

HARDMAN

By LUCILLE FARRENS

Community people are giving a dance to be held at the I. O. O. F. hall Saturday night, Dec. 14. The proceeds go for Christmas treats. Let's see you all!

Stanley Robison has been busy cleaning the grade school house the past week. Repairs have been completed on the building. The grade school will be removed from the high school where it has been held for the past eight years, to this building in the near future.

Mrs. Lettie Carter of Salem has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ad Inskip and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Insley of Circle City, Alaska, were visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Stevens, a few days last week. This was Mr. Insley's first visit to Oregon in 35 years since going to Alaska.

The Christian Endeavor boys and girls are working on a play, "Constable Jerry from Fulton Ferry," which is a three-act farce comedy, to be presented at the high school auditorium Dec. 21, beginning at 7:30. Admission 10c and 25c.

The theme of the play centers about the schemes of a miserly old storekeeper, Mr. Flint, to cheat a widow and postmistress of Fulton Ferry, Mrs. Bond, who is trying to send her son through college. (These parts are played by Irl Clary and Zetta Bleakman, respectively. Delvin McDaniel is the son, Eddie, and college boy.) In the long run the old miser is outwitted by Constable Jerry, Jim Stevens, in a clever manner. There is Kit, a highly sophisticated young lady from the city who is seeking quietude and new material for a play, played by Dolly Farrans. Delise Bleakman takes the part of June, a charming girl from the city who comes to work for Mr. Flint, the storekeeper and who is rather "sweet" on Eddie, the college boy. There is Alf, the worldly-wise barber who uses most of his hair tonics on himself, played by Leon Chapin. There are the Uplifters, a worthy body of ladies, who feel that they must protect the morals of the youth of the city, and incidentally everyone's business but their own, played by Lucille Farrans, Pat Bleakman, Lois Stevens and Opal Hastings. There is Henry Tilton, on whom the Uplifters are about to bestow their charity and who has a new-born son at his house, played by Roland Farrans. Mr. Jarvis who arrives to construct a new bridge, and a part of Jerry's scheme to outwit Mr. Flint, played by Tim Kurth, and his chauffeur is Charles Johnson. The scenes are all typical of a small town and take place in the postoffice, the meeting place of the villagers. The characters, too, are typical small town folks. Come and enjoy a good laugh, Dec. 21. A benefit dance with supper at midnight will follow the play.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lovgren and son, Lloyd Harshman and Miss Gladys Lovgren were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Leathers last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duff McKitric attended the theater in Heppner Sunday evening.

Rev. Hinkle of Pendleton conducted a church service here last Sunday.

The ladies of the community have been quilting a quilt which is to be disposed of at the dance here Dec. 14. The quilting parties were held at the home of Mrs. Sam McDaniel.

IRRIGON

MRS. W. C. ISOM.

Several of the members of the Pentecostal church accompanied Rev. Farrans in his house truck to Pendleton Monday night to attend a revival meeting.

Frank Leicht had the misfortune to wreck his car quite seriously as he was returning home from Hermiston Thursday. The accident was caused by slippery pavement.

Mrs. Fred Reiks wrecked her car as she was going to Pendleton Friday when she struck a slippery piece of road, causing the car to go into the ditch and overturn. Rev. Miller of Hermiston was with her, neither being injured.

Mrs. Edith Puckett left recently for Portland where she is employed with the Western Union.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Warner and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pierson of Hermiston Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ferrell accompanied their granddaughter, Mrs. Land, who has been visiting here, to her home near Portland the last of the week and will remain until after the Christmas holidays.

The basketball game between the Irrigon and Heppner high school teams played on the home floor Friday evening was an interesting and exciting event resulting in a score of 25-26 in Heppner's favor.

Mrs. Ruth McCoy of Imbler visited her mother, Mrs. J. A. Grabel, Sunday.

H. C. Warner, Mrs. Chas. Steward and Tom Caldwell motored to Pendleton Friday night to attend church services.

Bert Dexter and Irene Haney, young people of this vicinity, were united in marriage Saturday at Prosser, Wash. Ollie Coryell made the trip with them in his car.

Chas. Acock and Mr. VanCleve were business visitors in Hermiston Saturday.

Geo. Kandler of Umatilla was a guest of Earl Isom Saturday evening.

Wayne Caldwell was taken to the doctor at Hermiston Friday for treatment for gland trouble.

COMMENDS BARRATT STAND.

The stand on the capitol construction measure in the recent special legislative session taken by Senator J. G. Barratt of this district was highly commended by the current issue of "Oregon Democrat." Barratt was named as one of five senators who stood firmly throughout the session for taking all of the proffered federal loan and constructing a \$5,500,000 capitol.

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At Heppner CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST. ALVIN KLEINFELDT, Pastor. Bible School 9:45 a. m. Morning services 11 a. m. C. E. Society 4:30 p. m. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Widweek service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Morning sermon, "God With Us." Evening sermon, "Receiving Gifts." C. E. meeting will be led by Miss Kathryn Parker.

Those who attended our recent revival meetings are cordially invited to become regular attendants at all of our church services. We believe they can fill your spiritual needs provided you will cooperate.

METHODIST CHURCH. JOSEPH POPE, Pastor.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Public worship 11 a. m. Anthem, "In the Home Land." Ruth Dale. Sermon, "The Place of the Day of Rest in the Life of Man." Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Public worship, 7:30 p. m. Song service and prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Choir practice Wednesday evening, 7:30. Mrs. E. F. Bloom, director.

PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE. ALFRED R. WOMACK, Pastor.

Sunday: Sunday School 10:00 A. M. After Service 11:00 A. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M. Tuesday night, prayer meeting only, 7:30. Thursday evangelistic service 7:30 "WE WELCOME ALL"

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liliary room last Friday evening Prizes for bridge went to Mrs. H. D. McCurdy, Ted Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts. For pinocle they were given to Carlton Swanson, Mrs. David Rietmann, Mrs. Ida Fletcher and Walter Bristol.

RHEA CREEK GRANGE NEWS.

Rhea Creek grange has nearly completed the remodeling of their hall. The old kitchen has been moved against the hall and is now to be used as a dining room. A new kitchen has been built. These two rooms and the music alcove have been lined with plywood. Three chimneys have been built and a new stove has been placed at the opposite end of the hall.

As a housewarming for our improvements members of the grange are giving two short comedies on the night of December 13, Friday. The following members are in the cast of "The Longhorns": Grandma, Mildred Wright; Nancy, Beth Wright; Bud Walter Wright; Cinch, Delbert Wright; Killer, Clayton Wright; Pecos, Lawrence Williams. Scene: Interior of a sod shack on the Western prairies.

Those in the cost of "Henry's Mail-Order Wife" are: Abe Smithers, one of those lonely western bachelors, Harley Anderson; Henry Gubbons, another of the same kind, only more so, Gordon Akers; Jim Jones, a cow-puncher by vocation and a practical joker by avocation, Joe Stephens; Becky Simpson, a lonely maiden lady who ranches "across the way," Alice Anderson; Mrs. Tucker, the mail-order wife, Marvel Akers. Time: the present; place: a rancher's rough cabin.

Vital Changes Made in New Corn-Hog Contracts

The 1936-37 corn-hog adjustment contract has been approved and contract applications will be offered to Oregon farmers probably in January. F. L. Ballard, vice-director of extension at O. S. C., has been notified by the Agricultural Adjustment administration.

The new contract containing important changes follows closely the recommendations made by producer-representatives and state agricultural specialists in conference early last month in Washington. As those preceding it, this program is entirely voluntary and no one needs join unless he chooses. It is believed, however, that its provisions are attractive enough to bring an increase in the number of Oregon signers.

The two-year contract, effective as of December 1, 1935, requires that the signer produce for market in 1936 at least 50 per cent of his market hog base and not more than 100 per cent of his base if he is to receive the maximum hog adjustment payment. An optional range of 70 to 90 per cent of his corn base is allowed.

Corn and hog bases under the new program will be established by appraisal by community committees in accordance with standards prescribed by the secretary of agriculture. This undertaking, new to commodity adjustment programs, is designed to permit the assignment of equitable bases to all producers regardless of whether or not they have previously participated in corn-hog programs or farmed previous to 1935.

For complying with the hog adjustment provisions of the 1936-37 contracts, the participating producer will receive his entire hog payment as soon as possible after final compliance has been checked after the close of each year. The 1936 rate will be at \$1.25 per head for each hog in the base, less the pro rata share of the local administrative expenses. Deductions will be made at the rate of \$2.50 per head if the producer fails to raise 50 per cent of his base hog numbers and \$5.00 per head if he raises more than his assigned base number.

The rates of adjustment and rates of payments for 1937 will be announced by the Secretary by November 30, 1936, and will be determined from the outlook for supplies and prices at that time. To

"Bruce Barton Says"



Bruce Barton, (above), noted author and highly successful business executive, comes back as a regular member of this newspaper's staff, with a new and current series of articles which we are confident will meet with the approval of our readers. Barton is one of the most interesting and forceful writers of the day. His comment on events paralleling the news is always well worth reading.

secure the maximum hog payment in 1937, the signer will not be required to produce more than 60 per cent nor asked to produce less than 75 per cent of the assigned market base.

The new corn-hog contract is to be in full force from December 1, 1935, through November 30, 1937, unless the Secretary: (1) terminates all corn-hog contracts with respect to 1937 by an announcement not later than November 30, 1936, or (2) approves an application made by a contract signer not later than April 1, 1937, for termination of his original contract, or (3) terminates a contract because of non-compliance.

Holiday Hints Given in New OSC Home Leaflet

Oregon homemakers who are searching for hints and suggestions on preparations for the Christmas holiday season will find nine pages of helpful ideas on everything from how to make the dinner juice or fruit cocktail to what to give and how to wrap it in H. E. 684, a leaflet prepared by extension workers in home economics at Oregon State college. It is free on request at the college or at county extension offices.

Two complete dinner menus, with recipes, including detailed directions for preparing and roasting the turkey, are contained in the leaflet. Among the recipes are tomato juice cocktail, mixed fruit cocktail, giblet gravy, savory dressing, cranberry jam, raw cranberry relish, candied carrots, creamed onions, apple blush, tomato gelatin salad, mock plum pudding, caramel pudding sauce, pumpkin chiffon pie, and hot mulled cider.

Table decorations need not be elaborate to be cheerful and attractive, and a number that are easily prepared from materials at hand at Christmas time are suggested in the leaflet.

Jars of jam, jelly, marmalade, relish, honey, fruit, meat, mince meat, tomato juice and many other goodies from the cupboard shelves, as well as nuts, dried fruits, vegetables, and similar products from the home garden and orchard which may be gayly wrapped to make welcome and attractive Christmas gifts, are suggested in the leaflet. A number of handy but inexpensive articles of kitchen equipment are also listed as holiday gift suggestions.

A list of eight ideas for wrapping gifts attractively but inexpensively is another feature of the leaflet. For instance, it is suggested that several strands of used white string, dyed with red and green cotton dyes may be twisted together and used instead of ribbon. Bright colored darning cotton may also be used.

Among other holiday publications of the college available for free distribution are H. E. 272, "Christmas Cookies," H. E. 109, "Wholesome Christmas Sweets," and H. E. 260, "Fruit Cakes and Plum Puddings."

I FEEL FINE

Mothers read this:



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STATE CAPITAL NEWS

By A. L. LINDBECK

- Three Candidates Out.
• Governor's Move.
• Bonneville Juice.

Salem.—Three potential congressional candidates eliminated themselves from further consideration during the past week. They were Peter Zimmerman, state senator from Yamhill county; N. G. Wallace, state senator from Deschutes and other counties of the wide open spaces of central Oregon, and P. J. Stadelman, The Dalles, former secretary of state. All three were Salem visitors during the week and each denied that there was any ground for rumors that they might seek the congressional nomination of the respective parties.

Stadelman, however, did not entirely close the gate to the possibility of his entry into the republican race for the treasuryship against Rufus C. Holman. Friends of Stadelman declare that his taste of public life as secretary of state following the death of Hal Hoss had been thoroughly enjoyed and declare they would not be surprised at his entry into the forthcoming primary battle.

Governor Martin, thoroughly disgusted with what he terms "lack of cooperation" on the part of the legislature, is going to carry his program for the development of Oregon to the people. His first move was a double barreled blast at the state senate for its defeat of his capitol construction program.

His next was another blast at the same group of lawmakers for their defeat of his mining board bill and his third move was a criticism of the legislature as a whole for its "niggardly" treatment of his flax development program for which an appropriation of \$1000 was approved after a hard fight.

Discussing the senate's defeat of his mining board bill with newspaper correspondents at the capitol the governor pointed out that Oregon is rich in mineral resources but knew nothing about these resources and nothing was being done to inform possible investors. Scouts for eastern industrialists seeking investment in Oregon, he pointed out, were unable to secure any authentic information regarding the state's mineral resources simply because there was no such information available.

The governor sponsored a bill at the special session creating a state mining board to finance research and surveys but the bill was killed in the senate by a vote of 20 to 7 after passing the House with only three votes opposed.

Sponsors of the proposed North-

west Oregon Bonneville Peoples Utility district estimate the cost of the project at \$5,750,000. Electrical energy will be purchased from the Bonneville power plant, according to petitions filed with the state hydro-electric commission and distributed to consumers over 250 miles of transmission lines to be constructed throughout the proposed district. The proposed project, by far the most ambitious development of its kind ever launched in Oregon, would cover 247 square miles and embrace most of the territory in seven northwest Oregon counties—Clackamas, Washington, Yamhill, Polk, Lincoln, Clatsop and Columbia. Forty-five municipalities are included in the proposed district which has a total population of approximately 150,000.

The Oregon state library has come in for national recognition. A recent bulletin issued by the United States office of education at Washington, D. C., devotes much space to the work which has been done by the Oregon library for the unemployed, out-of-school young people of the state. Special mention is made of the individual reading course service which during the past two years has helped more than 3900 young people throughout the state with their home study.

Motor vehicle registrations in Oregon reached a new all-time high this year with a total of more than 300,000. Nearest previous approach to this record was in 1930-31 when registrations totalled 285,548. Secretary of State Snell points out that an unusually large portion of the cars registered this year were new ones. The new 1936 plates will be available December 15 with 20,000 numbers already assigned and ready for mailing.

Governor Martin spent his boyhood in Illinois where the fishermen sit on the bank and watch the cork bobbing up and down, but he prefers the fishing in Oregon even if it is a little more strenuous and requires more exertion than did the "nigger fishin'" of his youth. Oregon's wild life, the governor declares, is one of the state's greatest assets and contributes largely to the maintenance and increase of tourist travel to the Pacific Northwest.

Thirty-seven lives have been lost and 81 persons have been injured in fires in Oregon during the nine-month period ending September 30, according to a report by Hugh C. Earle, state fire marshal. During the nine-month period there were 3403 fires in the state with losses aggregating \$1,780,493. The report covers only fires on property covered by insurance.

Except for March, April, May and October, tourist travel this year has been heavier, month by month, than during 1934, according to a report by Secretary of State Snell. Registration of foreign cars for the 11 months to November 30 this year totals 96,883, or a gain of more

than 4,600 over the registration totals for the entire 12 months of 1934. In both years tourist travel was heaviest during the months of July and August.

State employees were warned by the board of control this week against the use of state cars for other than public business. Violations of this rule, the board decreed, will result in summary dismissal. The order followed defeat by the legislature of a measure providing for pooling of all state owned cars in an effort to regulate their use. Abuse of the use of state cars, once very common on the part of officials as well as employees, is now believed to be very rare but still of sufficient gravity to require an occasional admonition such as that issued by the board this week.

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