

# Heppner Gazette Times

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## HELEN SIMPSON COMES MONDAY

### Actress to Give Lyceum Number at School Auditorium.

Appearing as the third number of the Lyceum course, Miss Helen Simpson, an actress of exceptional ability will present something new in the way of entertainment programs when she appears here Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the new school auditorium.

Miss Simpson offers a program of costumed impersonations of well known actresses in their favorite plays. These sketches are especially arranged for Miss Simpson, and form very complete monologues, giving a comprehensive idea of the plays from which they are taken. Miss Simpson also sings, playing her own accompaniment, giving selections from light opera and musical comedy.

Discriminating audiences and critics who have heard Miss Simpson are unanimous in their commendation and praise, not only for this distinctive new form of entertainment with its opportunity for the study of the best in drama and comedy as found in the list of successful plays presented, but the personal knowledge gained of these actresses through this intimate and unusual portrayal of them in their favorite roles.

Among the famous actresses impersonated by Miss Simpson, are Lorette Taylor, Ethel Barrymore, Julia Arthur, Jane Cowell, Rose Stahl and Maude Adams.

Her program is an evening of real charm. Eastern critics, particularly around the Boston section where she is best known, claim her as an artist of real attainment.

### Luncheon Club Endorses Coming Booster Edition

At the regular meeting of the Heppner Luncheon club held Monday with a goodly attendance present, the matter of our coming special booster edition was presented and outlined by the Gazette Times representative and discussed at length. It was the consensus of opinion that this issue is a much needed venture in as much as there is at present no literature available to send to prospective settlers and as an advertisement for this section would reflect with credit. Being put to a vote the idea received the unanimous endorsement of the club.

President Goodman mentioned that he has received many, many inquiries relative to Morrow county properties and has regretted the fact that no literature was available to send in answer. The club will be furnished extra copies of this issue without cost. Get behind the idea. It's to your interests.

### First National Bank Has Prosperous Year

The First National bank held their annual meeting on Tuesday, at which time the stockholders elected as directors, W. P. Mahoney, Jack Hynd, Frank Gilliam, John Kilkenny and W. E. Moore, and the directors chose as officers, Frank Gilliam, president; W. P. Mahoney, vice president and Walter E. Moore, cashier. This meeting an assistant cashier, to take the place of the late K. K. Mahoney, was postponed until a later date.

A review of the year's business revealed a prosperous year for the bank, and stockholders and officers were well pleased with the results accomplished.

### HOME FOR CHRISTMAS.

The family home of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Cox on Hinton creek was enlivened over Christmas day by the gathering there of a number of the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Cox. A bounteous dinner was enjoyed, and while all members of the family could not be at home that a complete family reunion could be had, there was much joy shed abroad because of those who were present.

Coming from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson and children and Miss Esther Cox of Silverton, who came for a visit with their relatives in Heppner, Lexington and at Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. D. Cox and children of Lexington; Mrs. Gussie Purdy of Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cox and children; Wm. Mays of Pendleton, and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cox. The entire company numbered 23. It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and Miss Cox were caught in the blizzard just before reaching Vista house on the Columbia highway, as they were returning to their home at Silverton, and with sixty others were marooned upon the mountain top for a time, finally reaching their home at Silverton several days late.

### WILL JOIN HUSBANDS.

Monday's East Oregonian states that Mrs. Tom Gurdane and Mrs. Cecil Llewellyn left on that day for Los Angeles to join Mr. Gurdane and Mr. Llewellyn. The two latter are now filling a theatrical engagement in California.

The program at the Star Theater tonight and Friday is unusually fine and diversified. You will want to see it. See ad on last page of this paper.

## NEW TYPE ADOPTED BY THIS NEWSPAPER

The first glance at this week's Heppner Gazette Times will probably reveal to our readers a change in typographic appearance—a change, we believe, that will make for easier reading and less eye strain. This change is occasioned by the introduction this week of a new type face, a type that is being selected by a large number of daily papers all over the country, because it has been specially developed for and adapted to newspaper composition.

At a considerable expense, this newspaper has equipped its Linotype with matrices for the making of this type, known as the Ideal news face and produced by the Linotype Corporation of America. Two sizes will be used, 7 point for the main body of the paper and 6 point for legal notices and auxiliary matter.

For a long time it has been known that the old Century types used by us, as well as a majority of all newspapers, were not easily read. Leading type designers have been studying the situation for years, and the Ideal news face, along with similar faces made by other companies, which they have more regularly formed, therein lying the secret of its legibility. At the same time beauty of line has been retained, making it pleasing in appearance.

We believe the change will be appreciated by our readers. At least we hope it will be, as the paper will appear in this dress from now on. The straight composition, or main reading matter, in our booster edition to be off the press in a few weeks, will also appear in the type as one of the evidences of progress of the newspaper itself that should make the message of the entire edition more forceful.

If you like the change, we would appreciate your saying so.

### Farmers & Stockgrowers Bank Elects New Officers

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Farmers & Stockgrowers National bank was held at the offices of the bank on Tuesday for the election of a board of directors, and to attend to such other matters as should come up for consideration. The condition of the bank was presented by the officials and it was found that much satisfactory progress had been made during the year, with the close of business for 1927 showing a splendid gain.

Directors chosen were J. W. Beymer, J. D. French, J. G. Thomson, R. L. Bengue and W. G. McCarty. The directors chose the following officers: J. W. Beymer, president; J. D. French, vice president; E. D. Hallock, cashier, and Miss L. A. Allinger, assistant cashier.

### MR. AND MRS. HILL HONORED.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay M. Anderson had as their guests on Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Herman H. Hill of Portland, who have been spending their honeymoon at the home of Mr. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hill in Lexington. In their honor Mr. and Mrs. Anderson invited in a few friends and the evening was spent in playing bridge. The guest prize was awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Hill, while first prize for bridge fell to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wells. Delicious refreshments had been made during the year, with the close of business for 1927 showing a splendid gain.

### OFFICERS TAKE STILL.

Deputy Sheriff McDuffee and Marshal Devin gathered in a still and some maul, as well as the alleged operators, Chas. Bookman and John Gilman, on Friday, and on Saturday the men were given a preliminary hearing before Justice Huston and held to the grand jury. Gilman later gave bond and was released, but Bookman has so far failed to take that step and is resting in the county jail. The still was being operated just a short distance out of town and the two men were there at the time of their arrest.

### INSTALLATION JAN. 23.

The Neighbors of Woodcraft met in regular session Monday night with a large attendance. After the order of business, came the "penny drill." Neighbor Creed Owen drawing the lucky number. The "penny drill" is a new feature added to the entertainment at each circle meeting, so Neighbors don't fail to bring your pennies and join in the fun. Delicious refreshments of cake, pickles and coffee were served by the committee.

On January 23 the newly elected officers will be installed. Neighbors keep this date in mind and read in next week's Gazette Times about the big time planned for the occasion.—Correspondent.

### A LETTER FROM IONE.

Your Booster Edition will meet with great success, I am certain. Here's wishing you the best luck. I am, respectfully yours,  
"Edward A. Lindeman,  
"Ione, Ore."

## Pomona Grange Meets at Ione; Many Present

Morrow county Pomona grange met at Masonic Hall, Ione on January 7, Dry Fork entertaining. In spite of the severe weather and bad roads, the attendance was large. Charles Wicklander, worthy master of Greenfield grange, Boardman, presided. Under the report of subordinate granges, all reported better financial condition than last year with membership about the same. Home Economic committees in each of the subordinate granges have carried on a very interesting and helpful program during the last quarter and in all cases good results were coming from their efforts.

Ladies of the Dry Fork grange served a very wonderful dinner at the noon hour in the dining room, after which the following program was given: Song, grange; address, S. E. Nelson; Mrs. Stephens; recitation, Mildred Morgan; address, "Cooperation of Parents with Teachers," Mrs. Carr; recitation, Thelma Nelson.

Committee on resolutions consisted of Brothers Stewart of Dry Fork, Paul Smith of Boardman and Mrs. O. E. Wright of Rhea creek. They recommended the following resolutions, which were adopted:

1. Be it resolved by Morrow County District Pomona Grange, in regular session assembled this 7th day of January, 1928, at Ione, Oregon, that we express our thanks to the Dry Fork grange for the very sumptuous dinner and the warm, comfortable place to hold our meeting.

2. That we do heartily endorse the work of R. S. Besse, of the O. A. C. extension service in his effort to establish a uniform bookkeeping system on the farms in Morrow county. Be it further resolved that this bookkeeping system be recommended in all districts in the county.

3. That we thank the Masonic lodge of Ione for the use of their hall for this meeting, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the secretary of the lodge.

4. That we thank Mr. S. E. Nelson for attending this meeting and delivering the excellent address. The session after supper consisted of degree work given to three candidates and the selection of the next meeting place. Upon invitation from Rhea Creek grange, it was decided to meet there on April 1. Because of the large amount of work and expense necessary in serving so many, it was decided that in the future the entertaining grange would furnish the meat and vegetables and those attending should bring their poultry and salted fish, the Pomona grange furnishing coffee, sugar and cream.

The Rhea creek meeting will be of interest to all Pomona members and a large attendance is expected. At that time several outside speakers will be present to form a grange business men's organization for Morrow county. Brothers Gill and Rue have promised to attend and an invitation will be extended to State Master Palmer, of Hood River.

### Heppner I. O. O. F. Lodge Installs Officers for 1928

On Wednesday evening, December 28, Willow Lodge No. 66, I. O. F., was honored by an official visit from Grand Master L. D. Porter of Corvallis, who, during the course of the evening delivered an address to the assembled membership that was much appreciated. Mr. Porter was on a tour of eastern Oregon and came over to Heppner from Pendleton, accompanied by A. V. Van Nuyse of Corvallis and S. F. Bowman of Pendleton.

A. J. Chaffee, district deputy G. M., was installing officer and the following elected and appointed officers were inducted into their respective stations: A. J. Knoblock, N. G.; A. H. Jackson, V. G.; A. J. Chaffee, secretary; J. A. Adams, treasurer; W. P. Frazer, warden; Glenn Hayes, conductor; E. R. Huston, chaplain; C. J. Standish, R. S.; Ernest Hunt, L. S. S.; Wm. Mikesell, R. S. N. G.; J. J. Wightman, L. S. N. G.; Sherman Shaw, R. S. V. G.; D. O. Justus, L. S. V. G.; Geo. W. Sperry, I. G.; H. M. Youkum, O. G.

On Friday evening, January 6th, Sun Souci Rebekah lodge met in regular session, and held their installation, following which there was a social hour and refreshments were served.

Mrs. A. J. Chaffee was installing officer and the ceremonies of induction were gone through with in an excellent manner. The new officers are Leatha Turner, N. G.; Rita Neel, V. G.; Lillian Smith, secretary; Olive Frye, treasurer; Esther McDuffee, warden; Esta Smith, conductor; Florence Hughes, chaplain; Millie Deolittle, musician; Ella Bengue, R. S. N. G.; Lulu Prophet, L. S. N. G.; Ruby Corrigan, L. S. V. G.; Alice Rasmus, I. G.; Alice McDuffee, O. G.

### LOOKS FOR 35 CENT WOOL.

A price of 35 cents a pound for good grades of wool may be looked for in the Comcon market this year, in the belief of George Mahew, as expressed in the Globe Times of last week. Mr. Mahew was at Bend last week where he learned over the long distance wires from Lakeview that Lake county growers had largely contracted their clip at 35 cents. Most of the Lake county sheepmen, probably 80 per cent, sold at this figure.

### THE BIG PARADE at Star Theater, Heppner, four days, Jan. 15-18.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Senator R. J. Carsner was over from Spray Wednesday with business at the court house. Mr. Carsner has disposed of all his land in Crook, Harney and Morrow counties, but still has plenty in the Bolonga hills above Spray.—Fossil Journal. We note, also, that Bob has informed the Arlington Bulletin in an interview last week, that "when the proper time comes" he will cast his hat in the ring as a candidate again for the office of joint senator.

In honor of their seventh wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wilson invited in a few of their friends to be with them on Sunday evening. Bridge was played for a time, following which the hostess served dainty refreshments. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Alva Jones, Mr. and Mrs. L. Van Marter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cohn, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Gemmell.

Mitchell Thorne, of Grandview, Wash., arrived the first of the month and has a place with Sherman Electric company as bookkeeper. Mrs. B. G. Sigbee, who has held this position efficiently with the Heppner Light & Water company for some eight years, tendered her resignation to take effect the first of the year, but will remain in the office until Mr. Thorne becomes thoroughly familiar with his duties.

C. W. McNamer and Bob Thompson made shipment on Saturday of a bunch of cattle to the Portland market. Owing to the blockade of the railroad, Messrs. McNamer and Thompson were compelled to hold the cattle here on feed for some time. They were cared for at the John Hughes place here in town. This was prime beef stuff and a good price was realized.

Mrs. Mae McPherrin, of Athens, who is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff French, is assisting with the work in the office of Assessor Wells while the rolls are being extended. Mrs. McPherrin held the place of deputy assessor a few years ago and is quite proficient in this work.

Stirling Fryrear, who has been farming the Wal Road place on Heppner flat, is retiring from the farming game for the present, and will give up the place February 1. Clyde Swift, who recently purchased this place, will take possession immediately after Mr. Fryrear moves off.

Jackson Perry, of Vale, Oregon, is engaged with the Church of Christ in this city in a protracted meeting which began on Sunday. The meeting is expected to run for three weeks, and during the last week Harry Shields, noted evangelistic singer, will assist with the music.

Henry Bowers, at Hotel Heppner, had a close call Sunday night while eating chicken dinner. Part of a bone of a "drumstick" slipped down his throat and lodged in the gullet, causing great distress. After considerable manipulation by Dr. McMurdo, the obstruction was removed.

Births reported to this paper by Dr. McMurdo this week: At the maternity home of Mrs. G. A. Aiken, Jan. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Doherty, an 8 1-2 pound boy. At their home at Wells Springs, Jan. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Neill Doherty, a 12 pound boy.

Theodore Anderson was in town Saturday. He reports that he received word on Friday that his daughter, Dorothea and Kathryn, were on train 23 when it was wrecked near Onegona gorge. They suffered no injury and got out all right.

American Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Members please remember to bring Sunfast cretonne pillow covers, 18x18 inches, for veterans hospital.—Secretary.

Samuel E. Nelson, district attorney, departed for Portland on Wednesday morning, to spend a day or so in the city. While there he will attend the convention of judges and district attorneys of the state. Garnet Barratt, of Barratt & Co., extensive ranchmen and sheep and wool producers, represented the firm at Pendleton Monday and Tuesday, taking in the meeting of the Oregon Woolgrowers association.

Dr. McMurdo was called to Ione at an early date. The whole county has been canvassed and the sentiment of the people shows they are 100 per cent for it and consider it the greatest publicity venture ever launched. This it will be without doubt and we are sparring no expense so that it may well meet the expectation of our public and serve its intended purpose well.

The management of this paper took careful consideration of every item involved before attempting this stupendous venture and once having embarked on it promises its public an efficient and thorough job.

People from all ends of the county are looking for it. It therefore serves as an excellent advertising medium here alone and those who contribute to its success through the purchase of space are using good business sense besides having the satisfaction of helping to promote an issue that will have a tendency to advance this country's interests at large.

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## Some 600 Rabbits Killed in Big Drive

The rabbit drive down Alpine way Sunday was attended by about 100 people, and the result of the killing was some 600 rabbits. This result is considered pretty good by those who participated, and the rabbits were plentiful enough to give the drive the usual excitement.

Quite a number were in attendance from Heppner and these report the conditions very favorable in the Sand Hollow section for the drive, as the ground was covered with some six inches of snow. A fine feature of the day was the splendid luncheon of sandwiches, cake and hot coffee, served by the ladies of the Alpine farm bureau.

The poisoning of rabbits in the north end of the county has been proceeding under the direction of County Agent Smith, and the conditions for successful killing of the pest in this manner have also been just right. Mr. Smith states that because of the fall of snow, the rabbits have been unable to get feed, and they readily take to the poison feed put out.

Edgar Ball, residing near Ione, was attending to business here on Monday. He reports that his section has plenty of snow yet as the thaw failed to reach the north end of the county.

Clarence Bauman, who went to Portland to spend a part of the holidays, was not able to return home the end of the week because of the blockade on the Columbia highway.

Howard Anderson was a visitor in the city Saturday. He was intending to leave this week for The Dalles to spend some time at the home of his brother, Alfred E. Anderson.

Mrs. John Brosnan was given medical attention at the office of Dr. Johnston for a badly infected finger on Friday. The infection was caused by a splinter.

Jas. Hager suffered injury to his hand on Sunday, when he ran a pitchfork line into it. Dr. McMurdo reports that he is recovering from the injury alright.

A. E. Wright was down from Harman Friday and reported that the recent chinook had melted the snow pretty lively, though it had not all disappeared.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krebs of Cecil underwent a minor operation on Saturday at the hands of Dr. Johnston at Morrow General hospital.

Arthur Smith arrived home on Thursday last from Portland, where he spent a couple of weeks visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anna Webster.

Mrs. N. S. Whetstone has been ill at her home in this city during the week, suffering with influenza. At this time she is reported to be improving.

W. P. Mahoney, vice president of the First National bank, spent a couple of days in Portland the first of the week, looking after business affairs.

Dr. Johnston reports that Willard Herres is confined to his home, suffering from heart disease and dropsy. He resides on the Jake Wells place.

Mrs. Earl Gordon, who spent two weeks at Arlington, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens, returned home on Sunday. Ernest Cannon was in from his Rock creek ranch on Tuesday. Warmer weather conditions prevail on his way at present.

Eileen Kenny, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kenny, has been ill the past few days with flu, but is now improving.

Delbert Hiatt was operated on at Morrow General hospital on Tuesday for the removal of tonsils.

Mrs. Wm. LeTrace is quite ill at the family home in this city, suffering an attack of flu.

DRESSMAKING — Mrs. C. R. Langdon, Flower apartments, 43-5.

## BIG BOOSTER EDITION OVER THE TOP; ALL COUNTY SUPPORTING

The work of compiling the coming big booster edition of The Gazette Times has now started in earnest and even the mechanical work is now well under way. In order to get this mammoth edition out in due time the work must commence now. We will appreciate getting in your copy at an early date. The whole county has been canvassed and the sentiment of the people shows they are 100 per cent for it and consider it the greatest publicity venture ever launched. This it will be without doubt and we are sparring no expense so that it may well meet the expectation of our public and serve its intended purpose well.

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## Business Men Like Booster Edition Idea

A canvass of the local business men and interviews with them disclose the fact that the majority is strongly in favor of supporting in every way possible our coming special booster edition.

A case in point that we are pleased to quote is an interview with M. L. Case who is well showing his confidence in the future of this country by his continued investments. The new Case apartment house will be a real credit to this city and will always stand as a monument to its builder.

Mr. Case says in part: "I believe that the coming special publicity edition of the Gazette Times will result in much good and that we have been very negligent in the past in not, through more cooperative effort, advertising the advantages of this section to the outside world. I personally have every faith in the future of this country. I believe that the coming special booster edition of the Gazette Times is a most worthy cause and merits every support. This in particular because it is accomplished through a home enterprise that ever stands for support of home industries and discourages mail order and out of town trade." We need more boosters like Mr. Case.

## Nursery Wheat Not Injured by Cold Snap

A thorough examination of the different varieties of grain sown in the Lexington wheat nursery last fall, all of which was up and doing well when the recent cold snap came on, reveals the fact that none of it shows apparent injury, according to the report of County Agent Smith, who on Wednesday forenoon made the nursery a visit.

Fears were entertained that the freeze would injure the wheat, and perhaps kill off some varieties, especially the soft Federation. Mr. Smith states that this variety in the nursery has stood the zero weather all right, and now that the warm spell has come it is apparent that the wheat has come through safely. We hope this may prove true the county over.

## P. T. A. Has Interesting Meeting on Tuesday

The first meeting of the year was started off most encouragingly by the Heppner P. T. A. at its meeting Tuesday. The auditorium was filled to capacity downstairs, and the company thoroughly enjoyed the following excellent program:

Piano solo, Mrs. M. W. Eower. "Thrift," Mrs. Julia Clark.

Entertainment, direction of Miss Bennehoff, pupils of 6th grade.

Vocal duet, Mary and Patricia Monahan.

"Home Education," Mrs. Lucille McAtee.

"Twenty Years as a School Director," G. A. Bleakman.

Mrs. Buhn, the treasurer, reported funds on hand in the sum of \$140.57.

Mrs. George Moore, chairman of the losing side in the recent membership drive, announced a tea to be given February 14, to the winning side. This will follow immediately after the regular session. It was also decided to give a carnival on the night of February 10, further announcement of which will appear later. The sixth grade won the usual five dollars.—Reporter.

## Former Resident Here Buried at Lexington

Burial services were held at Lexington on Monday forenoon for J. D. Brown, at one time principal of Heppner schools, and a resident here for a number of years. Mr. Brown died suddenly at his home in Portland on Wednesday, January 4th, at the age of 68 years.

Funeral services were held in Portland on Sunday and the remains were brought to Lexington Sunday night, where burial took place. For many years Mr. Brown engaged in ranching at the mouth of Willow creek, and he was a man of prominence in the state Farm Bureau work during his farm activities. On coming to Morrow county, Mr. Brown was engaged in school work and had charge of the Lexington school. He is survived by his widow. A number of old time friends of Mr. and Mrs. Brown attended the burial from Heppner.

## NEIGHBORS ENJOY PARTY.

A gathering of the neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Hughes, at the Hughes home below Heppner, was an event of Saturday evening. Four tables of 500 were in play, the first prize being awarded Chris Moehrer, and Mrs. Chris Brown received the consolation award. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Hughes. Guests present besides the host and hostess, were: Mr. and Mrs. Adam Blahm, Mr. and Mrs. Art Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bauman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farlinger, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Moehrer, Mrs. Tom Hughes, Miss Nora Hughes, Mr. Bert Cowan.

The program at the Star Theater tonight and Friday is unusually fine and diversified. You will want to see it. See ad on last page of this paper.

Good work stock and farm equipment for sale. Wait Road place, 8 miles west of Heppner. Phone 14F11 or write P. O. Box 592, Heppner. 43-5.

## OREGON WOOLMEN HAVE GOOD MEETING

### Pendleton Is Royal Host; Convention May Come Here Next Year.

Pendleton was host again this year to the Oregon Woolgrowers' association, and the many sheep raisers of Morrow county who attended came home with the report that it was the best convention the woolmen of the state have ever had. The registration of sheepmen showed about 100 in attendance from over the state, and County Agent C. W. Smith, who was there, asserts that fully 40 per cent of the number were Morrow county flockmasters and those interested in the sheep industry here.

There was plenty of good entertainment furnished by the Pendleton people, and with the very excellent features of the program there was no dull moments for the visitors.

The place of meeting for next year was left open, and we are informed that the convention will be invited to Heppner provided it is found the matter meets with the cooperation of the business people here. It has been many years since Heppner entertained the woolgrowers, and there should be no hesitancy on the part of the people here in asking for next year's meeting.

K. G. Warner of Pilot Rock was re-elected president of the association, and R. A. Thompson of Heppner, vice president by unanimous vote of the convention, and Fred Phillips of Baker was chosen second vice president. Many subjects of interest to the members were ably discussed.

"The production of lambs is nearing the point of consumption and the increase of sheep must be met with increased use of lamb meat the grower is willing to sacrifice the greater part of his revenue," was the statement of Frank J. Hagenbarth, president of the National Wool Growers' association, who was one of the principal speakers before the convention. Mr. Hagenbarth thinks the sheepmen are safe as far as wool production is concerned, and no fears need be felt that wool will be over-produced. The public should be educated to the use of more lamb, as the revenue from lamb forms 50 per cent of the income of sheepmen. Mr. Hagenbarth also expressed himself as favoring co-operation in the marketing of wool, providing the co-operating groups do not try to cut prices to low levels.

Senate bill No. 1969, known as the Smoot national bill, was approved by the association in a resolution urging that the Oregon delegation to congress support the measure. Congress is asked to appropriate \$2,500,000 for proper carrying on of predatory animal and rodent control work in 11 western range states, in another resolution adopted by the association. The resolution points out that a large portion of the state of Oregon is in national forest reserve and such grounds furnish the breeding place for the predatory animals which annually make great inroads on livestock.

The use of wool substitutes is deplored in another resolution, urging the efforts of the wool council of America in its national advertising campaign to show the superior value and economy of woolen fabrics and thereby increase the demand for wool.

The sheep men are opposed to the creation of additional public parks or game preserves where such will tend to restrict state development. Sheep of the various counties of Oregon are assessed at rates varying from \$5 to \$12 per head, and the woolgrowers will urge the next session of the legislature to enact legislation for the tax commission to equalize the assessment in the various counties.

The board of sheep commissioners in Idaho are requested to modify the requirements existing covering the movements of sheep from Oregon to Idaho, which became operative against Oregon sheep on August 28, 1924, as the condition causing the resolution to be passed has long been removed.

## BURIAL AT PENDLETON.

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in the Christian church here for Elizabeth Elmore Goss, who died in this city on Wednesday night. Milton W. Bower, pastor, delivered the sermon, following which the remains were taken to Pendleton for interment. The deceased was born in Glasgow, Montana, Dec. 15, 1902, and was married Dec. 20, 1923, to W. H. Goom, who survives, with two small children.

## EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. "Unto Thee, O God, do we give thanks; yea, unto Thee do we give thanks."—75:1. We have some good news for our people and the people of Heppner. A new Hinner organ has been given to the Church of the Redeemer at Pendleton and they in turn have given us their organ. It is a real organ with two banks of keys and foot pedals. Air is supplied to the bellows by an electric blower. This gift will certainly help to improve the music in our church, and will be an opportunity for all lovers of the organ. Rev. B. Stanley Moore, missionary in charge.