EARL WIGLESWORTH SUICIDE AT MORGAN

Despondency Said to Be Cause of Young Man Taking Life.

IN COUNTY ON VISIT

Had Arrived at Pettyjohn Ranch the Day Previous; Funeral Today Near Old Butter Creek Home.

Earl Wiglesworth, who for many years was engaged in sheep raising and ranching on Butter creek, fatally shot himself at the home of Fay Pettyjohn, his brother-in-law at Morgan early Tuesday morning. He used a 32-calibre revolver and the shot from the gun entered the right temple, passing directly through his head and coming out on the left side. Death was not instantaneous, but he lingered until late in the evening, expiring about 12 hours after the shooting.

The motive for the act is not clearly stablished, but is thought by relatives to be the result of dexpondency the revolver and deapondency in the shot of the detectional advantages of the decational advantages of the decations to the town to take advantage of the decational advantages of the decations at the top to the town to take advantage of the decations to the town to take advantage of the decations to the town to take advantage of the decations to the town to take advantage of the decations to the town to take advantage of the decations to the town to take advantage of the decations to the town to take advantage of the decations to the decations to the town to ta

ly established, but is thought by rela-tives to be the result of despondency over financial matters. His bank tives to be the result of despondency over financial matters. His bank book showed him to have a balance of just one cent in the bank, and in his pocketbook there was three pennies. Mr. Wiglesworth met with financial reverses following the deflation after the war and was not able to cope with the losses he sustained. The lands he owned on Butter creek were taken for debts and he left this county and went to The Dalles, getting a small place on Mill creek. With his family he came to Morgan on Monday

D. A. Watson, who has been taking the control of the came to Morgan on Monday.

Pass into New Hands

ferry across the Columbia from Boul-der, Oregon, to Alderdale, Wash, has been effected, A. B. Strait disposing of what interests he had in the ferry to Messrs, Smith and Hogue of Stevenson, Wash. These gentlemen have been here for a couple of days conferring with the county court, being accompanied by Wm. Warner of Al-derdale, merchant at that place, who has always taken quite an interest in the Boulder ferry, and took steps to have the franchise of Mr. Strait cancelled. They made a successful deal with Mr. Strait, who consented to the cancellation of his franchise and today our county court granted a franchise to Smith and Hogue, who will soon have a new boat in operation across the river, Mr. Hogue will have charge of the ferry and considerable improvement will be made in the approaches to the ferry on both the north and south sides of the river, and from new on the traveling public can be assured that they can get over the river at Boul-

Mr. Warner, who is in touch with the situation, believes that ultimately this ferry will be on the line of a highway reaching from the British Columbia line through Central Washington and Central Oregon to Cal-ifornia. For this reason he is anx-ious that the connection from Hepp-ner to Spray with the John Day highway be made, and hopes that the time is not far off when this can be done. is not far off when this can be done. He says our people will soon hear more about this north and south road through Washington and its bearing

Absolutely.

cup and I'm making every last one international polo matches on Long of them use it."

SCHOOL TO OPEN HERE ON MONDAY

All In Readiness for Beginning of Year's Work; Full Corps of Teachers on Hand.

Heppner schools will open on Mon Heppher scaoois will open on Mon-day, everything being in readiness for this important event. For the past month Janitor Driscoll and his force have been celaning up the build-ing and premises and all is in ship shape for the reception of teachers and pupils.

The school will be in charge of

from the high school last year are preparing to enter higher institu-tions of learning, some going to U. of O. and O. A. C. while others are

a small place on Mill creek. With his family be came to Morgan on Monday and was visiting at the home of Mr. in Heppner for the past four months.



Doctor: "Are you sure you are especially eareful to keep this disease from spreading to your other children?"

Mrs. Blank: "Oh, yes, indeed, doctor. I bought a sanitary drinking and I'm making every last one of the control of the c

GOOD PRODUCERS

Federation Twins Lead In **Eight Mile Nursery** Check Up.

D. E. STEPHENS.

To get accurate and reliable infor-

(Acre yields in bushels of the

eti	ies grown in the n	
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Ra	nk Variety	Acre yields in bushels,
1	White Turkey 58	96-3-6 21
	Pacific Bluestem	
	White Odessa 468	
	Triplet	
5	Brown Glume Tri	plet No. 4 21.
	Hybrid 128	
	Jenkin	
	Martin	
9	Khrakov	19.0
10	Monida	18.5

Eight Mile nur Rank Variety 3 Triplet

3 Triplet

4 Pacific Bluestem

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5 Onas
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6 Red Chaff
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7 Hybrid 128
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8 Mosida
36.3
9 Kanred
37.4
10 Canberra
32.6
In most sections of Eastern Oregon it is not considered good practice to sow spring wheat in the fall. There appear to be a few exceptions to this rule, however, and it seems that some localities in Morrow county are included in these exceptions. With the yields about equal, a good winter wheat is much preferred over a spring variety for fall sowing, because of less danger of yields being reduced by winter killing or late spring frosts. In some localities in the Pacific Northwest, Bluestem, Jenkin and Red Chaff have been for many years grown for fall sowing. Results obtained in parts of Umatilis.

(Continued on Page Four.)

THE BEST OF FRIENDS MUST PART

D. A. Watson, who has been taking the paperently went to his car, where he had the guart Testady made and was visiting at the home of Mr. Pretydohn.

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honeymoon trip to Crater Lake and expect to arrive here the end of the week. The will make their home on the Miller farm northeast of Lexington.

R. F. Wiglesworth and wife, father and mother of Earl Wiglesworth, were called to Heppner from their home near Oregon City by the tragic death of their son. Mr. Wiglesworth was formerly extensively engaged in stock raising on Butter creek in this county.

The Prince is Here

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Triplet, In addition to having brown on half it has a shorter straw and a much arrive here the end of the much and nuch arrive here weeken which probably cut down the yields on most of the true winter wheats. In the lone nurset here willing of these varieties, but due to their earliness, they were into the probably of the same particularly no winter willing of these varieties, but due to their earliness, they were into the probably will be per acre.

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The Eight Mile Nursery was the apparent superiority of Federation and the high yield obtained at the Eight Mile nursery was the apparent superiority of Federation and the high yield obtained from a number of fall-sown spring wheat varieties. Of the ten highest yielding wheats, six were spring varieties. The four winter wheats were Triplet, which ranked eighth and Kanred which ranked eighth and k

eighth and Kanred which ranked ninth.

(Acre yield in bushels of the highest yielding winter wheats in the Eight Mile nursery.)

Rank Variety Acre yield in bushels.

1 Federation 46.8

2 Major 41.8

DAGGETT-CAMPBELL.

At the home of the bride's mother in Portland at 8:00 o'clock p. m., Monday, September 1st, occurred the marriage of Miss Wanda Daggett to Mr. Arthur Campbell of Heppner, Rev. Bowman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Portland, performing the ceremony in the presence of a large eathering of friends and 40.8 of a large gathering of friends and relatives. Miss Mary Clark of Hepp-

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS No Open Season On

A. B. Strait and wife came to Heppner on Wednesday evening, Mr. Strait being interested in the proceedings concerning the ferry at Boulder. He has been residing for several months at Tacoma where he several months at Jacoma where he had work, having been compelled to close down the ferry until such time as he could comply with the govern-ment regulations. The boat that Mr. Strait was using required him to em-ploy at least three men in its oper-ation and it did not nay to do this. ation, and it did not pay to do this, so according to his statement he tied up the boat and was out to get mon-ey to build a smaller craft that could be operated at less expense. In the meantime other parties are seeking to get a franchise for the operation of the ferry at this point.

PARK YOUR

lieppner nimrods were out in force Monday to get their work in on deer herds at the very beginning the open season. The very dry other, however, seemed to work in

Miss Alma Devin, cashier for the dephone company, departed this straing on her vacation. At Bridal ell she expects to Jein Miss Neva Hayes and the young ladies will visit different points of interest while va-

Mrs. W. A. Righardson was a pass nger out for Pendleton this mornng. At that point she will join Mrs Josie Jones on a trip to Spokane, and other points in Eastern Washington for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ball and Mr. and

There will be services at the Epiopal church in this city at 11:00 clock a. m. next Sunday, Archdeacon

FOR CHRISTMAS - Start your

Christmas gifts early. New line of art goods at the Needlecraft Shop; also D. M. C. threads.

Agnes Ayers and Jack Holt in THE MARRIAGE MAKER and Ben Turpin "The Pitfalls of a Big City," STAR THEATER, tonight.

For Rent-Three rooms and bath urnished or partly furnished; one lock east of postoffice. Nettie Flower House to Rent-7 rooms with bath;

ill rent either furnished or unfur nished. Inquire this office. Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Farrior departed for Portland on Wednesday for short sojourn in the city.

Styles in Millinery and Ready-to-Wear. Mrs. L. G. Herren.

declare an open season on such game as in their discretion seemed to be plentiful enough to demand it, and in line with this policy, Morrow county sportsmen have been granted a short time in which to shoot Chinese pheasants. This game has become quite plentiful here and is multiplying rapidly, and it was anticipated that much good shooting could be induged in at the usual time this fall. This, however, cannot be, according to the following ruling received the first of following ruling received the first of the week by Deputy Warden Albee of this city, who will be compelled to act

accordingly: wenther, however, seemed to work in favor of the deer, and so far as we have learned Willard Hrren was the only Heppner hunter who succeeded in getting a buck of those going out from town. All the hunters, however, were not out for deer, and quite a number were successful in bagging their limit of mountain pheasants.

John Spencer returned Thursday from Hot Lake, He has recovered from the effects of his recent operation so as to be able to get about, although still very weak. Mr. Spencer was operated on for atomach trouble three weeks ago.—Echo News.

Miss Alina Devin, cashier for the

This shuts out any shooting of Chinese Pheasants in Morrow county, though there is an abundance of the game here now and the birds should be thinned out. Sportamen interested will have to move to get the law in this connection amended at the coming session of the legislature, as the Attorney General is holding to the provisions of the game law of the provisions of the game law of the provision for declaring an open season on the Chinese Pheasants in this county, and ness Pheasants in this county and ness Pheasants in this cou

Rev. F. R. Spaulding, who has been paster of the Methodist community

Goldie being here at that time.

Elizabeth Phelps will organize sussess music class September 1st for the coming term. See or phone her at the rhome. Phone Main 775.

FOR CHRISTMAS — Start your pastor of the Methodist community of the church in this city during the past of the church in this city during the past of the church in this city during the past of the church on Sunday. A business meeting of the church was held on Tueston the work of the church was held on Tueston the work of the church was held on Tueston the work of the Methodist community whose place will not be easy to fill. May success attend Mr. Livingstone in his new field.

Mr. Bleakman Appointed by a dinner and good social time.

Mr. Spaulding and wife expect to leave Heppner the coming week, going to Medford to attend conference. The pulpit will be filled by appoint-ence, but wherever he goes the large circle of friends he has made since coming to Heppner will wish him abundant success.

MAY DRILL FOR OIL.

Morrow county people north of Lexington are becoming interested in oil prospects there. It is reported that thousands of acres of land are being leased to the Portland syndi-cate, which will drill for oil near Well Springs, 8 miles north of Lexington. John Louy, a Morrow county farmer is said to be interested in

People of Eight Mile in this county are also talking and thinking oil. Years ago it was believed that oil might be found there, and of late the Opening Saturday, Sept. 6th, Fall of Justice Cornett Tuesday they entered a plea of not guilty and will have a hearing on the charges later.

J. F. Doos, pioneer stockman of most be strange if the theory were tested out soon.—Condon Globellate the world will we hearing on the charges later.

Dry Treatment Is Best According to Experts

O. A. C. Expert Says Virtue of Copper Carbonate Proven; Gives Rules for Using Machines.

R. W. MORSE.

Up until the past year the use of copper carbonate and the control of wheat smut has been considered more or less of an experiment. Upon consideration of the results obtained in Oregon, Washington, and California for the past four years it has befor the past four years it has become definitely decided by agriculturists and farmers that this method is
beyond the experimental stage. A
few timely observations on methods
of treatment for wheat smut are not
out of place. No treatment imprepout or place. No treatment improperly used, controls smut effectively. This means good material improperly applied. Many farmers are using home-made treating machines. If these machines thoroughly coat the seed with copper carbonate dust, they are as effective as the commercial machines. Suggestions made by Pro-

these machines thoroughly coat the seed with copper carbonate dust, they are as effective as the commercial machines. Suggestions made by Professor Hyslop of Corvallis regarding the use of treating machines follows:

1. Some folks run the treating machine so fast (too many revolutions per minute) that the grain is held to the outside of the drum by centrifugal force and does not tumble over the baffle boards and properly mix. It is necessary, therefore, to run these machines at the prescribed speed.

Steel common above 110, corn worth more than \$1 a bushel on the

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Rev. W. O. Livingstone, who has been pastor of the Christian church
"There shall be no open season on of this city for nearly four and a half ber 10, both dates inclusive. Bag limit, in Hood River and Wasco counties, same as for other counties in Game District No. 2 where there is an open season."

This shuts out any shooting of Children and the community has felt the benefit of his labors along meral and religious lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ball and Mr. and Mrs. Over Rasmus returned from scale man Springs on Wednesday. Taking advantage of the open season for deer, Mr. Ball was successful in landing a buck.

Eddie Chidsey and other members of the state engineers office have been located at Heppner to take up some work here. They have opened effices in the law, the first officially provided for in the law, regardless of what the existing conditions as to the abundance of the state engineers office have been located at Heppner to take up some work here. They have opened effices in the law, the first open season on the Chid declaring an open season on the Chid direction of the pastor with the hear ty cooperation of church and pastor with the hear two childrens aged exern and with the same added to the community as building that it is proud of and a workshop that the church itself will use and appreciate more fullly as the years go by. Mr. Livingatone had to him much credit is due. Many others will also remember for years the good work he has done in connection with the Boy Scout troop and these two childrens aged exern and ty cooperation of church and pastor with the hear two childrens aged exern and ty cooperation of church and pastor with the hear two childrens aged exern and works found heeding to death by her own husband when he returned to their lonely, isolated farm from "a visit to the city."

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Mr. Bleakman Appointed

pointed a member of the court to fill the place made vacant by the realignation of R. L. Benge. A very strong petition, containing signers from practically all parts of the county was presented on behalf of Mr. Rleakman, and he was the only applicant for the appointment that was before the court. Talk of other men was made, and it had been expected that a few names would be presented, but the court. o others appeared.

Mr. Bleakman is not without ex erience on the county court, having erved a full term as county commissioner, and there is no doubt but that his appointment at this time is one of the best that could have been made. Mr. Bleakman will serve until the first of the year, unless the decision of the voters this fall shall have made it necessary for him to go on for enother four years.

Room for rent, with or without brown horse, branded r board; also steady boarders wanted.

Mrs. Duncan, Gliman building. It. Peoples Hardware Co.

This Week By Arthur Brisbe

Bull Markets. Future Transportation. The Dawes Plan. Of What Would You Think?

"Wheat prices jump in wild bull

That headline was predicted in

What books would you take to a desert island?

desert island?

What would you do if you knew you had only one more year to live?

What would you do if you had twenty million dollars? Helen Stein.

of a precipice? Would you review your sins and mistakes, vowing better conduct, if spared, or would you just HANG OVER THE PRECIPICE? We are all hanging over the edge

Reading about that may by comparison comfort some who think they have serious troubles.

FOREST FIRE ON RHEA CREEK.

A forest fire at the head of Rhea creek had burned over about three hundred acres on Tuesday, according By action of Judge Campbell and Commissioner Davidson yesterday.

G. A. Bleskman of Hardman was appointed a member of the court to fill the place made. son was in, the fire was out of con-trol and threatened to become very bad. According to reports reaching town on Wednesday, however, it was under control and no further danger of its spreading was anticipated. The aummer has been a very dry one in the timber but Morrow county has been quite fortunate in passing the

MASONS ATTENTION.

A regular meeting of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., will be held Saturday evening, Sep-tember 6; work in the M. M. degree. Visiting brethren wolcome. By order of the W. M. L. W. BRIGGS, Secretary.

STRAYED - From Barney Ward's pnature, one bay mare, branded cir-cle D on right hip, with hay colt; brown horse, branded reverse F. Fin-der notify The Gazette-Times or