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These Things We Note

Giles L. French

Moderns think they have invented something new in tranquilizers. Men have been using tobacco for years and it is one.

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We note the passage of a bill permitting 12 per cent interest on some loans which was done to help business. Yea, to help the lending business.

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Oregon legislators seem inclined to pass a bill making it necessary to buy a license in order to hunt on his own land. Some one is sure to take that to the supreme court.

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For the life of us we can't see that the use of trading stamps is any of the state's business.

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Maybe the trouble with the welfare increase is only another manifestation of the old human characteristic of get all you can, as quick as you can with the least labor. It has been useful in other ways.

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The bill board battle seems hotter in Oregon than elsewhere because Senator Neuberger has sponsored it in congress. We cannot feel injured that the legislature tabled the bill; other things do seem more important.

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The streams on the east of the Cascades are going to be smaller than usual this year because of light snow pack and there may be less irrigation water. Sounds bad to have less of anything, doesn't it?

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We keep hearing that the world thinks us aggressors and communists peace-loving. We doubt that the world is that unobserving in the face of Hungry and now Tibet.

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Oklahoma finally licked the bootleggers and will soon be buying liquor in the daytime instead of at night.

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Doctors are trying to make the common cold uncommon by use of some medicine or another. Result will probably be a dozen variants of the cold with unpronounceable names instead of the old reliable cold which everyone can pronounce.

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Feller at the bar says he'd like to see a good depression again, getting too fat; in depressions a feller don't get enough to eat, in booms he gets too much, bad for him.

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The aim of every animal seems to be to get things easy, to not rustle or work. Sometimes they pay a big price for ease; consider the steer.

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Every few months we have a new theory about what makes people fat. We have a theory ourselves: It's food.

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This Adenauer is a canny old German who is probably trying to continue his plans past the time he can be expected to live. Much of the present battle is over the reunification of Germany which Russia isn't going to permit, having a very strong memory.

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Whether you like our government or not you have to admit that it is a very awkward way to run a country.

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We remember wearing an overcoat on the Fourth of July and look forward to doing it again. Right here, too.

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Relatives, we read, of the hermit of Griffith park in Los Angeles are trying to persuade him to try civilization. Be careful, he may persuade them.

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Who ever thought the center of the U. S. would be in Baker county? And near a ghost town?

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Grandpa led a simple life and he didn't go crazy worrying about it. Seems like there was some advantage in it. And in these days families didn't send their folks to mental hospitals because they were old.

About the County being news about people you know or know about

Mrs. Kenneth Crews and Mrs. Frank Ketter and Holly were visitors in The Dalles Friday.

The Grass Valley Rebekah lodge No. 118 held its regular meeting in the IOOF hall Wednesday evening. Mrs. Bill Rolfe, noble grand, presided with 20 members present. They practiced degree work. Mrs. Art Schilling and Mrs. Claud Bayer were elected delegates to grand lodge and Mrs. John Rust and Mrs. Alfred Payne elected alternates. Mrs. Claud Bayer was recommended as district deputy president for the year 1959-1960. Cookies and coffee were served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arzell Lemley left Tuesday for Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Lemley will enter Mayo Clinic for medical attention.

Mrs. Harold Eakin was hostess at a party at her home Thursday honoring Mrs. Arzell Lemley. The Lemleys left Tuesday for Rochester, Minn. A salad luncheon preceded the afternoon of bridge at two tables. Mrs. Loy Cochran won the prize. Mrs. Lemley was presented with a going away gift from the group. Others present were Mrs. Donald Clodfelter, Mrs. Herman Peters, Mrs. Elen Kee, Mrs. Jack Adams and Mrs. A. F. Balzer.

An Easter party was held at the Scout hall last Tuesday after school, when Den 1 invited Den 2 to the party. Cubscouts of Den 1, Harold Owens, Jimmy Payne, Eddie Eslinger, Skeet Brander, Kenneth Smith, Steve Rolfe, John Johnson and Richard Wilson with Den Mother Mrs. Harold Owens made key holders. Cubscouts of Den 2 include Robin Olds, Bobby King and Ricky Contrail with Den Mother Mrs. Earl Olds made weiner sticks. After the business meeting each found the Easter basket with his name on it and all received colored eggs. Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served. Mrs. Alvin Smith and daughter and Mrs. Alfred Payne were guests.

Julie Reynolds celebrated her tenth birthday anniversary Wednesday, April 1, after school when her mother, Mrs. Gene Reynolds and her grandmother, Mrs. D. L. Reynolds were hostesses at a party in her honor. The hostesses were mumuums as the Hawaiian theme was carried out in room and table decorations. Those enjoying the party with Julie were her sisters, Debbie, and Shelley and brother, Mark and grandfather, D. L. Reynolds and Nancy Alberty, Derrie Peters, Randy Lemley, Sharyl Blagg, Kathleen King, Carmen Johnson, Cathy von Borstel, Jessie Brander & Louise Eakin. The guests received leis and flowers for their hair. They played several games and after Julie opened her gifts dinner was served with decorated birthday cake and ice cream for dessert. Favors of candy baskets and Hula dolls brought from Hawaii by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Reynolds.

Don Leach and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer took Mrs. Sam Stark to The Dalles Friday afternoon where she entered the hospital for medical attention.

Mrs. Frank E. Bayer and Mrs. Olan Stark were in The Dalles Monday on business and to visit Mrs. Sam Stark at the hospital.

The Misses Cassie and Mabel Holmes of The Dalles were dinner guests Sunday at the Carl von Borstel home.

About forty people attended a potluck dinner held in the Deschutes school house near Bend Sunday celebrating the April birthday anniversaries of Lois Payne, Mrs. Curtis Stark, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer, Olan Stark, Mrs. Ben Payne and Mrs. E. R. Blaylock. Mrs. Harry Stark baked a three tiered cake decorated with the above names. The afternoon was spent visiting. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Payne, Lois, Alfa Jean and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Blaylock, Boyce Blaylock, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Bayer, and Mona Eakin of Grass Valley; Mrs. Ben Payne of The Dalles; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stark and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brittain and family of Bend; Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stark from Los Angeles, Calif.; Kay Higley of Moro and Mr. and Mrs. Olan Stark and family and Mrs. Josephine Parkhurst from Kent. The Thursday evening Pinochle club met last week at the home of Mrs. Doug Shull with Mrs. Lloyd Gosson as co-hostess and Mrs. Bob Byars as guests. Mrs. Chuck Wallace won the high prize for the evening and Mrs. Bill White won the low prize.

Several members of the two women's clubs in Wasco attended the recent District Federated club convention in Boardman where the third vice-president of the general federation, Mrs. Dexter Arnold was speaker.

A Centennial theme predominated and one of the items of entertainment was a square dance by school children from Boardman.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Lloyd Royse of the Wasco Women's Study Club gave a report, and Mrs. Leo Watkins gave a report from the Tuesday Study Club. During the luncheon Mrs. Carl Tuggle, acted as commentator for the fashion show given by the participants in the Vogue sewing contest.

Others attending were Mrs. E. E. Shull and Mrs. Floyd Haines of the Tuesday club, and Mrs. Art Smith, Mrs. Floyd Root, Mrs. Walt Bruckert, Mrs. John Royse, and Mrs. Trace Fields of the Wasco Study club.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Royse on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goodrich of Prineville.

Recent Sunday guests of Mrs. Del Wright were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hogue and family of The Dalles and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McNeely, also of The Dalles.

Sherrie Fraser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fraser of Moro, and a senior at Sherman High, came to Rufus Monday night to speak and show her slides of her trip last fall as winner of the 4-H sewing contest, to the 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. Sherrie is a fluent speaker and the Rufus PTA enjoyed hearing her very much. After the speaker, Mrs. Kenneth Spagle, chairman, called a business meeting. Mrs. Spagle said the group did well on the dance, lunch and food sale. Jack Lloyd, principal said the Sherman county chapter of the Polio Foundation will provide polio shots for everyone in the county this year. The doctor and nurse will be in Rufus Tuesday, April 14 between 1:30 and 3:30 p. m. This is for everyone whether they have signed up for a shot or not. Lloyd also said the Rufus school will be out May 27. The chairman said election of officers will come next meeting. It was announced there would be a teenage dance at the Rufus grange hall April 11 and that Mr. and Mrs. Otto Petersen will be chaperones. Mrs. Huck and Mrs. Fox were hostesses and served pineapple upside down cake with whipped cream and coffee for refreshments.

The last card party at Rufus Grange was March 28. Winning grand prizes were Atee Wilson and Mrs. Bert Swigart. The winners for the Saturday night party were Jim Butler and Mrs. Buck Miller while low scorers were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brock. The women served supper. The parties will start again in the fall.

James Fox, a student at WSC, is spending his weeks spring vacation at the home of his parents, the George Fox's.

The Rufus school gym was attractively decorated for the Centennial dance held Saturday night. Streamers and balloons were strung across the entire ceiling making it appear low. Bales of hay were placed along each end of the gym and there was quite a bit of art work done by the children and Mr. and Mrs. Don Kohlmeier. Don is the 5th and 6th grade teacher. Hastings Orchestra was enjoyed. Dale Redding, a guest honored with a song and guitar number. The children were pictures in their centennial dresses and they spent lots of time on the dance floor also. Quite a few adults came in colorful centennial dresses and bonnets. The men in cowboy shirts and jeans. Everyone seemed to enjoy the efforts of the PTA group to provide this entertainment and to help build up the members treasury. This has been the only money raising event this year.

During the past week when it has been so warm, the grass and crops are jumping with growth. The hills are getting a velvet tinge and are their very best now they are green. All too soon they will be that dried up brown color. A few lilacs are peaking out of the cluster of buds and a good many of the bushes have already got their green leaves. The fruit trees have looked pretty with their different colored blossoms. The peach trees are out now. Birds are seen carrying sticks and string with thoughts of building a home on their minds. Young calves are playing near their mother's sides, happy to be basking in the warm sunshine.

David Richelderfer, Chairman Sherman County Rural School District Board

Beaverton Firm Gets Contract On School

The Associate Building Contractors of Beaverton and Portland were low bidders on construction of the addition to Sherman High school when the bids were opened Tuesday night. The bid was for \$66,676 which includes a dark room for a contemplated photography course and a green house for science studies. An alternate proposal would cost \$250 more and include double doors to the multipurpose room.

The bid calls for completion in 128 days but the date for starting has not been determined. The board will not be able to pay out money on the building until July 1 and would have to borrow until November 15.

Track Meet Due Here Saturday

There will be a track and field meet at the Sherman High school field Saturday, starting at two o'clock when Stevenson and Goldendale bring teams here to meet the local boys. The meet will be run off in both novice and senior divisions with the scoring being on the senior division only. Heats will thus be eliminated, explained Bob Haynes, coach.

Band Concert Prepared For April 17

The Moro grade school music department will present a spring concert on April 17 at 8:00 p. m. in the grade school gym. The admission will be free. An evening of entertainment will be provided by vocal groups under direction of Mrs. Roberson and the band and instrumental solos and ensembles under the direction of Mr. Teadtke.

The Sherman High School Band will travel to The Dalles Saturday, April 11 to take part in the District 2 Music contest. The band will play three numbers and be judged by Mr. Spicer from WSC, Mr. Christiansen from Central College of Education and Mr. Stehn from Portland State College.

The band will be given one of the following ratings: I (Superior), II (Excellent), III (Good), IV (Fair), and V (Poor). The only other time the band participated in a contest was in 1957 at La Grande at which time they received a rating of a II.

The Sherman Band will play at 10:40 a. m. in the Auditorium of The Dalles High School and it will be open to the public free of charge.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL ELECTION IN THE RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, Oregon for the purpose of electing one director at large from the Sherman County Rural School District, and one director from Zone 5, and one director from Zone 4.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in the Rural School District of Sherman County, Oregon, from 2 P. M. to 8 P. M., on May 4, 1959. The election will be held in each component school district at the polling places designated as follows: Zone 1, Rufus, Rufus Elementary School; Zone 2, Wasco, Wasco Elementary School; Zone 3, Moro, Moro Elementary School; Zone 4, Grass Valley, Grass Valley Elementary School; Zone 5, Kent, Kent Elementary School.

The purpose of the election is as follows in each of the component elementary districts (Zones): Zone 1, Rufus, elect one director at large from the Sherman County Rural School District for a three year term; Zone 2, Wasco, elect one director at large from the Sherman County Rural School District for a three year term; Zone 3, Moro, elect one director at large from the Sherman County Rural School District for a three year term; Zone 4, Grass Valley, elect one director at large from the Sherman County Rural School District for a three year term; Zone 5, Kent, elect one director at large from the Sherman County Rural School District for a three year term, and one director from Zone 5, for a three year term.

Dated this first day of April, 1959.

David Richelderfer, Chairman Sherman County Rural School District Board

Lynn O. Hampton, Secretary Sherman County Rural School District Board.

School Election Time Brings Announcement Of Candidacies; Statement of Rules

May 4, 1959 is the date of the annual meeting for the various school districts in Sherman County, and an election will be held in each of the districts to elect one or more directors. Nominees have been reported to the County School Superintendent as follows: District 3, Rufus, five year term, Donald Macnab; District 7, Wasco, five year term, Jerry Barnett and four year term, Vern Dutton; District 9, Kent, five year term, no candidate nominated and a two year term, no candidate nominated; District 17, Moro, five year term, Millard Melzer; District 23, Grass Valley, five year term, Gene Reynolds.

In addition, Rufus, Kent, and Grass Valley will vote at the same time to approve the budget and levy the tax, and to exceed the 6% limitation. These three districts must vote to exceed the 6% limitation as they do not have a base due to the operation of the Rural School District Law. Both Wasco and Moro voted new bases last year so they will not be holding elections to exceed the six-percent limitation.

In addition, The Sherman County Rural School District will hold an election in each of the districts to exceed the 6% limitation in the amount of \$74,410.06. The Rural School District is required by law to levy a tax which equals approximately one-half of the operational levies of the Sherman County Elementary Districts, and the Sherman County High School District. This levy serves as an offset to the tax levy of the various districts of the county, and is distributed on the basis of average daily membership as shown by the December 31 Quarterly report from the districts, adjusted to next years membership by figures supplied from the census.

This amounts, this coming year to \$173,503.90, which with an additional amount of \$18,091.00 for the county office, equals a total levy of \$191,594.90 which exceeds

the district's base by \$74,410.06.

This year the Rural School District is to elect three directors for three year terms, a director from Zone 5, Kent, a director from Zone 4, Grass Valley, and a director, at large from Sherman county.

Luther Davis has filed to succeed himself from Zone 5, Kent. No candidate has filed to succeed Donald von Borstel from Zone 4, Grass Valley, nor has any candidate filed to succeed David Richelderfer, director at large from the county.

Sherman Riders Hosts To 4-H Club Children

The Sherman County Riders were hosts to 22 4-H horse and colt project members, belonging to the "HI-YU" club, and their parents at a buffet style dinner and evening program, March 27. The master of ceremonies was Bob Martin, president of the Sherman County Riders. Special guests were Tommy Thompson and the wives of the two guest speakers, Mrs. Milt Scov and Mrs. Les Marks. Also, at the head table were the 4-H "HI-YU" club leaders, Fritz & Helen Watkins, Marilyn Smith, John Fields and Shirley Watkins.

The program consisted of an interesting message concerning veterinary phases by Dr. Scov; a talk on the state-wide interest in Horse clubs by Mr. Les Marks, county agent of Wheeler county; a demonstration on cleaning and caring of saddles and other leather goods by the junior leaders, Marilyn Smith and Shirley Watkins; a demonstration of the good points to look for in a horse conformation by junior leader, John Fields and last a film showing Quarter horses at roping, cutting, reining and at halter.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 23 of Sherman County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of the said district will be held at Grass Valley school house on the 4th day of May, 1959 at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1959 and ending June 30, 1960 hereinafter set forth, to vote on the proposition of levying a district tax.

BUDGET—FISCAL YEAR 1959-1960				
Summary of Estimated Expenditures, Receipts, and Available Cash Balances, and Tax Levies				
	Estimated Tax Levy	Total All Funds	General Fund	Schedule I Lunch
1. Total Estimated Expenditures		\$ 65,132.16	\$ 58,640.00	\$ 4,150.00
DEDUCT:				\$ 2,342.16
2. Total Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balances		30,509.97	24,008.81	4,150.00
3. Amount Necessary to Balance Budget		34,631.19	34,631.19	
ADD:				
4. Est. Amt. of Taxes that will not be collected during the fiscal year for which this budget is made, including Estimated Rebate on Taxes		1,038.94	1,038.94	
5. Total Estimated Tax Levies for Ensuing Fiscal Year		35,670.13	35,670.13	
6. Analysis of Estimated Tax Levies:				
(a) Amount Outside of 6% Limitation		35,670.13		
INDEBTEDNESS				
1. Amount of bonded indebtedness (Include all negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under ORS 328.205)		None		
2. Amount of warrant indebtedness on warrants issued and endorsed "not paid for want of funds"		None		
3. Amount of other indebtedness				None
4. Total indebtedness (sum of items 1, 2, 3)				None
Dated March 12, 1959				
Signed: Eva L. Cantrall				
District Clerk				
Gene Reynolds				
District School Board Chairman				
Schedule II—GENERAL FUND District No. 23				
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS				
Item	County Sherman	Estimated Receipts	Enacting Fiscal Year	
10. Revenue from Local Sources				
12.0 Tuition & Transp. Fees - Patrons	\$ 3,000.00			
20. Revenue from Intermediate Sources				
21.1 County School Fund	1,480.00			
30. Revenue from or Through State Sources				
31.2 Other Basic Sch. Fund Receipts	11,407.45			
33.1 Common (irreducible) Sch. Fund	121.36			
Total Receipts	16,008.81			
Total Budget Resources Gen. Fund	16,008.81			
Schedule III—GENERAL FUND County Sherman				
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES District No. 32				
I. General Control				
(1) Personal Service:				
(2) Clerk	300.00			
(4) Compulsory Edu. and Census	300.00			
(5) Supplies	75.00			
(6) Elections and Publicity	125.00			
(7) Legal Service (Clerk's Bond, Audit, etc.)	210.00			
(8) Other Expense of General Control	20.00			
Total Expense of General Control	1,030.00			
II. Instruction				
(1) Personal Service:				
(3) Principals	5,850.00			
(3) Teachers	17,075.00			
(4) Sub. Teachers	500.00			
(5) Library Supplies, Repairs	25.00			
(6) Teaching Supplies	850.00			
(7) Textbooks	1,200.00			
(8) Other Exp. of Instruction, band	250.00			
Total Expense of Instruction	25,750.00			
III. Operation of Plant				
(1) Personal Service:				
(1) Janitors and other employees	3,100.00			
(2) Supplies	600.00			
(3) Fuel	1,250.00			
(4) Water	285.00			
(5) Light and Power	1,000.00			
(6) Telephone	150.00			
(7) Other Expense of Operation	—st			
Total Expense of Operation	6,385.00			
IV. Maintenance and Repairs				
(1) Repair, Maint., and Replacement				
(1) Furniture and Equipment	200.00			
(2) Building Structure	600.00			
(3) Upkeep of Grounds	200.00			
(5) Total Exp. of Maint. & Repairs	1,000.00			
V. Auxiliary Agencies				
(1) Health Service				
(1) Personal Service (nurse, etc.)	125.00			
(2) Supplies and Other Expenses	50.00			
(2) Transportation of Pupils				
(1) Personal Service	8,550.00			
(2) Supplies and Repairs	2,500.00			
(3) Replacement of Buses	3,750.00			
(4) Insurance	525.00			
(3) Other Auxiliary Agencies				
(1) School Lunch				
(1) Personal Service	2,150.00			
(2) Supplies and Other Expenses	550.00			
(4) Sick Leave uncertified employees	500.00			
(5) Total Expense of Auxiliary Agencies	18,700.00			
VI. Fixed Charges				
(Exclusive of items included under V-2)				
(1) Insurance	1,500.00			
(3) Retirement - State and Federal	2,000.00			
(4) Other Fixed Charges student ins.	200.00			
(5) Industrial Accident	275.00			
(6) Total Fixed Charges	3,975.00			
VII. Capital Outlays				
(1) Library Books	200.00			
(6) Furniture Fixtures and Other Equip.	600.00			
(9) Total Capital Outlays	800.00			
IX. Emergency				
(1) Total General Fund Expenditures	58,640.00			
Schedule No. 1 SPECIAL FUNDS Dist. No. 23				
EST. RECEIPTS Lunch Fund County Sherman				
(1) Lunch Income	3,200.00			
(2) State Reimbursement	750.00			
Total Receipts	3,950.00			
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES				
(1) Supplies and other expenses	4,150.00			
Total Expenditures	4,150.00			
Schedule II ESTIMATED RECEIPTS				
(1) Rent	720.00			
Total Receipts	720.00			
Beginning Net Cash Balance or Deficit	1,622.16			
Total Budget Resources	2,342.16			
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES				
(1) Maintenance	600.00			
(2) Repair expense	1,724.16			
Total Expenditures	2,342.16			