

# THE BOARDMAN MIRROR

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## BAZAAR SUCCESS

Program in Evening—Booths Offer Varied Selections—Sales are Reported Brisk

Another year has passed and once more the Annual Ladies Aid Bazaar is a thing of the past. It was given this year at the church on Friday December 5. There was not as much fancy work as usual offered but all articles sold well. The country store was one of the most popular features as always and it was not opened until evening so that the young folks could be on hand to purchase articles. Many and varied were the articles to be purchased in this concession.

An excellent program was given in the evening as follows; Song by audience, America the Beautiful; An Overworked Elocutionist, Norma Gibbons; Song, Mr. Russell, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Russell; Instrumental selection, Mrs. Lee Mead; Duet, Gladys and Gloria Wicklander; Recitation, Mildred Duncan; Solo Miss Alice Aldrich; Poem, Mary Anne Chaffee; Cornet Solo, Hector Wicklander; Reading, "White Azalins," Mrs. Arthur Goodwin; Violin Solo Victor Hango. Approximately \$10.00 was cleared for the Ladies Aid.

## Food Sales Planned

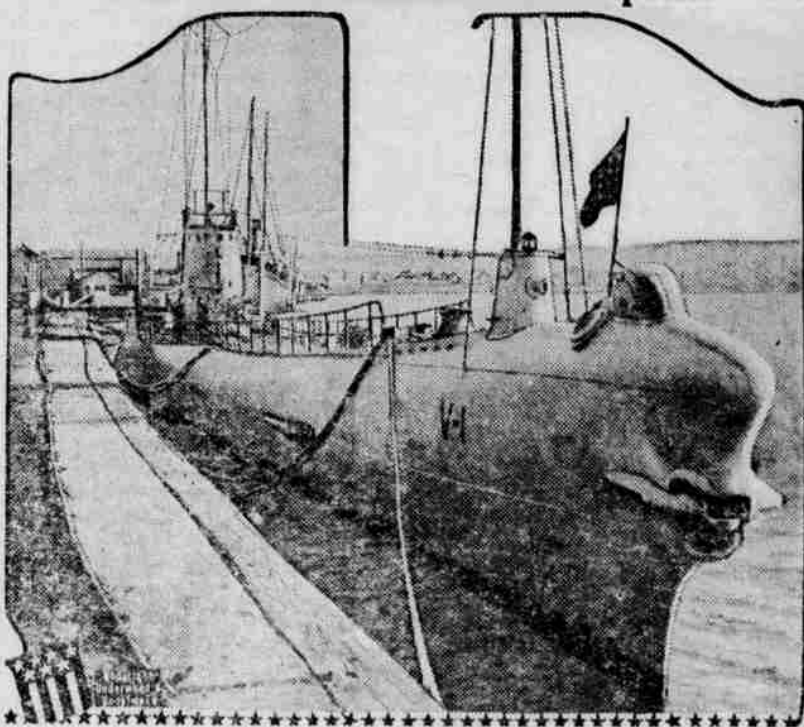
Two food sales have been planned for the immediate future to defray the expenses of the Christmas treat. On Saturday the 13th, the town Ladies Aid, will contribute cooked foods for the first sale which will be held in the post office lobby and the following Saturday, December 20, the Country Ladies Aid members will contribute.

## Turkey Shoot Sunday

Another one of the ever popular Turkey shoots will be held on the coming Sunday at the Robert Wilson place. Many fine fat birds are up for the lucky shots.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Chamberlain of Parkdale were visitors with Supt. and Mrs. J. O. Russell and family for the past week end. Mr. Chamberlain is a cousin of the host.

## Newest Submarine at Capital



The V-1, fleet submarine, the navy's newest and one of the largest submarines, tied up in Washington for inspection by navy officials. It is 341 feet long and 27 feet wide. Submerged it has a maximum speed of nine knots an hour, but upon the surface can attain 21 knots an hour. Its crew consists of seven officers and eighty men.

## Boardman Locals and Personals

Mr. Lynn Eastham and Mr. Fisher were visitors at the J. T. Healey home last Thursday. They had been duck-hunting at Stanfield and were on the way home to Portland. Mr. Eastham is a nephew of Mr. Healey.

C. C. Calkins and family and Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Fruit and family all of Spokane were recent visitors at the C. C. Calkins home on the east end. C. C. Calkins being a son and Mrs. Fruit a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Calkins. From here they drove to Lebanon and Coorovalls where they visited other relatives. Alice Calkins accompanied them and thory enjoyed the trip.

A. T. Hereim and family were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Klitz on last Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Warren came home this week from Portland where she has been for several weeks. She brought Virginia and Donald Warren back to Boardman with her.

Mrs. Lee Mead greatly enjoyed a visit with her sister Miss Fleck of The Dalles, last week.

Jess Lower made a hurried trip to Wasco on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain of Parkdale were week end visitors at the J. D. Russell home.

Arthur Mefford arrived in Boardman Wednesday evening to spend the Xmas holidays.

## CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION

Two Cases on Docket of Special Interest to Boardman Folks—Jury Disagrees

The present session of the Circuit Court, which is convening in Heppner this week, had on the docket, two cases which were of interest to the Boardman people. One was that of a camper vs Ople Waggoner, which was laid over to the spring session of the court.

The case of Oregon Hay Growers' Association vs Ira A. Berger, was heard and the jury disagreed after an all night session.

## Ships Hay

Homter Cason is shipping about 60 tons of hay this week through the association.

## Building Bridge

G. C. Blayden and M. L. Morgan, are building a concrete bridge for the County across the main canal at the Dan Ransler home.

## Road Tax Defeated

An error was made in the reporting of the road tax vote in last week's Mirror. The article should have read that the count was 29 against and 9 for the tax.

## Buying Hay

Carl McNaught, manager of the Oregon Hay Grower's Association, was here from the headquarters at Hermiston this week, buying up hay on the project.

## I. O. O. F. Initiation

The I. O. O. F. took in four new members Wednesday evening and plan to take them to Pendleton in the near future for formal initiation. The new members are Tom Hendrick, Ople Waggoner, Ray and Clifford Olson. This makes 35 in all.

## M. W. A. Elect Officers

The M. W. A. had a big meeting on Tuesday evening and elected new officers for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorham and Mrs. Rands drove to Hermiston Thursday to have some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Deweese of Arlington spent Tuesday at the M. J. Deweese home here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Beck and daughter Mrs. Wollam returned Wednesday from a week's visit with relatives in Lome.

Mrs. Lea Root went to Hermiston on Thursday for a few days visit at the Marvin Root home.

Mrs. Elsie Reith and son Othor of Portland arrived Saturday to work for the winter for Frank Otto.

Frank Otto returned on Saturday from Portland with a five passenger 1922 Buick car.

Judge-elect Ralph Benge was a Boardman visitor the fore part of the week.

Frank Shell of Moscow Idaho, came on Thursday to spend the holidays with his only brother Sam Shell of Boardman.

Attorney Sam E. VanVactor of The Dalles and Ira A. Berger of Portland were business visitors on the Project the first of the week.

Messrs. T. E. Broyles, H. H. Weston, Chas. Wicklander, Chas. Dillon, Walter Knauff, Clarence Berger and Geo. Mitchell were in attendance at the Circuit Court session in Heppner on Monday.

## AGRICULTURAL BILL CALLS FOR INCREASE

Washington, D. C.—Carrying a total of \$124,637,715 of which \$70,000,000 is for road construction, the agricultural appropriation bill for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1925, was reported from the house appropriations committee.

This is an increase over the appropriation for the current year of \$68,923,279 of which \$61,000,000 occurs in cooperative road construction funds.

The total for roads provided in the bill is \$76,000,000. Some years ago there was authorized for cooperative road construction \$540,000,000 and of this sum there still remains a balance of \$46,700,000 to be provided by congress in 1928-27.

Forest roads and trails are allowed \$4,000,000 for the coming year.

Appropriation of \$24,000 is made for the collection of seed grain loans made in 1921 and 1922 to farmers in the west. The 1921 loan was for \$1,957,497 of which \$1,237,855 has been collected. The 1922 loan was \$1,489,108 of which \$1,045,585 has been returned.

## IRRIGON ITEMS

### Turkey Shoot Sunday

The Irrigon Gun Club held its annual election and business meeting on Thursday evening December 11th.

The following officers were elected, Charles Markham, President, Pearl Knight, vice president, Wm. VanWinkle, secretary treasurer, H. T. Walpole, field captain.

It was decided to put on another shoot for Sunday December 21st, joint with the Irrigon District Farm Bureau so that we could have more help to handle all parts of the shoot and need, more satisfactory to all concerned. This time, rifle targets will be provided inside of the old school building and light rifles and ammunition will be provided by the gun club for this purpose. Outdoor rifle shooting can also be provided if any squads desire this for longer range shooting.

Birds will all be staked out at each point of the raffle and everyone will know exactly what he or she, shoots for and cannot get any substitutes.

R. F. Williams was appointed as chairman of the feed. Fred Markham chairman of card tables; Chas. Markham chairman of rifle shooting; Field Captain to handle the trap shooting as provided by the rules of the club. N Seaman was appointed to handle the advertising end and to have charge of the delivery of the birds.

This arrangement insures a big success for the day and sport for everybody every minute of the day.

### Report of Association

Irrigon Cooperative Melon and Potato Growers Association, Inc. has mailed checks to all the growers this week and statements to cover the seasons business. Watermelons have averaged better than a cent a pound and the cantaloupes even beat last year's high record for net figures. "The Pride of Irrigon" this year netted the growers as whole for the season \$154 net here while last years crop went out at \$151 net to the growers. This means figures on the entire tonnage for the season and many of the growers netted considerable more. Some growers figure their earnings f. o. b. La Grande and other places but under the methods employed by the association, the hauling charge, expressage or freight costs, are placed where they belong. They are no part of the earnings and not figured as such. There were 1273 shipments this year against 959 last year but business consisted more of less than car load shipments than a year ago. The gross earnings were little above last year's total likewise net payments to growers amounted to more. It has now been proven beyond any question that the Pride of Irrigon cantalope stands ahead of anything we can possibly grow in this district. While N. Seaman, Secretary-manager of the Association was out on his collection tour, he had the opportunity to learn first hand from all sources, the opinion and demand these cantaloupes held everywhere. Nearly a \$2000 business was done with one merchant in LaGrande alone, and one merchant in Pendleton specialized on the Prides at more than double the price they bought cantaloupes from other nearby districts. Mr. Anderson of the Anderson brokerage Company of Portland assured Mr. Seaman when he was in Portland, in October, that Krigon certainly had the world beat on cantaloupes in the Pride of Irrigon, and that we would not ignore him next season. He also expressed the wish that we ship our potatoes through him, having seen the lot shipped to one of the other houses last summer. The quality of our products is unquestionably beyond the average. It is up to us to get into greater quantity production and spread our famous products to more distant points. There is no reason for Irrigon section to exist on alfalfa alone, especially when conditions on the hay business are so unsatisfactory from any angle you look into them.

We can raise watermelons and cantaloupes of our own variety and potatoes that no other district in this part of the country can compete with. Alfalfa while productive cannot be classed ahead of its name against the other places, hence no argument for much higher prices.

### Farm Bureau Meets

The Irrigon district Farm Bureau held its annual election Monday eve December 8th and the following officers were elected.

C. E. Glasgow, re-elected president; C. T. Salling, secretary; vice president, F. C. Fredericksen. C. T. Salling road-overseer; F. C. Fredericksen, rodent control chairman; F. H. Ricks, better stock; H. W. Griss, better fruit; W. T. Wright, better alfalfa and bookkeeping; Mrs. F. H. Ricks, better poultry or in other words, more profit.

## HOUSE IS AGAINST LAND OFFICE CUTS

Consolidation of 39 Offices Is Defeated By Vote of 68 to 47.

Washington, D. C.—A section proposing abolition of 39 land offices was eliminated from the interior department appropriation bill by the house.

The vote was 68 to 47 on an amendment, offered by Representative Sinnott, republican, Oregon, to strike out the section.

Among the offices for which consolidations effective July 1 had been proposed were: Boise and Lewiston, Idaho; Lakeview, Portland, Roseburg, The Dalles and Vale, Or.; Seattle and Spokane, Wash.

The Sinnott amendment, as well as the other proposals adopted under house rules, are subject to another vote before final passage of the bill, and it was indicated that the fight on the former would be reopened at that time.

A section of the interior department bill carrying \$8,943,000 for reclamation work for the fiscal year, was adopted without amendment in the house.

The house accepted the bill's provisions for projects at Baker and Umatilla, Ore.; Klamath, Oregon-California; Okanogan and Yakima, Wash., and Yakima (Kittitas division), Wash., and the provision for general investigation of secondary projects.

The house refused to accept three proposals by Representative Summers, republican, Washington, to increase the amounts carried in the interior bill by \$46,500 for the Toppenish-Simcoe irrigation projects, \$190,000 for the Wapato irrigation system and \$45,000 for the Satus project.

### Sight Is Deceiving

A single speck of light, as seen in the night sky by the naked eye, may really be a group of thousands of stars.

able; C. E. Glasgow, bees; Mrs. C. E. Glasgow, chairman social committee; Messrs Glasgow, Fredericksen and F. Markham, road supervisory committee.

The bureau went on record favoring unanimously to retain County roadmaster McCaleb. That his work was very efficient and that without having a bond to the county road work, there would be little or nothing accomplished. There has been some talk of abolishing the position of county roadmaster. Messrs N. Seaman and H. W. Grim were appointed as a committee to draft a letter to the county commission requesting this position be retained and that Mr. McCaleb in our opinion, was fully competent for the place.

Mrs. John Wagner of Portland is here with her daughter Mrs. H. C. Wolfe this week while Mrs. Wolfe is ill with the flu. She is reported as much better at this writing.

D. R. Glasgow, brother of Mr. C. E. spent a couple of days here last of the week.

Mrs. G. C. Holland returned to Portland Wednesday after having spent a few days with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Salling.

The Irrigon Athletic club won the basket ball game Friday from the Boardman lads by a score of 19 to 8. The Irrigon boys are going to Stanfield Wednesday.

The Farm Bureau appointed a committee of three to wait upon the Gun club in connection with plans for the big shoot December 21st. The boys are to have a meeting Thursday eve and complete plans. Posters should be out early next week.

J. E. McCoy signal maintainer for the O-W R. & N. made a flying trip to Portland Saturday night, returning Monday morning, to hear a lecture and take in the demonstration of the automatic electric control. He says it is going to be a wonderful help to guard against future collisions. Mrs. McCoy and son Russell and daughter Myrtle who have spent a few days in Portland visiting, returned home Tuesday morning.

Ishmael Hendrick who spent a few days with his father in Irrigon went to Seattle with his dad Friday where Mr. Hendricks has been employed as orchestra leader in the Capitol theatre.

Wayne Steward has purchased the blacksmith tools from Chas. Powell and has moved the outfit over to Seaman's garage building where they intend to use it for minor work. Harry and Bob Smith have torn down the blacksmith building which Mr. Powell purchased from B. E. Lane a couple of years ago and moving it out to his place for other purposes.

WE CALL YOUR SPECIAL ATTENTION TO OUR

# CHRISTMAS SALE

## OF COATS and DRESSES

Instead of waiting till after Christmas, as is our usual custom, to inaugurate our "END OF THE YEAR CLEARANCE SALE" we have been busy the past two days marking down every dress and coat in stock. Every garment in this sale retains its original price ticket showing you clearly the marked reductions and the unusual savings. We are not advertising price comparisons as they mean nothing unless backed up by genuine quality and worth in garments that you must see to know whether they are the bargains we claim they are.

## WINTER COATS

Not a great many of them left but the styles, colors and sizes are excellent in every way. We are determined to dispose of them quickly and have marked them so attractively low that if you need a coat you will be sure to find what you want at the price you wish to pay. Just compare these coats with others you may have seen, and if the values are not a great deal better than expected, don't buy. We've marked them so low that they are going to be sold at once, so be here early to choose. As low as

\$6.95 up to \$39.75

## DRESSES

Here are shown the fashionable styles in popular fabrics, wool or silk, in a complete range of the good colors in sizes 16 to 50. Not a one has been reserved and price concessions are so liberal that you will be tempted to buy more than one. Remember that our cash prices are always low, now you buy at still lower prices because we must clean the racks of all Fall and Winter garments. Here are some of the prices:

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\$19.75 AND \$21.75

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