

WILL TALK AT MEETING

LECT TO ADDRESS CO. FARMERS

DISCUSSION

MATTERS WILL OF MALHEUR PRESENTATIVE.

Meeting of the Malheur Bureau will take place at 7:30 p. m., December 15th at the hall, beginning at 8:00 p. m. The program has with Governor-elect as the speaker of an event to which members look forward one day in the future. Farmers from all county get together mutual problems.

John Reece will be in charge by the farm at noon.

The farm bureau are a circular letter to farm bureau office invitation to their

The farm bureau farmer should attend this meeting member or not. The

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P. T. A. MEETS

The P-T. A. met last Tuesday evening, with a goodly number present. The program consisted of papers by Mrs. Dick Tensen and Mrs. W. W. Foster and a report of the county council by Mrs. Paine. Musical numbers by some of the pupils of Mrs. Frank Stubbs' piano class were greatly appreciated. The program committee appointed for next meeting are Mrs. Dick Tensen, Mrs. C. W. Reberger and Mrs. A. Sinclair. With this committee in charge we are looking forward to a good program. Everybody is welcome. Show your interest in the P-T. A. by your attendance and help when called upon.

Big Success

Go-to-church Sunday on December 3 was a big success, both morning and evening, services being well attended. A good many Nyssaites experienced a new sensation on this occasion and discovered to their surprise that going to church wasn't such a painful ordeal as they had imagined. They intimate that they may try it again some time.

KINGMAN KOLONY

John Reece has been leveling and fencing his Kolony place preparatory to planting a prune orchard.

A meeting of the ditch board held at the Beaumont home Saturday evening at which time the budget for the ensuing year was compiled.

Miss Elsie Elliott has completed her work in the Red Cross drive and reports a satisfactory response from the Kolony people.

The teachers and students enjoyed Thanksgiving vacation Thursday and Friday. During the vacation several improvements were made in the school building.

Alvin, Leslie and Oscar Schaffer and Moxie Simon have gone to Cascade Idaho, to work in the timber.

V. V. Hickox of Big Bend and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Groeling of the Kolony were called to Weiser Friday to see their sons, who were hurt in the Thanksgiving football game. Merritt Groeling was not seriously hurt, but Averitt Hickox received rather serious injuries.

Miss Bernice Martin was home from Nyssa and Miss Eulalia Schaffer from Roswell during vacation.

Miss Homan spent the week end at her home in Ontario.

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Local News of Interest Briefly Told

J. M. Duncan, who had a contract for grading and graveling three miles of the Nyssa-Jordan Valley Market road in the Warren district, has completed the work and the residents in that neck of the woods are greatly pleased at the result.

Mrs. A. M. Andros of Ontario was a guest at the home of Mrs. Adda Wilson Sunday.

Barney Wilson, Aden Wilson and Albert Cook made a hunting trip to Hope Sunday after the festive duck, and returned with a number of fine specimens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lackey have moved to LaGrande to reside, where Mr. Lackey will operate a boot and shoe repair shop. He has sold his shop in Nyssa to Larkin Bros., who will continue the business.

L. M. Purcell was a Caldwell visitor the first of the week.

Jack Lynch was a business visitor in Ontario Saturday.

Councilman W. B. Hoxie and Attorney E. M. Blodgett were transacting business at the county seat Thursday.

Jennie Newby is taking a business course at Link's Business college of Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Willis spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cole at Payette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller of Arcadia spent Thanksgiving day with friends in Vale.

Toney Broer, who has farmed the Ehrgood place for the past three years, has moved to Kelso, Wash., to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Crawford visited Sunday at the Seymour Ross home near Ontario.

Frank Newbill this week sold his residence property on First street to William Canfield; consideration, \$550.

C. Klinkenberg made a trip to Parma for the Boise Payette Lumber company on Monday with a load of lumber.

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was held Monday evening, with a full board present. Outside of allowing bills and other routine work, adopting the budget was the principal business of the evening. The budget as printed in the Journal last week was adopted without change.

A very enjoyable social was held at the Presbyterian church basement Monday evening and was attended by a good representation of the people of Nyssa, about 100 being present. It was the regular monthly get-together meeting of the community church. A sumptuous supper was served and the evening was pleasantly spent with music and social converse.

Dr. B. N. MacLafferty has returned to his home at Aberdeen, Wash., after a Thanksgiving visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacLafferty, and other relatives.

C. C. Hunt returned the first of the week from Portland, where he spent Thanksgiving with his daughter, Lilly May.

Ed Warren and family are moving into Mrs. Pearl Bingman's property this week.

Ernest Wilson is remodeling his house and putting in a new furnace. The work is being done by the Fenn boys.

Jess Thompson arrived home Saturday evening from Portland, where he has been taking medical treatment.

Dorothy Dean from Payette visited her friend Georgia Thompson Sunday week.

Tony DeVries and family are now settled on the Ehrgood ranch, which he has leased for the coming year.

G. W. Oglesby and family moved into the Ward property from Pete Tensen's ranch, on Tuesday.

Gertrude Tensen is staying at Artie Robinson's home in Nyssa and has accepted a position as clerk at Wilson Bros.' store.

Frank Leuck and family visited at the J. R. Elliott home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stubbs and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson.

Nelson Stubbs spent last week with his pal, J. R. Elliott, of the Owyhee.

Mr. and Mrs. D. MacLafferty celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary on Wednesday, November 29. The event was observed with a family reunion at their home near Nyssa, a large number of relatives being present.

Charles Gossett, a prominent farmer of the Arcadia neighborhood, has moved to a farm which he has leased near Nampa, Idaho.

WANT LOCAL INSTITUTES

TEACHERS REQUEST PLACE ON COUNTY FAIR BOARD AND PROMISE COOPERATION.

At a meeting of the executive of the Malheur county division of the Oregon State Teachers' Association held at Ontario, Saturday morning, December 1st, the following measures were discussed and approved:

First: That the Malheur County Teachers' Association wishes to assure the county fair board of its desire to co-operate in every way possible with the board in its task of making the annual county fair a success. Furthermore, the association desires to be represented as a voting member of the board in order that it may thus co-operate most wisely.

Second: That, if possible, arrangements be made with the county school superintendent for the holding of local institutes throughout the county in the spring rather than for one general institute. The decision as to the various sectional divisions is to be left to the county superintendent.

Third: That a sum of \$30 be appropriated from the funds of the Malheur County Teachers' Association partially to defray the expenses of the delegates to the meeting of the Oregon State Teachers' Association which is to be held in Portland during the Christmas holidays.

BODY OF ONE IS FOUND

TWO WEISER BOYS PLUNGE TO DEATH FROM INTER-STATE BRIDGE LAST SUNDAY.

The body of Howard Lee, the 17-year-old Weiser boy who was drowned in the Snake river at Weiser Sunday morning, was recovered at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by a volunteer crew, which had been dragging the river since the accident. The body was found about a third of the way from the Oregon bank, 100 yards from the spot where spectators saw the boy go down for the last time. The body of his companion, Gerald Evans, has not been found.

The boys were drowned when the car in which they were driving across the Idaho-Oregon bridge west of Weiser, struck an obstruction on the bridge, which was being repaired at the time, and plunged through the railing to drop into the icy water of the river 60 feet below. The boys came to the surface and swam some 200 yards down stream before they sank. They made a vain attempt to reach the railing of the bridge which was floating ahead of them. D. M. Hancock and George Lee witnessed the accident but were powerless to aid the young men as the current is exceedingly strong and dangerous at this point.

Mrs. Emma Evans, mother of Gerald, watched her husband, a 12-year-old son and a 14-year-old daughter drown in the same stream 14 years ago in a spot just 25 miles below the scene of the present accident. Lee was the son of Mr. and Mrs. S.

WARREN DISTRICT.

The Warren district will henceforth be called the Oregon Trail district, and our school, the Oregon Trail school.

Our school gave a very delightful Thanksgiving program on Wednesday evening. Both teachers and pupils are to be congratulated on the well selected and well rendered numbers of the program. The music might be specially mentioned as showing the most improvement by the school, but the whole program gave evidence of careful training and good work on the part of teachers and pupils alike.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Beam had the J. M. Beam family of Nyssa as guests at Thanksgiving dinner Thursday.

Our P-T. A. circle will meet Wednesday afternoon to finish some special work for the benefit of the piano fund.

E. E. Dean and family of Emmett drove down to Nyssa for Thanksgiving dinner at Dwight Smith's, and spent the week end in this vicinity with friends and relatives.

Our teachers, Miss Poole and Miss Secoy, spent Thanksgiving vacation at their homes in Ontario.

Marvin Warren moved his family from Nyssa to the old Warren homestead last week. We are glad to welcome them in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson served the regulation turkey dinner to a number of guests from Ontario Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fry made a business trip to Payette Monday.

L. S. Patterson has been busy installing new seats and desks so long delayed in shipping, so our school children will find better accommodations after the Thanksgiving vacation.

Sheep are coming in to the feeding grounds almost daily. A large band was driven to the J. B. Smith ranch Sunday.

SANTA CLAUS BASKET.

The Ladies' Aid are preparing a basket of pretty and useful Christmas gifts for each member of the family. About ten days or two weeks before Christmas the ladies will call upon you at your home with their basket full of gifts and you may have your choice for a nominal sum. You in turn are asked to have ready a gift for the basket when the ladies call to replenish the basket. Wait for the Santa Claus basket before purchasing your Christmas gifts.

Fighting Weeds.

In sections of the Northwest the fruit growers cover the fields with roofing paper, cutting out round holes for the melon hills. It has been found that by this practice all weeds are smothered and there is a big saving in labor for cultivation and irrigation.

Cabbage in the British Isles.

The Romans are credited with introducing cabbage into England, and the soldiers of Cromwell carried it to Scotland, and made it popular there, as they did also in Ireland, according to tradition.

H. Lee of Weiser.

The car has been recovered. District Attorney R. D. Lytle examined the scene of the accident the first of the week and he asserts he does not consider that any liability can be placed upon Malheur county.

TURKEY PRICE IS DOWN

BUYERS CLAIM MARKET IS OVERLOADED BY BIRDS FROM OUTSIDE.

"The wind-up of the Thanksgiving turkey deal was rather unsatisfactory in most markets," says Swift & Company in a recent bulletin. "Seattle and Portland markets carried over considerable surplus to slow demand from consumers and heavy unexpected receipts. San Francisco market was entirely demoralized Wednesday before Thanksgiving due to the heaviest receipts in the history of their business. It is estimated that 30,000 pounds of turkeys were carried over which will have to be disposed of at Christmas or later as frozen stock. Chicago and Central West markets were also over-supplied.

"Understand the Eastern markets cleaned up pretty good on account of their being so far away from the points of production that the late arrivals of heavy receipts could not be delivered at these points for Thanksgiving business. We are also advised that there will be heavy importations of turkeys for Christmas from Canada, France, Argentine and Australia.

"Taking into consideration all of these factors, it is evident we will have to figure on lower prices on turkeys for Christmas. Before Thanksgiving we estimated a 35 per cent increase in the crop available in this territory over last year. From the indications of the past few days, we believe this increase is about 50 per cent. Had it not been for a shipment of a number of cars out of our territory to distant markets, there is no doubt but what the local market would have been entirely demoralized.

"With the heavy supply still to be marketed, it will be necessary to make some early shipments for December and we will send out our next quotations for delivery as follows:

"Live birds from the 7th to the 10th.

"Dressed birds from the 8th to the 11th.

Forcier—"Fray? What are you talking about?"

Gilbert—"This book says Ivanhoe was wounded in the fray."

Glen—"Look out, look out, you'll catch fire."

Elwood—"What's the matter with you?"

Glen—"Don't go breathing over here when I got this match lit."

"We again urge even marketing and advise, as we did a month ago, to market your Christmas birds early if they are fat and in prime condition. Hold the balance until they are ready. A good many thin birds were killed at Thanksgiving time which should have been fed and fattened until Christmas. The general quality, however, was better than a year ago.

"Caution: Too much care cannot be taken in bleeding, dressing and cooling out your birds if you do your own killing. Be sure that every bird dressed is absolutely free from feathers and pin feathers with the exception of the small feathers on the wing tips up to the first joint, which should be left on.

"Suggest you write us now or notify our local buyer number of birds you will have ready for the market.

FOSTER SELLS OUT.

S. F. Foster has sold out his drug store to a Mr. McCoy of Pendleton, who expects to take charge about the first of February. Mr. Foster has conducted a successful drug business in Nyssa for many years and has many friends who will be sorry to lose him from Nyssa business circles. He has interests at Baker which require his attention and where his family has been living for the past two years.

George Green made a trip to Boise Sunday and while there visited Uncle Billie Kerwin, who is in a hospital there, taking medical treatment. He reports Mr. Kerwin almost as good as new.

TURKEY NETS GOOD SUM

RAFFLED OFF THREE TIMES AND NETS \$50—DONATION FOR UNCLE BILLIE.

Fifty dollars for a turkey is not such a bad price, even in these days of high cost of living. One Nyssa turkey had the distinction of commanding this price, and thereby hangs a tale. A number of Uncle Billie Kerwin's many friends concluded that they would give him a pleasant surprise for Thanksgiving to help defray the costs of his hospital service, so Jack Hunter, of McConnon fame, donated a fat turkey, which was raffled off and brought \$39, Mrs. Thomas Barton being the lucky winner. She gave the bird back and it was again raffled off, this time netting \$8.50. This brought the fund up to \$47.50 and Sid Burbridge concluded that they might as well make it even \$50, so he donated the necessary \$2.50. The money was turned over to Uncle Billie and everybody was happy, especially Jack Guffey, who had the turkey for his Thanksgiving dinner.

ARCADIA

Miss Beth Howey went to Boise Wednesday and had her tonsils taken out. She was able to go back to her school Monday morning.

The Thanksgiving program at the school house Tuesday afternoon was well attended. Mrs. Davis and Miss Howey had trained the children so well that not a blunder was made from beginning to end of the program.

Chester Lackey and family are staying in Ontario through the illness of the former's father, J. A. Lackey, who was operated on last Wednesday for rupture.

Charlie Gossett and family have moved to their new home in Nampa. Mr. and Mrs. Gossett have lived in this vicinity for several years and will be missed by their many friends.

A young folks' party was given at the home of J. G. Matheny Saturday night in honor of the 17th birthday of Miss Mary Matheny.

The Sunday school at Arcadia has been changed from 3 o'clock in the afternoon to 10 o'clock in the morning.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dail Tuesday night which was highly enjoyed by the young people of the neighborhood. Miss Lucile and Helen Clement came over to the party and Lucile spent the night with Bertha Dail and Helen with Ethel Bullard.

A light blanket of snow fell here in the early part of Sunday night but soon melted away after the sun came up Monday morning.

Make your Christmas selections here. Useful and attractive hand made gifts on display Tuesday, December 15. Mrs. J. Lynch.—Adv. 48-2t

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE.

Plans for the community Christmas tree are now under way and big results are expected.

The entertainment will be held in the Liberty theater building Sunday evening, Dec. 24th, at 7:30.

A large tree, beautifully decorated, will be erected and a treat will be given every child in the community. The arrangements are under the direction of the Commercial Club.

The program will consist of a community sing, the old familiar songs, and a pageant dramatizing the nativity of Christ. A committee of ladies have the program now under way and every child who expects to be in the program should be in attendance at the rehearsals.

Papal Hat Worn in 360.

Originally the tiara or triple crown of the pope, was a plain high cap, much like those in which dogs of Venice are so often represented in oil pictures. It was first introduced by Pope Nicholas I, in 860. Just when the first coronet was added is a matter of uncertainty, but the second was placed by Pope Boniface VIII in 1295 and the third by Pope Urban V, about 1368.

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PETITIONS ASK FOR RAISE IN SALARIES

CONTENTION THAT EFFICIENT WORK NOT ASSURED

SAVING IS VERY SMALL

TAXPAYERS ASK TO SUPPORT COUNTY OFFICERS IN MAINTAINING STANDARD.

Petitions, asking that the deputies in the offices of County Clerk Sackett, Sheriff Noe and Assessor Graham be paid the salaries asked for in the original estimates given the budget committee by these officers, are being circulated throughout the county and will be presented to the budget hearing meeting on December 20.

The text of the petition is as follows:

To the Honorable County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, and Budget Committee:

We, the undersigned, citizens and taxpayers of Malheur County, Oregon, respectfully petition this honorable body to again look into the matter of the reduction of salaries of the several deputy officers of this county, and if consistent with good business and economy, give these officers the amount asked for in the different budgets which were presented to you by the officers of this county.

The amount of money in question is so small, where distributed as a tax to each individual, that your petitioners feel and believe that your body would not hesitate to make this allowance as asked for. The entire amount is only \$680, distributed as a tax against a \$15,000,000 tax roll. This is equal to about four cents on each \$1000 assessment. It is a small sum to ask of you, yet the underlying principle is not small. In a year's time it means a considerable to the individual drawing the salary. Your body certainly realizes that efficiency counts for much in this work, and if you do not pay, you do not get efficiency. It has been our observation that the deputies in question have been faithful in this work. These men stand ready to give service to the people at any time, whether during office hours or at other times, and they are entitled to be paid for efficient service.

Bearing these acts in mind, we earnestly petition your body to allow these men a salary commensurate with their worth and ability, and that you allow the sheriff \$150 for a tax deputy instead of \$135, and \$125 for an office deputy instead of \$112.50; that you allow the county clerk one deputy at \$125 per month instead of \$112.50; that you allow the county assessor one deputy at \$125 per month instead of \$112.50.

We feel that no honest taxpayer would or could censure this body for such action.

FARM BUREAU MEETING

VALE BRANCH OFFICERS FOR 1923 WILL BE ELECTED NEXT SATURDAY.

For the purpose of deciding upon a program of work for next year and electing officers for that period members of the Vale Farm Bureau will meet next Saturday at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the public library, according to a notice sent out by V. T. Herrett, chairman of the local bureau.

E. B. Conklin will represent the county Farm Bureau and County Agent L. R. Breithaupt and Club Agent W. D. Kinder will assist in the meeting.

After the business features some entertainment will be given. The complete program is not reported but it will contain a violin solo by Mr. Kinder and reading of Riley's poems by Mr. Conklin.

Everyone interested in farm bureau work in this district is urged by Chairman Herrett to be present.

"Seventh Century."

If you were on the Mount of Olives today, or along the shores of the Jordan, you might hear the whir of the propeller as the plane from Jerusalem hops off on its regular flight to the northward, with mail and passengers. An appealing fact in the news of the day? It might be called the Seventh Century. The thinker has at least captured the Holy land which for 20 centuries successfully resisted the soldier.—Farm Life.

Breed of Irish Lions.

Lions are bred in confinement more successfully in the Dublin Zoological gardens than anywhere else in the world.

Milk for Sale—Either delivered at the house.—W. W. Foster.—Adv.