# Heppner Gazette Times

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HEPPNER, OREGON, THURSDAY, Jan. 9, 1930.

### COUNCIL ACCEPTS FINANCIAL REPORT

**Telephone Company Asks** For Franchise After Loss of Original.

#### LAW REPEAL SOUGHT

Council Gains Ownership of Flume Carrying Surplus Waters of Willow Creek in City.

The report of W. O. Dix, city trea surer, for the year 1929, was accept ed by the Heppner city council at its meeting Monday evening. The meeting was marked by the attendance of the mayor and all council-

A petition from officers of the Blackhorse and Sand Hollow Telephone line through the city of Heppner was read. The franchise asked for is to replace one, record of which was lost in a fire that destroyed the council chambers several years ago. An ordinance in compliance with this request was drawn up and put through the second reading

An ordinance, to repeal an ordinance providing for the licensing of R. J. Craber, who is also receiving photograph studios and photographput through the sceond reading. The repeal was sponsored by B. G.

A flume, owned by the Heppner Farmers Elevator company and used to carry off surplus waters from Willow creek was purchased by the city. Dr. A. D. McMurdo was appointed city health officer.

The city treasurer's report is as Annual report of the City Treasurer of the City of Heppner for the year ending Dec. 31, 1929:

General Fund \$4.440.10 Water Fund 8,955.20	
Total both funds	\$13,395.30
Received from-	*** *** ***
Water master Sinking fund (First	
Nat'l Bank)	
Taxes	
Fines	
Dog tax	194.00
Lacennes	270.30
Broken glass	3.45
Sale of old bridge	
Sinking fund (F &	

S Bank) \_\_\_\_\_\_ 1,000.00 Total amount received \_\_\_\$35,142.90 clusive, paid Interest on water bonds to Nov. 1, 1929 4,675.00 on funding bonds to Exchange on drafts Total Disbursements ......\$41,500.17 Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1930 ....\$7,018.03

Total sinking fund Jan. 1, 1929 \$22,796.39 Were business Drawn during year 8,000.00 ton last Friday. Total Sinking Fund \$15,590.11

Respectfully submitted this first day of January, 1930.
W. O. DIX. City Treasurer.

P. T. A. Meets Tuesday In School Auditorium

The Parent Teachers association will meet in the high school auditorium at 3 o'clock in the afternoon next Tuesday. The association will donate five dollars for the purchase of library books to the room having the most parents in attendance.

The following program has been arranged: Piano solo, Mary Beam-er; "Mental Hygiene," a talk by Dr. A. B. Gray; numbers by the high school glee club; "Thrift," a talk by Mr. T. J. Mahoney, and a folk dance by the primary pupils under the in-struction of Mrs. O'Shea.

J. E. Gentry of Lexington made a hurried trip to Hot Lake on Satur-day, taking Miss Vail, one of the teachers in the Lexington school, to the sanitarium for medical treatment. Miss Vail was quite seriously afflicted with an attack of rheu-

Harry Wells and Lowell Casteel received numerous bruises and cuts when the car in which they were riding left the road Sunday this side of Lexington. Considerale damage resulted to the car.

VALENTINE TEA PLANNED.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a benefit tea for the public on Valentine's day, February 14, at the home of Mrs. Harry Tam blyn.

#### Attention Elks!

You are urged to attend the regular meeting of Heppner lodge, No. 358 B. P. O. Elks tonight (Thursday, Jan. 9). Candidates will be initiated and refreshments served after the meeting.

A large attendance is requested at the meeting of January 23, when Frank Lonergan, district deputy grand exalted ruler, will make his official visit. Candidates will be inand refreshments served.

DEAN T. GOODMAN, Sec.

### Yuletide Mail Swells

The total income of the Heppner ost office for 1929 was \$8738.39 as compared to \$8643.98 for the year an income of \$1130.21, while the year previous the income for the same month was only \$939.88.

The volume of Christmas mail. both outgoing and incoming, principally Christmas packages and cards, was the heaviest during the seasn just past that the office has seen, according to W. W. Smead, postmaster, who believes that this heavy Christmas mail is a good indication of the prosperity of this section. The post office force wishes to thank all its patrons for their consideration shown by doing their Christmas mailing early.

#### Vice Commander Named By Local Legion Post

Alva Jones was elected vice commander of Heppner post No. 87 to succeed J. M. Burgess, at the reguphone company asking that they be lar meeting of the post held Monday granted a franchise to run a tele-evening at Legion hall. Walter Moore reported that in cooperation with the Heppner Elks lodge five needy families had been remembered with Christmas food baskets

Paul Gemmell reported that Mar-lin Gramse had undergone an operation in the Veterans hospital in Portland, and that he was high in his praise of the service and treatment given there. A letter from R. J. Craber, who is also receiving ers doing business in Heppner, was Bauman was winner of the attendance prize

#### "THE MILLENIUM."

The subject above is one often discussed by faddists and theorists but one which seldom invades a conservative pulpit. Both of these facts stand as reasons for discussing it at this time. Certain things concerning the Millenium are without controversy. Some other things are purely speculative. A Christian should have some definite knowledge on the subject and hence it will be discussed at the Church of Christ on Sunday evening. The hour is 7:30.

Our morning service begins at 10:50 and the worship hour is centered about the Lord's table. He has an appointment with you there, The morning sermon will be, "A Good Man's Hell."

Bible School at 9:45. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Every service is a public service and we invite and MILTON W. BOWER, Minister.

#### ALPINE

Miss Celatha Lambirth has re-

Miss Gertrude Tichenor, a stu-dent at the La Grande normal, has been visiting relatives, the Melville the funeral rites conducted for the families, and also friends in the Allate Dr. Harold C. Bean. pine district. She returned to La Grande New Years day. G. L. Bennett and John Williams

were business visitors in Pendle-

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Finley were in Pendleton Friday. Johnny Doherty, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B.

P. Doherty, went back to school Sunday. He is a student of the University of Oregon at Eugene. Bill McDaid is helping to build

pipe line for Mr. Doherty. Miss Lambirth entertained at card party Saturday evening. A

good time was reported. Mrs. Anna Schmidt, daughter Mildred and son Alfred were guests at the Bennett home Sunday. After dinner the Bennetts Schmidts went to Pendleton and saw the show "Rio Rita."

Mr. Bennett has recently piped water to the barn and also behind the barn, making the work handier. There will be a Farm Bureau meeting February 1st at the Alpine school house. A program will be furnished and we would like every-

Sloan Thornpson and family visited friends up by Pendleton Sun-

ay. Mrs. Dan Lindsay and children isited Mrs. C. F. Morehead of But-

ter creek Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay were Pendleton visitors Friday.

Mrs. G. L. Bennett was a Heppner

#### More Winter Wheat Planted This Season

The area sown to winter wheat this fall for the 1930 crop was announced by the U. S. department of agriculture as 43,690,000 acres. The ondition of the crop December 1 vas 86 per cent of normal. area sown a year ago was 42,820,000 acres and the condition of the crop on December 1 of 1928 was 84.4

per cent of normal. The area of winter wheat and the condition of the crop in the northwest states is as follows: Oregon, 896,000 acres, 54 per cent (since the government estimate was made the renerous rains have made big improvement in the condition of Oregon winter wheat); Idaho, 477,000 acres, 77 per cent; Washington, 1,-304,000, 40 per cent; California, 790,-000 acres, 71 per cent, and Montana, 768,000 acres, 81 per cent.

The stock market gambler and the girl who marries an aviator are alike: They both take a flyer.

## etide Mail Swells Income of Local Office LOCAL NEWS ITEMS WHEAT PRODUCERS

A large class of candidates will 1928. The increase appears to have be initiated at the regular meeting been brought about by the heavy of Heppner lodge No. 358 B. P. O. Christmas mails this year. During Eiks at the Elks temple according December of 1929 the office made to Earl Gordon, exalted ruler. He urges all that can do so to attend. Hot refreshments will be served to those in attendance at the close of the meeting.

Jasper Crawford returned to Heppner Wednesday night from San Francisco where he went with his brother, William, who is now engaged in the insurance business there. Jasper spent about a week in the Bay district visiting relatives and seeing the sights.

Mrs. C. W. Valentine was a pleas ant caller at this office on Saturday afternoon, while in the city for a short time, shopping. It was very unpleasant for some hours Saturday forenoon at th Valentine farm because of the high wind.

Mrs. Ralph Scott, who recently underwent an appendicitis opera-tion at a hospital in The Dalles, is improving and will soon return home, according to Ralph who has just returned from a visit with her. Miss Asgodt Frigaard, who returned Sunday from Colton whree she spent the Christmas holidays

at the wedding ceremony of one of her friends during the vacation. Charles A. Marquardt, who is farming about four miles from Lexington, reports that his 1200 acres winter wheat is growing fine Mr. Marquardt was in Heppner on

with her parerts, was an attendant

business Monday. Roland, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Humphreys, left Friday night for Eugene, planning to visit his sisters, Leta and Evelyn, before continuing to Medford, where he is teaching in the high school.

Frank Young, who farms on Eight Mile near Ione, accompanied by his son, Walter, was in Heppner on business Friday. His crop looks well, and he believes reseeding will be unnecessary.

For Sale-40 head work horses; harness fo 30 head; 3 3-bottom plows; doubletrees and 3 12-horse hitches. Four miles north of Lexington. Chas. A. Marquardt. 42tf. Mrs. Robert Green, sister of Miss Doris Flynn, is teaching in Walla Walla, Wash., while her husband is attending Whitman college.

William LeTrace went to The Dalles Friday to be present when Mrs. LeTrace underwent an opera-tion the following morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Krebs and Mr. and Mrs. John Krebs of Cecil were in Heppner Friday attending to business and shopping.

Miss Betty Roemer and Lorena Isom motored to Portland Friday turned home after spending a week visiting friends in Pendleton. after a visit with friends. W. P. Mahoney and C. L. Sweek

went to Portland Saturday to attend G. A. Howard, who has been con

fined to his home because of stomach trouble, is showing gradual improvement in condition

Dr. J. P. Stewart, Eyesight Specialist, successor to Dr. Samuel H. Tyler, will be at Hotel Heppner on Monday, January 13th.

Miss Louise Thomson returned to Yakima, Wash., Friday after a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Thomson. A balcony has been built in the Baldwin Furniture store to provide

more display space on the main floor of the building Kenneth Ackley returned

Heppner Sunday evening after spending the week end visiting his parents in Portland. Charles Bartholomew will be aid-

ed in the coming season's operations with a combine purchased from Frank Shively. Sherman Wilcox of Fossil was in

Heppner Friday visiting with old friends and attending to business matters. Reuben Anderson and his sister

Agnes, of Gooseberry were in Heppner Friday attending to shopping. See the Fox "talkie" production "Nix on Dames," with an all-star cast at the Star theater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Jenkins of Boardman were here Tuesday attending to business matters. Del Allstott drove to Portland on

Sunday with a truck load of stock for the Portland market. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Reavis mo-tored to Sunnyside, Wash., Saturday to visit with their folks.

Mrs. L. Smith and family were business visitors in the city from Alpine Saturday.

Roy A. Campbell of Lexington was a business visitor in Heppner Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Olden of Fairview were visitors in the city Friday.

Mrs. Otto Ruhl was admitted to the Heppner hospital for treatment Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cool of Ione

were in Heppner Saturday. Milt Spurlock is confined to his home with a cold.

HEALTH OFFICER APPOINTED. Dr. A. B. Gray was appointed county health officer by the Morrow long term with the County Court as county court last Thursday. He was appointed for one year to succeed Dr. A. D. McMurdo.

## ARRANGE MEETING

Growers Plan Attack on Various Problems at Pendleton Meeting.

#### NOTED MEN TO TALK

Invitation Extended All Farmers And Business Men Interested In Wheat to be Present.

That the Eastern Oregon Wheat the grain growers of the 11 wheatproducing counties of eastern Oregon, will hold its annual meeting in Pendleton, Jauary 13 to 15 inclusive, attend.

tion will be taken up. A banquet to be held in the dining room of the served to seventy-five members and Elks building has been arranged for invited guests.

Tuesday evening. Among those prominent in agri-culture in the Pacific northwest, who will be on the program, are Dr. A. M. Schoenfeld, northwest repre-A. M. Schoenfeld, northwest representative of the Federal Farm board; Geo. A. Gatlin, cooperative marketing specialist of the Oregon State college; B. W. Whitlock of the Federal Grain Grading bureau of the Department of Agriculture: of the Department of Agriculture; Dr. Clark Black, president of the Columbia Valley association; Geo. C. Goldsworthy, secretary of the North Pacific Grain Growers. Besides these several professors from the Oregon State college and D. E. Stephens, superintendent of the experiment station at Moro, will be

#### Grange Will Discuss Grain Marketing Plan

The Federal Farm board's grain marketing plan will come up for discussion at the Potnona grange meeting at Lexington Saturday. Arrangements will be made as soon as ossible to have a specialist from Oregon State college to give the farmers of Morrow county full particulars about establishing a local of the grain marketing organiza-

Because of the limited number of nen informed on the plan, this section like all others will have to wait its turn until a man is available to give the desired information, according to Charles W. Smith, county

## Funeral for Mrs. Hyde

Mrs. Arthur S. Hyde, 47 years of age, died in Heppner Tuesday, from an attack of cerebral apoplexy. Before coming to Heppner two years ago she made her home in La Grande.

The remains will be shipped to Elgin where funeral services will be conducted and interment made. Mrs. Hyde is survived by her husband and a number of sisters and brothers. She left no children.

#### RHEA CREEK GRANGE NEWS.

The Home Ecnomics club met at the home of Mrs. Ben Anderson in Eight Mile on Saturday, December 28. At noon a delicious dinner was served by the hostess. The afternoon was spent in sewing quilt blocks for a friendship quilt that will be sold in the near future Those present were Mesdames Noah Clark, Ed Rugg, Orin Wright, Fred Akers, Clark Stephens, Ray Wright, Sterling Fryrear, Herbert Olden, Chas. Becket. Theodore Anderson. Walter Becket, John Bergstrom, Ben Anderson, and the Misses Marvel Akers, Nellie Wright, Margaret Becket and Dorothea Anderson.

The Rhea Creek Grange met Sunday, January 5th, at their hall, there being a dinner at noon. Several candidates received the first and second degrees.

LODGE INSTALLS OFFICERS. Officers were installed by the Wo man's Relief corps at its meeting in the Legion hall Wednesday, Husbands of members were entertained with a dinner. An impromptu program was staged followed by danc-Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lindstrom of Morgan were here Saturday doing some shopping.

Roy A. Campbell of Lexington

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#### RAY HUNT DEAD.

Ray Hunt, brother of Ed Hunt, died last night at Kelso, Wash., according to a brief message received here today.

#### FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

To the Voters of Morrow County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate at the coming primaries for the office of County Judge of Morrow County on the Republican pledge the same faithful and sincere service that has characterized my

commissioner. G. A. BLEAKMAN.

(Paid Ad.)

#### Star Theater Announces Program for Four Days

MRS. JENNIE E. McMURRAY.

Ione lodge No. 135, I. O. O. F. and Bunchgrass Rebekah No. 91, held jonit installation at Odd Fellows hall Friday evening, Jan. 3 The following I. O. O. F. officers were installed: Frank Lundell, N. G.; Richard Lundell, V. G.; Lee Howell, Sec.; E. J. Bristow, Treas.; Lowell Clark, Warden; Gerge Ritchie, Conluctor; W. W. Head, Chaplain; Ture Peterson, R. S. N. G.; George Ely, L. S. N. G.; T. C. Troge, I. G.; E. R. Lundell, O. G.; W. M Clark, R. S. S.; J. O. Kincaid, L. S. S.; Charley O'-

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were installed: Mrs. Ruth Lundell, girl came along who was "different. N. G.; Mrs. Amy Sperry, V. G.; A story that sparkles, that's natural, Mrs. Lena Lundell, Sec.; Mrs. Etta that's appealing. The program ineague, an organization comprising Bristow, Treas.; Mrs. Elvena Beezly, cludes a two-reel talking comedy, the grain growers of the 11 wheat- Warden; Miss Lucile Bristow, Con- "The Bath Between." Prices 25c and ductor; Mrs. Ruby Roberts, Chaplain; Mrs. Gladys Drake, Musician; Mrs. Mary Swanson, R. S. N. G.; in the rooms of the Pendleton chamber of commerce, is the announce-Mrs. Louvisa Louy, R. S. V. G.; Mrs. ment of Roy W. Ritner, president. Etta Howell, L. S. V. G.; Mrs. Cora All farmers and business men inter-ested are extended an invitation to O. G.; Miss Norma Swanson, Past Noble Grand, Installing officers The federal marketing act and the plan for the wheat growers co-operative organizations will be discussed thoroughly. Matters of of the evening's ceremonies refresh-freight rates and river transportaads, sandwiches and coffee were

> invited guests. The semi-annual installation of officers of the Odd Fellows lodge at Mrgan toko place on the evening of January 2nd. The following memberry, I. G.; Gerge E. Miller, O. G.; Bert Palmateer, R. S. N. G.; Elvin Ely, L. S. N. G.; Rood Eckleberry, R. S. V. G.; Wid Palmateer, L. S. V. G.; R. E. Harbison, Chaplain.

School opened Monday with all from a pleas of the pupils and teachers back in Grants Pass. their various departments. Coach C. M. Daniels spent his vacation at Portland and the home town of Elkton. Miss Lucile Rhoten was at her home in Salem. Miss Hildegaarde Seattle. Miss Maud Knight was at her home in Cottage Grove, and Mrs. Harriet Brown spent her vacation at her ranch home above Heppner and with her sister on Butter creek. Miss Frieda McMillan sur-prised her friends by getting married. While on a trip to the valley she became the bride of Lawrence Slocum whose home is in Lexington. Mrs. Slocum will continue her the young couple much happiness. William Stroble of Boardman has moved his baling outfit onto the Fred McMurray ranch on Willow

work of baling hay. Mrs. Bert Masn and Will Be Held in Elgin of Mrs. Mason's sister, Mrs. Chas. cently in Walla Walla at the home high school, was returning to his

Dezell. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Calandra of Hood River have been visiting Mrs. Calandra's mother, Mrs. Ida Fletcher, and other relatives in and near

Emil Swanson, wheat buyer for the Collins company, has contracted 5000 sacks of the Dwight Misner

1930 crop at \$1.10 a bushel. Several of the residents in and near Ione are suffering from flu. Lee Beckner is reported to be quite ill, as is also P. C. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balsiger drove to Hood River Sunday. They were accompanied by Ernst Montandon who goes to enter a hospital for a major operation at the hands of Dr. Third street. John Balsiger Mr. Montandon's many friends here hope for his

speedy recovery. Nicholi Thompsen left Friday for

saw our college students returning to their various schools. Miss Hazel Feldman, who is a senior in pharmacy at O. S. C., left January 1st. Miss Elva Balsiger, who is a senior of O. left on the same day. Miss Kathryn Feldman has also returned to her work at U. of O., and Alfred Balsiger left January 2nd for

the University of Washington.
Mrs. Allan Learned of Seattle has returned to her home after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Balsiger. The first of last week Mr. and

Mrs. Ted Troge and daughter Marguerite, motored to Estacada for a Paul Lovell and family. They re-turned home January 3rd.

The high school play, "Whose Little Bride Are You?" will be given in the school auditorium January 10th. On Saturday Dwight Misner stat-

pleted 320 acres of summer fallow. E. Ahalt. Our merchants were busy last week taking an invoice of their ticket. If nominated and elected, I stock. Miss Hazel Feldman assist- improved at this time, but her phyed with the work at hte Bullard sician orders a complete rest. Pharmacy during her holiday vacation.

Year's eve. About sixty were in at- school.

"Nix on Dames," a William Fox production with an all-star cast, including Mae Clarke, Robert Ames William Harrigan, Maude Fulton and George MacFarlane is the theater, Frdiay and Saturday, Jan uary 10 and 11, according to an nouncement of B. G. Sigsbee, who is now in Portland booking pictures

for showing here. The story tells how Cupid knocks out a couple of women haters. It is an entertaining, human story of stage people at home-of their likes Conner, R. S. V. G.; John Clark, L. and loves and songs-of a Damor S. V. G.; Charley Shaver, Past N. G. and Pythias friendship that with-The following Rebekah officers stood war and women alike, until a

Scheduled for Sunday and Monday, January 12 and 13 is the Fox the meeting of the Lion's club Mon-ana," with an all-star cast. This is an absorbing drama of tropical love

and tropical thrills. A band of ultra-sophisticated so ciety crooks, suspected of a jewelry theft, are pursued and finally captured in Havana after a 5000-mile chase by a lady detective who finds Cuba a port of romance. Also two reel talking comedy, "Happy Birthday.'

MOISTURE GREATER IN 1929.

Total precipitation in Heppner for the month of December was 3.03 ty, therefore, we are asking you to inches, according to Frank Gilliam, carefully consider the following: cooperative observor. Total mois-ture from September 1 to December 31, in 1929 was 4.09 inches as compared to 3.74 inches for the same period in 1928.

tendance. Refreshments were served between eleven and twelve o'- Bureau of Public Roads, Forest Ser-clock. No one who was present vice on January 16th, and we hope

son, Winnie, returned Saturday from a pleasant vacation spent at being put on the program ahead of Grants Pass.

being put on the program ahead of your project, or any other project

E. J. Bristow was a business visitor in Walla Walla last week. Mr. Bristow has made many trips to have the pleasure of meeting you in Walla Walla on business connected Portland at that time. with the settling up of the Oliver Williams and Miss Irene Anders Wade estate. On his recent trip he visited at their respective homes in was accompanied by Mrs. Bristow, was accompanied by Mrs. Bristow, Walter and Lucile. Miss Hazel Frank who is a stu-dent at the Adventist school at Her-

miston, spent her holiday vacation ing Saturday.

P. G. O'Meara, who is an imple-ment dealer at Wasco, visited Friday and Saturday with his brother, work at teacher in the Ione grade J. P. O'Meara of this place. school. The many friends here wish We notice that Grant Olden is

driving a new Dodge coach. Mrs. Ernest Helliker has returned to Portland for medical treatment. Glen Smith, accompanied by Or- tically parellels the present Pacific creek and this week will begin the die Farrens, Arleta Farrens and and Redwood finished highways. Mrs. Harold Rankin, motored to Portland Sunday, Ordie Farrens, and Mrs. Adelia Godfrey visited re- who is a student in Washington

> school work. Mrs. Earl Wright and two sons returned to her home in Baken on selor of the Oregon State chamber Monday after a pleasant visit with of commerce, told of the achieve-

> home folks received word that their little of 781 families have arrived in the granddaghter, Mary Jean Bristow state in the last year and settled, of Baker, was quite badly burned purchasing 51,972 acres of land at last week. The little girl was in an investment of \$2,905,644.75. her high chair and in some way fell over onto a hot stove. The burns

are on the lower arms. from bad colds, and we have been having several cases of mumps

dren of Eight Mile were Sunday guests in the Cleo Drake home on The many friends here will be interested to know that Mr. and Mrs.

by girl. The child is now about a Portland. Mr. Thompsen, who is a month old, and has been named poster stamps, which are being sold to advertise the state. A representation of the control of the state of the city during the time that there is by are still in Salem but will return not much work to be done on the to their home at Umatilla shortly. Mr. Skeen was formerly principal The first two days of the month of the Ione school, going from here

to Umatilla. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howell of nome in Ione Sunday.

will be held in Ione Saturday evening. January 11. Plans are under way to make this a very interesting meeting. All members of the order please remember the date. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Balsiger departed Friday on an extended trip

brough the middle west. They will visit Mrs. Balsiger's sister in Iowa, with another sister in Chicago and with her mother, Mrs. Mange, at visit with Mrs. Troge's sister, Mrs. Greenville, Illinois. Their last stop will be with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koehring who reside in Indianapolis. In diana. They plan on being gone a month or more.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Montague of Toppenish, Wash., are receiving the ed that he had 200 acres of plowing congratulations of their friends on done. We understand that Charles the arrival of an eight-pound baby McElligott is also well along with girl at their home. The little lady his plowing. However, the honors has been named Hannah Florence go to Frank Everson who has com- Mrs. Montague is a daughter of W

Mrs. Kenneth Blake was taken su idenly ill Saturday. She is much Fred Ritchie has resigned his po

sition as driver of the Willow creek I. O. O. F. hall in Morgan on New transporting the pupils to the Ione were here on business matters on

## LETTER PROTESTS **BUILDING HIGHWAY**

and George MacFarlane is the talkie" to be presented at the Star Medford - Crescent City Construction Would Take \$1,000,000.

OBJECTIONS STATED

S. E. Notson Tells of Achievements of State Chamber of Commerce in Land Settlement Work.

A letter, protesting the building of a proposed road between Medford and Crescent City, Calif., directed to the Morrow county court by the Josephine county court, was read at roads committee, which will report back on the matter at the next

meeting The letter is as follows: "We are writing you to inform you of a pro-ject in southern Oregon, which if successfully put over will cost the road fund approximately one mil-lion dollars, or more. If it goes through it will retard development of many roads that have been on the state program for a number of years, including roads in your coun-

carefully consider the following: "We enclose you herewith a statement of a few of the facts in regard to the road (most of the new construction will be in this county), which we hope you will consider carefully. This matter is to come up before the Highway commission, started the new year hungry.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle A. Brown and

Supervisors will be present at that time, and protest aganist this road that is now on the State Highway

"Promoters of this road are making claims that it will shorten the distance to Crescent City between 20 and 40 miles, but as a matter of fact does not shorten it any, if any-thing adds one half mile to the distance, and in order to make this road they have to climb a spur up with her parents here.
Fred Buchanan went to The Grayback mountain, making a raise Dalles on business Friday, return- of more than 2000 feet over the pres-

ent grade. "As a freight road it would be impractical, on account of alignment,

ong grades and curves. "We will be at the Imperial hotel from 10th to 16th of January, and hope to meet you then, and talk the matter over.

"P. S .- This proposed road prac-"Josephine County Court,

By Indea E G G

J. L. Stanbrough, Commis-L. R. Conklin, Commissioner. S. E. Notson, Morrow county counment of the chamber in land settle-Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bristow have ment during the past year. A total

This result was obtained at an expense of about \$37,500, a large part of which went for the maintenance Many of our people are suffering of an office in Los Angeles. The income to the state by assessment of aving several cases of mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Drake and chilif assessed at half the valuation, would bring in about \$75,000. The residents of the state are also enriched by the amounts that they spend for their living. Notson also told of the advertisnig work that Roy Skeen are the parents of a ba- the chamber would do during the coming year and told of the sale of tative will be in Heppner soon to make them available to local busi-

ness men. The club completed the adoption of its constitution and by-laws. Rev. Stanley Moore asked the coopera-Heppner called at the Lee Howell tion of the Lions in the Boy Scout work. Al Rankin provided by do-The county get-together meeting nation reindeer roast as the central of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs portion of the meal that was served at the meeting.

#### NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS.

All dog owners within the city imits of the City of Heppner are hereby notified that the provisions of Ordinance No. 95 provide for the payment of licenses during the month of January each year. Section 8 of this ordinance provides further:

"Any person owning, keeping, or harboring any dog in the City of Heppner, in violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not more than Fifty Dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding twenty-five days in the City Jail, or by both such fine and imprisonment." Licenses may be paid to the City ecorder or the Chief of Police, who

> E. R. HUSTON. City Recorder.

43 Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nichoson of An enjoyable meeting was held in school bus and I. R. Robison is Ione and daughter Alice Katherine Tuesday.

will receipt for same and furnish