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## IONE SCHOOLS OPEN NEXT MONDAY MORN SEVEN BUSES WILL BRING CHILDREN IN

School in Ione will open September 8, and for another nine months the interest of the community will center around school activities. The instruction staff is complete and is as follows: Miss Maude Knight first and second; Miss Hildegard Williams third and fourth; Miss Geneva Pelky fifth and sixth; and Mrs. Harriet Brown seventh and eighth. Miss Pelky is the only new teacher in our grades. She taught last year in Rocky Bluff school. The high school will have all new instructors, Gorge Tucker who was head of the Lexington school last year, will be principal. The other are L. N. Riggs of Portland who is a graduate of Oregon State College. Miss Florence Emmons of Salem, who is a Willamette University graduate and Miss Dolores Leavens of Portland a graduate of the University of Oregon.

Considerable cleaning and repair work has been done on the school property, and every thing is in readiness for a successful year's work. Seven buses will transport pupils the drivers of four of these being hired by the Ione district.

### THE WHEAT MARKET

Wheat sold in Ione last week for sixty five cents a bushel. One farmer who has lived here for twenty seven years stated that he had sold wheat for prices ranging from 44 cents to \$3.00 per bushel. A business man who has been in Morrow county for forty years says that at one time he sold wheat for 19 cents a bushel. He also stated that when he had to sell wheat for that price he quit farming and sought another means of making a living. Those competent to judge tell us that although the price is low the yield this year is above the average and the quality very good.

## PREPAREDNESS IN BUSINESS

By R. S. HECHT,  
American Bankers Association.  
My observations for many years, both as an employee and as an executive, have convinced me that the reason some men and women go ahead and others do not is that some keep themselves constantly prepared to accept and fulfill larger duties and responsibilities as they offer, and some do not.  
Grant, as we must, that there is a certain element of luck in the conditions under which opportunity for promotion comes to different men and women, we nevertheless must also see that it is each individual's own state of preparedness which determines his ability to seize opportunity if and when it comes, and having seized it, to succeed in meeting the greater demands which it inevitably places upon

Real advancement never means going ahead to easier tasks, but always to harder ones. Opportunity for advancement is worthless unless in accepting it you are able to carry with you the abilities and qualifications that prepare you to meet the heavier exactions that are an inherent part of opportunity.

It is far better to go into action in the field of enlarged responsibility prepared and qualified, rather than that you and the institution you work for shall be exposed to the hazard of your having to build up to new responsibilities after having assumed them.

The new spirit of all business seeks to prepare its people in advance through education for the higher duties it holds in store for them.

### Picturesque Rail Line

The Pausanoposa railroad line, which was opened in 1928, connects France with Spain through the Pyrenees mountains. The tracks are laid through the most picturesque part of the mountains, reaching an altitude of 3,600 feet in some places. At Frankfort a tunnel connects France and Spain.

## Personal Mention

George Gross and family are leaving to seek a new location. Mr. Gross has been in the employ of Dwight Misner.

Charley and Lorene Griffin of Yakima arrived in town recently. They will make their home here with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Botts, and attend the Ione school.

Fred Griffin has rented Seymour Wilson ranch of Willow Creek, farmed the last two years by Harlan McCurdy. Mr. McCurdy is moving his family into Ione. They have rooms at the Harris apartments.

Mrs. S. E. Moore returned home Wednesday after spending several weeks with her daughter Mrs. Wrex Hickok, in Portland.

Miss Lillie Allinger reached home Wednesday after a delightful two months spent in Europe.

Mrs. Ernest Shipley is doing the book in the J. E. Swanson office.

A great many of our people attended the Round Up and all reported big and better than ever. Mrs. John Williams and two grandchildren were out going passengers on the stage one day last week. The grandchildren had been with Mrs. Williams for six weeks and she was accompanying them to their home in Portland.

W. L. Taylor of Pendleton was calling on old friends here on Wednesday of last week.

Ike Howard and son, of Newberg, were business visitors in Ione and Heppner the middle of last week.

Clara and Gladys Brashers spent their vacation at Hood River and White Salmon.

Mrs. Ruby O. Roberts and Mrs. Victor Rietmann were vacationing in Seattle. Mrs. Earl Blake was postmistress while Mrs. Roberts was away.

No Affinity With Vice  
Prudence is a quality incompatible with vice, and can never be effectively enlisted in its cause.—Burke.

Known as the stage Yankee,  
work to introduce the character since  
American play to achieve a box office  
triumph, acted in 1875, was the first  
Royal Theater's comedy, "The Con-  
Pioneer Stage Production

Quail's Span of Life  
Observations have seldom been made as to how long a quail has been known to live. One case is recorded, however, in which a quail with a leg band bearing the date of 1901 was shot in 1919. It then weighed 16 ounces on the druggist's scales.

Almond Paste in Demand  
It is estimated that from 6,000,000 to 7,000,000 pounds of almond paste are consumed in this country annually, most of which is manufactured by large confection manufacturers and sold to bakers for making cakes and macaroons.

Rabbit's Many Colors  
The snowshoe rabbit, white in the winter time, has four different colors. If its hair is examined closely, the tip of the hair is white. Below is a brown layer, which in turn gives way to a tawny shade, while at the base the hair is blue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hale and daughter Miriam drove to Hermiston on Wednesday of last week to have dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mason and Junior took advantage of the holiday Monday. They motored to Vale Sunday going by way of John Day and Prairie City. They spent Sunday night with Dr. and C. R. Walker, and returned Monday by way of Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ayes and daughter, Beulah, left last week for Newberg. They have been spending the summer in Ione.

Mrs. Blanch Henkel who visited for some time with her brother, Glen Drake, and other relative here, departed last week for Salem, where she visited briefly before taking up her work as teacher in Grant's Pass high school. Mrs. Helkel's home is in San Francisco.

Charley Hudson who has been here for some time superintendent of the harvesting of his wheat has gone to Montana where he also owns land.

Mrs. Volne Ray and arrived Thursday of last week. She plans on spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. Jourdan.

Frank Wilson who has been looking after interests here, has returned to his home in California.

A good sized crowd greeted the Ethiopian Knight at the Legeon Hall on last Thursday night and all those present enjoyed their two hours entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cotter are salmon fishing on the Deschutes.

An eight and one half pound daughter was born Monday, September 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Edison Morgan. The mother and baby are in the Heppner hospital.

C. J. Bailenger of the Dalles visited our valley last week and was offering ten dollars a ton for alfalfa hay in the stack.

Mrs. Forbes' returning to Ione and will occupy her house on First street, which has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. Elden McFerrin. The McFerrin family have moved into the Louy Apartments.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balsiger spent the Labor Day vacation at Hood River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buscheke returned Saturday from a few days spent in Portland.

Will Balsiger, wife, son and daughter, who reside at White Salmon, spent Friday night in Ione and on Saturday, in company with Mr. Balsiger's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Balsiger, took in the big show at Pendleton. The party returned to their home in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Learned, son in law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Balsiger, are now located in Darrington, Washington where Mr. Learned has a position as instructor of history in the high school at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mooney who have been residents of Ione during the harvest season, have returned to their home at Canby.

Alva McMillan better known here as Lowell McMillan a Morrow county boy and a graduate of the Lexington high school has been announced as editor of the Oregon State Monthly official publication of the Oregon State College Alumni association. Mr. McMillan has been teaching journalism ever since his graduation from O. S. C. at Marysville high school in California. He was editor of the Barometer during the time he was in college and is well fitted for his new position.

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During a railway strike in 1924,  
Bicycle mail service was estab-  
lished between San Francisco and  
Fresno, Calif., letters requiring a 25  
cent stamp.

## The Fraternities

The members of Ione Lodge No. 120, A. F. & A. M. on Wednesday evening, held their first regular meeting following the summer vacation. The Eastern Star ladies will meet in regular communication on Tuesday evening September, 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Colvin of Newberg were in Pendleton for all three days of the Round Up. They, too, visited in Ione on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ray of motored to Pendleton for the last day of the Round Up. They returned by way of Ione and spent Sunday calling on their many friends here. The Rays are former residents of Ione.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Sperry motored to Portland Tuesday to get their two small daughters who have been spending the summer in the city. They will return in time for the opening school.

Men Over Difficulties  
Many men owe the grandeur of their lives to their tremendous difficulties.  
—Charles Tadden Spurgeon.

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