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## BASIC INDUSTRIES THEME OF MEETING

### Lions Eat and Talk Lamb; Wheat Situation Also Given Attention.

## MEAT EXHIBIT HELD

### Choice Cuts With Purpose Told; R. A. Thompson Presented Cup Won at Exposition.

Advertising measures for the benefit of Morrow county's largest basic industries, wheat and sheep, held the limelight at the Lions club meeting Monday, with the serving of lamb and a lamb demonstration used to emphasize points of the discussion. Chas. B. Cox, past president of the Eastern Oregon Wheat league and active in wheatmen's organizations, presented a short discussion of the wheat situation. Mrs. W. P. Mahoney, president of the Women's Auxiliary of the Oregon Wool Growers association, Garnet Barratt, a vice president of the Oregon Wool Growers association, and Leonard Schwarz, local butcher, took the lead in the lamb discussion and demonstration.

A feature of the meeting was the presentation to R. A. Thompson by C. W. Smith, county agent, of the Rambouillet Breeders association cup, recently won by Mr. Thompson in competition at the Pacific International Livestock exposition in Portland. Petite Miss Lorene Edwards, second grade pupil of the Lexington schools, favored with an essay on the President's Thanksgiving day proclamation, and Miss Alice Montgomery, Lexington high school instructor, was well received in two readings, "Home Sweet Home" and "Alice."

## Signal Honor Told

Mr. Smith was appointed by President C. L. Sweek to make the presentation to Mr. Thompson, on telegraphic authorization from the secretary of the Rambouillet Breeders association that the Lions club make such presentation. In a few well chosen words Mr. Smith called attention to the signal honor which winning of the trophy brought not only to Mr. Thompson but to the community as well, and complimented Mr. Thompson on his industry in building up a fine flock of thoroughbred stock, declaring that in a few years Mr. Thompson will be recognized as one of the leading breeders of Rambouillet sheep in the country. To show the value of herd improvement he cited the fact that this year Mr. Thompson's prize buck fleece took first place over the fleece of its sire. Mr. Thompson replied in compliment to Mr. Smith for being responsible for the fleece having been displayed, saying that many other fleeces equally good had gone into wool sacks without receiving attention, and in behalf of the woolmen thanked the Lions club for cooperating in helping put across the lamb campaign.

Mr. Cox, in discussing the wheat situation, cited the important part wheat has played in the economic life of man since first discovered among the early lake dwellers. That it has been seized upon as a tool by capitalist interests is shown, he said by more than a billion and a quarter bushels being traded last year in the Chicago pit alone, while the total United States production for the year was approximately 800 million bushels. He referred to government intervention as one of the hopes for improving the condition of the producer.

## Auxiliary Helps Work

Mrs. Mahoney told of the purposes of the women's auxiliary of the wool association, which she stressed to be helpfulness in solving the association's problems rather than a mere social adjunct. She

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## THANKSGIVING SERVICE.

The Union Thanksgiving service will be held this Thursday forenoon at the Christian church, beginning promptly at 10:30. Rev. Glen P. White of the Methodist church will deliver the sermon and there will be music by the combined choirs, and also some special numbers.

## FROSH WIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Freshmen of Heppner high school emerged victorious in an inter-class elimination basketball tournament played on Tuesday and Thursday evenings of last week. In the preliminary games the freshmen edged out the juniors, and the sophomores fell victims to the seniors. Thursday the freshmen trounced the last year men in the final round.

## SEASON TO OPEN.

The initial basketball game for Heppner high school hoopers will be played in the local gymnasium December 12, with Arlington furnishing the competition in a boys' game. The game will have no bearing on league standings, being scheduled as a practice fray.

Mr. and Mrs. Vawter Crawford are spending the Thanksgiving holiday at Pendleton with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cooley and Mr. and Mrs. John M. Spencer.

## Circuit Court Jurors Drawn December Term

The jury panel for the regular December term of circuit court in Morrow county was drawn by Clerk Anderson the past week and has been turned over to Sheriff Bauman who is busy now serving those whose names appear on the list with proper summons. The regular term of court will be the second Monday in December, and there seems to be promise at this time of some business that will require service of the jurors.

The grand jury, composed of J. W. Hiatt, Laxton McMurray, Jas. B. Blackwell, C. H. McDaniel, L. L. Gilliam, Walter Eubanks and Mrs. Bert Mason, will meet right after Thanksgiving for the consideration of such matters as may be brought to their attention, and should be ready to make their report at the convening of court for the regular term.

The jury panel is composed of A. C. Ball, Heppner, farmer; J. L. Jenkins, Boardman, farmer; J. F. McMillan, Lexington, farmer; J. O. Hager, Heppner, laborer; O. E. Johnson, Hardman, farmer; A. F. Palmateer, Morgan, farmer; Dean T. Goodman, Heppner, merchant; George Broadley, Lexington, laborer; A. E. Johnson, Ione, farmer; Herbert French, Gurdane, farmer; Eph Eskelson, Heppner, retired; Emil Groshens, Heppner, farmer; P. S. Griffin, Eightmile, farmer; W. H. French, Hardman, farmer; B. G. Sigsbee, Heppner, theaterman; Paul G. Balsiger, Ione, merchant; V. L. Carlson, Ione, farmer; John S. Moore, Echo, farmer; Fred Griffin, Ione, farmer; J. G. Barratt, Heppner, farmer; Lewis Mason, Heppner, farmer; Joe N. Batty, Hardman, farmer; C. C. Jones, Heppner, farmer; W. W. Bechtolt, Hardman, farmer; Theo. Anderson, Eightmile, farmer; R. E. Allstott, Heppner, farmer; Elmer Ball, Ione, farmer; A. W. Jones, Heppner, farmer; J. C. Swift, Heppner, farmer; R. H. Zinter, Ione, farmer.

## LEXINGTON NEWS

Ted McMillan motored to Arlington last week to bring home Mrs. McMillan, who has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Van Winkle, formerly of Lexington, who have been living in Salem and Portland for the past few years, are visiting at the home of William Van Winkle. Their children Edna and Vernon are with them.

Mrs. R. B. Wilcox left Tuesday morning for Salem where she will spend Thanksgiving with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eskelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawks, who have been working in Hood River during the apple packing season, returned home last week.

Wednesday evening of last week Lexington P. T. A. met at the school house. The feature of the evening was a question box dealing with the problems of the school during the last few months and with abstract education problems. Although the attendance was not great, the discussion was beneficial to those present. A larger number of parents is expected at the next meeting. Informal discussions of school problems promote a better understanding between parents and teachers, thus making school life easier for the children.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, Dec. 17. There will be a round table discussion of questions from the question box, and the topic of the meeting will be, "Why Do You Give Your Child Money?"

The P. T. A. is sponsoring the hot lunch plan, and will begin serving Monday, Dec. 1.

The executive committee of the P. T. A. met Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eskelson. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ingles, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shrelver, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blakely, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilcox, Lovelle White, and Bertha Dingus.

On Friday evening Mrs. Lawrence Reaney departed for Portland where she will spend Thanksgiving Monday afternoon the L. H. S. volleyball team went to Heppner to play with the Heppner girls' team. The Heppner girls won. The two teams met last week at Lexington, where the Lex girls were victors.

Ed Burchell who was suddenly taken ill last week is still obliged to remain in bed. It will probably be some time before he will be able to be up and about again.

Edward Burchell Jr. who accompanied Adrian Bechtolt to Corvallis for the homecoming game between O. S. C. and U. of O. did not return with Mr. Bechtolt, but is working in Corvallis.

## SCHOOL VACATION SET.

The Heppner schools are closed today, and will remain closed until Monday for the annual Thanksgiving vacation. Word from the superintendent's office announces one week only will be taken for vacation at Christmas time this year.

## GIRLS GAMES SLATED.

An interclass basketball tournament for the girls of Heppner high school is announced to be played next week.

Nancy Carroll in HONEY, Star theater Sunday and Monday.

## REBEKAHS HOLD 10TH CONVENTION

### San Souci Lodge Host to Other Lodges of County; Assembly President Attends.

The tenth annual Rebekah convention of District No. 20 was held in I. O. O. F. hall at Heppner, Friday last, with sessions both in the afternoon and evening. A goodly attendance was present from the various lodges of the county.

The afternoon session was called to order at 1:30 by San Souci lodge No. 33. Following opening exercises the meeting was turned over to the convention officers, with Sister Ella Renge as chairman.

Sister Leona Thiel, president of the Rebekah Assembly, was introduced and welcomed.

Holly lodge No. 139 of Lexington exemplified different phases of Rebekah work in a very creditable manner.

Reports of the lodges of the district showed the following membership: San Souci 33, 137; Mistletoe No. 25, 50; Holly No. 139, 48; Bunchgrass No. 91, 117; Sapphire No. 163, 20.

A paper on "Value of Fraternal Visits" was read by Vida Helker, and one by Lucy E. Rodgers, "Value of Degree Work" was given.

The following officers for the 1931 convention were chosen: Chairman, Eva Lane; vice chairman, Vida Helker; secretary-treasurer, Bertha Dingus; L. S. chairman, Charlotte Gordon; chaplain, Etta Howell; warden, Clara Howk; conductor, Margaret Smith; I. G. Cora Warner; O. G., Opal Ayers; musician, Helen Falconer; R. S. V. C., Elizabeth Campbell; L. S. V. C., Emma Peck.

Lexington was selected as the 1931 meeting place.

Next in order was a contest in the unwritten work and those participating were Hattie Wightman for San Souci, Pear Parker for Holly and Della McCurdy for Bunchgrass. Bunchgrass won and received a beautiful jug which is to be used in the degree work.

At 6 p. m. a banquet was served in the dining room, after which San Souci No. 33 called the members to order and as it was their regular meeting night, the usual order of business was proceeded with. Under good and welfare, the officers of the lodge surrendered their chairs to the convention officers.

Sister Leona Thiel gave a very interesting address which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Bunchgrass No. 91 draped the charter in memory of Sisters Mary E. Shaver, Ella C. Fell, Hessie Kinney and Addie Roberts.

The following program was then given: vocal solo by Ruby Roberts; address of welcome, Lillian C. Turner; response, Alice Montgomery; musical reading, Helen Falconer; Caravans Fraternal, by San Souci Lodge No. 33, and at this time the president was presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers and a gift; reading, Alice Montgomery.

The program was followed by the seating of the convention officers, after which the officers of San Souci lodge took charge, and with their closing ceremonies the convention ended.

EDITH MILLER,  
PEARL PARKER,  
ELIZABETH CAMPBELL,  
Publicity Committee.

## Assist With Installation Of Post Officers at Arlington

Chas. W. Smith, district commander of the American Legion, was in Arlington last Thursday evening to assist with the ceremonies of installation of officers of the Arlington post. Other members of Heppner post who accompanied Mr. Smith and took part in the ceremonies were J. D. Cash, Loyal Parker, Walter Moore, D. E. Hudson, Richard Wells, Elbert Cox, Harold Cohn, P. M. Gemmill and W. R. Poulson.

Following the installation the visitors joined with the Arlington post in disposing of the refreshments prepared in honor of the occasion.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bryson of Ione were visitors in this city for a short time on Saturday afternoon.

A. C. Houghton, secretary of West Extension Irrigation district, with headquarters at Irrigon, was in the city on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Houghton.

Editor W. W. Head of Ione Independent was a business visitor in this city on Saturday.

Ed Musgrave, rancher of Rhea creek, was looking after business in this city on Monday.

## IONE

### JENNIE E. McMURRAY, Correspondent.

Ione was represented by over thirty members of the order at the Rebekah convention held Friday afternoon and evening in Heppner, San Souci lodge acting as hostess. Mrs. Leona Thiel, president of the Rebekah assembly, paid her official visit at this time. Bunchgrass lodge of Ione took an active part both in the afternoon and evening sessions, exemplifying the degree work, and winning the prize which had been offered for the best rendition of the unwritten work. Mrs. Della McCurdy gave the work for Ione. The next convention will be held at Lexington.

Mrs. Dell Ward is a patient in a Portland hospital where she underwent an operation Friday of last week. Mrs. Ward had gone to the city a few days earlier and Mr. Ward was called there when it was found that an operation was necessary.

Fred McMurray has just completed an up-to-date henry on his Willow creek ranch. The building is according to O. S. C. plans, it has concrete floors, sawdust filled walls and will house two hundred hens. Mr. McMurray is going into the poultry business quite extensively.

J. E. Grimes recently made a trip to Rickreav, taking the Dempsey furniture down by truck.

Bill Ahalt has returned to his home county. Mr. Ahalt was caretaker of the Krebs brothers sheep while on summer range in Montana, and he returned to Cecil when the sheep were shipped home.

Walter Eubanks, representing a Portland produce company, has made two shipments of turkeys from Ione, two from Boardman and two from Pilot Rock for the Thanksgiving trade. He reports that the Thanksgiving shipment of birds has been about normal. The birds have been in good condition but the price has been less than the growers had hoped to get.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grimes left on Wednesday for Portland, expecting to return Sunday. They went to visit Mrs. Grimes' son, Louis Pyle, who has been ill for some time and who for the last three months has been receiving treatment in a Portland hospital.

Mrs. Carl Leathers and daughter of Hardman visited recently with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Grimes. Grand jury will meet in Heppner November 28. Several of our townpeople have been subpoenaed for duty.

C. W. Montgomery has rented the E. G. Sperry building on the north side of Main street and will open a fruit and vegetable store.

Mayor Bert Mason states that henceforth all peddlers offering merchandise for sale in Ione will be compelled to pay a license fee, or make affidavit to the effect that they are producers of the goods offered for sale. This ordinance was made in 1893, but the city officers have been negligent in its enforcement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hughes of Portland were guests Monday at the J. E. Grimes home. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes were on their way to Monument.

Mrs. Helen Farrans is spending the last of this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Elbert Colvin and her daughter, Genevieve Farrans, in Portland. While away, Mrs. Farrans also plans to go to Salem to visit her daughter Arieta.

Cole Smith drove to Portland on Wednesday to bring his daughter, Mildred, home for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Mrs. Alice McNabb and James Warfield were Thanksgiving visitors in Pasco, Wash., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jewell.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Cutler motored over from Heppner Thursday of last week. They met with the ladies of the Baptist church in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Loren Hale, and in the evening Rev. Cutler conducted services at the Baptist church. As long as the weather will permit, Rev. Cutler plans to hold preaching services each Thursday evening in Ione. Everyone is invited to come and hear him. Rev. Cutler was formerly pastor of a large church in Kansas City, Mo., but he felt a call to help the weaker churches of his denomination so he resigned his pastorate and is now working with the American Baptist Publication society. He goes from place to place in a chapel car. At present he is located at Hermiston. He and his wife are making their home in the car but are holding religious services in the church at that place.

Mrs. Earl Blake has been ill for some time, but is now on the road to recovery.

Ted Blake and Walton Young returned Sunday from a business and pleasure trip to Portland.

Mrs. Roy Luetallen has been enjoying a pleasant visit with relatives in Weston.

Mrs. Dale Ray has received the announcement of the birth of twin boys to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Brashers of Hood River. The babies were born Saturday, November 22. They weighed 5 pounds, 2 ounces, and 5 pounds, 7 ounces, respectively, and have been given the names of Donald and Delbert. Mr. and Mrs. Ray and Gladys and Claud Brashers motored to Hood River Sunday to make the acquaintance of the new arrivals.

Basketball practice has begun in earnest by the high school teams. Several inter-class games have already been played as follows: seniors defeated the freshmen by a

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## CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE ON MONDAY

### W. R. Poulson Names Workers to Help in Raising \$250 Quota; Mail Attack Used.

Monday morning the Christmas Seal sale in this county under the direction of W. R. Poulson will officially open. A cordial response to this annual appeal, returns from which finance the year-round fight against disease, is expected by local workers. Mr. Poulson has announced sales assistants in Heppner as follows: Mrs. J. D. Bauman, Mrs. Harry Tamblin, Mrs. Arthur McAtee, Mrs. J. S. Crawford, Miss Mary Patterson, W. V. Crawford, Mrs. Earl Gilliam, Mrs. Stanley Moore, Mrs. Walter Moore, Mrs. Glenn White, Mrs. R. W. Turner, Mrs. Geo. McDuffee, Mrs. Louis Blanche, Edwin Ingles and K. L. Beach will handle the sale at Lexington, George E. Tucker and Bert Mason at Ione, L. E. Marschat and Mrs. W. O. King at Boardman, and L. Merton Dawald at Irrigon. Teachers of rural schools will take charge of the sale in the country districts. A quota of \$250 has been set for the county.

Letters addressed to several hundred people in the city and nearby towns, and bearing from one to five dollars worth of the tiny health seals, will be in the mail. A stamped, addressed envelope has been enclosed also, and checks or unused seals will be returned to W. R. Poulson, who is serving as chairman.

Ninety-five cents out of every dollar sent in will remain in Oregon to carry on the work of the local county and state associations. The medical research work of the National Tuberculosis association with which the local work is affiliated will receive the other five percent.

The campaign has been endorsed by Governor Norblad, Superintendent Howard, and many other prominent Oregonians. President Hoover's endorsement, the American Federation of Labor, Federal Council of Churches and others of national note have also been received by the state office it is announced.

In addition to the appeal by mail, booths will also be opened in convenient places down town. School children will have a part in the sale, the 24th occasion of its kind in the United States.

Those in charge of the local sale pledge that returns from the sale will be used to the very best advantage in continuing the disease prevention work of the past through the coming 12 months. Christmas seals have no connection with the Red Cross just closed, the two campaigns being quite distinct, both contributing to different aspects of community welfare. This is the 16th annual sale sponsored by the Oregon Tuberculosis association with which the national association is affiliated.

## Boys 15 to 18 Compete With Historical Essays

The Oregon Historical society has selected "The Oregon Trail" as the subject for the 1931 C. C. Beekman History prize and medals. The prizes are four in number, first, sixty dollars; second, fifty dollars; third, forty dollars, and fourth, thirty dollars, to be awarded for the best four original essays on the subject, written and submitted by boys over 15 years of age and under 18 years of age, attending any private or public school in Oregon. Each of the four prize winners will also receive a handsome bronze medal.

Conditions governing the competition follow:

1. The essay submitted must not exceed 2000 words in length.

2. The essay must be in typewritten form, the several sheets being numbered consecutively and written on one side only, with blank space at top and left hand margin.

3. In order to be considered in competition the essay must be delivered to the Oregon Historical society, Room C, Public Auditorium, 253 Market St., Portland, Oregon, not later than March 16, 1931.

4. All competitive essays will be judged according to their general merit and excellence; but the judges will also take into consideration the passing thoroughness of manuscript, accurate orthography, correct grammar and composition, purity and clarity of diction.

E. B. Beekman, Leslie M. Scott, George H. Himes, compose the contest committee.

## MAKE GOOD RECORD.

By passing the freshman entrance English examination at Oregon State college with grades of 162 and 158 respectively, Fletcher Walker and Rodney Thomson, last year graduates of Heppner high school, stood high among those taking the examination. Highest possible grade is given at 190, with 172 the highest grade scored.

Get Your Mammoth Bronze Turkeys—hens and toms for breeding purposes; Ben Hunting strain—from Mrs. W. R. Corley, Ione, 35-38.

For Sale—Auto knitting machine, completely equipped and in fine condition; price reasonable. Phone 13731, City. 281f.

The sweetest entertainment you have ever seen: Nancy Carroll in HONEY, Star theater, Sunday-Monday.

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## Forest Road Money Doubled in State, 1931

Apportionment of \$9,500,000 in forest highway funds this fall to 29 states and two territories is making possible more rapid road construction on the national forests, says the U. S. forest service, Portland. Oregon will receive \$1,334,195 or an increase of \$701,557 from Washington \$669,555 or an increase of \$336,939 over 1930 allotments.

In most of the regions receiving forest highway funds, the allocated amount will be more than double that of the last fiscal year. For 1930, Oregon was apportioned \$632,638, and Washington \$332,614, so that the new amounts are over twice the former figures. For five years the annual federal appropriation for forest highways has been \$4,500,000. Under provisions of the Oddie-Colton law, an additional fund of \$5,000,000 became available for the first time last July, to be used in the current fiscal year.

Division of these funds for construction of highways within and adjacent to the national forest is made on the basis of area and value of the forests. Half the amount is apportioned according to the ratio of the national forest area in a given state to the total area of all the national forests. The other half is divided in proportion to the value of the national forest lands in each state.

This road-building activity, more than doubled this year, is part of a continuing program. An equal amount of federal funds has already been appropriated for the work in the fiscal year 1932.

In addition to the expanded program of forest highway construction, the forest service is continuing, with funds from other appropriations, the construction and maintenance work on secondary roads, and on protection roads and trails in the national forests.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Merritt and family of Wapato, Wash., arrived in the city Tuesday to spend the Thanksgiving holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schwarz, and to visit with other relatives and friends here.

Chester Darbee returned home last week from an extensive trip of two months duration which took him to his old home in Pennsylvania and many other eastern, middle western and southern points of interest. He is once more in charge of the local O.-W. R. & N. station as agent.

George Moore, who has been at a hospital in Portland for a number of weeks, suffering from serious stomach trouble, was sufficiently recovered to return home the first of this week. The ambulance from the Phelps Funeral home went to Portland for Mr. Moore, who was accompanied home by Mrs. Moore.

Miss Evelyn Humphreys returned last Thursday from two weeks spent visiting relatives and friends in the Willamette valley, taking in both the U. of O. and O. S. C. homecoming festivities.

An enjoyment special: HONEY, with Nancy Carroll, Star theater, Sunday-Monday.

W. B. Barratt is up from his Portland home for a visit of a week or so at the ranch of his son, Garnet Barratt.

R. R. McHaley, who spent a week or so at his home in Prairie City, returned to Heppner the end of the week to look after business in connection with the J. H. McHaley estate.

Mrs. French Burroughs was a visitor in the city Monday forenoon from the home on Rhea creek. Some foggy weather has been experienced out that way during the week past.

Milton Bower, accompanied by Mrs. Bower and the younger children, spent Sunday at Heppner, coming over from Fossil where Mr. Bower had been spending a couple of weeks in a revival meeting. He preached morning and evening in his former pulpit at the Christian church. Mr. and Mrs. Bower left Heppner on Monday, expecting to go to Elma, Wash., where he has been chosen as pastor of the church at that point.

The American Legion auxiliary will meet the evening of December 2. Each member is to bring some one eligible to membership in the organization as guest, or the 1931 dues of an old member. We are making an effort to reach our 1931 quota as soon as possible. Mrs. Lola Bennett, Mrs. Helen Cash and Mrs. Lera Crawford will be hostesses. Will those bringing guests please notify one of the hostesses if convenient?

A school program followed by dancing will be held at Rhea Creek grange hall Saturday, Dec. 6, beginning at 8 p. m. 37-38.

Postmaster Sirtend has been ill at home several days this week. He is reported to be much better, but not yet able to attend to his duties at the office.

Chas. Huston left early on Monday with the household goods of Milton W. Bower for Elma, Wash., being accompanied by Mr. Bower, who will begin a pastorate at the Christian church there at once. He will return later for Mrs. Bower and the children.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson were west side farmers in the city on Saturday, spending a few hours here while shopping.

E. R. Huston departed Wednesday afternoon for Portland to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Taylor.

## UNITED CHARITIES LAUNCHED IN CITY

### Chas. Thomson Heads New Organization; Executive Members Named.

## TWO WOMEN TO ACT

### Worthy Cases Only Receive Help; Transients Given No Encouragement; Nucleus Provided.

Associated Charities of Heppner was organized at the office of F. W. Turner & Co., Friday evening at a meeting of representatives of various organizations of the city called by Mayor W. G. McCarty. Mayor McCarty was temporary chairman and Jasper Crawford, temporary secretary.

It was voted that all clubs, lodges and other organizations within the city be entitled to one representative in the organization, with an executive committee of seven members, two of whom shall be women, to administer the business of the organization. Officers decided upon are a president, vice president and secretary-treasurer, the two first named officers to be chosen from the executive committee.

Executive committee members chosen at the meeting are Chas. Thomson, Walter Moore, Earl W. Gordon, Albert Adkins and Gay Anderson. As no women's organizations were represented at the meeting, but knowing of favorable sentiment among them, the executive committee authorized the secretary to write them, asking them to appoint representatives in the organization from whom the two women executive committee members will be elected. Chas. Thomson was elected president, Earl W. Gordon, vice president and J. D. Cash, secretary-treasurer.

Representatives at the meeting with organization represented, are: C. L. Sweek, Lions club; Harry Duncan, Elks; Chas. Thomson, Knights of Pythias; Walter Moore, American Legion; Gay M. Anderson, county; W. G. McCarty, city, and Albert Adkins, I. O. O. F.

The executive committee will determine the policies of the organization. They committed themselves at the organization meeting to work in close cooperation with the Red Cross, and to otherwise avoid duplication of effort while using extreme care in determining existence of need that the resources available may be placed only where real need exists. Application of transient cases will be thoroughly investigated and where absolute destitution is found, temporary relief will be given, and temporary relief only.

A working nucleus of funds was provided by subscriptions from the city, Lions, Elks and American Legion. A call has been issued for used clothing which may be left at the Patterson & Son drug store. It is expected a tag day will be held as a means of raising additional funds, and individual solicitation of funds and supplies may be made if such measure becomes necessary.

## HARDMAN.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Farrans motored to Heppner Friday to meet their daughter Mildred who came home to spend the Thanksgiving vacation. She is a student at the Benhke-Walker business college in Portland.

Mrs. Clair Ashbaugh has been suffering an attack of appendicitis this week.

Mrs. Frank Howell returned from Portland Thursday where she has been to consult a specialist. Mrs. Ralph Corrigan came up with her and remained for a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Orrin McDaniel visited Saturday and Sunday with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDaniel.

Lily Johnson has been absent from school for several days on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDaniel and Mrs. Fisk spent the week end visiting friends in Arlington.

O. E. Johnson and Chas. Repass were transacting business in Heppner Saturday.

Jerome O'Connor was visiting