

Woodrow Wilson Is Laid To Rest

WAR PRESIDENT DIES PEACEFULLY

End Comes 11:15 Sunday Morning While Great Man Sleeps.

SORROW UNIVERSAL

President Coolidge Proclaims Period of Respect; Other Nations Pour In Words of Sympathy.

Ex-President Woodrow Wilson died at 11:15 a. m. Sunday, according to telegraphic reports from Washington, D. C. He had been gradually sinking for several days and the end came peacefully.

The funeral was held privately at the S street residence in Washington, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This service was followed by another at 3:30 o'clock at the Bethelham chapel in the cathedral at Mount St. Albans, where the body was placed in a vault to stay until arrangements have been made to a final resting place.

Dr. Grayson, friend and physician of the ex-president, announced the end of the great war president in this bulletin:

End Is Peaceful
"Mr. Wilson died at 11:15 o'clock. His heart action became feebler and feebler, and the heart muscle was so fatigued that it refused to act any longer. The end came peacefully."
"The remote causes of death lie in his ill health, which began more than four years ago, namely, general arteriosclerosis with haemiplegia. The immediate cause of death was a hæmiplegia following a digestive disturbance which began in the early part of last week but did not reach an acute stage until the early morning hours of February 1."

Present at the passing moment, besides a negro servant standing watch at the door, were Mr. Wilson, the eldest daughter, Margaret, and Dr. Grayson. Mrs. Wilson, who had put up a hard fight for the life of her beloved husband, was holding his right hand when he breathed his last.

News Saddens World
The whole nation, and the whole world, were anxiously awaiting the crisis, having been held for several days that little hope was held for Mr. Wilson's recovery. When it was made known that the crisis was past and that the brave American had passed to the great beyond, the nation at once went into mourning. President Coolidge immediately issued a proclamation, ordering the flags of the nation to be placed at half mast for a period of 30 days and governors of the respective states were notified. Yesterday, memorial services were held in practically every city, town and hamlet in the United States. Many foreign countries have sent words of sympathy and respect to this country, realizing that a great friend has departed.

President Coolidge paid his respects at the Wilson home immediately on his receipt of the word of Mr. Wilson's passing, and then issued his proclamation for the nation to follow suit. The entire machinery of the national government was brought to a standstill yesterday, that due reverence might be paid the deceased.

Health Poor for Years
Mr. Wilson's passing was not dissimilar to that of the late President Harding, says reports from the capital. His first serious breakdown came in the form of a paralytic stroke while on a western speaking tour in 1919. The seriousness of this breakdown was concealed from the public for fear that it might cause a money panic. Mr. Wilson was not a well man when he entered the White House, according to the reports, having been threatened with Bright's disease at that time. This condition of ill-health added to the great strain which he was forced to undergo, due to the great load of war work, was too much for him to bear, and his vitality was lowered to such an extent that he could not pull through the attack of acute indigestion, the blow which caused his death.

K. of P. Will Celebrate Their Diamond Jubilee

Doric Lodge No. 29, Knights of Pythias, of Heppner, will celebrate their Diamond Jubilee Tuesday evening, February 19, at their castle, at 8 p. m., Odd Fellows hall, in Heppner. A program, in keeping with the occasion, will be given and the public is cordially invited to attend. Come and bring a friend. The program is arranged as follows:

- Piano solo — Miss Violet Merritt
- Invention — Prelate
- "Why We Are Assembled"
- Key Chancellor
- Presentation of Flag Master at Arms "Let Us Forget"
- K. of R. & S. Lecture on Friendship — W. B. Barratt
- Piano Duet
- Mesdames Roy Misalidine and F. W. Turner
- Second Cardinal Tenet of Order — Chas. Thomson
- Lecture on Charity — Mr. Gillanders
- Vocal Solo — Alex. Gibb
- Third Cardinal Tenet of Order — Fred Tash
- Lecture on Benevolence — Rev. W. O. Livingston
- Piano Solo — Mrs. Gibb
- Duty of Knights of Pythias — Glenn Young
- Lecture on Patriotism — S. E. Notson
- Vocal Solo — I. A. Mather
- Retiring of the Flag Master at Arms Closing — Chancery Commander

LEGION FAVORS COMPENSATION

Local Post Will Strive to Interest Oregon Delegation in Favor of Service Men's Measure.

It was the unanimous vote of Heppner Post No. 87, American Legion, at its meeting Tuesday evening, that the adjusted Compensation bill now before Congress should be passed. It was decided that a telegram be sent to the Oregon delegation to that effect, and that each individual member of the post write our senators and representatives expressing their individual sentiments. During the discussion of the measure it was brought out that the opposition to the measure were using very unfair means to defeat it, and it was strongly urged by those in charge of the Legion campaign that nothing should be done for the bill that was not square and honorable.

The smoker which had been announced for the 22nd has been postponed until the 17th of March and will be under the auspices of the local post. There will be two good main events and several snappy preliminaries, according to present plans, although these are not completed sufficiently to enable us to give the names of the contestants. The smoker will be followed by a dance.

Ask Coolidge Support McNary - Haugen Bill

Delegation of Oregon Men Join Head of Wheat Growers in Visit to White House.

Portland, Feb. 6.—The outstanding developments in the progress of the Export Commission program during the past week were the appearance of General Manager George G. Jewett of the American Wheat Growers Association, before President Coolidge for the purpose of explaining the bill and seeking his support; Mr. Jewett's appearance before the Senate and House Committees on Agriculture, for the purpose of going over the details of the bill with these bodies; selection of additional delegates from the Northwest to go to Washington to work for the bill; the unqualified endorsement of the Oregon Agricultural College Economic Conference of the plan, and its endorsement by the Oregon Woolgrowers convention in session at Pendleton.

General Manager Jewett of the American Wheat Growers Association, accompanied by secretary of Agriculture, Wallace H. Herbert, before President Coolidge to explain the bill and seek his support. Mr. Jewett called the attention of President Coolidge to the fact that it was not an opportunity to borrow money that the wheat farmer needed, but rather a price for the product which he raised. Later these men also appeared before the Senate and House Committees on Agriculture at different times and carefully went over the bill with those bodies, explaining in detail just how operations would be carried on under the bill.

Local Trap Shooters Making Good Scores

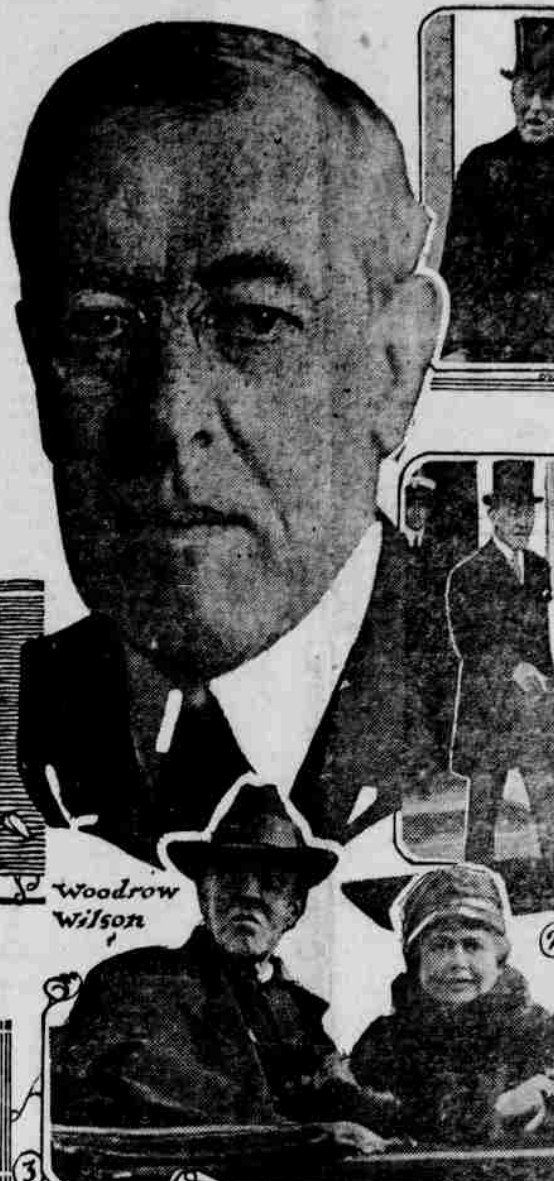
With the final wind-up of reorganization of the Heppner Rod and Gun Club, 22 local men have placed their names on the roster. Harry Duncan has been elected president of the club and Leonard Gilliam secretary-treasurer.

Anderson Announces Candidacy For Clerk

Gay M. Anderson, incumbent, announces that he will be a candidate for nomination for the office of county clerk in the republican primaries May 14. Mr. Anderson, who acted as deputy under J. A. Waters, and was appointed by the county court to fill out Mr. Waters unexpired term, is a young man of high qualifications. He first became connected with the office eight years ago, when he was named as deputy by J. A. Waters, who was then elected to the office for the first time. Since that time Mr. Anderson acted as deputy till his appointment as clerk.

Only two candidates so far have announced themselves for county of Dees. Besides Mr. Anderson for clerk G. A. Bleckman has announced himself as a candidate for judge in the republican primaries. Mr. Bleckman is well qualified for this position, having served as county commissioner and having been actively connected with the road building program of this county.

A Great American



America's War President, Woodrow Wilson, earned his place in history as a great American. These pictures show (big photo) as he looked during his second term of office just before sailing to Paris to help negotiate peace. No. 1, Woodrow Wilson on his 65th birthday, two years after retiring to private life; No. 2, Wilson back from Paris Peace Conference—himself taking the treaty to present to U. S. Congress; No. 3, Woodrow Wilson's first public appearance in Washington after being stricken down through overwork in concluding peace. Mrs. Wilson is with him.

Heppner Bows Head In Honor of Wilson

Heppner joins her fellow towns and cities of the United States in memorial services for the late Woodrow Wilson, this afternoon at 2:30 in the High School auditorium. For an hour her citizens drew their mental labor and pay their respects to the honored dead.

EMMA DEAN DICE

Was born at Winterset, Iowa, October 21, 1858, and died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. G. Crawford, in Joseph, Oregon, February 1, 1924, aged 65 years, 3 months and 11 days.

High School Classes Elect New Officers

Arion Literary Society initiated three new members last Friday. These were Muriel Carson, Marjorie Clark, and Kathleen Monahan. Worthiness on the part of the applicants had to be proved in various ways before the members were sworn in.

Class officers have been elected for the second semester by the Seniors, Sophomores and Freshmen. The officers of the Junior class are elected for the whole year.

HEPPNER TEAMS WIN FROM IONE

Boys Victorious 18-9, While Girls Take Game 19-15; Exhibition Fast and Clean

Retaliating defeat at the hands of Ione two weeks ago, Heppner high school boys won from their opponents on the home floor last Saturday night, 18-9. Heppner showed her stuff by allowing the visitors only one field basket, their remaining 7 points being made by free throws from the foul line. Heppner high school girls defeated Ione high school girls, 19-15, in a closely contested game preceding the boys' game.

Doherty, forward for Heppner boys, was high point man for his team as usual, making 9. Aiken was second with 6, while Devine scored 2 and Lee 1. For Ione boys Bristow, guard, scored the most points by converting 3 free throws. Colvin, forward, made the only field basket for his team, and Clarence Linn made two free throws. Mr. Lathram, principal of Pendleton high school, refereed the game, giving decisions satisfactory to all.

The boys' lineup: Heppner—15 Ione—9
Devine—RF Carl Linn
Doherty—LF Clarence Linn
Aiken—F Ray
Hall—RG Bristow
Moore—LG Barrett
Substitutions—Heppner: Lee for Devine, Devine for Lee, Cason for Moore, Ione: Colvin for Carl Linn.

Next Saturday evening Heppner high school boys play the Lexington boys in the new gymnasium at Lexington. This promises to be a red-hot game and a large turnout is expected. Heppner has lost but one league game to date, that to Ione, and Coach Mather says they are assured the right to play at the Wasco conference of the championship of this section. Should they win at this meeting they will be entitled to play for the state championship at Salem.

CECIL NEWS ITEMS

Mac Smith, our weather man, has been treating Cecil with heavy rains for four or five days and on the possibility of instant death at last has allowed the sun to shine brightly over Cecil at the time of writing, Feb. 2nd. Groundhog day at that; so prepare for future storms.

Hank Howell of Heppner arrived at the Shepherd's Rest on Monday and is ready for his "at home" day. Hank says a little more time and a little more elbow grease than things will shine at the Shepherd's Rest and all be in readiness for his visitors.

Clifford Henriksen of the Moore ranch near Heppner was calling on friends around Cecil on Wednesday on his return from Pendleton. Clifford was driving a fine new Star car which he had purchased while in Pendleton.

Willie Ahalt and Herman Havercoat who have been trapping for several months in the Shearer's Bridge district for several months, arrived in Cecil on Thursday and will assist during the lambing season at the Last Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hamilton and children who have been residing at the Poplars while the haybalers were being mined at Krebs may, removed to Ione on Friday, where John Partlow is now holding for L. McMurray.

Our mayor and his wife arrived at Butterby Flats from Pendleton on Thursday. The mayor holds his head a little higher since becoming one of the vice-presidents of the wool growers association.

Emy Greig, resident agent of the West Coast Life Insurance Co., accompanied by C. K. Langdon of Heppner, were business men in Cecil vicinity on Thursday.

We are glad to see Al Troedson of Grandview ranch out again after his recent illness. Al and his friend Ben Hogan of Bradecrest were calling in Cecil on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cline and son and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Noble of Rhea Sliding were Lexington visitors on Monday evening during the Ku Klux Klan display.

Several car loads of hay which had been hauled at the Last Camp for J. C. Ballenger of Boardman were shipped to San Francisco on Saturday.

Mrs. Hazel Logan returned to her home in Four Mile on Sunday after visiting friends in Ione for a short time.

Peter Farley of Heppner, who has sheep wintering near the Willows, was doing business in Cecil on Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Chandler of Willow Creek ranch was visiting with Mrs. Jack Hynd at Butterby Flats on Friday.

J. C. Ballenger and E. Warner of Boardman made a short stay in Cecil on Sunday before leaving for Ione.

Mrs. Karl Erazavoth and children of Rhea Sliding were calling on Cecil friends on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Buchanan of Ione was visiting at the home of Leon Logan on Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Annie C. Hynd and Myrtle, Laura and Grace Chandler were calling in Cecil on Friday.

This Week



If Teddy Were Here. Money in Satchels. Evolution—Embryology. Lenin's Good Brain. The Wise British.

Can you imagine what Theodore Roosevelt would be doing about now if that Teapot Dome scandal were uncovered in his administration? He would have all the liberal grocers of cash before him, he personally, inspecting their satchels.

He would have a battletion on its way to France to bring back Sinclair if the law would let him, and whether it would or not. His teeth would be snapping and his hair bristling. There would be real fireworks, and how he would enjoy it.

And Mr. Fall, Secretary of the Interior, who's least way valuable lands that had been reserved for the navy, testified that he got \$100,000 from Mr. Ned McLean of the Washington Post. Then, on second thoughts he testified, as did Mr. McLean, that the latter gave him a check for \$100,000, but he didn't cash it.

Now comes Mr. Doheny, one of the ablest business men of the country, who testified that he lent his old friend Mr. Fall \$100,000 which he gave in cash in a suit case, and Sinclair, lent, or gave, Mr. Fall \$140,000, some in bonds. "Easy money?" Yes, very.

Mr. Fall says, "I am a sick man." That isn't because he couldn't hire a doctor, apparently.

One hundred thousand dollars in cash in a satchel that Mr. Doheny lent to Mr. Fall without taking his note or receipt had nothing whatever to do with the fact that a few weeks later Mr. Fall, as Secretary of the Interior, member of President Harding's Cabinet, leased 20,000 acres of all lands in California to Mr. Doheny.

Mr. Doheny says he believes the company will make one hundred million dollars of profit out of that lease, which shows that he is a good business man. The next time the United States needs a Secretary of the Interior it might hire Mr. Doheny. He knows how to make a good bargain; more than can be said for some of our Secretaries of the Interior.

North Carolina forbids teaching in public schools "any form of evolution which makes it appear that man descends from any of the lower order of animals, monkeys or anything else."

The North Carolina authorities should also forbid study of embryology. It is discouraging to find, in embryonic conditions, that human beings in the period before birth, pass through various animal stages, duplicating practically all of them, from the single cell up to the fully developed "primate."

At one stage of his development before birth every man has two feet like a gorilla. Sometimes one of the feet does not develop, and the man is born with one gorilla foot, which we call a "club foot."

That can easily be arranged by forbidding the teachers to say anything about embryology. If you don't like facts, why, smother them.

Doctor Semashko announces that Lenin's brain weighed 1340 grams; not an unusual weight. The brain of Turgeneff weighed 2,000 grams. That of the great naturalist Cuvier was even heavier. But the convolutions in Lenin's brain were extraordinarily deep. That is what counts.

The deeper the convolutions the larger the surface of the brain, and all thinking is done close to the brain's surface, just as all crops are raised close to the earth's surface.

It is in the depth of the earth, doubtless, as in the depth of the earth, are hidden great treasures not yet developed.

Surprising to Americans that do not know the English is the fact that Englishmen of high rank and most conservative traditions consent to join the Labor Government.

You could not imagine any of our powerful reactionaries joining a cabinet with a union labor man at its head. Britain has statesmen, used to changes, asking only, "How can I render service to the Empire?"

It is announced that President Coolidge will veto any tax bill carrying a higher surtax than 25 per cent.

In time of war any tax is just. When Government says to the poor man, "I will take your life for a dollar a day," and takes it, it may well say to the rich man, "I will take half or three-quarters your income."

But the war is over. Excessive taxation discourages new enterprises that employ new labor and develop new wealth.

If this country knew as much about collecting taxes as they know in England, a twenty-five per cent surtax on the biggest incomes would produce an amount of money that even our excellent spenders couldn't spend.

MAKE VISIT TO KENNEWICK. Roger W. Morse, county agent, accompanied by H. W. Grimm and C. E. Glasgow of Irrigon, were at Kennewick, Wash., Monday and Tuesday. They were inspecting the workings of an organization there which handles the marketing of strawberries and asparagus for the growers of that section. They were especially interested in their accounting and pre-cooling systems. The Irrigon Melon Growers association is considering the installation of a pre-cooling system for the handling of their melons.

WHEAT MEN MEET AT LEXINGTON SATURDAY

Organization of Export Commission League Is Feature.

LARGE SIGN-UP HERE

Temporary Officers Elected at Heppner Last Week; Lexington Meeting Holds Much of Interest.

With a sign-up of 93 members in Heppner, a temporary organization of the Morrow County Export Commission League was formed at Odd Fellows hall in this city Saturday afternoon. Other sign-ups are being made at Ione and Lexington and the final organization will take place at the farmers' meeting at Lexington next Saturday.

Not a turn-down was given the local committee in their solicitation Friday afternoon and Saturday morning, which they believe is a good criterion that the organization will get over strong in this county. Ralph Benge was elected president of the temporary organization, W. O. Hill vice-president, and Chas. B. Cox, secretary-treasurer.

Completion of organization of the Morrow County Export Commission League will be the main feature of the Lexington meeting, Saturday. Men who had part in the state organization will be there to help, chief of whom is S. K. Thompson of Portland, president of the Oregon Export Commission League. The meeting will convene at 10 a. m. in the high school auditorium, and will last until 4 in the afternoon, with time off to noon to partake of the sumptuous dinner served by the Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational church at 50 cents a plate.

Other matters of vital interest to the farmers of Morrow county will be taken up as well. E. B. Jackman, extension specialist from Oregon Agricultural college, will explain the general wheat situation. Those who heard Mr. Jackman in Heppner at the Farm Bureau meeting last month say he is mighty well posted and that it will be of benefit to every farmer to hear him. D. E. Stephens, superintendent of the Moro Experiment station, will also have some meaty thoughts for our farmers to digest on economical wheat production. Mr. Stephens has made a close study of this topic in Morrow county, and wishes to say he will be exactly appropos to the local situation. There will also be present a representative of the Oregon Grain Growers' Inc., who will have a message in regard to how this organization is trying to get the farmer just return for his wheat.

Committees will be appointed to take care of the work of the meeting. A committee on resolutions will present many measures for the meeting to vote upon, and a committee on labor will frame a document regarding hiring and paying of farm labor during the coming season.

A short musical program is also being arranged as a diversion from the business sessions. Among those taking part will be Dan Lindsey and Harvey Miller with vocal solos, and the Turner-White orchestra.

Roger W. Morse, county agent, declares this meeting to be of very great importance to the wheat farmers of Morrow county and urges that they turn out in force.

High School Presents "Clarence" Feb. 20th

Heppner High school will present "Clarence," Booth Tarkington's master comedy, as their leading play of the year at the Star Theater, February 20. The students have been working on the play for some time and I. A. Mather, principal and play coach, announces that by the time of presentation they will have it down "pat."

"Clarence" has made a big hit wherever presented. Its heart-felt comedy situations, being irresistible to any red-blooded American. Clarence was a mule-driver in the army, and before that a "bug specialist." However, when he got back to his "civies" after the armistice he proved himself capable of mastering several unpromising situations, entirely foreign to either of his previous occupations.

Did you ever hear of a fellow who could skin mules without swearing? Clarence did. See him at the Star theater, February 20.

HARDMAN NEWS ITEMS.

Friday evening, Feb. 1, Lexington basketball team played Hardman at the Hardman floor. At the end of the first half the score was 14 to 5 in Hardman's favor. The score at the end of the game stood 22 to 10 in Hardman's favor. The game was Hardman's from the beginning. They were too fast for Lexington.

The line-up was as follows: Lexington 18 — Hardman 22
Nichols — RF Dale Bleckman
Carmichael — LF Percy Bleckman
Morley — C — Adams
McMillan — LU — Howell
Wright — RG — Williamson
Sub — Shearer for Carmichael.

The girls' teams also played. The score at the end of the game stood 18 to 8 in Lexington's favor.

The line-up was: Lexington 18 — Hardman 8
Tucker — EF — Sailing
Palmer — LF — Akers
Palmer — JC — Keithley
Wright — RG — H. McDonald
Padgett — RC — E. Akers
Tucker — LG — E. McDonald

MASONS ATTENTION.

A special communication of Heppner Lodge No. 69 will be held in Mammie ball Saturday evening, February 9th. There will be work in the F. C. degree, and a good attendance of the members is requested. By order of the W. M. L. W. BRIGGS, Secretary.

Texas People Invest in Morrow County Land

Clyde Wells, of the realty firm of Keithley & Wells of Pendleton, consummated a deal in Heppner Tuesday, whereby Mrs. L. E. Glanstein and son John Olstein of Texas become the owners of the Wm. Stewart farm, south of Heppner. The Stewart farm consists of 300 acres, and the Texas people take immediate possession. Amount of consideration was not learned.

WILLING WORKERS MEET.

The Willing Workers of the Christian church will meet in the church tomorrow (Friday) at 2:30 o'clock. Don't overlook this announcement.