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ANNUAL CONVENTION OF REBECCA LODGES

MEEVING AT HEPPNER WELL ATTENDED

Bunch Grass Rebecca Lodge Degree Staff Confers Degree

The annual convention of Morrow County Rebecca Lodges which met in I. O. O. F. hall, at Heppner last Saturday was largely attended, every lodge in the county being represented. Those in attendance from Ione numbered 42 and the total attendance of members and friends at the evening session was above 250.

Brother and Sister Whetstone of Pendleton were in attendance, Sister Whetstone being Past President of Rebecca Assembly of Oregon.

A literary and musical programme arranged by San Souci Lodge proved a rare treat.

The next convention will be held at Hardman.

The officers for the coming year are Mrs. Knighton of Mistletoe Lodge, President Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Turner of San Souci, Vice President, Mrs. Lillie Morgan, of Sapphire Lodge Morgan.

At the evening session of the assembly some time was devoted to the reading of a series of

B. P. O. E. ATTENTION

Ball and Banquet At Condon

Preparation have been made to send a large number of cars to Condon, Saturday, carrying Elks to the ball and banquet given by the Grant, Wheeler, and Gilliam county Elks. It is planned to have Heppner cars come in a body to Ione, where they will be joined by the Ione Elks and proceed to Olex, where the Arlington Elks will join the caravan and go to Condon in full force. All Elks and their ladies are urged to join the crowd.

An extension to the chimney of the Congregational church was made Wednesday of this week, bringing it two feet above the ridge of the roof.

Mr. Chas. Allinger did the work, assisted by Mr. Paul Balsiger.

questions relating to Lodge procedure, their discussion and answer.

At this hour also the Degree Staff of Bunch Grass Rebecca Lodge conferred the degree in a most impressive manner. Reports of the committees on thanks and resolutions were presented and adopted. Sister Whetstone gave a brief address in which she congratulated the lodges on their splendid exemplification of lodge spirit and procedure.

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A DAUGHTER'S HOME-COMING

The home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lindstrom of Morgan was the scene last Friday evening of an unusually happy gathering of friends from the surrounding countryside. The event was in celebration of the homecoming of their daughter Gussie and husband; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crutcher of Portland. Gussie is one of the fairest of our native born daughters and neighbors vied with each other in greeting her estimable young husband, who were married in Portland at last Christmas time; this being their first trip home to receive both their parents' and their neighbors' blessing.

In spite of the strenuous condition of farm work the turn out of neighbors was a housefull and guests stayed until a late hour engaged in social converse, games and in the enjoyment of a bounteous repast spread by, mine host and lady.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Lindstrom and family and Mr. and Mrs. Crutcher the following families, as nearly as the scribe can recall, were present in force: Johann Troedson, Al Troedson, Crabtree, Stender, Misner, Morgan, Harbison, Ely, Palmateer, Markin, Turner and Baurenfeind.

After a week at home the young couple returned to Portland last Sunday, where Mr. Crutcher is engaged in business.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Herman Haverkost, who has been working for Carl Farnsworth was so unfortunate as to have a horse step on one of his feet and he is now going about on crutches.

The ladies of the Dorcas Society of the Congregational church gave a St. Patrick's Day Tea Thursday afternoon of this week.

A short literary and musical programme was rendered.

Fresh milk cows for sale. Cecil C. Sargent.

Mr. J. W. Stringer was a business visitor in Ione on Monday of this week.

Werdel Balsiger is at home for the spring vacation.

Let us whisper to you that its the "Earliest Bird" that gets the "Worm." Why not let this bird be you? From this notice until the next issue of this paper we will sell to the earliest bird, one cord, 16 inch slabwood, price \$7.00, cash.

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Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Bergen Leadbetter March 16, a ten pound daughter. Mother and child doing well.

Word reaches us that equipment for gas-drilling operations to be conducted in this vicinity by the Ione Gas Co. will be on the way on the 20th instant.

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BERT MASON

ZINK PLACE CHANGES HANDS

A. B. Montgomery and J. E. Montgomery both of Portland have about finished seeding the Zink place north of Ione for which they traded recently; the deal being arranged through the Realty Office of Hap Wood.

In the deal Mr. Zink took an irrigated tract in southern Idaho of which he takes immediate possession.

Chas. Chick and Robert Cummins of Portland were in Ione last Friday and Saturday visiting friends.

The C.E. Soc. of the Christian Church will hold a food sale on in the M. Murray building Saturday, March twentyfirst.

The Ladies of the Christian Church will hold a food sale in the Mc Murray building, Saturday, March the twentyeighth.

Now booking orders for day old chicks. Terms one-half cash with order, 12, 14, 16 cents each. When eggs are furnished will run 144 egg capacity for \$6.00 cash when set.

Willow Creek Poultry Farm. Morgan, Oregon.

The ladies of the Dorcas Society of the Congregational church are planning an Easter sale for Monday, the fourth of April.

The high school class in Bible study met this week, Wednesday afternoon in the parlors of the parlor of the Congregational church.

H. S. BASEBALL BEGINS NEXT WEEK

FIRST GAMES AT LEXINGTON AND IONE

Schedule of twelve games to run from March 28 to May 2

Ione plays the first league base ball game here, with Heppner Mar. 28. The league has been divided into two districts again this year with Heppner, Hardman, Lexington, and Ione in the upper district and Fossil, Condon, Arlington and Boardman in the lower district. The winners of the districts will play each other for the championship of the league. The schedule is as follows:

March 28 Heppner at Ione, Hardman at Lexington; April 4 Heppner at Lexington, Hardman at Ione; April 11 Ione at Heppner, Lexington at Hardman; April 18 Hardman at Heppner, Lexington at Ione, April 25 Ione at Hardman, Lexington at Heppner; May 2 Heppner at Hardman Ione at Lexington.

Doris Parker of North Powder is the winner of the Edison Marshall short story prize of \$50. Miss Parker is a senior at the State University. The title of the story is "a Problem in Matches."

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