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HEPPNER WINS 10 TO 5 FROM CONDON

Wheat City Batters Fail to Hit in Pinches.—Rain Prevents Fast Ball.

Heppner ball tossers and fans journeyed through 42 miles of all kinds of weather last Sunday to take a second fall out of the Condon aggregation. The return trip was made through only one kind of weather, however. It rained in torrents all the way home.

As the umpire, our own Hugo Siebolds, started the game in motion, rain drops began to gently fall and almost throughout the entire two hours of playing, Jupiter Pluvius showed his disgust at the way the Condon boys played ball.

Heppner was somewhat reinforced by Hopkins, Rietmann and Cochran, star infield men of the Ione team.

Rietmann, playing in center field, succeeded in getting three hits out of five times at bat. Cochran batted five hundred per cent while Hopkins got two walks. Fulwider met the ball for a long drive on three occasions but Brown, who played a stellar game at center field for Condon, pulled two of them down.

Heppner started the scoring and led all the way through. The teams were:

Heppner—Jaynes 3b, Hopkins ss, Rietmann cf, Neal 1b, Fulwider p, Decker c, Cochran 2b, Hayes rf, Christensen lf.

Condon—Robertson 3b, Kennedy rf, R. Fitzmaurice 2b, C. Fitzmaurice c, Olds 1b, Brown cf, Dams ss, Keeney lf, Hollen p.

Trail Work Begins in Columbia Gorge Park.

Portland, June 22.—The Forest Service has a crew of sixteen men building a new trail up the Eagle Creek Valley of the Columbia Gorge Park. This is in accordance with an announcement made today. Besides building a number of camp sites in order to make the recreational features of the region available for public use.

This Eagle creek project is the first of many development plans to be carried out for the park. The trail will follow the Creek up the Oregon National Forest, and then on to Wahnum Lake. From the Lake there is a trail down Herman creek to the Herman Ranger Station and the Columbia Highway, thus completing a twenty-six mile loop. Parties wishing to make this loop trip can do so in two days, camping over night at Wahnum Lake. The Eagle Creek work also contemplates other trails to points of scenic interest, and a general preparing of the area for the comfort and use of the public.

The whole area of the Columbia Gorge Park consists of 14,000 acres along the Columbia River between Eagle Creek and Viento, which was set aside last December by order of the Secretary of Agriculture for the permanent use of the public as a recreation park. The full development of the park will take several years, and will include picnic grounds, many camp sites and additional trails. But it can be used this season in its present state. A water supply has been installed and a sewer system built. A ranger has been stationed at Eagle Creek to look after the grounds this season.

Inside Information Given.

We rather like the man Moses—not the one who led the children of Israel, but the one who leads the unregenerate and unterrified Democracy of Benton county. He is such a cheerful cuss, the kind who will smile and look pleasant at his own funeral. Vic is postmaster here and came into this sanctum yesterday and facetiously asked, "Who is this man 'Hu-ges' that you have placarded in your windows here?" We were trying to keep it dark, Vic, but if you must know, Hughes is the man who will appoint your successor some time after next March.—Corvallis-Gazette-Times.

THE WEATHER

The following is the report of the weather for the past week as given us by Cooperative Observer Frank Gilliam:

Date	Temp.			Rainfall	Char. of Day
	Highest	Lowest			
21	56	37	.14		Part Clear
22	74	40			Clear
23	76	50	.13		Part Clear
24	77	51	.04		Part Clear
25	75	53	.50		Part Clear
26	70	52	.145		Part Clear
27	64	47	.42		Part Clear

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE

Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from our midst, our esteemed brother, Peter O. Borg, who by his sterling qualities has endeared himself to our chapter.

In his passing, we have sustained a loss which we deeply feel. Therefore be it resolved that these resolutions be placed on record on the minutes of our chapter. A copy be sent to the family of our deceased brother and to both papers for publication. RUTH CHAPTER, O. E. S. Signed Frank Gilliam, Frank Habelt, Henrietta Cohn

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God, the Father of all men, and Masons, to call from our Lodge our beloved brother Thomas Quaid, who for many years was a prominent and respected citizen of Heppner, and a worthy Brother and member of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M.;

Be it resolved that while we bow in reverence to the will of Him who doeth all things well, yet we do not the less feel and deplore his loss.

To the family of Brother Quaid, we his fellow Craftsmen and Brothers, extend our deepest sympathy in this their hour of grief.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our Lodge, a copy be sent to the family of our deceased Brother and a copy be furnished the local papers for publication.

FRANK GILLIAM
W. B. BARRATT
AL EMERSON

CASTLE ROCK WOMEN DIES IN PORTLAND

Mrs. Rose McCarron Marshall was born in Monahan, county Tyrone, Ireland, May 24th, 1876. She died in the Portland Surgical hospital last Friday night at 9:00 o'clock after a short illness.

Mrs. Marshall was married at Armagh, county Armagh, Ireland, to Mike Marshall, October 18, 1900, and shortly after they came to the United States, locating at Heppner. Since their residence in Morrow county they have lived on lower Willow creek and at Castle Rock, where Mr. Marshall was engaged in the sheep business at the time of Mrs. Marshall's death. None of her people lived in this country.

Besides the husband, three children survive. They are Charles John, age 14; Cathleen Susan, age 12; and Robert James, 9 years old.

The funeral was held in this city on Monday afternoon from St. Patrick's Catholic church, Father Gallagher of Columbia University, Portland, conducting the services in the absence of Father P. J. O'Rourke. Burial was made in the Masonic cemetery.

Mrs. Marshall was a woman loved by all who knew her. Her untimely death is mourned by her wide acquaintance of friends, and their heartfelt sympathy goes out to the bereaved family in their sad hour of affliction.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

Whereas, it has pleased the Grand Master of the Universe in his wisdom to call from our midst our revered and faithful brother Peter Borg; and whereas, Brother Borg, for many years was a true and valued citizen of Heppner and a staunch and indomitable seeker of truth, the rock on which the great and fundamental principles of Masonry from time immemorial have ever been founded.

Be it resolved, while we, as members of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M. bow in humility to the decree of our Supreme and Omnipotent Master on high, yet we nevertheless deplore the loss of one who at all times was at his post, a leader among men and Masons. His star is set on earth. His labors are ended. His seat is vacant. And his breathers mourn.

Yet while we mourn for one so dear our sorrow is tempered by an abiding faith and hope, that the bright star now set on earth, shall arise again, arise to meet, and greet his brethren in the great Beyond, where the great and lesser lights of Masonry shall be more clearly revealed to all.

To the family of Brother Borg we, his fellow-craftsmen extend our deepest sympathy in this hour of grief and beg to assure them that we fully share with them in this hour of bereavement.

Resolved that these resolutions be spread on our minutes, that a copy thereof be sent by the secretary to the family of our deceased Brother, and a copy furnished the local papers for publication.

Frank Gilliam
W. B. Barratt
Al Emerson

IRRIGON AND PARKERS MILL WILL ENTERTAIN COUNTY ON 4TH OF JULY

All Morrow county has an opportunity to celebrate the 4th of July this year, for they have been invited by both Parkers Mill and Irrigon to come to those places and take part in observing the anniversary of the nation's birthday.

Both places have made extensive arrangements for this event and excellent programs are being arranged for the entertainment of all visitors.

At Parkers Mill, there will be a ball game between Hardman and Heppner. Both these teams have been playing some good ball recently and this in itself should prove an attraction. Of course there will be dancing and other amusements. The mountain air will be one of the strongest attractions here.

Irrigon has prepared a big parade and a boy scout drill. A program of patriotic addresses and speaking will be indulged in. One of the big attractions here, however, will be the boating and swimming in the Columbia river.

Quite a number of autoists are planning to spend the day at the forks of Willow creek. It is probable that a number will go to other parts of the mountains. Many will have to stay at home, so a dance may be arranged for at the Fair pavilion in the evening.

FORMER RESIDENTS TO CELEBRATE AT OAKS

The annual picnic of the Morrow County Re-Union Association will be held at the Oaks Saturday afternoon of July 8th.

This is the eighth annual meeting of old friends and neighbors. All former gatherings have been held at Columbia Park on the 4th of July, but there are so many attractions this year on that day it has been thought best to change the time and place.

Not only is this a time for former Morrow county people to get together but every present day citizen who happens to be in Portland on that day, is cordially invited to meet with the association.

Mrs. E. D. Rood is secretary of the Morrow County Re-Union Association at the present time.

TWO TON ICE PLANT NOW IN OPERATION

The two-ton ice plant of the City Meat Market is now in full operation, all work of setting up the machinery having been completed the first of the week.

The manufacture of ice is a small feature of the new plant. Various cold storage rooms which have been built will take care of practically all the perishable stuff handled by the local grocery stores. Here, also, the Morrow County Creamery Co. will store its butter.

The entire cost of the new plant represents an outlay of about \$2000. It is an industry that fills a long-felt want and deserves to succeed.

Ralph Johnson, one of the members of the firm, has had considerable experience in operating a cold storage plant. He and his partner, Harry Rood, have shown considerable faith in the town in putting in this equipment and they should be commended for their business foresight and judgment.

FARM PROPERTY OF FRANK TURNER DESTROYED BY WIND LAST MONDAY

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner was badly wrecked in a wind storm which visited this section about 12:30 last Monday afternoon. The house was turned almost completely around and the interior badly shaken up. The barn was completely demolished.

Mrs. Turner and the children and Sam Turner were in the house at the time. That they escaped without injury is nothing short of marvelous. A piece of the floor, driven by the force of the wind, missed striking Mrs. Turner by a narrow margin. She and the children were brought to town and Mrs. Turner is under the care of a nurse.

That it was a wind of great force is evidenced by the fact that not a tree remains standing on the place, some of the largest ones being completely uprooted.

No other damage from the wind in this section is reported although it touched in parts of Umatilla county.

The Turner ranch is located about 3 miles northeast of Heppner and is probably better known as the old Williams place. Mr. Turner bought the ranch about three years ago and had made extensive improvements since then. Much of his three years of labor was destroyed by Monday's wind. The growing grain was beaten into the ground and according to Mr. Turner, it will not even make hay.

J. J. Hill's Newspaper Venture.

"The empire builder" once ventured into the newspaper field. For a few years ago he owned the St. Paul Globe, says the editor and publisher.

Whatever may have been his purpose in controlling a daily paper, that purpose failed. Mr. Hill killed the Globe. He did not seek to realize a penny on the sale of even its machinery and fixtures. As we recall the matter, he ordered these to be scrapped. He did not wish apparently to have the paper survive his ownership. He sought to erase it, even the memory of it, and he succeeded.

The Globe had attained to influence and prestige in the Northwest. When Mr. Hill became its owner its readers and supporters became suspicious. They inferred things. They imputed motives. If the Globe expressed an opinion upon a matter of public improvement, that opinion was supposed to coincide with some interest of Mr. Hill's. The paper under his ownership was conducted on broader lines than before. It was

more progressive. More money was spent in making it a representative newspaper. But this did not avail. The paper was doomed.

It was doomed because it had been acquired by a man of vast power, supposedly to serve merely that man's interests and to help further his plans. The strange spectacle was presented of a newspaper backed by limitless resources, declining steadily and rapidly in those things which make a newspaper a force in a community—the confidence of its readers and the influence it exerted upon their thought and opinion.

Realizing this and disgusted with his adventure into the field of newspaper making, Mr. Hill killed the Globe. Thereafter he sought public understanding so far as he cared to have it, through interviews and public addresses, always widely quoted and commented upon by the press of the whole country.

The case of the St. Paul Globe afforded final proof, if any proof at all were necessary that a newspaper cannot exist, cannot grow, cannot earn profits, unless it exists for public service. There must never be any doubts, any misgivings, on the part of its readers as to the motive back of such service. And therein lies the security of a democracy, for an uncontrolled press is indeed a democracy's greatest asset.

Falls Out of a Zeppelin.

London Cable to New York Times. Curious things happen in war time, but there has been nothing more startling than that which happened to a certain family which lives in a town on the east coast of England.

Some days ago Zeppelins flew over this port, which was nothing unusual. The members of the household were partaking of a late evening meal. They heard bombs exploding and the fire of anti-aircraft guns. Suddenly there was a tremendous crash at the back of the house. Evidently something had dropped into the conservatory. It was assumed that it was a bomb. For a few minutes the people remained where they were, fearing a further explosion. Then they investigated.

In the conservatory, most of the glass of which was broken, they found the body of a German air-raider. He had evidently accidentally fallen from a Zeppelin, or perhaps he was knocked out by a well-placed British shell. He had fallen a tremendous height, probably no less than 7000 feet.

Man Takes Poison By Mistake.

The report reached Heppner Wednesday that Matt Reffley, formerly of this place, was dead at Umatilla. The report stated that he had taken strychnine, believing it to be medicine. He worked near Heppner at one time and now has a brother here who is working for John Kilkenny. The body will be brought to Heppner for burial.

Charley Wattenburger returned the first of the week from Willowa county where he has been working with his father's shearing crew. There is some diversity of weather in Willowa county according to Charley. He was located 25 miles from Enterprise. One night his tent fell down under the weight of snow. That happened on the 18th of June. Seven miles from there, on the Innaha, the cherries were ripe.

A big sale of farm stock and machinery is being held at the Ed Adkins farm, four miles west of Heppner, today and many people from here and other points are attending.

Frank Hall, who in company with Henry Holgate made a tour by auto of Southern Oregon and Northern California, has returned to Heppner.

Mrs. Mack Smith, who has been seriously ill at her home in this city with an attack of bronchitis, is slowly improving.

Rev. H. S. Shangle, Presiding Elder, M. E. church, South, will preach at the South Methodist church Friday, 8 p. m., and at the Federated church Sunday, 8 p. m.

TWO IONE PEOPLE TAKEN BY DEATH

Ione Correspondent.

Herbert W. Phillips died at the home of his son-in-law, Wate Crawford, on Saturday evening last, and was buried at the cemetery at Morgan at 11:00 a. m. Monday, June 19th.

He had been ill but a short time and death was the result of an organic weakness from which he had suffered a great deal during the past year but from which he had apparently largely recovered. Funeral services were held at the grave a short address being delivered by C. W. Reynolds, of Ione, who conducted the services. Mr. Phillips was a native of England, and was born near Croydon in the County of Kent, and at the time of his death was 61 years, 10 months, and 5 days of age. He came to Oregon in 1878 and settled near Corvallis, later coming to Crook County where he engaged in the sheep business, here he also married and then moved to Morrow County, locating a homestead near Ella. His wife and a son and two daughters suffered death in the burning of the store and residence at Morgan station some two years ago, and this left him alone with but one remaining member of his family, Mrs. Wate Crawford, with whom he has made his home much of the time since. Mr. Phillips was a good citizen and neighbor. He leaves a small amount of personal property besides his homestead of 160 acres which he patented a number of years ago.

Mrs. R. F. Fraser died suddenly at her home near Gooseberry on Tuesday evening, and arrangements have been made for her funeral at the graveyard near their place today. Mrs. Fraser was formerly Lena Brock and was raised in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Holmes of this place, from the age of six years. She is a sister of Mrs. Harry Fletcher of Ione. She leaves besides her husband, three children, the oldest being ten years of age, and the youngest being an infant of six months. Her illness was of very short duration and her people were not aware of her condition until it was reported that she was dead. The funeral services will be conducted by C. W. Reynolds, pastor of the local Christian Church.

This has certainly been a week of moisture, at least the past few days have been wet ones, and as a consequence there is general rejoicing on the part of the farming end of the community. Those along the creek bottoms, however, are not quite so well pleased as a number had hay down and the wetting it has received has done it no good. It would seem now that the grain crop is assured, and nothing short of a serious calamity of some kind will prevent an abundant yield. The rains have come at an especially opportune time for the spring sown grain, and this will now develop into a great crop. As the greater portion of the grain is spring sown, the benefits derived from the heavy rains of the past few days is incalculable. So far as reports have reached here, there has been no

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CROPS BENEFIT FROM HEAVY RAIN

Reports From Over County Indicate Little Damage Done But Bumper Crops Are Assured.—Hail Harms Very Little.

The heavy rain storm which visited Morrow county the first three days of this week has benefitted the crops greatly and will increase the yield thousands of bushels. This is the general report from over the county. After the clouds had cleared away it was found that no serious damage had been done.

About noon on Monday, Heppner was visited with a severe wind, rain and hail storm and chunks of ice a half-inch in diameter fell. Fruit and garden stuff in town suffered somewhat from this storm, but indications are that the hail fell only in and near Heppner. Some excitement was caused to residents of Chase street when the water, several feet deep came down Donaldson canyon. The Chase street channel could not carry all the water and as a result the banks overflowed and a large portion of the water ran down Chase street. No damage was done by this, however.

Probably the most serious loss sustained was to creek farmers who had just cut their alfalfa and had not yet got it in the stack. Yet the damage done on the creek was more than offset by the great good done to the grain on the hill. W. O. Minor, proprietor of the Mountain Valley Stock Farm, states that for every ten cents he was damaged he was benefitted a dollar. He regrets very much that reports have gone out as they have.

Farmers over the entire county are jubilant. Crop prospects were never better. One Elght Mile farmer said, "this rain is the best thing that could have happened; it has practically insured a bumper crop and the spring grain, which had not grown fast on account of the backward spring, will probably make a better crop now than the fall-sown grain."

So far as reports go, the stock of the county did not suffer from the storm. Celsus Keithley's milk cow was caught in a draw where the water came down suddenly and she was washed out into the Willow creek channel before she finally got out. The cow was cut by barbed wire, according to the report.

HONOR OREGON BOYS.

All honor to our young men of Oregon, with whose ambition was mixed enough patriotism to prompt them to enlist in our State militia!

All honor to their parents, whose tender fears and fearful misgivings as to the ultimate outcome of military service were more than balanced by pride in the patriotism and manly aspirations shown by their sons!

All honor to the employers who remembered that the government whose protection made it possible for them to engage in business was established by righteous war, and who contrived to accommodate themselves to the inconveniences caused by employees serving in the militia and gave words of encouragement to their young men to serve their State and country!

All honor to the snow-haired veterans who are saluting the trim young men of Oregon as they march to their camp of mobilization!

All honor to the pioneers of Oregon, who this week gather at the campfire of reminiscence and mingled their stories of the past with the glory of the young men whose encampment is in the vigorous morning of life!

All honor to those who paid the great price—the mothers whose sons are sleeping in the hillsides of distant lands where they feel nobly in loyal fulfillment of duty to flag and country!

We salute ye, young men of Oregon; our beloved country is safe so long as you rally to the trumpet call! —C. C. Chapman, Oregon Voter.

Scrivner-Bennett.

Clarence Scrivner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scrivner, and Miss Oma Bennett were married in this city on Wednesday at the home of the groom's parents. Both are popular and well known young people of this city. Mrs. Scrivner graduated from the commercial department of the high school this year and Mr. Scrivner was one of the regular four-year graduates. They will make their home in Heppner after returning from a visit to outside points.