

Local Happenings

Relatives present for the funeral of W. A. Wilcox at Heppner on Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Vern Duns...

Henry Aiken and family took a fishing jaunt through the mountains Sunday. They fished on the Potomac...

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Metschan arrived here from Portland on Sunday, and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Patterson...

Herbert French, who is engaged in sheepraising at the old home place near the head of Big Butte...

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wilson and daughters Shirley and Dorothy motored to La Grande Friday to see Mrs. Jennie Elder...

H. N. Burchell of Sheridan and Chas. Burchell of Corvallis were in Heppner on Tuesday to attend to business...

Doris Allstott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allstott of Ione, was hurried to a doctor at Heppner on Friday...

Miss Evelyn Humphreys motored to St. Helens, Oregon, Sunday and will have work for a while in the office of the auditor of Columbia county...

H. R. Smith, Rock creek sheepman, was looking after business affairs in Heppner on Monday. He reports his flocks doing well...

Miss Harriet C. Long, state librarian, was in Heppner yesterday and inspected the new quarters of the local library...

J. T. Howell and V. H. Smith of Wasco were guests at Hotel Heppner Monday and Tuesday. These gentlemen represent the California Western States Life Insurance company...

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. John J. Wightman motored to Portland the first of the week, the gentlemen to be in attendance at the start-off meeting for the dairy program under the AAA...

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Von Markle, Mrs. Jesse Ann Thomson, Miss Daisy Thomson and Miss Florence M. Innis, all of Portland, visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Tenney at Hotel Heppner over Saturday night...

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Catanach of Canyon City accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Otto Metschan to Heppner the first of the week, returning to their home Monday. Mrs. Catanach is a sister of Mr. Metschan...

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Jones motored to Portland Tuesday, where they spent the day, Mr. Jones being called there on business matters. Attorney Frank Robinson, John Johnson and Phil Jake were Ione men looking after business in this city on Friday...

Mrs. Alma Gilliam came up from Portland on Saturday and was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Earlow. Returning to the city Sunday afternoon she was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Akers, who had been visiting for a week or more here...

Fred Tash, who formerly made Heppner his home, is here from Portland where he now lives. For many years Mr. Tash engaged in business here and at Arlington. He is having a visit with his son, Durrward, who is the butter maker at Morrow County creamery...

Laxton McMurray of Ione passed through Heppner on Saturday, returning from Pendleton where he had been serving on the trial jury at the eastern Oregon session of the Federal court during the week...

Jas. D. Cash, manager of the local Penney store, is in Portland this week while attending a convention of J. C. Penney Co. managers of the northwest territory. He was accompanied by Mrs. Cash...

Fred Mankin, Ione whearaiser, took a little time off to visit in the county seat on Tuesday. Conditions for the oncoming crop could not be much better than right now, states Mr. Mankin...

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Burnside were in town Monday from their ranch in Rood canyon, where everything is coming along in fine shape, especially for the sheepsman, states Mr. Burnside...

Gus Williamson came down from headquarters ranch of R. A. Thompson to spend a few hours on Tuesday. He reports the Thompson flocks in a flourishing condition...

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harding, Jack Harding, Mrs. Lawrence Fisher and children motored to Yakima Sunday to visit Mrs. Harding's mother, Mrs. Wm. Roth of that city...

Jas. G. Thomson, Jr., departed for Portland Sunday to be absent in the city for a few days while receiving treatment for sinus trouble. Walt Eubanks, manager of the Ione baseball club as well as a merchant of the Egg City, was transacting business here Monday...

Custom Hatching, 2c per egg. See us or write for particulars. Book early. No charge. Salter Poultry Yards, Ione, Ore. 51-7. Mrs. Ida Dutton of Portland and her niece, Miss Nancy Dutton, are guests this week at the farm home of John Wightman...

We have on hand a used number 7 Hillside McCormick-Deering Combine in fair condition for \$300. Gilliam & Bisbee. 4-6. Anyone in the community desiring baby chick or starter chick, see Rufus Pieper. Also hens to take baby chick. 4-6p. For Sale or Trade—A No. 7 16-ft. Hillside International Combine Harvester. See J. O. Turner...

Anyone in the community desiring baby chick or starter chick, see Rufus Pieper. Also hens to take baby chick. 4-6p. For exchange—One leather couch to trade for wood or grain. Box 353, Heppner. Mrs. Ernest Heliker and daughter of Ione were visitors in Heppner on Friday...

Mr. and Mrs. George Krebs of Cecil were Heppner visitors Monday. Pete Slevin, Boardman, was a business visitor in Heppner Tuesday. For Sale—Setting hens. Phone 1F33, Heppner. 2-5. PINE CITY By OLETA NEILL. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger and children spent a few days of last week looking after business interests on the John Day river. They returned here Friday evening...

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ayers and daughter Juanita and son Ray were business visitors in Hermiston and Echo Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John Healy and daughter Marie and son Billy were Heppner visitors Friday. While in town Marie had some dental work done. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neill and family attended church in Hermiston Sunday. Quite a number of Pine City people attended the Farm Bureau meeting at Alpine Saturday evening, as part of the program was furnished by the Pine City pupils. Those from Pine City taking part in the program were Cecelia Healy, a pianist; Helen Healy and Betty Finch, a Dutch song and dance; Henrietta Helms, recitation; Pauline Rauch, Francis Finch and Rosetta Healy, a song; Mable Rauch, Cecelia Healy, Guy Moore and Ralph Neill, a quartet; "By the Bend of the River" and "Slumber Song," by the girls' glee club, Iris Omohundro, Charlotte Helms, June Marie Healy, Cecelia Healy, Mable Rauch, Lilly Rauch, Isabella O'Brien, Bernice Neill being the girls present to sing; Harold Neill and Jack Healy gave a skit entitled "Two Friends." Part of the people also attended the dance given at Dan Way's after the meeting. Mrs. L. D. Neill spent several days last week visiting in Union. She returned home Friday night. Mrs. Roy Omohundro was a business visitor in Hermiston Monday. A large number of Pine City people attended the show and program given in Hermiston Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Reid Buseick and children of Long Creek visited at the home of Mrs. Buseick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neill and Marion Robison were in Hermiston Tuesday on business...

ton Tuesday on business. Fred Rauch, Jr., August Rauch, Frank Helms, Clayton Ayers and Dick Carlson drove to Pendleton on business Monday. Dinner guests at the Frank Helms home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Klingler and daughter Doris and son Kenenth, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Rauch and daughter Jean and son Irvin of Alpine, and May Rauch of Lexington. Miss Lenna Neill is now absent from school with the measles. Earle Wattenburger has been quite ill the past week and unable to drive his bus route. A. E. Wattenburger was in Heppner on business Monday. The Pearson shearing crew left the Tom Boylen ranch Friday noon and are shearing near Hermiston now. Pat McLaughlin of McDonald canyon was a visitor on Butter creek Sunday. Fred Rauch was in Heppner on business Saturday. From the Rim Rock On Tuesday, May first, the Pine City school is to enjoy a holiday. The occasion is the annual track meet and spelling contest. An added feature of the May Day this year will be the music festival. All the schools in Morrow county are now practicing on songs which they will sing in unison under the direction of Laurel Beach of Lexington. We are proud to know that our school is to be well represented in this event. Miss Henderson has selected Marie Healy, Charlotte Helms, sopranos; Iris Omohundro, Lenna Neill, altos, to go from the girls' glee club. They will sing "Boats of Mine," "Slumber Song," "Now the Day is Done," and "By the Bend of the River." The grade school is to be represented in the first division by Rosetta and Helen Healy, Frances and Betty Finch, Edwin and Lewis Omohundro, Elsie and Pauline Rauch. The upper division consists of Mable Rauch, Cecelia Healy, Guy Moore, Jack Healy and Harold and Ralph Neill. On the day of this event a practice will be held in the morning. In the afternoon the ensemble will be given. The closing song will be "My Oregon," sung in unison by all the singers in the festival. Mr. Burgess, superintendent of high schools from Salem, and Mr. Yeager, county superintendent of Pendleton visited school here Friday afternoon. 23 Fires in County, 1933 Bring Loss of \$31,140. Morrow county reported 23 fires for 1933 to the state fire marshal's office, showing a total loss of \$31,140, according to a copy of the statistical ledger of the fire office just received. Insurance totalling \$28,691 was paid on the losses. The sound value of property affected was given at \$147,548 and total amount of insurance at \$126,955. Morrow county ranked tenth among counties of the state in percentage of loss to value of property affected. Deaths resulting from fires, for the state, for the year were given at 22, and injuries from fire caused at 173. Insured soured values for the state to the extent of \$83,377,940 were involved in fire with an actual loss of \$2,713,360. This is a reduction in actual loss of 35 per cent as compared with 1932, reports A. H. Averill, fire marshal. The increasing efficiency of fire control is clearly shown by the percentage of the actual losses to the sound values involved of 6.38% in 1931, 5% in 1932 and a new all-time low record of 3.25% in 1933. Again, an increase in carefulness upon the part of the general public, systematic inspections and fire prevention work in general has resulted in a reduction of 30.8% in the number of fires. Pronounced reductions are noted in all county losses except Columbia, Douglas, Lake, Lincoln, Morrow, Wheeler and Yamhill. Insured farm losses were \$550,264, a reduction of 26.3% as compared to 1931. Dallas—Because of the increasing popularity of Zimmerman a spring wheat which was introduced into Polk county six years ago by County Agent J. R. Beck and a number of cooperating farmers, arrangements have been made to give this variety a trial on the experimental farms at Oregon State college. G. R. Hyslop, chief of the farm crops department, has recently obtained a 15 pound sample from S. H. Crook for this purpose.

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Assembly Mr. Duncan of the Willamette university gave an interesting talk to the students of Heppner high school during a general assembly last Friday morning. The topic of his address was organizing one's self. He gave the example of a football game to show how necessary organization is. By organizing one's self we may overcome handicaps. He told of several people who were physically handicapped and who had been, and are, very successful in work that ordinarily could not be accomplished with such handicaps. One shall succeed in so far as he is able to organize himself. After the assembly Mr. Duncan held personal interviews with the seniors on future education. He answered questions and gave them advice.

Clubs Hold Joint Meeting The Benzine Ring, science club of Heppner high school, held a joint meeting with the Star and Atom club, science club of Lexington high school, in the chemistry laboratory at Lexington school last Wednesday evening. After a program consisting of several short talks on various scientific subjects and a series of demonstrations such as boiling water without heat, refreshments of chemical lemonade, made from a solution of citric acid crystals, and wafers were served. Armin Wihlon, Benzine Ring president, invited the members of the Star and Atom club to a joint meeting with the Benzine Ring to be held in Heppner this, Thursday, evening.

HARDMAN By LUCILLE FARRENS Mrs. Irl Clary, local high school teacher, has purchased the Guy Chapin place in the lower end of town and is making preparations to move in soon. Friends and neighbors of the Clarys are glad to welcome them to the community. The high school students staged a picnic in honor of the graduating class last Sunday at the mountain home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Farrrens. Invited guests included the mothers of the high school pupils and the faculty. Attending to matters of business

Prizes Given Harold Ayers, through his excellent character portrayal as a prison guard in the one act play, "Somebody," was awarded first prize in the dramatic contest sponsored by the public speaking class of Heppner high school. Gus Nikander received the second award for his character portrayal as the sheriff in the play "Justice." Those receiving honorable mention were Claire Phelan, Billy Thomson, Reese Burkenbine, Don Turner and Matt Kenny. These students were judged on their ability to portray the characters in the plays, "Somebody," "Bills," "Justice," "A Peculiar Old Duffer," and "Bill's Wife," which were presented on last Friday and Tuesday evenings at the Heppner school auditorium-gymnasium.

Class News Mr. Pevey has puzzled the chemistry class by giving solutions composed of unknown chemicals for the students to test and to later tell him what the chemicals are. The American History students are preparing term reports to be given during the last six weeks of school. No student is eligible for this unless he has a three average.

Reading Certificates Awarded Mrs. Rodgers awarded elementary reading certificates to the following sixth grade students who have read and reported on ten books: Carolyn Vaughn, Margaret Doolittle, Virginia Swendig and Charles Fuller. Gold seal certificates were given to the following students for reading ten additional books: Bill Barratt, Betty Marie Adkins and Shirley Wilson.

Operetta Posters Earl Bundy, Clifford Yarnell and Willis Adkins, high school sketching artists, are hard at work on posters for the operetta, Miss Cherryblossom, which will be presented by the high school chorus classes April 18. It has taken considerable time and skill to make these posters. The high school appreciates the willingness of these students to save the school the expense of purchasing ready-made advertising.

Honor Roll The following people compose the honor roll for the six weeks period just completed: Three ones each, Irene Beyer and LaVerne Van Marter; two ones each, Bill Thomson, Dean Goodman, Margaret Sprinkel, Jessie French; one each, Harold Ayers, Charles Cox, LaMoine Cox, William McCabe, Dora Bailey, Ralph Currin, Claire Phelan, Armin Wihlon, Miriam Moyer, Beth Wright, Edwin Dick, Donald Drake, Clifford Yarnell, Ervin Periberg, Cleo Hiatt, Jennie Swendig, James Driscoll, Betty Doherty and Kathryn Healy.

at the county seat Monday were Roy Ashbaugh, Russell Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howell and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. and T. L. Burnside. Estin Stevens is home from work at the "Elm" Emerit ranch near Ione where he has been for several weeks. Mr. Emerit brought him up Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Musgrave were business visitors in Heppner Monday. Mrs. James Hams and son Donald were Sunday visitors here. Mr. and Mrs. John Byland have moved to their home in the mountains, having spent the winter months here as has been their custom for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Carey Hastings and Yvonne spent Sunday with Mrs. Hastings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDaniel.

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