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Braden Announces Sale of Branch Stores in Oregon

Pendleton Firm Takes Over Stocks And Sales Agencies

Sale of Braden Tractor & Equipment company's four Oregon branches to the Empire Machinery company, with headquarters at Pendleton, was announced today by Clarence Braden, manager, at Walla Walla.

The branches at Pendleton, Heppner, Athena and Arlington are conveyed in the transaction. Braden will retain his Walla Walla and Dayton outlets and also retains all the real estate



CLARENCE BRADEN

of the six properties. Empire Machinery will occupy the quarters in the Oregon towns under lease.

Management of the new Oregon corporation will be vested in Jack Whiteman of Pendleton, who previously has operated an auto parts and supply business there with his brother, S. O. Whiteman. The latter intends to carry on in that enterprise, having purchased Jack Whiteman's interest.

Many employees of the Braden organization in the Oregon towns have purchased stock in the new corporation and only one change in personnel is announced.

That takes Howard Stone, Arlington manager, to Walla Walla to be general manager for Braden's Walla Walla and Dayton operations.

Braden, in announcing the sale, spoke in highest terms of the successors, stating, in a letter to the public that "we feel sure you will find them the kind of people with whom you will want to be associated."

Both companies are distributors for Caterpillar and John Deere equipment and implements, as well as other farming, logging and construction equipment.

Braden, a resident of Walla Walla since 1900, spent 10 years in the automotive parts business before purchasing the Walla Walla and Pendleton stores of the A. E. Page Machinery company effective January 1, 1931.

Branches at Heppner, Arlington, Athena and Dayton were added by Braden in the interim. The Braden firm had grown to be one of the inland Empire's largest of its kind.

In recent years Braden, besides managing this farflung organization, has given increasingly of his time to the community affairs in Walla Walla and to the management of farming interests.

Whiteman, general manager of the Empire company, is a son of Otis Whiteman, who has farmed both in Whitman county and in the Spafford district of Umatilla county, and has been among the civic leaders in the Round-Up city.

Marylou Ferguson Featured Guest Of Soroptimists

This was sack lunch day at the Soroptimist club of Heppner and the meeting was held at the Crawford home, with Mrs. C. C. Dunham as hostess. The program was music and Miss Marylou Ferguson presented four piano solos which completely captivated her audience.

The March birthdays were observed at today's meeting, with a cake and ice cream in the St. Patrick motif. The table decorations are also in keeping with the 17th of March.

Plans relative to their several projects were discussed. The invitation was read from the Soroptimist club of Salem to attend the Northwest Regional conference of Soroptimists to be held here April 14-17. The mayor of Salem has officially declared Sunday, April 16 as annual "Blossom Day" in honor of the visiting Soroptimists. Several from here expect to be in attendance at the three-day conference.

LODGE MEETING RALLY
Sans Souci Rebekah lodge will meet at 7 p. m. Friday. It was announced this morning.

Hospital Opening Not Definitely Set, Committee States

Opening date for the Morrow County Memorial hospital has been tentatively set for June 1, or thereabouts, P. W. Mahoney, chairman of the hospital committee stated to the Heppner chamber of commerce at the Monday luncheon. Matters over which the committee have no control have arisen which have made it impossible to set a definite date, Mahoney explained.

One of the chief reasons for the delay has been the inability to get delivery on metal beds. Latest information relative to the beds is that they will arrive about the middle of May. Delay was caused by the steel strike, it was stated.

The committee chairman asked the people to be patient about visiting the hospital. It has been necessary to keep the building locked until installations are all made and when everything is in readiness the committee, the manager and the county court will be more than pleased to show visitors around, the chairman said.

TRIP SOUTH BLEND WINTER AND SUMMER

The day Mr. and Mrs. John Lane left Heppner for a tour of California, John took pictures of the snow ridge in the center of Heppner's Main street. He continued his picture taking as they motored along the Columbia and in Portland and other points en route to California. They passed through and beyond Dunsmuir, Calif. before they began to get out of the snow belt, but by the time they reached southern California they found springlike conditions and spent several weeks basking in the warmer climate.

Returning home Mr. Lane offered to be members of his party that he could show them snow drifts in Portland. This was at least two weeks after the snow had disappeared generally, but he couldn't get a taker. Sure enough, in East Portland there were unmelting drifts, but John couldn't pick up some easy money from that fact.

It was a bit disappointing to have to give up the spring weather and return to the north, but having been used to the home brand of climate for many years and knowing what to expect they have not found life too hard to take.

Park Plans Give Fresh Impetus at JC Social Meeting

Fresh impetus was given the city park plans at the meeting of the Jaycees and Jayettes Wednesday evening when members of the park committee were present to discuss the question and review progress on the project to date. It was the monthly joint meeting of the two groups in which potluck dinner is served, and affairs in which they have a common interest are discussed.

Mrs. Edwin Dick was in charge of the program and introduced O. G. Crawford, chairman of the park committee, who gave an over-all picture of the project and stated that the committee had decided to wait until the county moved off of the lower end of the property before launching a movement to carry out the plans.

Glenn Parsons, committee member, offered his services in helping to map out plans and made his word good by drafting a tentative plan before retiring last night. Mayor Conley Lanham stated that the city is still desirous of having the property improved and that facilities of the city will be put at the disposal of the park committee wherever feasible.

Another meeting will be held soon, headed by the park committee, to look into the possibility of getting organized for immediate work on the park.

Mrs. Ed Gonty, Mrs. Richard O'Shea and Mrs. Kemp Dick were hostesses for last night's party. Following the program, bridge, canasta and pinocle were played with Mrs. Edwin Dick taking the honors in canasta, and W. J. Farra in pinocle.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Erwin, and Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Crawford were guests.

Two Heppner High Students Place in Dist. Speech Fest

Two Heppner high school students placed in the district speech festival held at Milton-Freewater Friday. Darlene Wise captured second place in the panel discussion and Joanne Bothwell placed third in the humorous contest.

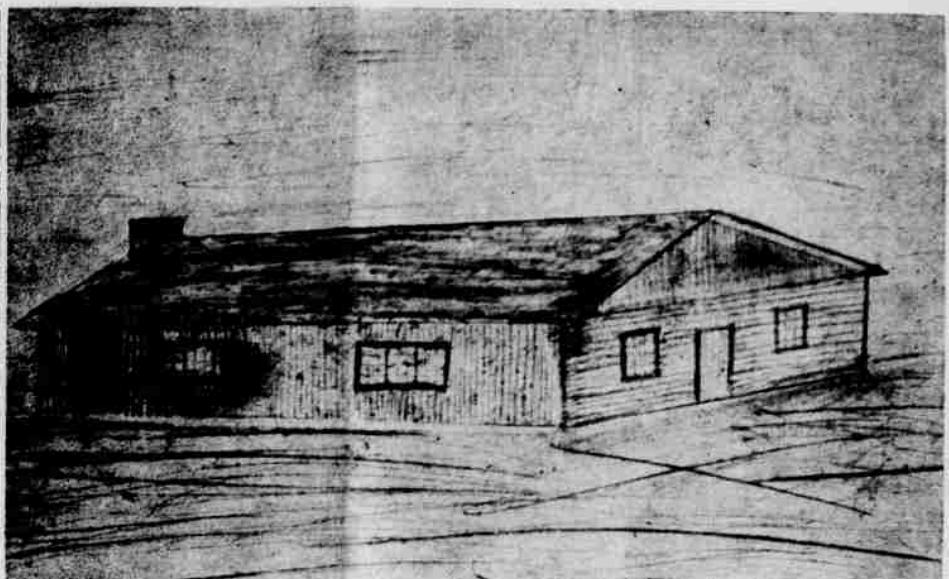
Competing from Heppner were Jim Smith, Mickey Lanham, Darlene Wise, Joanne Bothwell and Mary Gunderson.

Move Launched to Build Boy Scout Cabin Committee Plans Fund Campaign at Tuesday Meeting

A committee of representatives from several organizations of the city met Tuesday evening at the Legion hall and laid plans for launching a campaign to build a Boy Scout cabin in Heppner. Committeemen present were given contact assignments to make and report back at a meeting to be held at the civic center the evening of Friday, March 24, when it is hoped that final plans for the financial campaign will be completed.

Bill Davis, Scout master, has drawn up the plans as illustrated in the accompanying picture and the cash outlay is comparatively small. The building will be 32x54 feet and will be located on a lot near the creek bank opposite the Union Pacific stock yards. The 50x100 foot lot has been donated by P. W. Mahoney and will be deeded to Troop 61 in care of the sponsoring organization, which at present is Heppner post of the American Legion.

Davis has investigated costs and has received gratifying cooperation from building material manufacturers and dealers. It will require approximately 15,000 feet of lumber, on which the



Heppner Lumber company has set a price of \$400. Cement will cost \$216; gravel \$45; windows \$85; roofing \$60, and nails \$50, for a total of \$856.

To cover everything, Davis estimates it will require approximately \$1,500. That is on a basis of erecting the structure by voluntary work, and he has assurance of enough working equipment and skilled workmen to make the building operation a matter of short duration.

There is nothing elaborate about the plans. The designer had in mind something that will

be practical, not too difficult to maintain, and most of all a plant not requiring a heavy financial investment. The Forest Service has promised to make available lodgepole pine which will be split and used for the outside walls. The floor will be of concrete, tarpaper roofing will be used, the windows will be plain (barn type, Davis explained), and there will be no fancy adornments that cost money and have no practical value. A fireplace may be included if some one volunteers to build it, but Davis is not including it in present plans.

To meet building demands and to cover the expenses of two boys on a trip to Valley Forge, Pa. to attend the international convention of Boy Scouts, the committee set up a budget of \$2500. Some pledges have been received and assurances have been given that checks will be forthcoming. The committee is looking forward to generous response from the public and hopes to make the building a reality as soon as materials can be assembled and construction work done.

Hunters, Anglers To Meet Monday

Hunters and anglers of the county are being urged to attend a meeting at the courthouse in Heppner at 8 o'clock p. m. Monday. Object of the meeting, according to Willard Blake, is to revive the organization and get a program of activity started right away. A feature of the business session will be the nomination and election of officers.

Highlight of the meeting will be the showing of two wildlife films by a representative of the federal wildlife division.

Anyone interested in wild life has a cordial invitation to attend the meeting, Blake said.

EXAMINER COMING

A drivers license examiner will be on duty at the city hall in Heppner between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. Tuesday, March 21. Persons wishing licenses or permits to drive are asked to get in touch with the examiner well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure completion of their applications with a minimum of delay.

Roads For Every Section of County Court's Program

Roads for every section of the county, usable roads, that is, included in the program mapped by the county court. This does not mean highways in the accepted term of the day, but it is the court's desire to build a system of roads that will provide safe and practical transportation throughout the year. This, in effect, was the gist of a talk made by Judge Garnet Barratt before the chamber of commerce luncheon group Monday noon at the Elkhorn cafe.

To give hearers a better understanding of the problems confronting the court, the judge displayed a map including the roads and highways of the county. This showed 162 miles of state aided highways within the borders of the county. Unfinished is the portion of the Oregon-Washington highway from Lena to the Umatilla county line, approximately 10 miles. A crew will be moving in soon to oil an additional six miles of the Heppner - Spray highway between Hardman and the mouth of Chap. in creek.

The court is not inclined to undertake an oiling program on the county-operated roads. With the possible exception of about four miles of the Rietmann grade out of Ione, there will be no further work of that kind, at least until trunk and spur roads leading into the various districts have been improved. That will require several years. It will be necessary to re-oil the Ione-Gooseberry section of some eight miles which is in poor condition at present, but no extensions are contemplated out of county road funds, the judge said.

Mrs. Charles Flint left by Union Pacific Streamliner from Pendleton Wednesday evening for Ames, Iowa to spend several days with her husband and her family. She will be gone 10 days. Mr. Flint will graduate from the Iowa State college in June.

Scouts and Parents Join at Dinner and Court of Honor Saturday Evening

Over one hundred Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and parents attended the banquet and Court of Honor held Saturday evening at the Legion hall. Rev. Elton Tull was general chairman of the event and was ably assisted by Bill Davis, Scout Master. Robert Lamont, scout executive and Jerry Jessup, president of the Blue Mountain Council, Walla Walla, were present for the affair.

Immediately following the dinner, Don Bennett, Cub Master, presented bob-cat pins to the cub scouts who were eligible for them. After this, a thirty minute technical film, "The Realm of Grady," was shown by Kenneth Keeling of the U. S. Forest Service. This film showed the various wild animals, their natural habitat and food and stressed the importance of keeping wild game within the fixed limits.

The Court of Honor was presided over by Robert Lamont, scout executive, in place of Ted Smith who was unable to attend. Scouts promoted to second class include Victor Groschen, Raymond Grady, Neil Beamer, Mike Monahan, Gary Jones and Arlo McRoberts. These badges were presented by Basil Burnstad, Boys advancing to First Class Scouts were Jim Wightman, Stephen Green, Melvin Olson, Carl Olson, Neil Connor with Glen Parsons making the presentation of badges. Jerry Jessup, president of the Blue Mountain Council, presented badges to the following: Life Scouts, Wesley Marriott, Jim Green and Terry Thompson.

Twenty members of the Morrow County Shrine Club and Auxiliary who reside at Kinzua were hosts Saturday evening at the Masonic Hall in Heppner for dinner and the regular meeting of the club. At this time Miss Blanche Davis of Lonerock was chosen as princess to represent the Morrow County Shrine Club and Auxiliary at the Shrine Rodeo which is to be held in Portland April 21 through 30. Other coon were Miss Marylou Ferguson of Heppner and Miss Virginia Smith of Ione. As part of the evening's entertainment, Miss Ferguson played several piano solos and Miss Davis gave a very clever impersonation of the radio character, "Minnie Pearl."

J. L. Rosewall of Enterprise was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rosewall. The gentlemen are brothers.

Roy Campbell of Lexington was shopping in Heppner Monday.

Onez Parker is here from Everett, Washington for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Teague and son, Carl of Montrose, Colo. were recent houseguests of Mrs. Teague's father, Roy Thomas and Mrs. Thomas. Carl has just been discharged from the U. S. Navy and was met in California by his parents.

Girl Scout week is being observed in Heppner by the various troops. Troop No. 1 under the leadership of Mrs. Stephen Thompson, have a very interesting project displayed in the window of Humphrey's Drug Store. In the center of the display is a large globe of the world. This is surrounded by cleverly made rag dolls, dressed in the costume of each nation, and attached by a string to that particular spot on the globe which is the country represented by the doll. The American flag, scout banner and pledge make a colorful backdrop to the arrangement. The dolls were made and dressed by the members of the troop and clearly

show that a good deal of time and thought went into their construction.

Ervin Anderson motored to Pendleton Sunday to visit his mother who is in a convalescent home there.

Mr. and Mrs. LeVerne Van Marter drove to Pendleton Monday evening to attend a dinner party for which Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodge, Jr. were hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Parker returned to their home in Pasco Sunday after spending the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clive Huston.

Charles Shoene of Ritter was a business visitor in Heppner the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Jones, Mrs. Raymond Ferguson, Mrs. Leonard Schwarz and Mrs. J. O. Turner were in Portland Monday to attend the funeral services for the late Mrs. William V. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Palmer of Lexington were business visitors in Heppner Monday.

Brownie Scout Troop No. 3 held its annual birthday party at the civic center Monday afternoon. Guests were the members of Mrs. Keith Slayter's troop. Thirty-one youngsters were present. Mothers present included Mesdames Nels Anderson, A. M. Casebeer, Keith Slayter, J. W. Farra, Victor Groschen, M. E. Wightman, Richard Meador and Miss Leona Graham. Birthday cake, ice cream slices and cool-aid were served.

Mrs. Merle Kirk, Mrs. Donald Robinson, Mrs. Letha Archer, Mrs. Alex Green and Mrs. Blanche Brown motored to Stanfield Saturday evening to attend the open house of Utaite Rebekah lodge at which time the Decoration of Chivalry was conferred upon Mrs. Norman Hanna of Stanfield. The ceremony presented by the Odd Fellows Canton No. 3 and the Ladies Auxiliary Patriarchs Militant of Pendleton was well attended by Rebekahs and Odd Fellows from several Eastern Oregon cities. After the closing ceremonies, the grand march was presented followed by a well-rounded program of entertainment of solo singing, tap and ballet dancing, piano solos and humorous recitations. Former Heppnerites, Mr. and Mrs. Oral M. Scott, now of Hermiston, were present for the evening.

Mrs. Allen Case left Sunday for Portland where she was called by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Ida Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Depree of Longview and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Arrington of Cumberland, Wn., spent the week end here with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Yeager.

Several members of Willows Lodge No. 66, L.O.O.F. drove over to Pendleton Tuesday evening taking two candidates, Thomas Allen and Robert Waggoner, who were given the first degree of Eureka Lodge. Others making the trip included N. D. Bailey, Jesse C. Payne, Jack Edmondson, Durward Tash, R. G. McMurtry and Mac McRoberts.

W. R. Van Dursal, regional chief of operations of the Soil Conservation Service, Portland, was an official visitor to the Heppner district Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayers, Mrs. J. C. Payne and Michael Furlong motored to The Dalles Wednesday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Coxen and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Austin.

Mrs. W. H. Cleveland has returned from a fortnight's visit to Portland and Gresham.

Mrs. Akers First To Turn in Report

Mrs. Burl Akers of the Gooseberry section gained the honor of being the first Red Cross worker to report in the 1950 Fund Campaign for the Morrow County Chapter of the Red Cross which will last through the month of March. From twenty contributors she received \$130 which sets a high standard for the campaign.

Since the list of workers was published in last week's paper four new workers have been added. They are Mrs. Frank Wilkinson, Willow Creek, Mrs. Earl McKinney, Lower Rhea Creek, Mrs. David Reimann, North of Ione and Mrs. Ruby O. Roberts, Ione. Residents of Ione are asked to take their contributions to Mrs. Roberts at the postoffice. Ione will not be solicited door to door because of the inability of the leaders of the campaign to secure anyone to head up the solicitation.

Boardman to Host Grade, High School Speech Festival

Schools of the county will be guests of the Boardman school Friday when both grade and high school students converge here for the annual school speech festival. The festival will have the cooperation of the Eastern Oregon College of Education which is providing the judges, Dr. Roy Skeen and Alvin Kaiser.

The following program has been arranged: 1 to 1:30, general assembly in the school auditorium. One-thirty to 4, grade school will meet in auditorium; high school in room 1 of high school. 4:15 to 5:45, first movie (first showing). 5:15 to 6:15, dinner in cafeteria. 6:15 to 7:15, second showing of movie. 7:30, one-act plays by the high schools. Intermission numbers will be taken from grade school humorous readings.

Heppner high school will be represented by Marion Green, Darlene Wise, Jim Smith, Mickey Lanham, Mary Gunderson, Vern Bell, Joanne Bothwell, Jim Orwick, Jerry Stiles and Loren Piper. Grade school representatives are Ronald Currin, Carl Olson, Sally Palmer, Larry Lindsey, Marilyn Munkers, Victor Groschen, Alice Peterson and James Monahan.

James Kenny of Heppner, was recently initiated into membership of the EOC chapter of Phi Beta Sigma, national education fraternity. Eligibility for membership is based on scholastic ability and personal qualities necessary for success as a teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Gronewald and son of Walla Walla were weekend guests of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson.

RETURN FROM CUBA

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith returned Tuesday evening from their airplane trip to Cuba. The air caravan encountered high winds on the island and contemplated deep sea fishing trips had to be cancelled because of the rough seas.

Duty Of Operating "White Angel" Rests With V.F.W.

Morrow's county's fine new Cadillac ambulance, now on duty in Heppner, will be operated by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, sponsors of the "White Angel." This decision has been made through the concurrence of donors, who felt that the veterans were entitled to this recognition.

In preparation for operation of the ambulance, several veterans took and passed the Red Cross course in first aid the past year. They will continue their training in driving and handling the equipment, which is just about the last word in ambulance service.

Many people have inspected the ambulance since Frank Turner brought it from Portland the middle of last week and only words of admiration have resulted. It is equipped to haul four patients, should occasion arise, and has facilities for first aid which make it a virtual hospital on wheels.

James H. Driscoll, representing the Veterans of Foreign Wars, attended the chamber of commerce Monday noon and expressed the thanks of his organization for the support given in raising the funds for purchase of the ambulance. The thanks were to all who had contributed.

STANDARD OIL SALESMAN LOCATES IN HEPPNER

G. C. M. Smith, general salesman for the Standard Oil company covering the east end of The Dalles district, has located in Heppner after working his district out of The Dalles since taking over the position left open by the death of Jack Harris early last year. Mr. Smith has rented an apartment at the James Hager residence on South Chase street. He has a wife and three children.

The east Dalles territory comprises Arlington, Condon, Fossil, Heppner and Ione.

Lone Rock Lass Chosen Princess For Shrine Rodeo

Kinzua Shriners and their wives motored to Heppner Saturday afternoon to attend the Morrow County Shrine club meeting. George Close, president of the club presided. At this time a princess for the annual Shrine rodeo to be held in Portland in April was chosen. Of the three candidates proposed, Miss Blanche Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Davis of Lone Rock was successful. The others were Virginia Smith of Ione and Marylou Ferguson of Heppner. Having lived her life on a stock ranch, Miss Davis is an experienced horse woman. She was queen of the Arlington rodeo one year. She is a graduate of the Condon high school. As representative of the Morrow County Shrine club she will be in the voting for the queen of the Shrine rodeo, April 21-29.

A delicious steak dinner was served at the Masonic hall under the direction of James C. Walker. Attending from Kinzua and Fossil were Mr. and Mrs. George Close, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Brown, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Slip Wright, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cook, Andrew Staig and Mrs. George Duke of Fossil.

William (Pop) Owens was laid to rest Tuesday afternoon at Fossil. He passed away at The Dalles Saturday after a long illness. He was 81 years old. He is survived by several children, two of whom, Nancy, Joe and Jack Owens, live here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Matteson and Don Brock motored to Yakima Sunday where they had an audition on Station KIT.

Mrs. Matt Jurk returned home Saturday evening after spending Thursday and Friday at The Dalles where she underwent a series of x-rays for an internal disorder. She has been placed on a rigid diet and will return to her doctor in a few days.

Mrs. Glen Williams was hostess for a bridal shower Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Bill Cassion.

Marvin Jones returned to work Tuesday after having his forearm painfully injured in the rollers of the saw last week. The arm wasn't broken, as x-rays taken at Condon revealed.

Howard Bird went to Arlington Wednesday evening to get Mrs. Bird who was returning from Portland where she has spent the past two weeks taking medical treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Galyean and daughter Roberta of Roseburg have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hopkins for several days. Former residents here they have been visiting numerous friends.

Mrs. Betty Shell spent Friday and Saturday at Arlington visiting at the home of her son Bill and family.

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Only One Office Gives Promise of Campaign Rivalry

Two Out Of Five Filings Are For County Treasurer

Only one office which is to be filled at the biennial state election this year attracted more than one candidate. This was the office of treasurer for Morrow county. There is no inter-party rivalry at that, since one candidate filed for the republican nomination and one for the democratic.

Seven candidates in all filed up to and including March 10. Two of these, state representative and county attorney, file with the secretary of state, leaving five aspirants for office who file with the county clerk.

Since L. W. Briggs, veteran treasurer, decided not to enter the race, Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, who is teaching her last year of school prior to retirement, was prevailed upon to file for the office as the republican candidate. At the same time, Mrs. Lester Wyman (Irene Kilkenny), decided to file on the democratic ticket.

One of the surprises coming out of the filing was that Ralph Thompson, the surprise being on him. Thompson had decided he would not be a candidate to succeed himself and thought he was out of the race. His friends who thought otherwise and petitions were circulated at the last minute and were filled just about as fast as the circulators could present them to voters in different parts of the county. With this kind of support brought into evidence there was nothing the commissioner could do but drop into the clerk's office and file.

W. O. Dix has qualified for the office of assessor to succeed himself, as have J. O. Hager of the 6th district and W. E. Garner of the 5th district for the posts of justice of the peace.

Bradley Fancher has filed for county attorney and Henry Peterson for representative from the 22nd district. Both are republicans.

Final Rites Held Tuesday For Mrs. Wm. V. Crawford

Family and friends were shocked and deeply grieved at the passing of Mrs. William V. Crawford in Portland Friday afternoon, March 10. Death came without warning while she was in a hospital receiving treatment.

Memorial services were held at St. Michael's and All Angels Episcopal church in Portland at 10 o'clock a. m. Monday, and the body was brought to Heppner that afternoon. Graveside services were conducted by Rev. Elton L. Tull at 11 a. m. Tuesday. Pallbearers were Alva W. Jones, Floyd Jones, J. O. Turner, Leonard Schwarz, R. B. Ferguson and Dr. C. C. Dunham.

Isabel Wilson was born January 1, 1902 in Ireland. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson who, going through grade and high schools here, and on November 15, 1922, married William V. Crawford, a Heppner native son. They resided in Portland for some time and moved to San Francisco where Mr. Crawford was engaged in the insurance business for a number of years. About 12 years ago they returned to Portland where they resided since.

Surviving besides the husband are their two daughters, Nan, Mrs. Richard Zeisler of Portland, and JoAnn, Mrs. Richard Horton of Los Angeles. Four brothers, Robert Wilson, Boardman; George Wilson, Hood River; James Wilson, Portland; and David Wilson, Heppner; three sisters, Mrs. John Dobson, who resides in Ireland; Mrs. Jess Deok, Hood River and Mrs. Alva Jones, Heppner.

Accompanying the family from Portland were Creston Maddock and Mr. Hayes of the Royalty Group insurance office where Mr. Crawford is employed.

TORRE UP HOTEL ROOM

William Edward DeLay, a recent arrival from Texas, was taken into custody Tuesday evening by Officer Charles Gommil and Sheriff C. J. Bauman for creating a disturbance at Hotel Heppner. The officers reported that DeLay, just about wrecked the bedroom in which he was staying.

Mrs. Ruth Valentine entertained several young guests Wednesday evening at a dinner party in honor of her daughter Karen's 10th birthday. The guest list included Peggy Applegate, Joann Bronson, Carol Groschen, Phyllis Quackenbush, Janice Beamer, Helen and Jean Marie Graham and Kay Valentine.