DRY TREATMENT

### Copper Carbonate Method Coming Into Favor in North End.

#### L. H. S. WINS GAME

### Arlington is Defeated in Rough and Tumble Football Dual; Other Wheat City Items.

That the farmers of the Lexington country are quite generally using the copper carbonate method of treatment of wheat for smut prevention, is demonstrated from the fact that W. F. Barnett & Co., merchants, have already disposed of 1500 pounds of the material to the farmers round about. This method was used to some extent the past year and this season it will be thoroughly tested out and its efficiency as a remedy for smut given a complete tryout. Mr. Barnett, who is extensively engaged in wheat raising, thinks well of the treatment and believes that it will become the popular treatment among the farmers.

Peter Palmer of the Christian church is to preach his farewell sermon to the Lexington congregation on Sunday, and with his family will leave the first of the week for his new pastorate at Coquille, Oregon. During the stay of Mr. Palmer and his family in Lexington, they have made many warm friends, and their departure is regretted. He has been the pastor of the church for the past year.

Lexington high school football team tied into Arlington on Saturday and were victors in a score of 19 to 0. The boys brought home evidence of a rough and tumble conflict, and are proud in their condemnation of the manner of play put up by the Arlington fellows. Carmichael, one of the Lexington team, achieved a particular target for the rough stuff, and he was carried off the field in an unconscious state and for a time it was thought his neck was broken. Other players received cuts on their faces, bruised arms and legs and presented the appearance of having been through a sure-enough battle. They expressed themselves as being anything but pleased with the style of sportmanship manifested on the part of Arlington, but state that it would do their friends good to see what happened to at least a part of the Arlington bunch when it was learned that they were to be treated to unfair methods of playing.

Quite heavy rains prevailed during the past week over the Lexington wheat belt and just as fast as possible the farmers are getting busy with their seeding.

The warehouses along the railroad track are filling to overflowing with grain and there is prospect that much may have to be piled outside, regardless of the fact that shipments are going out steadily.

The house on the Miller place, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Miller, was totally destroyed by fire, together with all its contents at 7:30 Wednesday morning. Near the house was the cellar and smoke house and this was also consumed by the flames. Mr. Miller was just getting ready to go to the city to work and Mrs. Miller was out with him near the barn when she smelled gas burning. Rushing to the house she found an entire room in blaze, the fire advancing so far that it was impossible to put it out with the meager water supply at hand. It was not learned whether insurance was carried on the property which is owned by Mr. Miller's father who resides in Salem.

## Elderly Woman Ends Life in Waters of Creek

### Mrs. Ella B. Young, Evidently Dependent, Seen End of Troubles by Drowning

This community was shocked on learning of the death of Mrs. Ella B. Young, whose body was removed from the waters of Willow creek after 9 o'clock on Tuesday evening, following several hours of search made for her when it had been ascertained that she was missing from the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Westhoff since about 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Young, who was the mother of Mrs. Westhoff, very evidently took her own life by throwing herself into Willow creek off the foot bridge near the Harry Cummings pumping plant. When the body was discovered it had been lodged just above the dam across the creek a few hundred feet below the bridge. Parties crossing the foot bridge between 5 and 6 o'clock had noticed what appeared to be a woman's heavy cloak floating on the water, but did not stop to make inspection. This later became the clue that led to the discovery of the body. Mr. Westhoff made the discovery, and assisted by Coroner Case and others it was removed from the water and taken to the undertaking parlors of Case Furniture company. Mrs. Young was aged 60 years, 4 months and 9 days. She has made her home here for several years, most of the time with Mr. and Mrs. Westhoff, and was known to have recently made an attempt to destroy herself by the use of chloroform, and had spells of extreme despondency. Besides her daughter here, she is survived by a son residing in Palm Beach, Florida.

The funeral will be held at the Methodist church on Friday afternoon at 2 P. M. Rev. E. R. Spaulding, pastor, officiating.

## ORGANIZATION IS FARMER'S HOPE

### Producers and Consumers Must Get Together and Equalize Prices For Results.

By C. E. SPENCE, State Market Agent, 723 Court House, Portland.

When the consumer can buy farm products somewhere near the price the farmer gets for them, then will one of the big hold backs to agricultural progress be removed. This can be brought about when producers and consumers organize and bring it about.

The present condition of many products to all products before they reach the home, is resulting in a big loss of over-production.

Recently a large auto truck with extension side rack was driven down Fourth street, in Portland, fully loaded with fruit and food that the public would not pay the high retail price for, and rather than sell the products at prices consumers would pay, the big load was destroyed.

A slice of melon in a restaurant will cost more than the raiser received for the whole melon. An ear of corn will cost about what the grower received for a dozen ears.

In middle west states the same conditions prevail and the people are changing them. Farmers have organized co-operative selling agencies in localities, where all products of kinds are sold from one place.

RAILROAD MEN VISIT HEPPNER. W. H. Gould, assistant superintendent of Orve Basmus and others who have gone out to take up the search for Len Gilliam, reported lost, succeeded in bagging a fine buck deer.

CURFEW NOTICE. By the laws of the City of Heppner, all children under the age of 16 years are not allowed on the streets of the city after 8 o'clock p. m., unless accompanied by parents or guardian.

E. H. Kellough was in from Rhea creek Tuesday. Ed is a breeder of fine Jersey stock, and in another column he is advertising some of this stock for sale. Look it up.

Attorney C. L. Sweeney is now sporting a beautiful 24 Black touring car which he purchased from salesman Dean Goodman of the Heppner area this week.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Len Gilliam was the victim of the storm which occurred in the mountains on Sunday where he, with his two brothers, Earl and Clint and Lester Doolittle had gone on a deer hunt. The men became separated during the day and the storm coming on Len was not able to keep his bearings and failed to come into camp. He remained out over night, kept comfortable by a good fire built between two small fir trees, and hiked on early the next morning, finally coming out at the Joe Hayes place on Butter creek, somewhat tired from a walk of about 16 miles, but feeling no other discomforts from his experience. Word was sent into town of his whereabouts, but not before a party or two had been organized here to go out and look him up, as it was feared that he might have met with some accident.

Miss Janet Fraser, teacher of English in Heppner high school has been compelled to tender her resignation. Miss Fraser was very seriously injured in an automobile accident at Eugene early in the summer, and on this account she could not be here for the opening of school. It was thought that she would be sufficiently restored to health to take up her work with the beginning of the school month, but this she finds impossible, and hence her resignation. It is reported that Mrs. Fraser has lost her speech as a result of the injuries to her throat, but her physicians have hopes that this may be restored in time. A successor to Miss Fraser has not yet been secured.

Joe Hughes was quite seriously injured on Wednesday afternoon in a runaway near the depot grounds. He was delivering a load of wheat at the warehouse when his team was frightened by another that was running away, and Mr. Hughes was crowded off the highway and thrown in such a manner that a wheel of the loaded wagon passed over his body. He was taken to the Heppner hospital where he is receiving medical attention. It is feared that Mr. Hughes has received serious internal injuries.

R. E. Doty, who has been manager of the Standard Oil company here for several months past, has been transferred to a station near Fresno, Calif., and left today for his new field. The order to go came rather suddenly to Mr. Doty and left him no time to express his good wishes to his numerous friends in the city. If any of the Heppner folks ever come by way down south, Mr. Doty wants them to be sure and look him up. His successor here has not been named yet.

Pete Prophet got in from his hunting trip on Tuesday. He states that his report that he was in the mountains was all a mistake. It was his wick-up that was lost. The storm was severe out there, and Pete admits that there was a short time when he lost his bearings and did not know just where he was. He was accompanied on the trip by Van Etsa, a traveling man from Portland and his nephew, Louis Pyle, and their hunt was fruitless.

John Johnson, of Gooseberry, was a Heppner visitor on Wednesday, coming in to see his car from Portland, which he has been for several weeks under the care of Dr. Kistner, who performed a very serious and delicate operation on Mr. Johnson's nose and relieved him of a trouble that he had been suffering from for more than a year past.

John Olden is in town from his Rhea creek ranch today. He found it rather difficult getting by some places on the road to town, owing to the deposit of rocks and boulders at different points along the highway. He states that the rain was pretty heavy at his place during the thunder storm that passed across the county last night.

L. E. Bisbee, while in the mountains on Monday, accompanied by Orve Basmus and others who have gone out to take up the search for Len Gilliam, reported lost, succeeded in bagging a fine buck deer. The animal was brought to town and carried up by Mr. Basmus, and the friends of "Big" here have been enjoying a treat to venison.

Lloyd McFerrin of this city and Miss Leona Dauner of Umatilla county were united in marriage on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Allan McFerrin, Rev. W. O. Livingston of the Christian church performing the ceremony. The young people expect to make their home in Heppner.

The Freeman property in this city has been disposed of to Mr. Isom of Monument, who will soon occupy the same with his family. Pete Prophet, who has been living here, will move into the Mrs. Johnson property on Main street, formerly occupied by Dr. Conder.

## GOVERNOR RECALL IS NOT ON BALLOT

### Announcement Comes Out from Headquarters that Petition Will Not Be Filed.

The recall of Walter M. Pierce as governor of Oregon, has apparently failed, been placed on it was word now comes out of Portland headquarters of the recallers that at a time, at least, we shall have to await developments, as it seems definitely decided that, even though enough signatures should be secured to place the recall on the ballot, it will not be placed upon the ballot for the special election called to vote on the income tax measure, November 6.

From the Oregonian of Tuesday we have the following signed statement from the headquarters of the recallers:

The recall committee in session in the office of A. E. Campbell at noon today feels very much elated regarding the turn of affairs in the administration of the state. The demanding of the resignation of Warden Johnson Smith of the penitentiary has proved conclusively that the indictment of the recallers has been substantiated.

The state administration through its police force has seen fit in several cases to hamper the signature getters of the recall petitions by arresting and barring from the state fair grounds men who were soliciting people from throughout the state.

Patron-Teachers Hold First Business Meeting. The regular meeting of the P. T. A. was held Tuesday afternoon in the High School auditorium with a good attendance.

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## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

### Wasco-Heppner Clash.

Heppner's first football game was played with Wasco last Saturday. The boys left at 6:00 in the morning in the midst of a heavy rain storm. However, the rain soon let up and dampen their ardor nor that of the few backers who were out to see them off, and they left with a regular light spirit.

Two break downs on the way delayed the team at Arlington, and the game did not begin until late on account of the failure of the team to show up at the scheduled time.

The whistle blew about 3:00 o'clock. Heppner received the ball and in two minutes had it on their opponent's twenty yard line. Alken made a wide end run for fifteen of the twenty remaining yards, but the referee brought the team back to the twenty yard line and penalized our boys five yards for "off side."

When the team was moved to the other side of the field they were up against a hill, which made playing very difficult. Wasco again received the ball on downs but not before Heppner had intercepted a pass and intercepted a pass and they went through on an off-tackle buck for forty yards and a touchdown. They failed to kick.

In the last ten minutes of play, Heppner ran the ball up to Wasco's ten yard line four times. With one minute to go and only one more play possible, Brick Hall received the ball from the quarterback and went over the line for a touchdown with ten seconds left. Heppner also missed the try for goal, making the score a tie, 6 to 6.

It was wonderful work on the part of Heppner's team, playing under such handicaps as it was. It was due to the heroic spirit of the players of the boys and the excellent training given them by Coach Mather. The H. S. is very proud of her team and Heppner itself should be.

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## HOT LUNCHES IN RURAL SCHOOLS

### Usual School Lunch Does Not Contain Proper Foods; Hot Lunches Needed.

By FREDERICK D. STRICKER, M. D., Oregon State Board of Health.

Time was when this business of hot lunches in schools was considered a fad or experiment. The kind now changed. In most schools the children bring their lunches from home. These are not only cold and unpalatable, but in many cases are far from being suitable to the needs of growing children.

There is a plan to simplify the coal problem. Railroads won't like it—no more coal to carry. Middlemen will detest it.

The idea is change the coal into electric current at the mine, send it over the wires, with no bumping of freight cars, no flat wheels, no loading and unloading. Instead of buying coal, changing it into power and heat five hundred or a thousand miles from the mine, added labor at the mines would change coal into electricity to be used for heat, light, power, wherever wanted. That will come in time. It ought to come now.

Thanks to Mr. Eastman, of Rochester, and the wide, world wide, this country sees efficient and thorough development of the musical talent of its youth.

Wheat Nurseries Contain New Turkey Red Wheat. Wheat nurseries are being planted this week by County Agent Morse on the Lawrence Redding farm in Eight Mile and on the Troy Rogard farm near Heppner.

Thunder Storm Visits The Heppner Section. This section was visited by a rather heavy thunder storm last night, and a big shower of rain followed.

RECEPTION GIVEN PASTOR. About 100 of the members and friends of the Methodist church in this city gathered at the church on Friday evening to tender their new pastor, Rev. F. B. Spaulding and his family a reception and a hearty welcome to his new charge.

FOR SALE OR RENT. Farm consisting of 640 located in the Blackhorse country, known as the Lacy farm, 275 acres in summerfall now ready to sow to grain. If interested, address W. C. LACY, Heppner, Oregon.

## This Week



### Five Years and Changes. Power at the Mine. Thanks to Mr. Eastman. Bad Advertising.

Five years ago this month more than 400,000 United States soldiers began the drive on the Argonne. Seven thousand were killed, many wounded, in fighting that stretched along a forty-mile front.

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## LAW ENFORCEMENT SUNDAY, OCT. 14TH

### Attention Will Be Called Especially to Prohibition Law.

#### GOVERNOR APPEALS

### Chief Executive Urges All Citizens to Support Officers in Law Enforcement Efforts.

Upon the request of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon and the Women's Christian Temperance Union the week beginning Sunday, October 14th, will be designated as Law Observance and Law Enforcement Week.

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