

Local Happenings

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Editorial

How many of the pupils take advantage of the 2500 books in the school library? These books will be loaned to any of the pupils and the library is open from 8:30 to 9:00 in the morning and 3:00 to 4:00 in the afternoon.

New Staff Chosen

The members of the Hehisch staff for this six weeks were chosen because of excellent work and faithfulness in the past. The staff has been changed every six weeks with every student of the journalism class (junior English) having an opportunity to be on it.

County Track Meet

The May day track and field meet between the grade schools of Morrow county will be held Monday, May 1, at one o'clock at the Rodeo grounds.

the lower division and Kathryn Parker and William Mitchell represent us in the other division.

There are two loving cups to be given to the winning school in each division. The cup in the upper division was given by the Heppner Lions club three years ago. The other cup was given by the Ione Odd Fellows two years ago.

Calling Cards Received

Monday the seniors received their calling cards which are panelled and very attractive. Most of the pupils are proud of their first personal calling cards.

Seniors Weiner Roast

The seniors reported their weiner roast held last Friday at the artesian well as being one of the best ever in spite of there being one flat tire before leaving the school grounds.

Benzine Ring Has Meetings

Chet Christenson was very adequately initiated into the Benzine Ring at the meeting two weeks ago. Last Thursday the club resurrected a machine for showing slides on a screen and several sets were run through.

Grade News

The third grade has completed twenty-five penmanship drills which are going to be sent to the Palmer Method company. The best of these will be awarded pins.

At the end of the year the pupil making the most improvement will be given a pen and holder by the teacher, Miss Beymer.

Friday, the twenty-first, was visiting day for the mothers of all grade pupils. The teachers displayed some of the work the pupils had done and taught their regular classes. After classes the teachers held conferences with the parents regarding the children.

DUTIES OF AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP.

By DORA BAILEY. (Editor's Note—This essay by Dora Bailey, eighth grade student in the Heppner schools, won first place in a recent contest sponsored by Heppner unit American Legion Auxiliary.)

As American citizens we enjoy many privileges; more perhaps than citizens of other countries. However, aliens, dissatisfied with their own country, on coming to our country are forever stirring up fires of communism and trying to undermine our government.

we should pay our taxes without attempting evasion. By doing so we help keep up our government.

Our Constitution has endured for almost one hundred twenty-five years and our nation has prospered in every way.

It is a great privilege to be a citizen of the United States of America, and it should be a greater privilege for every man to perform the duties of citizenship to the best of his ability.

PINE CITY

Miss Freda Hammel took the pupils of her room, the seventh and eighth grades, to Pendleton Thursday to visit the woolen mills, the state hospital and to attend a court trial.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Robison of Hardman visited at the C. H. Bartholomew home from Sunday evening until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Healy and daughters Helen and Rosetta visited relatives in Heppner Saturday and Sunday.

Ray Applegate and family who have been staying in the house on Charlie Bartholomew's ranch are leaving this week for Wallowa county.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Michel and the Misses Reitha Howard and Iris Omohundro were visitors in Pendleton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neill were visitors in Pendleton Wednesday.

The Misses Rose Liebbrand, Freda Hammel and Lila Bartholomew and Mrs. Carrie Chapman went to Wallula Gap on a picnic Sunday.

The Pine City schools are preparing for the track meet at Heppner May 1.

Mrs. Nora Moore who is working at Roy Neill's went to Heppner Saturday. From there she will go on to Portland to attend a lodge convention. She will return to Neill's the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bowman near Echo Sunday.

Fred Bartholomew and son Buddy who have been visiting at the C. H. Bartholomew home returned to their home in Estacada Monday morning.

Mrs. Roy Omohundro and daughter Iris visited friends in Lexington Friday.

Chas. Bartholomew left Tuesday evening on a business trip to Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Neill were in Hermiston Tuesday on business. A. E. Wattenburger and E. B. Wattenburger were in Heppner Friday on business.

Price Adjustments Are Discussed in Circular

An easy way to estimate the amount of increase in farm prices necessary to reach "parity" under the new Farm Bill is explained in the April report on the agricultural situation just released by the Oregon agricultural extension service.

The Farm Bill plan, with some exceptions, is to use the 1910 to 1914 period as the base for estimating "parity." This is the same period used in preparing the government indexes of prices received and prices paid by farmers.

One of the principal reasons for low farm prices is that exports of farm products are way down. In 1932 the volume, exclusive of cotton, was less than 30 per cent of the war-time peak of 1919, and one-fourth less than the 1910-1914 average.

One reason for the decline in exports, besides increased farm production abroad, is that foreign countries now owe us about \$21,000,000,000 more than we owe them.

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Ione Handicraft Club
The Ione Handicraft 4-H club girls met at Mrs. Baldwin's home Thursday, April 20, and continued their work on their luncheon cloths.

Busy Bee Cookery Club
The meeting of the Busy Bee Cookery club of Ione was held last week at the home of Dorothy Howell. Dorothy Howell and Bernice Ring demonstrated fruit preparation, making apple sauce.

Keeping Faith
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Willamina—Two gravity farm irrigation systems are being installed this spring on the Wise and Mendenhall places along the Willamina river. On the Wise place the water will be taken out high up in the hills and will be flumed about 2000 feet and then run in an open ditch to a 48-acre field.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Ferguson arrived in Heppner Saturday for a visit at the homes of their sons, Gene and Raymond, coming up from their home near Gold Beach, Curry county. Mr. Ferguson reports one of the hardest winters known in Curry county in 60 years, having the word of old timers for it. It was the first winter in this time that farmers run short of feed and has resulted in extensive plantings of hay. Among his other farming activities, Mr. Ferguson is preparing to go into the frog business, expecting to raise the large African variety. The Fergusons will not hurry their visit, as the spring work on the farm is well taken care of at present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anglin and Harlan Devin motored to Walla Walla Sunday to be in attendance at a banquet and convention of Safeway stores. They report an enjoyable trip. Mrs. Harlan Devin and sons accompanied them as far as Pendleton where they remained for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gemm have received word from their son Floyd, who went to North Dakota recently with his friend, Orville Olsen. The boys decided to go back to Olsen's home in North Dakota on being unable to locate work in they went recently. They drove back the week recently. They drove back in Gemmell's car.

Dan Stalter, moving force in the Heppner Mining company for 30 years, joined the party from Ione going to Baker Friday by truck for the Masonic meeting. Mr. Stalter made the trip for the purpose of looking after business in connection with getting his mining operations in the vicinity of Austin under way for the season.

C. J. D. Bauman, R. C. Wightman, Paul Gemmell and Spencer Crawford made up a party going to Baker Saturday in the Bauman car for a district Masonic meeting. They returned Sunday via the John Day and Heppner-Spray highways, finding the roads quite passable and the scenery very enjoyable.

Mrs. Ralph Gilliam and friend, Miss Anne Karbula, drove up from Portland Saturday, returning to the city Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Gilliam's mother, Mrs. A. S. Rkers, who visited for a week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Currin of Pilot Rock were in the city Saturday assisting their son George in getting located on the Butter creek portion of the Kilkenny ranch, which he will manage.

Herman Neilson was among residents of the Hardman vicinity transacting business in the city Saturday, being among those who are desirous of seeing some good rains in the near future.

E. F. Swaggart, pioneer Eastern Oregon Jack farm proprietor, was in from the north Lexington farm Tuesday, transacting business.

Harlan D. McCurdy, extensive wheat and sheep operator of the Ione section, was doing business in the city Tuesday.

Ralph Harris, Ione hotel proprietor, was in the city Tuesday, meeting with the county court on road matters.

For Sale—or will trade for wheat, forty ewes. A. C. Swarner, Hermiston, Oregon. 6-7p

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Olden were in town Tuesday from their Fairview farm.

BOARDMAN RACHEL JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Bottmiller and daughter and Miss Gladys Wilson of Arlington spent Sunday visiting with friends in Boardman. They were dinner guests Sunday evening at the Robert Wilson home.

Truman Messenger who has been working on the state highway at Echo was transferred to Condon Monday where he will be employed as the maintenance helper. Mrs. Messenger and children plan to move to Condon the last of this week.

The senior class of the Boardman high school will give a dance in the gym Friday evening, April 28, with Kaufman's orchestra from Pendleton furnishing the music. Admission will be 40c for men and 10c for ladies. Two supper plates for 25c.

Mrs. John Brice is visiting this week at the Claud Myers home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Peck and daughters spent the week end in Portland.

Harry Adams of Dufur will be the 7th and 8th grade teacher of the Boardman school next year. Mr. Adams will be the orchestra director.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mead and family of Union have moved to Arlington where Mr. Mead will be third-trick operator at the depot.

Work on "Echoes of the Sage," the high school annual, is progressing nicely. This year's annual will be the second one published and will be much larger than last year's. The staff consists of Elsie Wilson, editor-in-chief; George Wicklander, and Elvira Jenkins, reporters; Dorothy Compton, typist; Swan Lubbes, cartoonist, and Lois Messenger, manager.

George Agee of Willow creek was a visitor in town Thursday.

Commencement exercises of the graduating class of Boardman high school will be held in the auditorium Friday evening, May 12, at 8 o'clock. The valedictory program will be given by the students alone. Music will also be furnished by the students. Those in the class of

The Ladies Aid Missionary meeting was held last Wednesday in the church. Mrs. Eva Warner was in charge of the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Macomber and Sybil Grace and Miss Lena Rose spent Sunday in Heppner at the Al Macomber home.

J. F. Barlow and Mrs. Claud Coats were Hermiston visitors Saturday.

The entertainment put on by the P. T. A. last Thursday evening went over as a huge success with the large attendance which enjoyed it. The following program was given: Songs by the Cowboy Wranglers, Nate Macomber, Ray Barlow and Marvin Ransier; Native Danish songs by Mr. and Mrs. I. Skoubo and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Skoubo; Duet by Mrs. L. E. Marschat and Miss Shelenberger, who were dressed in saint gowns; solo, "Mighty Like a Rose," Mrs. Floyd Surface; Whistling solo, "Alice Blue Gown," Miss Campbell; "Songs of Long Ago," by West End Warblers, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Dillon and Mrs. Bates; vocal duet, Edward Compton and Dave Johnston; selection by upper grades glee club; vocal gymnastics by the high school glee club; and the "Dreamboat," songs by the school faculty. The proceeds amounted to \$13.15.

The Boardman Athletic club baseball team met defeat on the home diamond last Sunday when they played the Rufus town team. The score was 8-7. The boys will play at Rufus next Sunday.

Nine tables of 500 were in play at the H. E. C. card party given in Root's hall Saturday evening. High scores were won by Mrs. Dan Ransier and Z. J. Gillespie and low by Mrs. Claud Coats and Bryce Dilla-bough.

The Juvenile Grange enjoyed a picnic on the river bank Sunday afternoon. They held a membership contest a few months ago in which the losers were to give a feed to the winners. Since the outcome was a tie everyone joined in helping and had a pleasant time.

The Cramer brothers from The Dalles purchased a new Chevrolet truck through J. F. Gorham this week.

Rhea Creek Grange. BY VELMA HUSTON

Barton Clark departed for Linfield college Saturday to resume his studies. He has been spending the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Robison spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bartholomew of Pine City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buschke motored to Elgin on Friday evening to see Mrs. Buschke's mother who has been quite ill.

Quite a few people from this vicinity attended the services at the Valby Lutheran church Sunday. Miss Oddvige Thompson, a missionary for nine years in Africa, conducted the service.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Anderson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Warfield.

Fred Misener and daughter, Miss June, of Fossil spent a few hours Saturday evening visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Becket.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Huston spent Friday shopping in Pendleton.

Walter and Dorothy, small children of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bergstrom, were quite sick last week suffering from colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Becket and daughters, Norma Jean and Florence, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clive Huston.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Dobyns left for the mountains to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ausgrave on Saturday.

The horses belonging to Clyde Wright are suffering from a peculiar disease. Mr. Wright has lost two horses, and another is threatened. The horses seem to become paralyzed. The state veterinarian is to be here this week some time to see the horses and try to diagnose the disease.

Dale Brown was called to Portland last week on account of the death of his father, Rufus Brown.

The next meeting of Rhea Creek Grange will be held Sunday, May 7. It is asked that as many Grange members as possible will try to be present as a new Worthy Master has to be elected that day.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Clark drove over to Bend to spend a few days of last week with Mrs. Clark's sister, Mrs. Oscar Whittington, who has been very ill and is still in poor health.

Community Canneries Established in State

Community canneries, which proved such a boon to a number of Oregon counties last year, are being organized in greater numbers for the coming season. The horticultural products department at Oregon State college has received many requests for assistance in designing and installing such canneries and has given actual aid or been in communication recently with those in charge of projects at Astoria, The Dalles, Baker and West Fir.

Last year more than 983,000 cans of fruit, vegetables or meat were canned in community plants operated in six Oregon counties, according to a compilation made by E. H. Wiegand, head of the horticultural products work at Corvallis.

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