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By MARGARET BLAKE

Continued showers during the past week have been very welcome to the farmers. On Monday afternoon a fall of .79 inches of rain was recorded at Morgan. In looking over records of the observation stations at Heppner, Gooseberry and Morgan we find that Gooseberry is only .58 of an inch precipitation behind Heppner for the period from September, 1935, until June 15, 1936, and Morgan only .68 of an inch behind Gooseberry. The total for the period at Gooseberry is 10.40 inches and at Morgan 9.72 inches. This latter figure shows that 1.62 inches more rain has fallen at Morgan since last September than usually falls in a year, the ten-year average being 8.06 inches.

Miss Elizabeth Harvey returned last Friday to her home at St. Johns, Wash., after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. E. Spegal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beckner, Mrs. James Lindsay and Mrs. H. E. Cool motored to The Dalles last Sunday to visit Johnny Eubanks and take him the sum raised for him at the dance last Friday night. A large crowd was in attendance and the pies sold at the supper hour netted a nice sum so that a little more than \$100.00 net was realized. Mrs. Eubanks accompanied the party and remained in The Dalles.

Miss Dorothy Howell is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Barlow at Hermiston.

Miss Earline Farris is visiting relatives in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald White of Vancouver, Wash., were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carlson. Mr. White is a nephew of Mr. Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nickel of Sumner, Wash., with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sather and son Jon Winfield of Seattle, spent Sunday night and Monday visiting with the families of Mrs. Nickel's brothers, C. W. and J. E. Swanson.

"Buddy" Wardfield of Hermiston is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Cochran.

Miss Eva Swanson has returned from Salem where she has spent the school year as a student at Willamette university.

Mrs. S. E. Moore and Mrs. Wrex Hickok went to Portland Sunday to remain for a short time and will return later to finish disposing of the furniture of the S. E. Moore store.

E. J. Bristow was a business visitor in Pendleton Monday.

George Moore of Vancouver, Wn., has been a guest at the Henry Clark home here and at the Clark Bros. ranch near Lexington.

Sixteen persons attended the annual school election held at the school house last Monday afternoon. Earl Blake and Ralph Harris were unanimously reelected to fill their places as board member and clerk, respectively. Other regular business was transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts and Joe Engelman returned Sunday afternoon from Portland where they enjoyed the Rose Festival last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Blake were here from Kinzua Friday and Saturday. Mr. Blake returned home Sunday while Mrs. Blake remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. John Kirk, Sr., and Mrs. John Kirk, Jr., of Vernonia, and Mrs. Clint Sharp of Condon were guests of Mrs. Fred Ritchie last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ware of Olympia, Wash., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Noel K. Dobyns.

Mrs. Fred Mankin and children, Betty Jean and Buddy have returned from Portland. Mr. Mankin motored to Portland Saturday to bring them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ture Peterson spent the week end with relatives at Astoria. While there they attended the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Episcopal church of that city of which Mrs. Peterson is a member.

The ladies of the Ione Women's Missionary society will entertain the ladies of the missionary society of the Gooseberry Lutheran church at the home of Mrs. J. E. Swanson on Thursday afternoon, June 25. An interesting program is being arranged.

Mrs. C. J. Willis of Portland departed for her home Monday night after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Emert. Her daughter, Lenore, who came with her remained for a more extended visit.

Walter Corley, Jr., has killed two rattlesnakes on the hill north of town during the past week. The larger of the two measured 41 1/2 inches in length and 5 1/4 inches around, and had thirteen rattles remaining, some having been broken off.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Farrans and Mrs. Van Dusen of Oakland, Calif., have been visiting their father, W. G. Farrans, who has been quite ill.

Forty-two members of the Troedson clan met at The Dalles last Sunday for a reunion. Members of the family from Ione, Salem, Moro and Portland, Oregon, and Sumner and Seattle, Wash., were present. Going from here were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Troedson, Mrs. Clea Rea and Mrs. Frank Lundell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Swanson, Mrs. H. V. Smouse and Kenneth and Shirley Smouse.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Grabbill and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Keithley and daughter returned on Sunday from a visit with relatives at Nampa, Idaho, and Baker, Ore. Miss Mary Jean Grabbill of Nampa came home with them. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Keithley returned to Baker where Mr. Keithley will have work.

Elmer Griffith was reelected as director and Mrs. Bert Palmateer as clerk at the Morgan school election Monday.

George Tucker and Charles O'Connor went to Athena Sunday to work.

C. W. Swanson is driving a new pick-up.

Howard Eubanks, Bob Buchanan and Francis Bryson came home

from the pea fields at Athena to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Carr and children and Mr. and Mrs. McKenna were guests of Mrs. Alice Wiles on Sunday. With Mrs. Wiles the party motored to Hermiston where they visited Herman Carr and other friends.

At the recent 4-H club benefit dance held here the sum of \$84.00 was raised and this was used to help the various clubs sponsored by Willows grange and enabled them to offer an extra scholarship to the 4-H club summer session at Corvallis.

Ione and Heppner Townsend clubs will have an all-day picnic in the park here next Sunday. An interesting program is being prepared by the clubs and Rev. Glenn Wade of Hermiston will be speaker of the day.

Earl Blake and daughter, Joanne, drove to Fossil Saturday evening. They returned home Sunday accompanied by Mary K. and Helen Blake who had spent the week with relatives there and at Kinzua, and by Miss Phyllis Blake of Kinzua who will visit here.

J. E. Swanson and Garland Swanson were Portland visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

An interesting little newspaper appeared in Ione Tuesday. This sheet is published by the scout troops of Lexington and Ione and is called the Weekly Lexion. It contains news and announcements of general interest to the two towns and will appear regularly during the summer months.

Mrs. Walter Swanson and children of Walla Walla are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bristow.

Mrs. Ed Polachek of The Dalles is visiting Mrs. Robert Grabbill.

Record 4-H Club Session Nears End at Corvallis

The biggest 4-H club summer session ever held west of the Mississippi is drawing to a close on the Oregon State college campus at Corvallis, where more than 1400 boys and girls and 60 local leaders have spent a busy two weeks attending classes, getting acquainted, and enjoying the program of recreation and entertainment.

Friday, June 19, is the last day of the session, when winners of all contests and awards will be announced, and the girls and boys whose class sections made the highest record for promptness, attendance and interest for the two weeks will have the pleasure of sitting on the assembly platform and eating ice cream while the rest of the clubbers look on. Saturday morning bedding will be rolled and suitcases packed, and the entire group will scatter to their homes in every county of the state.

Among the exciting incidents at summer school this year was the announcement from Portland that Florence Flink, 13, one of the summer school delegates from that city, had won the grand championship of the Rose Festival on her entry of an Ophelia rose grown in her 4-H rose and flower project. This made the second successive year in which a 4-H club member had carried off this coveted honor at Portland's rose show in competition with the best adult growers.

The Oregon club summer school, which incidentally is the only two-week session of this sort held in the United States, had its beginnings 22 years ago when 20 4-H boys and girls were assembled on the O. S. C. campus for special training. It has grown steadily in scope and attendance, with an enrollment this year more than twice as large as that of two years ago.

The class work this year was more inclusive than ever before, with instruction provided in every phase of club work and many related interests, while many prominent citizens and officials of the state have appeared before the daily assemblies. The clubbers entered wholeheartedly as usual into the sports program of swimming, tennis, baseball, volleyball, dancing, and similar activities. Two new features of the evening entertainment programs were a style revue and an "amateur night."

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Republican Nominee

ALFRED MOSSMAN LANDON



TOPEKA, Kas. . . . The most recent and a specially posed photograph of Governor Alfred Mossman Landon of Kansas, which was taken the week preceding the Republican National Convention at Cleveland.

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COL. FRANK C. KNOX

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CHURCH OF CHRIST. ALVIN KLEINFELDT, Pastor. Bible School 9:45 a. m. Morning services 11 a. m. C. E. Society 6:30 p. m. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Widewerk service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Children's program will be held during the Bible School hour.

were accompanied to Lexington by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burchell and son who expect to spend the summer in this community.

The second Rodeo queen dance will be held Saturday night at the Lexington grange hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Scott and Mrs. Arnold Pieper returned home from Portland Sunday. They attended the Rose Festival while in the city.

Mrs. Bonnie Cochran of Heppner was a guest of Mrs. Louis Marquardt last week.

Myles Martin is driving a new Plymouth coupe which he purchased in The Dalles recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Phillips of Kinzua spent Sunday in Lexington visiting relatives and friends.

J. H. Helms is very ill at his home here. A physician was called from Heppner Tuesday morning.

Miss Eva Wilcox, formerly of Lexington and at one time queen of the Heppner Rodeo, has been chosen as one of the attendants to the queen of the Pendleton Round-Up this year. Miss Wilcox now makes her home at Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hunt and children accompanied Vernon Scott to Portland Tuesday morning.

Harold Henderson of Pendleton was a business visitor in Lexington Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bauman and children motored to The Dalles last Sunday to attend a reunion of the Bauman family. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brown and family and Clarence Bauman of Heppner; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Writer and two children of Olympia, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kessler and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lyons and two children of Portland.

R. B. Rice was in Spokane this week.

WHAT THE CCC MEANS TO ME. By JOSEPH WHITMAN, Local CCC.

I represent the average American boy. I am twenty-two years old and full of ambitions and ideals of youth. Back in the latter part of 1934 I enlisted in America's greatest peace time mobilization with great anticipations. I can now say that many of them have been realized. At the time I joined this organization my weight was 150 lbs. It is now 175 lbs.

Because of financial difficulties at home I was forced to leave school upon graduation from the eighth grade. I was attending night school when my chance came to join the C's. I can gratefully say that I have furthered my education 100% since then, and feel I will have a practicable, workable, line of mastered studies when I again return to employment in private life.

Of the many things that I have learned in the C's those that will always stand out are: (1) Being able to get along with other people at work and play. (2) The value of good, wholesome food coupled with hard work and its influence toward sound health. (3) It has developed in me a deep appreciation of nature and country life. For examples I have learned to distinguish trees as to species and commercial value. I have found out much about the habits of the fields and forests, their living habits, and the part they play in keeping nature's balance, and ways to remedy conditions that upset it. In regards to country life my view point has been broadened by direct contact with farming problems and by taking part in the soil conservation program which is helping to solve some of them. I have been given the chance to compare the daily routine of the dairy and truck farmers of the east, and the sheep ranches and the wheat farmers of the west. I have learned much from each. (4) It has aided me in attaining the powers of self-expression, self-entertainment and self-

culture. Through these I have developed pride and satisfaction in cooperation with others. As far as practicability is concerned I have gained an understanding of the prevailing economic and social conditions, to the end that I may cooperate intelligently in improving such conditions. I have learned to preserve and strengthen good habits of health and mental development, and through vocational training and guidance I have been assisted by the organization in acquiring an education that will make me feel equal to any task requiring it in this work-a-day world. So that is what the C's has meant to me, for all of which I'll ever be grateful.

Many Gifts Received By State University

University of Oregon, Eugene, June 16.—Gifts from Oregon citizens, organizations, foundations and the federal government made to the University of Oregon totaled more than \$500,000 during the year just passed. It was announced here by Dr. C. Valentine Boyer, university president. Gifts consisting of cash or those with definite value totalled \$497,489.14, while a large number of books and other presentations were received, on which no definite value was placed.

The federal government accounted for \$400,968.50 of the total. The largest single item was the PWA grant of \$157,500 to aid in construction of the new physical education plant. The new infirmary received \$34,000, while other large projects were granted sums as follows: construction of concrete heating tunnel, \$59,194; additional grant for new library, \$31,700 (supplementing previous grant of \$101,300); remodeling of men's gymnasium into natatorium, \$15,367; landscaping of university campus, \$19,288; and numerous smaller items.

Federal aid to students, through provision for work projects on the campus, totalled \$59,150. A WPA project also provided mural paintings, copper etchings and hand wrought iron for the new library, worth more than \$7,000.

A total of \$8,750 was received from the Carnegie Corporation of New York, for projects as follows: finance summer session art center \$6,000; research in art and appreciation of nature, \$2,250; books on

living and appreciation to be loaned to living organizations, \$500. The American Municipal association granted the sum of \$1566.37 to the university bureau of municipal research. The Spellman fund of New York also furnished this bureau with \$2,095.

The alumni holding company of the university donated \$15,000 toward construction of the new library, and \$410 for a WPA art project. A total of \$10,476.08 was donated by the University of Oregon Mothers for the new infirmary. Portland Oregon Mothers also donated \$613.40 for a scholarship fund.

Scores of smaller cash gifts, for various purposes, were made by citizens and organizations. Numerous gifts of books for the library and law library were made, and a large amount of material was received for the state museum of anthropology, recently established at the university.

July 3 Closing Date for Filing AAA Work Sheets

Friday, July 3, has been set as the closing date for receiving work sheets for the 1936 agricultural conservation program. Unless a work sheet has been filed by a farmer by that date, showing what the crops were on his farm in 1935, he will be unable to qualify for a grant for carrying out soil conserving or soil building practices under this year's program.

The date was set by the state committee late last week while the members were in session at Corvallis going over the progress of the program to date. Among the business transacted was the listing of county yields for seed flax under the special provisions applying to that crop.

The state committee received unofficial reports from many counties showing a large sign-up of work sheets under the new program. In western Oregon particularly has the sign-up been heavy. Farmers in general are following the advice of the extension men in getting work sheets in even though they were not certain they desired finally to participate in the program this year.

Signing the work sheets entails no obligation, but merely makes certain that grants may be claimed under this year's program if carried.

Best indications are that liming will be added as an official soil building practice in western Ore-

Speaker Bankhead



WASHINGTON . . . A newly posed picture of Representative Wm. B. Bankhead of Alabama, elected Speaker of the House of Representatives at the death of the late speaker Joseph W. Byrns of Tennessee.

This addition to the original list was recommended by the Oregon technical committee. Word has now been received by the state committee that the addition of a flat rate of \$2.50 an acre has been approved by the division. This usually means final approval by the secretary.

Liming was advocated as a basic practice necessary in many localities to the growth of legumes, a main objective of the conservation program. It is believed that this encouragement may greatly stimulate the application in regions where shipping costs have made it difficult for farmers to use lime even though needed.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry S. Crump, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has by the above entitled Court been appointed administrator of the Estate of Henry S. Crump, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are notified and required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned, within six months from date of first publication at the law office of W. Vawter Parker, in Heppner, Oregon. Date of first publication, June 11, 1936. Date of last publication, July 9, 1936. R. C. FHELPS, Administrator.

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