

Heppner Gazette Times

LOCAL BOY SCOUTS RECEIVE READY AID

Legion and Knights Lead Contributions; Much Progress in View.

A spirit of enthusiasm in Heppner for the Boy Scout movement has been given a new impetus...

In response to Mr. Hawley's directions, Jas. M. Burgess, Chas. Thomson and Harold Cohn, composing the local Boy Scout executive committee, have sent out an SOS call...

The money raised will be used in paying the running expenses of the local troop, to purchase insignia, to pay the expenses of the chief executive on his inspection trips...

The cabin at the central camp is considered by the executive committee to be one of the most crying needs of the troop...

The formation of the Blue Mountain council with headquarters at Walla Walla has given a new impetus to Scout work...

MORROW GENERAL HOSPITAL Mrs. J. C. Stapleton, who has been ill the past week with influenza, is now able to be around again...

PLEGDED TO FRATERNITY. Bobby Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner of this city...

Mrs. Josephine Mahoney underwent an operation Monday for removal of tonsils under local anesthesia...

Mrs. Lawrence Redding of Eight Mile underwent a minor operation Tuesday.

Heppner Grade School Presents Fine Program

In connection with the art exhibit at the high school this week, pupils of the grades gave a program in the auditorium on Wednesday evening...

Readings: "Marcheta" and "Hark, Hark, the Lark!" High School Reading, "Ballad of Elizabeth Zane" K. Parker... "The Indian's Thanksgiving" Grade II Solo, "Danny Boy"...

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

The juniors and seniors debated Wednesday, November 14, on the question, "Resolved, That physical education should be abolished from Oregon high schools..."

Thursday, November 15th, the freshmen and sophomores debated the question, "Resolved, That algebra should be abolished as a requirement for graduation from Oregon high schools..."

Monday, November 26, the seniors and freshmen will debate on the question, "Resolved, That the Heppner high school student body should publish an annual..."

After serpentineing the streets Friday, November 16, for the purpose of arousing interest in the championship game with Condon, everyone adjourned to the bonfire on the hill...

HISLER-MONAHAN WEDDING. A wedding of much interest to Heppner's younger set was that of Miss Kathleen Monahan, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Monahan, and Paul Hisler...

Mrs. Hisler resides upon their rural home near Butter creek, where Paul will take charge of and run in the future. Mrs. Hisler is a graduate of the past year from St. Mary's academy in Pendleton...

Auxiliary Holds Meeting. Heppner Unit, American Legion Auxiliary, held their regular meeting November 20, with nineteen members present.

Church Army Here Again With Bishop Remington. Bishop Remington and four members of the Church Army are in Heppner to hold services and a parish meeting at All Saints Episcopal church...

Death Comes Suddenly To Young Lexington Man

The Lexington and Heppner communities were shocked at the announcement on Friday morning last of the death of Eldred L. McMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. McMillan of Lexington, who was brought to Morrow General Hospital here at 10:00 o'clock a. m. on Thursday...

In the late part of the summer Mr. McMillan had been in Portland suffering from sinus trouble and underwent an operation. His physicians advised that he return for further treatment later, and it was for this purpose that he went to the city again.

Eldred L. McMillan was born at Lexington August 15, 1905, and died at Heppner November 15, 1928, aged 23 years and 3 months. His entire life was spent in and around Lexington and he was well known both there and at Heppner.

The funeral was held from the Christian church in Lexington on Monday afternoon and was very largely attended. Rev. W. O. Miller of Umattila, a lifelong friend of the family, conducted the services.

Local Office of P. P. & L. Wins Second in Contest

The Thor contest between the local offices of the Pacific Power & Light company for some six weeks, closed with the end of October, and as the returns have been tabulated, it happens that the Heppner office wins second place...

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Patterson arrived on Sunday from Pasadena, Calif., where they have resided for several years past and where Mr. Patterson was engaged in the drug business.

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Bishop Remington and four members of the Church Army are in Heppner to hold services and a parish meeting at All Saints Episcopal church. There will be a service in the church at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, Nov. 22, Holy Communion at 8, Friday morning and a "get together meeting" in the parish house Friday evening, Nov. 23.

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PROCLAMATION

At all times and in all places, men have gathered together at the close of the harvest to give thanks to the Divine Power which has blessed their labors and made them to prosper.

Our national observance of an annual day of Thanksgiving is a heritage from the Pilgrim Fathers, who assembled at the turn of the year to offer prayer and praise to Almighty God from whom came their strength to endure daily hardship and to face unknown danger.

Now, therefore, in conformity with the proclamation of the President of the United States which comes as a recurring reminder of our national unity in the perpetuation of this American custom, I, I. L. Patterson, Governor of Oregon, do proclaim Thursday, November 29th, 1928, as Thanksgiving Day, and do hereby set it aside as a public holiday.

Let us on this day give thought to man's fellowship with nature in achieving the fruits of the harvest. Let us confirm and strengthen the ties of family life and renew the bond of hearth and home. Let us express our gratitude for peace by extending the spirit of good will to all the world and for prosperity by lending generous and kindly aid to those in sorrow or need.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the State of Oregon to be hereunto affixed this 19th day of November, A. D. 1928.

I. L. PATTERSON GOVERNOR

(Seal) By the Governor: HAL E. HOSS, Secretary of State.

Everett Keithley Hurt When Car Turns Over

Very serious injuries were sustained by Everett Keithley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Keithley of Eight Mile, in an accident occurring on the road leading to Heppner last evening.

His injuries were found to be very serious and he was in an unconscious state, suffering from head injuries. Walter Becket and wife who happened along helped to remove the lad, and he was rushed to town by Mr. Becket and taken to the Heppner hospital where his injuries were attended by Dr. McMurdo.

Second Number Lyceum Course Well Received

Perhaps because of its being Saturday night, the second number of the lyceum course was not greeted with as large an audience as had been expected.

Frye & Company, composed of William Eugene Frye, magician and illusionist, and Miss Leah Miles, pianist and reader, were on the stage but an hour and a half, and there was no lagging in the entertainment.

GRAND MATRON VISITS.

Ruth Chapter No. 32, O. E. S., held a special meeting on Friday evening last at which time an official visit was made by Mrs. Bess Setters, worthy grand matron of Oregon.

HEROISM OF THE CHURCH.

This sermon will be the third one dealing with the history of the Church and will tell of the reformation led by Martin Luther. This will be presented at the evening hour by the pastor of the Church of Christ.

MEMBERS ATTENTION.

The Degree of Honor meet Tuesday evening, Nov. 27, in the Legion hall. Please be present as there will be initiation.—Secretary.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Heppner Loses League Championship to Condon

After battling undefeated through the Upper-Columbia Athletic league football schedule up to its last game which decided the championship, Heppner high school lost the deciding game and the championship to Condon on the latter's field, Saturday afternoon, 14-0.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hollingsworth were visitors here for a short time on Saturday, passing through on their way from Pendleton to Portland. Mr. Hollingsworth will be remembered as the assistant of the Gazette Times in getting out our special booster edition last winter.

Buster Keaton and Ernest Torrence in STEAMBOAT BILL, JR., Star Theater, Sunday and Monday.

Ask Enforcement of Law for Beef Slaughter Record. The Oregon Cattle and Horse Raisers' association, feeling that their greatest loss is through the slaughter of stolen cattle...

Handsome new residence of Henry Cohn on lower Main street is rapidly nearing completion, and the contractor, Lee Donetti, expects to have finished by Christmas time.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Ferguson arrived home the first of the week after an absence of some three months, during which time they visited in California, Kansas and Oklahoma, and greatly enjoyed their motoring about over the country.

The grades of Lexington school are preparing an entertainment for Wednesday afternoon preceding Thanksgiving. It will be in the nature of a Harvest festival and under the direction of the superintendent of the music department, assisted by the grade teachers.

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LARGE SUM SPENT ON INTERIOR ROAD

Important Highway Receives Cooperation Only From Government.

For many months past the proposition of completing the Heppner-Spray road has been quietly sleeping, there being no prospects in sight for extending this or any other piece of public road work under the threat to finances borne in the Dunne bills.

In conversation with Commissioner Bleakman this week, the Gazette Times editor was furnished with some figures that show to what extent Morrow county has been expending money on the road.

It is quite evident that if this road is completed and there gaps are closed in a reasonable length of time there must be some co-operation on the part of the state highway commission. This is what our court is interested in.

EXTENDS LAND HOLDINGS.

A deal was closed this week whereby Roy Scott, postmaster and merchant of Cecil extends his land holdings and will branch out into the sheep business.

District Attorney Notson and Judge Benge were out to Eight Mile this forenoon to view the wreck of the Oscar Keithley car in an accident that happened on the road last evening.

Frank McClintock, who farms in the Gooseberry section, was a Heppner visitor on Monday.

The O. E. S. Cheer club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. H. Johnston on Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

George Fell, prominent citizen of Pendleton, was looking after matters of business here today.