

LExINGTON NEWS

**Ross Seeks Ideas
On Power Rates**

By Bertha Hunt

A questionnaire, consisting of several important issues which will be considered in the rate-making for Bonneville power, is being distributed this week to people having an interest in Bonneville project, yet unable to attend the rate hearings.

Mr. Ross is to be commended for his fairness in giving everyone an opportunity to speak his mind. An important issue raised is whether the administrator shall charge a uniform wholesale (postage stamp) rate at all points on the federal transmission system or that a zoning system be established in which wholesale rates charged will be graduated according to distance from the dam. Other questions are: Fixing of resale rates, taxes for public power districts and the matter of industrial utilization of power.—B. H. Peck.

Morrow County Pomona grange will meet with Lexington grange Saturday, April 2, at 10 a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the lecturer's program, beginning at 2 in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Smith of Heppner and their daughter, Mrs. James Leach, accompanied George Peck to The Dalles on Tuesday. Mr. Smith underwent a major operation there on Wednesday morning.

Peter, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Slocum of this city, is reported to be improving slowly from effects of pneumonia at the Heppner hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and son Duane went to Portland Sunday and returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Wright who have lived in The Dalles for some time have returned to Lexington to make their home.

Bill Burchell of Corvallis is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunt and two children, Louise and Claire, and Miss Esther Thompson motored to Hermiston Sunday to attend church services conducted by Rev. Cecil Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladd Sherman and J. P. Lineberry, teachers in the Lexington school, spent the week end in Portland.

Mrs. A. M. Edwards was badly burned on the neck and shoulders when a container of coffee on her stove exploded.

Mrs. Golda Leathers underwent a major operation in a Portland hospital last Saturday morning. She is reported to be making good recovery.

Mrs. Claude Hill with her daughter Kay of Redmond are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Messenger and family left Friday for their new home in Boardman.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell was ill at her home for several days last week.

O. E. Haigh of Freewater arrived Wednesday morning at the A. M. Edwards home where he will work for a time.

Mrs. Elsie Cowins returned to her home in Heppner Thursday evening after spending several weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Allyn, where she has been ill.

While playing with a saw at his home Thursday, Billy Scott cut a large gash in his left hand which required two stitches to close.

Lon Edwards and Charles Cummings returned home Tuesday evening from the Willamette valley, stating that the weather was too rainy to work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson are leaving the end of the week to make their home near Canby. A farewell surprise party was tendered them Saturday evening, with 40 people present who spent a social evening. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson have been very active in community affairs for many years, and a token of esteem was presented in a gift by friends.

The Three Links club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Maude Pointer. Mrs. George White, honor guest, was the recipient of gifts. Whites expect to move to Hermiston soon. Those present were Cora Warner, Cecile Jackson, Laura Scott, Dona Barnett, Hortense Martin, Bernice Martin, Bernice Bauman, Pearl Devine, Fannie McMillan, Norma Marquardt, Emma White,

Mrs. Duran. The afternoon was spent on club work and refreshments of cake and coffee were served.

School News

By Wilma Tucker

In spite of the wind and weather on the 18th, the girls' play day went over well—at least for a first attempt. An interesting program was given and the girls enjoyed games in the gym and refreshments. The guests were the high school girls from Ione and Boardman. The Ione girls carried away the trophy, which was a green pig wearing a green ribbon around its neck to which a shamrock was tied.

Don't forget to be looking for a set of china on display at Lexington. The junior class is going to raffle it off at some future date.

HARDMAN NEWS

**Play at Hardman
Was Roaring Success**

By OPAL HASTINGS

The play, "Tiptoe Inn," created by the varied experiences and mistakes of the characters, which made it a roaring success, was given here on Saturday night. Everyone was puzzled concerning the many marriages but were glad to find that everything came out okay. A toll of \$18.50 was taken in. The Christian Endeavor especially wishes to thank everyone who helped to make the play a success.

Roland Farrans, student at the Eastern Oregon Junior college, visited the high school Monday.

The lamblike lion of March has finally showed his teeth and uttered a deep growl. The temperature has been below freezing for the past few days and a cold northwest wind has been blowing.

J. N. Batty is recovering and is able to be up again. He has been suffering from a heart attack the last couple of weeks.

Oscel Inskeep spent the week end at the home of his parents in Hardman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greener returned from Portland where they have been on a pleasure and business trip.

Mrs. Maude Robison, Mrs. Richard Robison, Miss Delsie Bleakman and Neal Knightsen were business visitors in Heppner Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens visited Mrs. Stevens' parents in Heppner Sunday. They left Monday morning to take care of the Archie Ball ranch.

Marvin Saddler completed his term as presiding officer of "Let's Talk" in a very satisfactory manner.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of County Commissioner at the Primary Nominating Election, May 20, 1938. My record is your guarantee, and my experience is your protection.

GEO. N. PECK (Incumbent)
(Paid adv.)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner in the coming Primary Election, and if nominated and elected my former experience in the office will enable me to give you the very best of service. I will appreciate your support. Respectfully,

G. A. BLEAKMAN,
(Paid Adv.) Heppner, Ore.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

I will again be a candidate for the office of County Treasurer on the Republican Primary Ballot, May 20, 1938, and ask for your support.

In past elections my democratic friends have written my name in on their primary ballots, thus making me their candidate also, a manifestation of friendship that I greatly prize.

I solicit the support of all voters and hope that I have proved myself worthy of the confidence reposed in me.

LEON W. BRIGGS,
Present Incumbent.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR:

I will be a candidate for the nomination for the office of County Assessor at the Democratic Primary Nominating Election, May 20, 1938. If nominated and elected I will continue to serve to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,
(Paid Adv.) THOMAS J. WELLS.

Rita Robinson is the next to have the chair. Nona Inskeep is vice-president; Marie Clary, secretary; G. I. Clary, sergeant-at-arms, Marvin Saddler, business chairman, and Vern McDaniel, chairman for current events.

A. D. Inskeep, Osel Inskeep and Miss Frances Inskeep attended the show in Heppner Sunday.

The Community Sing is working on a group of popular songs. The leader, Mrs. McCutcheon, plans to teach some of the songs which will be used in the music festival.

Friday was doll day for the pupils of Miss Morton's room. Everyone brought their dolls and had a good time being little girls again.

Bill Greener was a business visitor in Heppner Monday.

Miss Delsie Bleakman, Miss Loes Stevens, Mrs. Frank McDaniel, Mrs. Richard Robison and Raymond Reid were visitors in Heppner and Lexington Sunday.

Frank Howell and sons, Clifford, Everett and Bill, and Richard Robison were in Heppner Sunday.

Harry (Tarzan) Owens has arrived to work at Reed's mill, which will start running within a few days, if weather permits.

Buster Bleakman has arrived home from Garnet Barratt's where he has been working.

Ed McDaniel and Pad Howell attended the show in Heppner Sunday night.

Miss Marjorie McFerrin spent the week end in Heppner visiting friends. Mrs. Roy Robinson led Christian Endeavor Sunday night. The topic for discussion was "Making and Keeping Friends."

Vera McDaniel is on the spelling honor roll.

George Hayden took Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howell to Heppner Thursday

where Mrs. Howell will be under the doctor's care.

There will be another dance April 2. Scott Brown's orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. Walter Wright and Miss Muri Farrens visited friends here for a while Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lovgren and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Owen Leathers Sunday.

**Locker Storage Men
Face Pioneer Problems**

Oregon State College—Cold storage locker operators of the Pacific northwest will continue a tri-state organization including Washington, Oregon and Idaho, but will encourage district sub-organizations, it was decided at the two-day educational and business conference held at Oregon State college.

Need of a strong organization to protect the interests of this new industry in matters of legislation, education and regulation was emphasized at the conference. So many pitfalls are in the way of such a pioneer enterprise that the organization voted to encourage research in this field such as is being carried on by the food products industries department at Oregon State college, and to publish for the benefit of their patrons a booklet which will contain latest facts for the guidance of users of individual food lockers.

Officers elected are as follows: C. M. Duff, Walla Walla, re-elected president; C. C. Codit, Forest Grove, vice-president; H. W. Burgess, Walla Walla, secretary-treasurer. Trustees, one from each of the three states in the association, are William Behle, Lebanon; L. C. Lemke, Moscow, Idaho, and Jack Crawford, Yakima, Wn.

PURCHASE RESIDENCE

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Merrill recently purchased the Harold Cox house on Church street until recently occupied by the Pat Healy family and moved into it last week. They have undertaken extensive renovations that will modernize its appearance.

• Ten Years Ago

(From Gazette Times, Mar. 22, 1918.)

George Hendrix, pioneer resident, died Sunday at the home of his brother, Wm. Hendrix, on Rhea creek.

Annual city clean-up day set April 9.

E. E. Clark departed Monday for California to start sheep shearing season.

Chautauqua association formed with F. R. Brown as president.

Josephine Mahoney departed Monday for Eureka, Cal., where she will be engaged in an abstract office.

Baseball club organizes with Harold Cohn as manager.

Born at Portland, Mar. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smead, a daughter.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. C. C. Rhea.

Bobby Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is well recovered.

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