

BOARDMAN

MRS. A. T. HBREIM, Correspondent.

Boardman friends are glad to hear that Richard Root is showing much improvement and hopes are held for his recovery. His father came home last week and Mrs. Mafford returned home Sunday. Mrs. Albert Macomber of Olex went up Sunday to Pendleton to stay a week with Mrs. Root and Richard. The child's pulse has gone down to 130 and his fever has left him.

E. M. Sanders has purchased the ranch of Dr. Donnelly west of Boardman and will take possession at once. The Sanders come from Shelton, Wn. The house will be finished at once. A nice house was started on the ranch two years ago but has never been completed.

Frank Otto planned to go to The Dalles on Monday of this week and possibly on to Portland.

Tom Hendricks tried to put up some ice last week but waited until after the chinook and the ice melted so rapidly that he did not accomplish much.

Noel Klitz went to Hermiston Saturday to have some dental work done.

Another real estate deal was recently concluded here when F. L. Brown purchased the Hines ranch which adjoins his own. Some town property was traded in it is reported.

J. B. Harvey of Walla Walla is at the Highway Inn for a time. He is a representative of the Farm Journal, a magazine that nearly every farmer knows.

The Farm Loan association held its annual meeting at the school house Thursday, January 27. Only a few of the members attended. The old officers were reelected and they in turn appointed the secretary. W. O. King has been secretary for some time and will no doubt be reappointed. Robert Wilson, Chas. Nizer and Chas. Attebury are the directors.

The Boardman commercial club held an interesting and important meeting Saturday night at he school house with a good attendance. The principal feature was the talk by S. H. Boardman who spoke on the Umatilla Rapids project. He told of the results of the meeting of the directors of this association at Portland. It has been decided not to present the bill for this project at this session of Congress but wait until later. L. G. Smith spoke on the advisability of bringing in a carload of pure bred Jerseys for the project.

The sophomore English class plans the publication of a school paper every two weeks. The first issue will appear Friday. Helen Boardman has been elected editor and Alex Ayres manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Huff came up from The Dalles last week where they have been living since last spring and are now living in their little house opposite the Klages home.

Mrs. A. A. Agee has been helping at the Gorhams the past week. Gorhams had an extra hard siege of flu but are all greatly improved.

Zeral Gillespie left Sunday for Rhea creek where he will work on the Deas ranch during lambing season. Mr. Gillespie is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Barlow.

Mrs. N. W. Broome and children, Elizabeth, Ellen, Nat Jr. and Virginia Lee, left Sunday on No. 18 for their former home in Travillion, Virginia. They will reach home on Thursday noon. Mrs. Broome is a charming woman of the south and has made many friends here as have the children, and their departure is keenly regretted. Mr. Broome and the oldest son Roger planned to leave the early part of the week for Florida by motor, their departure being delayed awaiting the arrival of license plates for the car.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Calkins was quite ill for a time with an abscessed throat but is much improved now.

Mrs. C. F. Barlow and son and Mrs. Jay Cox motored to Echo Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Truman Messenger.

Ralph Humphrey was elected road supervisor at the special election held Saturday. Clarence Berger, the present incumbent came second, with a few scattering votes for other candidates. The county court will now appoint Mr. Humphrey to the position since this is an appointive office.

Many of the farmers put out poison for the long eared bunnies during the snow and a number were killed.

At the recent election for members of the Fair board there were 29 or 30 candidates, so apparently it is a much desired position. After counting the votes it was found that C. H. Dillabough, W. O. King and Mrs. A. T. Hereim received the greatest number

of votes with J. R. Johnson next highest. They, with three to be elected at Irrigon, will comprise the Fair board for the North Morrow County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cox and children were guests on Monday evening at the Geo. Gross home at a most delightful dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ekoss of Pendleton were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Cornwell. Mr. Ekoss is the manager of the Woolworth store in Pendleton and they are old friends of the Cornwells from Albany.

N. W. Broome sold his ranch at Wenatchee, Wash., returning home from there last week. He had 55 acres with quite a large part of it in orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hereim and two sons were dinner guests Sunday at the J. C. Ballenger home.

Spring is coming. Sure sign: Mr. Burton has a fine display of flower and garden seeds in one of the windows of his store.

MORGAN

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Eckleberry were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Pettijohn Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harbison were calling in Heppner Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bauernfiend and Misses Beulah and Geneva Pettijohn were visiting in Heppner Sunday evening.

Carl Linn of Ione spent a few days of last week with Dean and Rood Eckleberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Palmateer were visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely Sunday.

Miss Martha Wilson of Heppner spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bauernfiend.

Morgan Rebekahs installed officers Thursday night. Mrs. Mattie Morgan is the new Noble Grand and Mrs. Zoe Bauernfiend the new Vice Grand.

Miss Thelma Morgan spent the week end with her parents at Broadacres.

W. F. Palmateer spent Sunday with Leon Logan of Four Mile.

A few of the Morganites attended the basketball game at Ione Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crowell entertained a number of their friends at their home Saturday evening. The evening was spent in dancing and playing cards. Late in the evening refreshments were served.

NEWS FROM THE MARKET AGENT

The Outlook for This Year. The general outlook for the marketing situation for 1927 is not much different from the past year, and the surplus problem is as yet unsolved. Cotton, corn, hay and beef have not been profitable products, while potatoes, eggs, butter, wool and hogs have had fair markets. The big surplus cotton crop of the south is reflected in Wisconsin and other states in the cheese industry. The south has been a big consumer for middle west cheese, but with the big surplus and low price for cotton, this demand for dairy products has been materially decreased. The Labor Bureau reports that wages of industrial workers are on the increase, as are also average

Mc Adoo Into Action



Wm. G. McAdoo swung into the East last week on private business but paused long enough at New York and Toledo to talk a bit of politics, declaring himself in favor of abrogation of the two-third rule in Democratic conventions. Also to set in motion activity in every state for the organization of dry sentiment.

Takes Ban's Place



American League baseball club owners have named Frank J. Navin to take Ban Johnson's place as president of their circuit.

Earnings, while living costs are coming down.

C. E. Spence Improving.

C. E. Spence, State Market Agent, who has been critically ill in the Sellwood hospital for a month past, and who underwent a major operation on January 7, is steadily improving and will be able to leave the hospital in a few days.

Many Small Co. Op. Associations.

More than one half of the co-operative buying and selling associations of this country have memberships ranging below one hundred, according to a survey of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Approximately

23 per cent of the total number which made reports had from one to 50 members each. About 10 per cent had from 200 to 300 members and less than three per cent of all had more than 300. Twenty nine per cent had from 51 to 100 and 39 per cent from 101 to 200 each. Organizations weak in numbers and volume of products can have but small influence in price determination and their overhead expenses are certain to be too great for the volume of business. Cooperatives must have strength of number and product to be effective and co-operation must become a philosophy, a religion, between farmer members and their neighbors.

Wheat Prospects Good.

The wheat crop of eastern and central Oregon looks most promising for this time of year. There has been plenty of snow and rain thus far and very little freezing damage is reported.

May Move to Salem.

A legislative committee has recommended that the office of the State Market Agent be moved to Salem and that the incoming market agent officiate as the deputy sealer of weights and measures.

OREGON'S MOTHERS AND BABIES.

From State Board of Health.

Intelligent care of mother-to-be is a means of safeguarding the lives of both mothers and babies in Oregon. There is an increasing consciousness in all civilized countries of the importance of decreasing the heavy loss to the community due to the high death rate among mothers at child birth and among infants during the first year of life. Saving the lives of mothers and babies is largely a matter of giving the mother and child a square deal. One of the greatest problems today is maternity and child

hygiene. Each year in the counties of Oregon there are about 800 deaths among children under a year old or approximately one out of every twenty born alive.

A better understanding on the part of the mothers of baby hygiene, baby care, and baby feeding, has cut down the death rate among older babies. Many little lives can be saved when the mothers are properly advised and cared for before the babies are born.

Some interesting figures have recently been published that are of interest to every mother in Oregon. A survey made in 25 cities showed that 8 per cent had received proper instruction before their babies were born. Among these mothers there were no deaths. Among the other four thousand women who did not have such advice one woman in every 66 lost her life at the birth of her baby, and in this last group there were six times as many baby deaths as in the number born to mothers who had prenatal care. These figures are just as true in Oregon. Thousands of mothers in this state have received and are receiving advice and

instruction through the Bureau of Nursing and Child Hygiene of the State Board of Health.

Oregon boasts of the lowest infant mortality in the United States. Many lives can be saved by providing an adequate service for the instruction and care of mothers and children. The Federal government will cooperate in this work on a 50-50 basis. Every state in the United States with several exceptions has some form of organized service for the conservation of the lives of mothers and children.

When a state goes to improve its apple crop it begins in one or several localities, does the best it can in these places and keeps other apple growers of the state informed about the progress made. Such undertakings are called demonstrations, be-

cause they show how the thing is done. That is exactly the way Oregon has gone about improving the crop of babies. At present there are five counties in this state that are providing an adequate and efficient health service to every community within their boundaries.

Of course there must be funds to carry on and extend this work. The funds for this work are supplied entirely through matching federal funds. Oregon has accepted federal funds to improve its crop in the fields and in the past two years it has also accepted them to improve the crop at home. A word from you to your legislator will assist materially in obtaining adequate funds with which to carry on the work of providing you with health protection.

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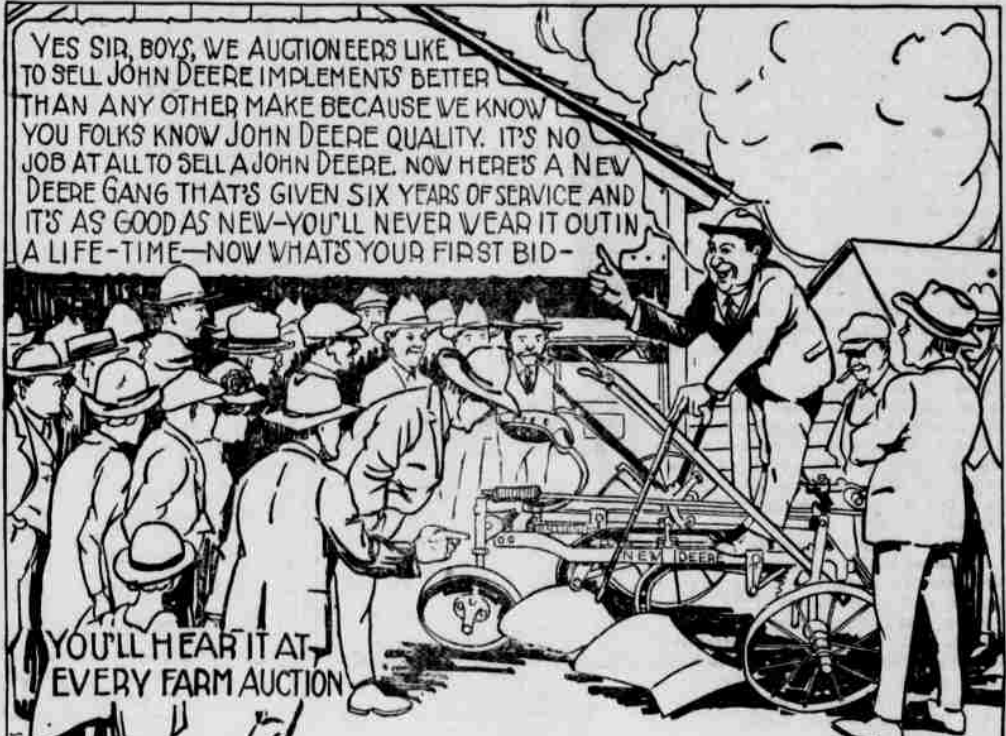
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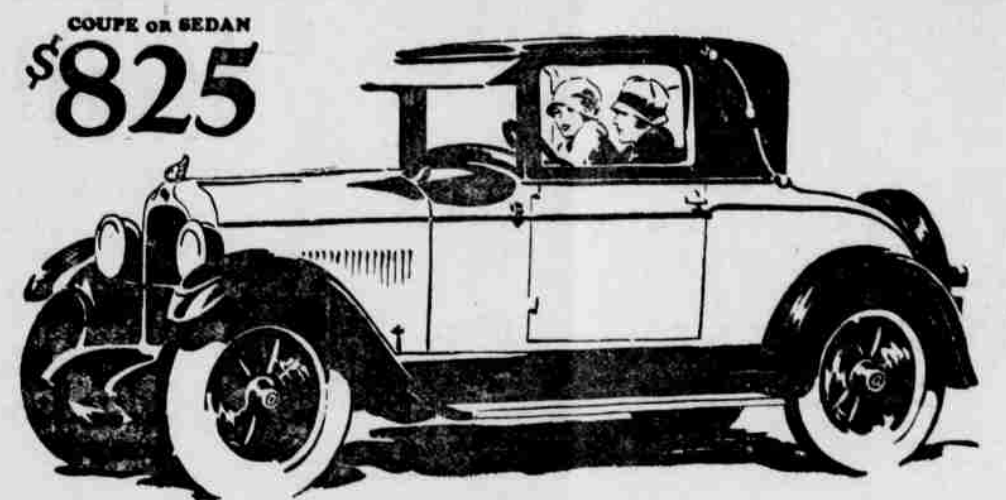


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