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A Memorial

HE whose educated eye selected these very types; whose experienced judgment dictated arrangement of their appearance, and whose caressing touch for so many years went deftly, surely over this self-same Linotype keyboard to bring so many messages to Gazette Times readers... this craftsman in future will ply his trade in the old shop only in spirit.

The old line gauge whose figures now are faint... the smoothly-worn composing and make-up rules that were his... these tools that his manipulation made into creators of art, are now inanimate objects. With snuffing of the life that made them live, they have become expressionless, voiceless, things only of cold brass and steel.

Time only can give perspective, and thus only will be told how well Spencer Crawford served the Gazette Times family in his trade. No, even now his spirit lives in these same types, in their arrangement and in the tools he selected to bring them into being. So, not yet is his service ended, though respite from physical exertion has been granted. Through his works, here as in other circles of his endeavor, he has contributed much that will long endure.

How much, time the perspective-giver will tell.

As time mellows the sorrow of those who loved him, so will time clear the vision. Thus through the ages are those whose special gifts, unsung at time of giving, made to stand out in clear relief in the years that follow.

It is to the craftsman now, he who labored tirelessly to give each piece of work the highest standard of perfection that time and conditions permitted, it is to him, now, that we say farewell and may your rest be peaceful in the knowledge that no job was shirked even in troublous times.

Creek Grangers to Entertain Pomona

Rhea Creek grange will be host to the Morrow county Pomona on Saturday, April 6. A business meeting will be called in the forenoon, followed by registration for attendance contest which closes at 11 o'clock.

Lunch will be served at noon and the lecturer program will begin at 1:30 p. m. Several interesting and amusing numbers will be presented by subordinate granges of the county and a talk on rural electrification will be given by Dr. Carl Thompson of the Bonneville administration. A business meeting will be held in the evening and the Pomona officers will confer the fifth degree on candidates.

Wettest Quarter Since '16 Recorded

March came in gentle as a lamb, reversing the usual form, and went out in something of a fury, leaving a record of 1.57 inches of rainfall for the month and helping to establish a record for the second heaviest quarterly precipitation in 25 years. Precipitation as recorded by Len L. Gilliam in Heppner reached 5.63 inches during the first three months of 1940. The only quarter exceeding

that figure in the past 25 years was in 1916 when precipitation reached 6.04 inches. The total up to date, including .51 inch which fell Monday is now 6.14 since January 1 or 9.04 since September 1, 1939.

Read G. T. Want Ads. You may find a bargain in something needed.

LOSE PET DOG

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Chaffee are grieving over the loss of their dog, Fritz. The little fellow was struck by a car last Thursday and was so

badly injured that the police finished the job. Fritz was a neighborhood favorite and residents on the schoolhouse hill have expressed sincere regret at his untimely demise.

TO GIVE FREE DANCE

Braden-Bell Tractor and Equipment company, through its Heppner office, announces a free dance to be given Saturday evening, April 13, at the Willows grange hall in Ione. Music will be provided by

the Troubadors. The men are advised to wear overalls and to "come a runnin'."

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks and appreciation are extended to everyone who assisted us at the time of our bereavement, for the lovely flowers and expressions of sympathy that were so generously given.

Lera Crawford, John, Hugh and Calvin.
Cora D. Crawford and family.

Attend the Free Matinee---

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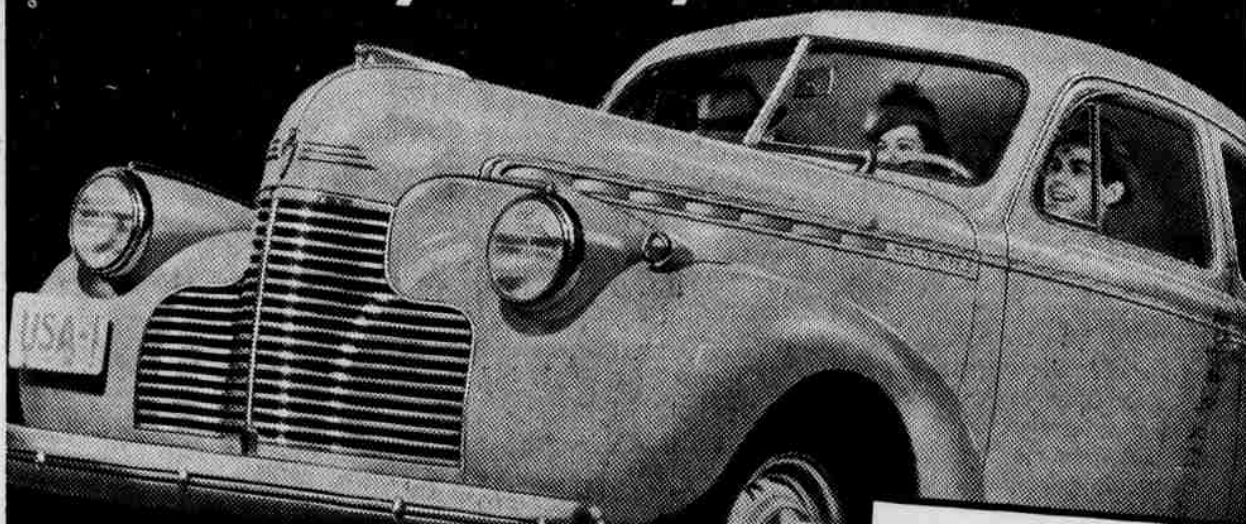
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