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HUNTING CONDITIONS BETTERED WITH RAIN

Fire Menace is Lessened; Some Sets Reported; Arrests Result.

RECORD BUCK SLAIN

Russell Moore Kills 250 Pounder; Jim Cash Makes Best Time; Sport Enjoyed by Many.

The prayer of the disappointed huntsman has been answered. Tuesday morning it rained, and he who has blamed his luck on the tinder-like nature of the woods, if he fall to bring in his buck this week end, will have to seek a new ally. From the talk about town, it is evidenced that a majority of the luckless will again make their exodus for the brush in hopes that the dampening of the forest carpet will deaden their approach, enabling them to stalk the cunning horned denizens more closely.

Not Easy to Fix Blame.

Reports of man-caused fires, due to the influx of hunters, have been heard. A rumor has it that 40 fires were set in the Desolation county, resulting in 13 arrests. One fire in the Kelley prairie section is said to have been caused from dropping a lighted cigarette, resulting in a fine being imposed.

With the woods full of hunters, crossing each others tracks, it is not an easy matter to locate responsible parties. In the instance last cited, the parties accused feel they were not to blame. They had killed a buck, had drawn it, and some of them had smoked at the scene. They had taken the drawn animal out on a horse. A couple of hours after they had left the scene, a fire started. Forest guards saw where the buck had been killed and drawn, followed the horse tracks. Seemed simple to locate responsible party. However, the men accused feel certain they extinguished their smokes. Other hunters had passed that way in the interim, they believe, who might have been to blame. Forest guards, who know the extreme danger, say too much precaution cannot be taken, and they believe the true sportsman will follow closely the campfire and smoking code.

Not Luck, Jim Says.

Russell Moore of Lexington is the hunter with the best luck to date. He brought in to the Peoples Hardware company this week the largest buck slain since the inception of the company's big buck contest. It weighed in at 254 pounds, exceeding by one pound the previous largest horned deer of record, killed by Elmer Hinton three years ago.

Jim Cash probably has the record for getting a buck in quick time. He went out early Sunday morning and returned by 9 o'clock with his kill. It wasn't all luck either, Jim says. He had been grousing hunting there several times before, and had seen the sly old fellow. By working the law of averages, Jim figured, he might one time arrive on the scene in time to get a shot before he was discovered.

Other kills were reported this week. The party of which S. H. Shannon and "Shorty" Hudson were members brought in a buck. Merle Venable hauled in a couple, bagged by his father-in-law and an uncle from Portland. F. B. Nickerson accounted for one; Frances Doherty got another. Ray Wise is certain he killed one, but on tracking it down found other hunters in possession. Charles Latourelle is reported among the fortunate.

Good Time, Anyway.

Not all the boys have been so lucky, but report enjoying the outdoor life just the same. A party that went out from the Sweek cabin on Willow creek Sunday morning included Gay M. Anderson, Ed Bennett, Charles Cox, Hollis Bull, B. R. Patterson, Spencer Crawford and C. L. Sweek. Another party going out from town Friday afternoon included D. A. Wilson, W. R. Poulson, Earl Gordon, Russell Pratt and Jasper Crawford. Monte Hedwald and Gerald Slocum hunted Sunday. Charles Slويد and Henry Robertson Jr. were seen on their way across the saddle beyond the head of Skinner creek Sunday. H. A. Schulz and son Max spent a week in the timber. Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo and Mr. and Mrs. L. Van Marter returned the first of the week from a hunt started the first of the season. J. O. Turner and Leonard Schwarz went out last evening in the hope of bagging a buck or two today.

TO HARDMAN FRIDAYS.

Rev. and Mrs. B. Stanley Moore of All Saints Episcopal church will go to Hardman every Friday afternoon to conduct church and Sunday school services.

LEGION-AUXILIARY INSTALL OFFICERS

National Broadcast, Dinner and Program Enjoyed by Large Group Thursday Evening.

The national American Legion broadcast last Thursday evening was heard by sixty Legionnaires and members of the Auxiliary who assembled at Legion hall for a joint meeting. The program over the air, which started at 6 o'clock and continued until 7:30, featured talks by persons of national prominence and musical numbers. General Pershing, Calvin Coolidge, National Commander Bodenhamer, and the governors of several states were heard, and Madam Schumann Heineck, world famous opera star, sang. The program was received through the courtesy of Paul Marble, local manager of the Pacific Power & Light company, who installed a set in Legion hall for the evening.

During the radio program the crowd partook of a venison dinner with all the appropriate fixings, the main course being the result of the hunting prowess of P. M. Gemmell, local Legionnaire.

In the joint installation ceremonies the following officers were inducted into office: Auxiliary, Helen Bauman, president; Selma Cohn, 1st vice-president; Hanna Jones, 2nd vice-president; Lena Crawford, secretary; Eva Marble, chaplain, and Mrs. Tamblin, sergeant-at-arms; Legion, J. D. Cash, commander; Loyal Parker, vice-commander; Paul Marble, adjutant-in-charge; D. A. Hudson, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. Harriet Gemmell was installing officer for the Auxiliary and C. W. Smith installed for the Legion. Following the installation of the Auxiliary officers, Lucille Wilson, retiring president of the local unit was presented with a past-president's badge.

LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Lillian Allinger was greeted by a fine audience at the Methodist church on Sunday morning to listen to her recital of the journey through England, Scotland, Belgium, Germany, France and Switzerland, from which she recently returned. Miss Allinger, dressed in Dutch costume, delivered her story in a very attractive manner and it was well received by the audience. It was her privilege also while on this journey to attend the Passion Play at Oberammergau, and she will review this at the services a week from Sunday.

Walter Luckman was in from the Lena ranch this forenoon. There was some rain out that way this week, but not sufficient to be of any great benefit. Range conditions are such now that rain in quantities is badly needed. The county over stands in need of a heavy down-pour, and now that the harvest is all over and no one is to be inconvenienced thereby we have decided to order this general rain; so look for it to arrive any day now.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo and Mr. and Mrs. L. Van Marter returned on Monday from a stay of ten days in the mountains, the gentlemen putting in the time deer hunting. Dr. McMurdo reports that he failed to get his buck this season, and the hunting was made very difficult by the dryness of bush and grass. Mr. and Mrs. Van Marter were more fortunate, however, each bagging a deer.

Frank Fraters is beginning the erection of a new building on his Eight Mile farm, to take the place of the one destroyed by fire at the beginning of the wheat harvest. Mr. Fraters was in town Tuesday to look after some of the materials going into the basement, and hoped to have the superstructure under way shortly. Chas. Allinger of Ionia is in charge of the work.

Lester Doolittle was called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Emma Doolittle, at Cottage Grove Wednesday afternoon, a telegram announcing that she had suffered a severe stroke of paralysis and was in a very serious condition. Many friends of Mrs. Doolittle in this community will hope for her speedy recovery.

The branch line train was late getting away on Monday night—in fact it did not leave until about 5 o'clock Tuesday morning—as the engine was derailed at the turntable and another locomotive had to come from The Dalles to take the train out. Mail and freight arrived at Heppner about 4:30 in the afternoon.

Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. W. J. Beamer were members of the Degree of Honor of this city attending the district convention held in Pendleton the end of the week. The ladies made report concerning the juvenile work and the Degree of Honor, and Mrs. Beamer gave the response to the address of welcome.

HEALTH ASSOCIATION FORMED IN COUNTY

Officers and Directors Chosen at Meeting Here Monday.

McDUFFEE IS HEAD

Epidemic Control to be Featured; Christmas Seal Sale Expected to Finance Operations.

The Morrow County Public Health association, twenty-second such organization to be formed in the state, was organized at a meeting in the parish house of the Episcopal church Monday evening. Representatives from nearly every section of the county were present. Following an explanation of the purposes of the association and the ways in which it would be of help in the county health program, by Miss Edith Stallard, county nurse, the meeting was placed in charge of Homer A. Chamberlin, field man for the Oregon State Tuberculosis association, who outlined the form of organization and called for nomination of officers and directors. Officers elected were George McDuffee, of Heppner, president; Mrs. W. O. King, of Rhema, vice president; Mrs. W. L. Blakely, of Lexington, secretary, and Bert Mason of Ione, treasurer. Directors were named as follows:

Heppner, Dr. A. D. McMurdo, Dr. A. B. Gray, Dr. J. H. McCrady, Dr. C. W. Barr, Mrs. Arthur McAtee, Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, Mrs. Stanley Moore, Chas. W. Smith, Mrs. C. W. McNamer, Mrs. Walter Moore, Frank S. Parker; Lexington, J. E. Gentry, Mrs. Lester White, Mrs. W. L. Blakely; Ione, Bert Mason, W. W. Head, Margaret Blake; Irrigon, Mr. Brace, Mrs. W. C. Isom; Willows, Mrs. Anna Krebs; Alpine, J. S. Moore; Pine City, L. D. Neill; Boardman, Freeman Fortier, Mrs. W. O. King; Rhema, Mrs. O. C. Stevens; Hardman, Mrs. Bertha Lovgren.

While sponsored by the Oregon Tuberculosis association, the work of the county body is not necessarily confined to anti-tuberculosis activities. Mr. Chamberlin explained to the meeting. Any legitimate health work comes within the scope of the county association, and as an aid to the county nurse is expected to do much to make her work more effective. Especially is this true in epidemic control, and assistance in this work was asked by Miss Stallard. Loan closets may be established from which anyone may secure nursing equipment not ordinarily found in the home, and pre-natal and baby clinics may be established.

It is urged by the officers that everyone in the county join the association. No membership fee is charged, the work of the association being financed from the proceeds of the Christmas seal sale, a large portion of which is left in the county to be administered by the local association. In other counties in the state where health associations have been in existence for several years a great amount of good is accomplished, and with a strong membership built up here it is expected this county will derive much good.

Special Train Ewes and Wethers Leaves Today

A special train arrived up the line last night and is being loaded at the local stockyards today with 3600 head of ewes and wethers, delivered here by local flockmasters. These sheep were all handled through the feed pens at the F. S. Parker ranch.

Tom Boylen, prominent sheepman of Pendleton and Butter creek, was receiving the wethers, and Messrs. Brown and Huff of Idaho were taking the ewes to be placed on their range in Idaho. Mr. Boylen was not decided as to the disposition of the wethers, which will likely go to the eastern market.

ENJOY BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A number of her little friends were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Healy on Saturday afternoon and enjoyed a delightful party in honor of the sixth birthday of Elizabeth Anne. A real jolly time was had by the children in playing games, following which they enjoyed refreshments of cake, ice cream and candy. Those present were Kay and Marylou Ferguson, Robert and Phyllis Marble, Larry, Mary and Marguerite Moore, Joe and Henry Aiken, Norma, Pete and Frank Christensen, Doris and Eldon Padberg, Bobby Smith, Howard Gilliam, Roger O'Connor, Kathryn Nys, Joe Farley, James, Francis and Katherine Healy.

GYM CLASS STARTED.

A gymnasium class for the men of the city was started last Tuesday evening at the school gym, under the direction of Neil Shuurman, athletic director for the school. A dozen men were in attendance, and a light workout was had. The class is open, free of charge, to all men who wish to join. It will meet every Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Senator Bailey Declares For Law Enforcement

Portland, Ore., Sept. 23.—"Whoever says the prohibition law is a failure has done a lot of forgetting in the last 12 years," declared Senator Edward F. Bailey, democratic candidate for governor, speaking on "Law Enforcement" at a W. C. T. U. meeting held at Hinsdale Memorial Baptist church here Tuesday afternoon.

"When we had the liquor laws, breweries controlled the government of cities," he asserted. "Now, moral, social and economic conditions are much better. I am for 100 per cent enforcement of the prohibition laws, and for strengthening of those laws when and wherever possible. As I said in my platform, issued before either of my two opponents were in the race, prohibition is morally and economically sound; it must and should be enforced. If elected governor I promise that I will so enforce the law. Further, I will appoint as enforcement officials only men who will obey the law."

There is much need for better cooperation between county federal and state officials, he said, as well as a new campaign of education against the evils of strong drink. Senator Bailey reiterated his ideas for a readjustment of Oregon's antiquated tax laws. "The burden of state tax should be removed from homes and farms and other types of real and personal property," he declared. "The income tax will do it."

Public ownership of electric utilities has proved itself, when adopted on a sound basis and operated on a sound plan, he continued. Conservation of hydro-electric power sources, for public purposes, is something he pledged himself to long ago, he concluded.

IONE

By JENNIE E. McMURRAY.

By twos and threes the valiant hunters are returning, some empty-handed, one brave hunter bearing marks of having been attacked and run over by an evil mannered buck, some with wonderful stories of the deer they killed but failed to find, and some with fine animals as proof of their marksmanship. Mayor Mason returned with two bears. The Joe Gibson party brought home four deer. R. W. Brown and Roy Lieualien each have a deer to their credit. Noel and Walter Dobyns each returned with a fine buck. Cleo Drake and John Cochran who were in on Hog Flats trapping while waiting for the hunting season to open, were out of luck. They returned without deer and had little success at trapping. The Bergevin and Cochran party which was at Desolation, report fair luck. Walter Cochran of Arlington was one of the party who brought out a buck. Raymond Fletcher is one of the younger hunters deserving special mention. He killed a fine six-point buck weighing 222 pounds. Many hunters are still in the mountains and some plan on going later.

Charles Reed and his son-in-law, Edward Moore of Hood River, visited in Ione last week at the home of Mr. Reed's sister, Mrs. Della Corson. While in this part of the state the two gentlemen also made a hunting trip into the mountains.

On Saturday, Roy Lieualien received information that his brother, Herman Lieualien, a lad of 15 years, had been drowned at Bingham springs pool on Friday. Mr. Lieualien left at once for Weston where funeral services were held Monday. Another brother, Harlan Lieualien, was drowned in Winn pool at Weston about five years ago.

The Ione school band has begun practice under the instruction of L. N. Riggs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Briggs drove down from Heppner on Wednesday evening of last week. While Mr. Briggs attended Masonic lodge, Mrs. Briggs visited with her friend, Mrs. Della Corson.

Hazel Ledbetter spent part of last week with his brother, Sam Ledbetter, at Hood River. Constitution day was observed in the Ione school on Tuesday, Sept. 16, when Rev. W. W. Head gave an interesting talk before the whole school assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller are the proud parents of a daughter, born Saturday, September 20, at the home of Mrs. Willard Farrens on Second street. The baby has been named Mildred Lucile.

Last week we reported that Charlotte McCabe won first on her sewing exhibited at the Boardman fair, but we were unable to name the second and third winners. We are glad to note that they were both Ione girls, Mildred Lundell winning second and Margaret Lindoken third. There were twenty entries in this division.

At a meeting of representatives of the various schools held in Arlington some time ago, the Upper Columbia league in football was discontinued but the schedule remains practically the same. The following officers were elected: Waldo C. Zeller of Arlington, president, and W. O. King of Boardman secretary-treasurer. Ione's schedule of games follows: September 26, Ione at Lexington; Oct. 3 open; Oct. 10, Arlington at Ione; Oct. 17, Condon at Condon; Oct. 24, Lexington at Lexington; Oct. 31, open; Nov. 7, Heppner at Ione; Nov. 14, open.

The boys turning out for football practice are Francis Ely, Norman Everson, Ralph Gibson, Dorr Mason, Earl McCabe, Norman Swanson, Joel Engelman, Louis Buschke.

Miss Retta Neel is again with the First National bank as bookkeeper, taking the place vacated by Merle Beckett.

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LIBRARY REPORT MADE TO LIONS

Mrs. Rodgers Cites Work Done; 771 Books Loaned Out in Three Months.

FINANCE PLANS TOLD

Tax Measure Proposed as Way Out; Chamberlin Asks Support for County Health Group.

That those sponsoring the reorganization of the Heppner Public library a few months ago are determined to make it a success, and that their efforts so far have established the fact of its usefulness, was asserted by Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers, president, before the Lions club luncheon Monday. Though the library has been given fair financial support through donations, the day is not far distant when the revenue from this source will be used up, and officers of the association are contemplating asking for an appropriation from the city to help maintain it, or presenting a petition to have the people of the city decide on a millage tax of a half or quarter of a mill for its support. A discussion of various means of supporting the library will be had at the Lions meeting next Monday.

Mrs. Rodgers told of the work accomplished in obtaining and fixing up the attractive quarters for the library in the Humphreys building, and augmenting the book supply. A large reading table was made by N. D. Bailey, chairs and shelving were purchased, lighting fixtures installed, and the room brightened with paint and kalsomine. Books from the old library furnished a small nucleus which has been added to through donations of used books, the purchase of new ones and the borrowing of a 100-book traveling library from the state library. So far 38 volumes have been donated, and 29 volumes purchased.

Books Loaned Free

Borrowers of books so far have numbered 160. In July 272 books were circulated, in August 266, and up to the time of the report on September 22, 133 books had been loaned for the month, making a total circulation since the library opened of 771 books. With the exception of 13 books on the rental shelf, for which a charge of ten cents for 14 days' use is made, the books are loaned free of charge for two weeks with a fine of a cent a day thereafter. So far fines in the amount of \$3.44 had been collected.

The financial report showed a total of \$214.74 to have been paid into the treasury from the following sources: balance on hand Jan. 1, 1930, \$2.45; memberships received, \$47.29; J. C. Fenney Co., \$5; Hiatt & Dix, \$5; Pacific Power & Light Co., \$5; Heppner Farmers Elevator Co., \$10.

Disbursements amounting to \$156.75 have been made leaving a cash balance of \$57.99 as follows: draperies \$9.06, hauling table 50, chairs \$11.15, labor and lumber for shelves \$14.85, library supplies \$9.05, 3 years insurance \$8.64, stove pipe and fixtures \$1.85, postage on rented books \$1.23, 4 months' rent \$50, varnish and paint \$8.80, lights \$2.30, janitor work \$1.95, books \$37.37.

Lions Make Inspection

The library is kept open through donation services of interested women and girls on Tuesday and Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock and on Thursday evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock.

At the close of the luncheon, members of the Lions club went in a body to the library in company with Mrs. Rodgers for a trip of inspection.

A large part of the luncheon meeting was given over to a talk by Homer Chamberlin, field representative of the Oregon State Tuberculosis association, who explained the work and method of organization of this group and its parent organization, the National Tuberculosis association, in showing the tie-up of the proposed Morrow County Health association would have with them. He told of the scope of work of the local health group, and the method of financing through receipt of a share of the proceeds from the sale of the tuberculosis association Christmas seals. Lions were asked to give support to the movement and C. L. Sweek, president, responded by appointing the entire membership on a committee to attend the organization of the county health association that evening.

Changes in Train Schedules.

Effective Sunday, September 28, Union Pacific announces following important changes in branch passenger train service, leaving Heppner; also connections at Heppner Junction Eastbound and Westbound: Leave Heppner 10:00 P. M. daily except Saturday and Sunday; 11:30 P. M. Mondays only; 8:40 P. M. Saturdays only.

Eastbound connection, train No. 6-24 will leave Heppner Junction 2:28 A. M.; Westbound connection, train No. 23-5 will leave Heppner Junction 1:58 A. M.—Adv.

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POMONA GRANGE TO HEAR MEIER

All-Day Meeting Slated at Rhea Creek October 4; Interesting Program Arranged.

Julius Meier, independent candidate for governor, will be the principal speaker at the Morrow County Pomona grange meeting when it meets for an all day session at Rhea creek on Saturday, October 4. Meier will explain the four measures in which the grange is particularly interested. The part of the program in which he will have part will begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and will be open to the public. Readings, musical numbers and Willows grange orchestra will complete a well rounded program.

A business meeting is scheduled for 10 o'clock in the morning, and fourth and fifth degree grangers are particularly urged to attend. Those familiar with grange work know that all business is transacted in the fourth degree. The traveling banner which Greenfield grange of Boardman holds for the second time will be on display. The grange having the largest registered delegation at 12 noon will be privileged to carry the banner home. Remember the register closes at noon.

Rhea creek juvenile grange will have on display the beautiful quilt made for the fair. This beautiful quilt will be sold, and the grange correspondent expresses the belief that everyone will avail themselves of the opportunity to help the kiddies.

LEXINGTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelly, who have been living on the Jess Turner ranch, have moved into the Burgoyne residence just below Lexington.

On Friday evening a reception for the teachers of Lexington school was held in the schoolhouse and gymnasium. Laurel Beach, accompanied by the piano by Miss Helen Faulconer, sang several songs. A talk on county organization for combating tuberculosis was given by a representative of the state tuberculosis association. After the program cake and punch were served to a large group of parents and children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Valentine and daughter Helen motored to Arlington Saturday morning, where Helen took the train to Eugene to enter the University of Oregon.

Thursday evening a supper for the officials of the Churches of Christ all over Morrow county was given. Visitors were present from Heppner, Hermiston, and Pine City. The state secretary, Mr. Swander of Portland, Guy L. Drill of Pendleton, and Rex Dallas of Albany were present to conduct the meeting.

Mrs. Frank Gentry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Munkers, has been visiting relatives in Lexington this week.

Miss Mae Gentry, accompanied by Gwen Davis and Keith Gentry were business visitors in Pendleton Wednesday.

Lexington Grange met Saturday evening. A large class of candidates from Cecil and Lexington was given the first and second degrees. Those entering the Lexington grange were Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers, Miss Edith Stallard, Naomi McMillan, Hugh Connor. Lunch was served by the 4-H sewing club. After Grange was closed dancing was enjoyed, the music being furnished by the Cecil orchestra. H. A. Chamberlin, representative of Oregon State Tuberculosis association, discussed the county health association.

Don't forget the carnival dance in Leach Memorial hall Saturday, September 27, for the benefit of the Rebekah lodge.

Tuesday morning, Mrs. Cassie Hunt, who has been spending the summer with relatives in Lexington, returned to her home in Portland.

Mrs. Harry Schriever and baby son, Byron Neil, have returned home from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Miller, who have been visiting relatives in Lexington have returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jackson and family, Mrs. Laura Scott, Miss Pearl Vail, Miss Helen Wells, Eugene Gentry, Cletus Nichols, Keith Gentry and Billy Burchell picniced in the mountains Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed Burchell, who has been seriously ill, was taken to Pendleton Tuesday for medical attention. She has now returned and is reported recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Young and family of Eight Mile were visiting Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Cox, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Slocum and daughter have moved into the Sadie Lewis residence.

Friends of Miss Mary Slocum have received word that she has entered the nurses' training school in Los Angeles, Calif., and is enjoying the work very much.

Mr. and Mrs. George McMillan of Cherryville, who have been visiting relatives in Lexington, returned home Tuesday morning accompanied by Mr. McMillan's mother, Mrs. John McMillan, and Mrs. George Broadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Currin of Gresham, and their son, Hugh Currin of Pilot Rock, were visitors in the city the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Currin have been spending some time with their relatives in Morrow and Umatilla counties.

COUNTY INSTITUTE SLATED OCT. 6-7

Outside Speakers Coming, Standard Report Card to be Demonstrated.

DISPLAY BEING MADE

Plans to be Laid for Annual Spelling and Declamatory Contests; Musical Numbers Feature.

The annual Morrow county teachers institute will open sessions in the Heppner school auditorium at 8:40 o'clock, Monday morning, October 6, for two days, with an imposing array of speaking talent from state schools and institutions, in addition to talent supplied from the county teaching staff. Teachers from all the schools in the county are expected in Heppner at this time, as attendance by all is required.

In announcing plans for the institute, Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers, county school superintendent, expresses pleasure in having obtained the meritorious instruction staff, and looks forward to a profitable two-days' meeting for the county school system. An outstanding feature will be a report on the standard report card and grading system for the elementary schools of the county, by the committee working on the project for the past year. A sample of the proposed card will be shown. "This is one of the most progressive pieces of work the county has undertaken for some time," Mrs. Rodgers said.

Outside speakers include Dr. J. R. Jewell, dean of men at Oregon State college; E. F. Carlton, secretary of Oregon State Teachers' association; Miss Kate Houx, supervisor of the Oregon State Normal training school at Monmouth; Miss Henrietta Morris, Oregon Tuberculosis association; John Miller, head of the department of education at Eastern Oregon Normal school, and Elmo Stevenson, also of the Eastern Oregon normal.

Musical selections by talent from among the teachers will give variety to the program, the arrangement of which is in the hands of W. R. Poulson, superintendent of Heppner schools and chairman of the county unit of the Oregon State Teachers' association. Chas. W. Smith, Morrow county agricultural agent, is slated for a talk on 4-H club work, and Miss Edith Stallard, county health nurse, will be on hand to hold conferences with teachers in regard to health instruction in the schools.

Mrs. W. O. Dix and Miss Beth Bleakman, second and first grade teachers in the Heppner schools, are preparing a table of teachers' instructional devices for the lower grades, to be on display at the institute, while Mrs. Lillian Turner, seventh and eighth grade teacher in the Lexington schools, is preparing a table of periodicals suitable for teachers.

Plans will be started for the annual spelling and declamatory contests under the Morrow County Declamatory league, with the appointment of committees from among the teachers to carry them out.

D. OF H. ENTERTAINS.

The juvenile club of the Degree of Honor entertained members at lunch Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock in the Odd Fellows hall. The tables were prettily decorated with red and white bouquets, the club colors. The little waiters were in white, with red and white juvenile caps and capes. Following the lunch they held regular lodge meeting with the mothers as visitors.

SOPHS WIN CLASS MIX.

By taking a majority of points in the athletic events which composed the annual freshman-sophomore class mix, the sophomores of Heppner high school emerged victorious last Friday afternoon, thus compelling the incoming class to be represented by a green pennant in the assembly hall for the remainder of the school year.

TO ORGANIZE SCOUTS.

Scout work in Heppner will soon be under way, says Rev. B. Stanley Moore, scoutmaster. This year, C. J. D. Bauman, sheriff, will assist with the work, and he and Mr. Moore will meet Monday to lay plans for the fall and winter activity.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching, 11; message, "Marrow and He Made It Again." Epworth League, 6:30. Gospel message, 7:30; "The Secret of the Master's Victory." Sunday, Oct. 5, at 11 a. m., Miss Allinger will review the "Passion Play" as she saw it at Oberammergau. You are welcome to all the services.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smead and daughter, Jean, accompanied by Mrs. Smead's mother, Mrs. Olive Sutton, were visitors over the week end at the home of Mr. Smead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smead. They returned to their Portland home on Monday.