

# Heppner Gazette Times

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## SCHOOL FRIENDS ENJOY OPEN HOUSE

Exhibits, Program Draw  
Large, Appreciative  
Attendance.

## BAND GETS BIG HAND

Contest Numbers Played; Grades  
and High School Show Results  
of Regular Class Work.

A large and enthusiastic crowd enjoyed the hospitality of the school Friday evening at "Open House." Featuring the evening were presentation of exhibits in the school rooms, and a program depicting routine school work in the gymnasium. Much appreciation was expressed on every hand of the showing of teachers and pupils, and the excellent progress made under the supervision of Edward F. Bloom, superintendent.

School room exhibits were in the nature of art work, handicraft, charts, penmanship, and other products of class activity, revealing a large amount of work and studious effort. These were open for inspection from 7 to 8 o'clock. From 8 to 9 folks in attendance were seated in the gymnasium for the program. The band under direction of Harold Buhman first played selections to be given at the state contest at Eugene next Saturday, and their reception reflected a depth of pride and appreciation in this activity by the audience. Mr. Buhman dedicated the numbers to Kay Elizabeth, who had arrived to bless the Bloom home that afternoon.

Dramatization of Minnie-the-Poo by members of the first grade under tutelage of Miss Mildred Peregrin, in which the little tots took the part of animals, revealed an aptitude for acting by many of the grade beginners. A style show by members of the home economics class was introduced by Miss Frances Rugg, and revealed many charming garments which the students had made under the direction of Miss Minnie Staley.

The tumbling act of the boys gym class which followed, gave an example of feats of daring and physical abilities being developed in the physical education department conducted by Lawrence Winter. Grades five and six sang "All Through the Night," and grades seven and eight sang "Stars of the Summer Night," showing the work in grade music being accomplished by Miss Shirlee Brownson, who also directs the mixed chorus which sang "Those Pals of Ours" and "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise," and also the girls glee club who concluded the program singing "The Search" from "Evangeline" and "Margie in an Apron Blue."

Other numbers were a demonstration by Benzine Ring, high school science club, directed by Claude Pevey; a folk dance by grade four, taught by Miss Miriam McDonald; play rehearsal by public speaking class, with Bert Evans as instructor; and demonstration of good manners by sixth grade, taught by Miss Mae Doherty. After the program the main school building was again opened for inspection of exhibits by visitors. The good attendance and expressions of appreciation marked the occasion as one of the enjoyable events of the school year.

**BROWN-AYRES.**  
The marriage of Harold Ayers son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Ayers, and Miss LaVerne Brown, daughter of Mr. Chester A. Brown, was an event of Sunday afternoon at the home of the bridegroom's parents on Linden Way. Rev. Joseph Pope performing the ceremony. Dinner was served following the ceremony. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ayers, Mr. Brown, Mrs. Helen Christenson, Mr. and Mrs. Pirt Howell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Howell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howell and family, and Mr. Vinton Howell and Miss Norma Christenson. The young couple will make their home here.

**CHANGE MAIL TIME.**  
Closing time for mails at the local postoffice has been changed from 9 to 8 o'clock p. m. each day except Saturday when mails are closed at 6:45 p. m., announces Chas. B. Cox, postmaster. The earlier closing time was necessitated to meet the change in train schedules effective the first of April.

Fred Kruger of Hardman was doing business in the city yesterday. Glenn Farrens was in town yesterday from Hardman.

## LEGION AUXILIARY HAS DISTRICT MEET

Local Unit Entertains Officers and  
Visitors from Pendleton, Ione,  
Hermiston and Milton.

The annual conference of sixth district American Legion Auxiliary was entertained last Thursday by the local unit with guests present from Milton, Pendleton, Hermiston and Ione. Mrs. Beatrice Christopherson of Hermiston, district president, and Robert Taylor of Milton, district commander, were honored guests.

An afternoon meeting, presided over by Mrs. Christopherson, was held in the auxiliary rooms in the I. O. O. F. building. Evening dinner, participated in by American Legion members, was served at Hotel Heppner, following which the Milton degree team staged legion initiatory work in the I. O. O. F. hall. Mrs. Harriet Gemmel was toastmistress at the banquet, the program for which included group singing led by Miss Juanita Leathers, vocal numbers by Harry Daugherty, Milton, and Mrs. Estes Morton, and addresses by Mrs. Christopherson and Mr. Taylor. Mrs. Christopherson also presented a gift to Mrs. Frank Ritchie, president of the Milton unit, in recognition of the Milton unit having doubled its quota in membership.

Other visitors included Leslie Oliver, John Desler, Glenn Strickler, Wayne Brinker, Stillman Dempsey and Charles Miller, members of the initiatory team, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ford and Dr. Birkbeck of Milton; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Tilden and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Mudge, Hermiston; Mrs. Violet Lieuallen, Mrs. Wm. Clatterbois and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore, Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mankin and Mrs. Lee Beckner, Ione.

## Oiling Lex Market Road Before Highway Body

S. E. Notson, district attorney, and H. A. Tamblin, county engineer, went to Portland last evening and will join a delegation from Hermiston today in interviewing the state highway commission on the matter of oiling roads between Hermiston and Wallula cut-off and between Hermiston and Lexington.

With the recent grant of federal funds for highways in Oregon, it was believed there is good possibility of obtaining the work to be asked. Local interest in the matter centers in linking the Heppner-Spray road and Wallula cut-off to establish a cross-state highway, making Heppner's interior route eligible for Bureau of Public Roads funds. Grading has been completed on the Hardman-Chapin creek sector of this road, and surfacing will be started immediately, according to reports. It is expected the surfacing will be completed in June, and that the new bridge at Rhea creek will also be finished at that time.

## Locals Wind Up Shoot With Perfect Score

Dr. J. H. McCrady and Luke Bibby of Heppner, and E. D. Green of Pilot Rock, each broke their first 25 birds for a perfect team score of 75 in the final preliminary round of the Oregonian telegraphic trapshoot, Sunday, assuring the hyphenates a place in the shoot-off to be held early in June. Final team standings were not given, but the locals maintained their place at or near the lead, having been defeated in but one match during the shoot. The team lineup has not been announced for participation in the shoot-off.

**GREEN TAKES MANAGERSHIP.**  
Cornet Green has been named to manage the Interior Warehouse company as successor to Walter H. McGhee, who with his family will leave shortly for Great Falls, Mont. Green was formerly connected with the warehouse, and for the past few months has been connected with Ferguson Motor company.

**BLOOMS HAVE DAUGHTER.**  
Kay Elizabeth arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Bloom at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at Heppner hospital. Mother and child are reported to be doing well. The heiress to the fortunes of Heppner's school superintendent weighed eight pounds on arrival.

**BABY DAUGHTER DIES.**  
Commitment services were held at Masonic cemetery yesterday afternoon for Ina Fay, 15-day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Arbogast, a victim of pneumonia. Alvin Kleinfeldt, Christian minister, read the ceremony, in charge of Case Mortuary.

## Crop Loan Blanks Ready At County Agent's Office

Application for emergency crop production loans for 1935 may be made at offices of the county agents throughout the state, announces Wm. L. Teutsch, assistant county agent leader, who has recently conferred with representatives from the emergency crop loan office of the farm credit administration in Spokane. Such loans are now available to Oregon farmers.

The loans are authorized to be made to farmers for "fallowing, the production and harvesting of crops, and feed for livestock" under the terms of the act which was passed by Congress February 20, 1935. Any amount from \$10 to a maximum of \$500, or sufficient to finance seeding and harvesting, providing it is adequately secured by a crop mortgage, can be obtained.

The applicant for a loan must indicate that he is cooperating in the crop production control programs of the AAA or is not proposing to increase his 1935 production of basic commodities in a manner detrimental to the success of the AAA program. As the regional office for Oregon has been moved from Salt Lake to Spokane, it is expected that more rapid service will be given on loans this year than heretofore, says Teutsch.

County agents report taking applications for approximately 1,000 of these loans last spring and it is expected that an equal or larger number will be taken this year.

## Disloyalty Worse Than Unloyalty, Lions Told

Whether it is worse to be unloyal or disloyal was a question propounded before the Lions Monday luncheon by J. O. Turner, who led a Socratic league discussion on the topic of loyalty. The discussion was based on the duty of citizens to their community, and the general application of one's talents toward betterment of society.

Unloyalty was defined as the failure to do that for which a person's talents qualify him, and disloyalty was given to mean the betrayal of trust or breaking of a pledge. In the discussion disloyalty was held to be the greater evil as involving more moral turpitude.

Part of the meeting was given over to extending congratulations to Edward F. Bloom on the arrival at the Bloom home of Kay Elizabeth, and the staging of a spontaneous shower. Fellow club members were remembered by the new daddy with cigars, while Mrs. J. O. Turner, club accompanist, was presented candy.

## Heppner Opens Season At Ione Next Sunday

Heppner and Ione will officially open the Wheatland Baseball league season on the latter's grounds next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. At the same time Arlington will open at Blalock, and Condon at Fossil.

Manager Al Massey of the locals has not given out the starting lineup, but it is expected he will do the catching with his brother Ray on the mound. The base lineup will probably be Lowell Turner on first, Laurence Winter on second and Ray Ferguson on third, with either Rod Thomson or Leonard Gilman covering the short patch. Prospective outfielders include Merle Cummings, Homer Hayes, either Thomson or Gilman, and Jap Crawford.

**BREAKS WINDOW WITH ARM.**  
A large plate glass window in the office of Dr. J. H. McCrady was broken and Bernard McCurdo, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McCurdo, received a nasty gash in the upper muscle of his right arm in a peculiar accident yesterday evening. Young McCurdo, who had delivered a magazine at Dr. McCrady's office, was leaving when the strap on his paper sack caught on the catch of the screen, swinging him around. In the motion his elbow went through the window, breaking out a large section which landed with a crash on the concrete sidewalk. The noise attracted the attention of several people near by, who, on looking to see what it was all about, discovered the lad half inside and half outside the window. His father gave first aid immediately, and a carpenter was soon on the job to repair the window.

**EXAMINER HERE 20TH.**  
C. M. Bentley, examiner of operators and chauffeurs from the office of Earl Snell, secretary of state, will be in Heppner at the court house on Saturday, April 20, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. Anyone wishing permits or licenses to drive cars should get in touch with Mr. Bentley at that time.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherer in this city Saturday, an 8½ pound girl.  
Buff Minorca setting eggs for sale. Phone 1F21, Heppner. 5-8

## BAND WILL APPEAR EUGENE SATURDAY

Seven Cars Leave Tomorrow at  
6 o'clock; 25 Members and  
Director to Make Trip.

Harold Buhman, director, and 25 members of his Heppner school band will leave at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning bound for Eugene and the state band contest where they will play between 8:30 and 10 o'clock Saturday morning. They will compete in the class D division comprising schools of 150 or less high school enrollment.

Private cars will transport the band, those to take cars being Estes Morton, Glenn Hayes, Harold Colon, Claude Cox, Mark Merrill, Warren Blakely and Edward F. Bloom. Funds to the amount of \$170 were raised recently to pay expenses of the trip.

Band members making the trip are, cornets and trumpets, Juanita Morgan, Jennie Swendig, Irene Beamer, Charles Cox, Gerald Cason, Jack Merrill and Harry Tamblin. Clarinets, Harriet Hager, Ray Colblantz, Richard Hayes and Omer McCaleb.

Saxophones, Bill Schwarz, Joe Green and Boyd Redding.  
Alto, Emery Coxen, Jesse Tinsley and Donald Bennett.  
Trombones, Billy Coehell, Jackson Gilliam and Norton King.  
Bass, Jimmy Driscoll and Wm. Lee McCaleb.  
Baritone, Hugh Crawford.  
Drums, Warren Blakely, Jr., and Ethyl Hughes.

## IONE

By MARGARET BLAKE  
George Caskey of Vancouver, Wn., a student at W. S. C., Pullman, spent his spring vacation at the E. C. Heliker ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mankin and son Buddy drove to Walla Walla on Saturday. After spending a few hours in that city on business they drove on to Thornton where they paid Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Misner a short visit, returning to their home Sunday.

Several Masons from Arlington and Heppner visited the local Masonic lodge last Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baker of Walla Walla departed for their home Tuesday after spending several days here visiting with Mr. Baker's sisters, Mrs. E. R. Lundell and Mrs. M. R. Morgan.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Ione post, American Legion, is sponsoring a dance at Legion hall here next Saturday evening, April 13. Music will be furnished by the Six Sharps.

Mrs. C. F. Feldman entertained with three tables of bridge at her home last Wednesday evening. When tallies were drawn the guests found a snap shot of Mrs. Feldman's daughter, Miss Kathryn Feldman and her fiancé, Mr. Neil Shuirmann, on an attached card together with the announcement of their wedding date, June 1. Miss Feldman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Feldman. For the past two years she has been the teacher of the Cecil grade school. Mr. Shuirmann is the son of Mr. Harry Shuirmann of Kewatin, Minn., and operates a hardware store in Flint, Mich., where the young couple will make their home. High score for the evening's play was made by Mrs. Louis Bergeman and low score by Mrs. Bert Mason. Refreshments were served. Guests were Mesdames H. D. McCurdy, Bert Mason, Louis Bergeman, Doris Mason, Walter Roberts, Earl Bluke of Ione and Mesdames Ed Bluke, C. W. McNameer and John Wightman and Miss Anna Wightman of Heppner.

Mrs. M. R. Morgan has gone to The Dalles where she will take medical treatment for an ailment of long standing.  
Mrs. Garland Swanson entertained a small group of friends at her home last Friday afternoon in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elmo McMillan, of Salem who has been visiting here.

The Women's Topic club met at the home of Mrs. George E. Tucker in Echo last Saturday. Hostesses with Mrs. Tucker were Mrs. Louis Bergeman, Mrs. H. D. McCurdy and Mrs. Victor Rietmann. Luncheon was served at one o'clock, followed by the study hour. The subject of the day was "First Ladies," and very interesting reviews of the lives of the wives of our presidents in the order of their "reign" in the White House were given by Mrs. McCurdy, Mrs. Victor Rietmann and Mrs. Bergeman. Fifteen members attended the meeting. Mrs. Tucker's mother, Mrs. Wort of Lander, Wyo., and Mrs. Ella Davidson were visitors.

Miss Lucy Spittle visited at her home at Astoria over the week end. Miss Betty Bergeman, a student at St. Anthony's academy at Pendleton, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bergeman.  
Mrs. Fred Mankin represented the Ione Women's Auxiliary of the Legion at the district conference held at Heppner last Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Mankin and Mrs. Lee Beckner attended the banquet and evening meetings the same day.

J. E. Swanson, A. E. Johnson, Louis Bergeman, E. C. Heliker, R. B. Rice and George Peck represented the Morrow County Grain Growers at a meeting held at Pendleton last Thursday with representatives

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## .95 Inch Moisture Comes Week-End Precipitation

Sol's shining countenance is rapidly turning the countryside an emerald green about Heppner following the precipitation of .95 inch of moisture Saturday and Sunday which came in the form of rain and wet snow. The entire county was favored by the needed moisture, with the north country visited by rains and the mountains to the south receiving snow reported to have fallen to a depth of two feet in the higher country.

Weather records of Len L. Gilliam, official government reporter here, show that a very little more moisture will bring April up to the same month a year ago when a total of 1.13 inches was recorded. Mr. Gilliam just completed a chart showing precipitation by months for the last twenty-five years. The average for the last five years, 11.06, is shown to be under the previous ten-year average of 12.19. The average for the years 1910 to 1919 inclusive was 14 inches. The wettest April in this period was in 1920 when the total reached 3.08 inches. The wettest year of the period was 1912 with 18.64, and the driest was 1928 with 8.02. The precipitation last year was 10.73. The complete chart will be printed in next week's paper.

## Earl Thomson Captains Winning U.-O. Riflemen

Besides being captain of the five-man University of Oregon rifle team which won the national Hearst trophy, announced this week, Earl Thomson of Heppner held high gun with a score of 198 out of a possible 200. Thomson received a gold wrist watch for his good marksmanship. Award of the Hearst trophy is made to the winning team in nationwide competition among leading colleges and universities of the country.

Shooting in the contest took place several weeks ago, and it had already been announced that Thomson's team placed first for the ninth corps area. Thomson was entered in the senior marksman class, having been runner-up in last year's competition. His picture along with the other members of the team appeared in Sunday's Oregonian.

## City in Line for Aid From 800 Million Fund

Heppner has applied for street, sewerage system and water projects which should be in line for aid from the \$800,000,000 federal public works appropriation, \$800,000,000 of which will be applied to highways, city, grade crossing, etc., improvement, says W. W. Smead, mayor. According to advice received Tuesday from League of Oregon Cities, the federal money will be granted as outright gift, requiring no match money, for the purpose of giving relief. Those on relief rolls will be given preference in allotting jobs, it was said. Oregon's portion of the money for highway construction has been given at \$11,000,000.

## BAUMAN BEATS LIEUALLEN.

C. J. D. Bauman, Morrow county's wrestling sheriff, was followed to Pendleton Thursday evening by a large crowd of local sports fans, when he beat Cecil "Buck" Lieuallen with two falls in six minutes. The match was widely heralded and drew a large crowd. Lieuallen, former state policeman who gained fame in the capture of Hickman, is a former Heppnerite. He now manages an auto park in Pendleton and assists in presenting wrestling cards as well as participating occasionally.

## REFLECTED AT ALMIRA.

S. E. Notson received word from his son Edward yesterday that the latter had been reflected to superintendency of the Almira, Wash., schools which position he has held for several years. Relection included an increase in salary of \$400 a year and a two-year contract. Edward is a graduate of Heppner high school with the class of 1919. His location is near the big Grand Coulee dam project.

Little ads in the Gazette Times will sell your surplus stock or equipment at a cost that is surprisingly low. Call Main 881.

## HEPPNER PER CAPITA TAX LOW, STATE FIGURES SHOW

University of Oregon, Eugene, April 11—(Special to Heppner Gazette Times)—The average citizen in the average Oregon city pays \$14.81 per year in taxes to maintain the functions of his city government. City taxes vary from nothing at all in a few small towns to a high per person of \$73.71 per year. Heppner pays an average per capita tax of \$8.25.

Portland pays somewhat above the average, \$17.37 per capita, and incidentally tends to raise the general average, due to its much greater population. Most of the Oregon cities fall between \$5 and \$12.50 per capita, and a fourth of them are between \$7.50 and \$10.00.

These and many other figures on city assessed valuations and tax levies are included in detail in bulletin No. 10, just released by the Bureau of Municipal Research of the University of Oregon and the League of Oregon Cities.

The average assessed value of Oregon cities, per person, computed on a 60 percent assessment ratio, is \$695. The average for the entire state, including both city and rural

## DISTRICT B. P. W. MEETING SUNDAY

State Officers to Appear on Program; The Dalles, Pendleton Clubs Guests.

Heppner Business and Professional Womens club will be hostess Sunday to a district conference including Pendleton and The Dalles clubs. Honored guests for the day will include Leda Parker, state president, and Dena Backes, state secretary. The day's program will begin at 8:30 with an executive council meeting in I. O. O. F. hall, at which the state president will preside. At 10:30 there will be an open forum at the same place with reports of committee chairmen and the reading of two papers, one "Economic Security and Youth," by Mae Doherty, and the other, "Economic Security for the Unemployed and Aged," by Vina Hoskins of Pendleton.

The afternoon session will begin at 12:30 with luncheon at Hotel Heppner. Those interested, whether club members or not, are invited to the luncheon. The state president will again preside.

The luncheon program will open with singing of Oregon state song led by Elizabeth Egbert, state musical director and president of The Dalles club. Club collect will be given by Mildred Peregrine, followed by greetings from hostess club through Evelyn Humphreys, president. Response will be by Mrs. Egbert. Miss Peregrine and Shirlee Brownson will sing a vocal duet, followed by one minute speeches by club presidents, "The Best Club Meeting of the Year." Address, "Steps Taken for Economic Security," will be by Dena Backes, the state secretary. Other numbers will include a piano solo by Eula McMillan; address, "National Planning for Economic Security," Margaret Gates of The Dalles club, and a reading by Mr. Bert Evans. Adjournment is slated at 3 o'clock.

## Dean T. Goodman Accepts Salem Position May 1st

Dean T. Goodman, partner in Vaughn & Goodman garage and prominent in social and civic circles since coming to the city in 1919, announced on return from Salem the first of the week that he had accepted a position in that city beginning May 1. Mr. Goodman was not prepared to make definite announcement as to the nature of the position or to change contemplated in the local business. The family home will not be moved to Salem until after the close of school. Mr. Goodman has been secretary of the Heppner Commercial club for many years. He served a term on the city council, and for some twenty years has been secretary of the Elks lodge, besides being prominently identified with the Masons and Eastern Star. The well wishes of the entire community will accompany the family to their new home with sincere regret at their leaving.

## FORMER RESIDENT PASSES.

Mrs. Laura K. Goulder, 73, who lived in Heppner with her family for several years when Mr. Goulder was pastor of the Southern Methodist church, died this week at her home in Portland. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday afternoon from Pearson's funeral church, with interment in Rose City cemetery. She is survived by a son, William T. Goulder, and a daughter, Mrs. Alberta Arbutckle, both of Portland; and two brothers, Albert Dawes of Blackie, Canada, and Lee Dawes of San Diego, Cal.

## NAME SENATOR TODAY.

Members of the Morrow county court are meeting with members of the Umatilla and Union county courts in Pendleton today to name a successor to Jack Allen, resigned, as state senator from this district.

## CERTIFICATES ARRIVE.

Dr. A. D. McCurdo has received Red Cross certificates for presentation to members of his class who recently completed a six weeks course in first aid.

## FARMERS ORGANIZE AGAINST DIRT BLOWS

North Lexington Erosion  
Control District Result  
of Meet.

## ENTERTAIN POMONA

Resolutions Passed for Watershed  
Protection, River Work, and  
War Without Profit.

By BEULAH NICHOLS,  
Lexington Correspondent

A meeting of farmers was held in Lexington on Friday evening for the purpose of forming an erosion control district, as the danger from sand blows on the summerfallow has reached such proportions that such a move is deemed necessary. Existing conditions in some of the mid-western states hardest hit by the destructiveness of soil erosion is a graphic illustration of the need for control.

The district formed is to be known as the North Lexington Erosion Control district and extends north and south from Lexington to two miles north of the base line, and east and west from Morgan to Sand Hollow, taking in an area of approximately 95 square miles.

A committee composed of H. V. Smouse, Omar Rietmann, Louis Marquardt and Frank Saling was appointed to represent the district. They will act as an advisory committee to the farmers of their district, their principal duty being to instruct farmers in methods of cultivation which should be used to prevent blows and to control present ones.

E. R. Jackman, extension specialist in crops from the state college, was at the meeting and discussed cultural practices which should be used to prevent blows and to control the ones that are started.

E. C. Hill, who is in charge of the Soil Erosion district of Umatilla county, was also present and discussed methods of control.

At the morning session of the Morrow County Pomona grange meeting which was held at Lexington Saturday an interesting discussion was held on the surplus wheat situation in the United States. O. L. Lundell of Willows grange was elected as alternate delegate to the state grange meeting in June and Paul Smith of Greenfield grange was elected as delegate to the Grange Fire Relief convention to be held the day preceding the opening of the state grange.

The principal speaker on the afternoon program was George A. Palmiter, past master of the Oregon State grange and member of the present executive committee, whose subject was "Grange Cooperatives." Ed Dunning of Hermiston talked on "Credit Unions," and Morton Tompkins discussed "Legislation and Marketing." Music and readings completed the program.

During the afternoon business session George Peck read the report of Wells & DeLap, Portland accountants, who recently completed an audit of the accounts and records of the Morrow county court. A resolution was adopted urging the United States Congress to take action to get laws passed to take the profit out of the sales of munitions, for the purpose of aiding in the prevention of future wars.

In the interests of lower freight rates along the Columbia river, a resolution was adopted urging the Federal Government to appropriate sufficient money to build the Umatilla dam.

Inasmuch as the grange is interested in the matter of preserving the natural watershed at the source of Willow creek from which water is used for irrigation all along the creek, a resolution was adopted favoring government purchase of the tract of land held by the First National Bank of Heppner, this land to be taken into the national forest, thus assuring its protection.

During the evening session seven members were given the fifth degree, which was exemplified by Lexington grange.

The next meeting of Pomona grange will be held with Willows grange on Saturday, July 6.

Lexington grange will meet at Leach hall on Saturday evening, April 13, the business meeting to begin at 7:30. After the meeting the winners of the recently closed grange contest will be entertained during the remainder of the evening by the members of the losing side.

R. B. Rice and George Peck of this city, accompanied by Bert Johnson, C. W. Swanson and Ernest Heliker of Ione, went to Pendleton one day last week to attend a meeting of the National Grain Growers association.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ingles of Boardman were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Campbell. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Ingles and Mr. Campbell went on a fishing trip and returned with a nice catch of trout.

A new concrete sidewalk has been built in front of Leach hall and Jackson hardware stores during the past week.

Russell Wright who has been at the CCC camp at Clackamas for several months, is visiting his parents.

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## 1935 Wheatland Baseball League Schedule

By FRED MISENER

READ	At Heppner	At Ione	At Fossil	At Condon	At Blalock	At Arlington
HEPPNER	HEPPNER	April 14	April 28	May 26	May 12	June 16
IONE	June 9	GAZETTE	May 12	April 21	June 2	May 5
FOSSIL	May 5	May 26	TIMES	June 16	June 9	April 21
CONDON	June 2	May 19	April 14	FOR	April 28	May 12
BLALOCK	April 21	June 16	May 19	May 5	GAME	May 26
ARLINGTON	May 19	April 28	June 2	June 9	April 14	REPORTS