

# Local News

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Noble arrived home Monday evening from a week's visit at Vancouver, Wash. They experienced the northwest's earth tremor there Sunday night, and Mr. Noble reported that Vancouver people became mighty excited. He brought report that the big hotel at Longview sustained a cracked side wall, and that glass was shaken out of windows in several towns.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo, son Ted and niece, Marjorie Sims, motored to Eugene Saturday to see the O. S. C.-U. of O. football game, and to visit the other McMurdos boys, Scott at Corvallis and Bernard at Portland. They returned home Sunday night.

M. E. Duran and family moved their home to this city recently from Kimberley where they were located for a year or so. Mr. Duran went out for an elk hunt after getting the family settled and landed a nice young bull.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ture Peterson were Mrs. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spittle of Astoria. One objective of the visit was to view their new granddaughter, Alice Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones of Irrigon were visiting friends here Saturday while taking in the Armistice day observance. Mr. Jones, principal of the Irrigon schools, was formerly in the garage business here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Happold were week-end visitors in Eugene where they attended the Oregon-O. S. C. football game and visited with their daughter, Miss Betty Happold, Oregon State student.

Mr. and Mrs. James Todd and family were among the large delegation of Hermiston football enthusiasts who came to Heppner Saturday to back their team in the big Armistice day battle.

Jess Yoakum, with the forest service at Pendleton, was a Heppner caller Tuesday morning, working in the interests of a big "40 et 8" wreck to be held at Walla Walla the latter part of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Biddle visited in the city Tuesday accompanied by Mr. Biddle's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin of Corvallis who were guests at the Biddle home on Rhea creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belanger arrived the end of the week from their home at Moro to remain for a week while Mr. Belanger is undergoing some dental repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Becket and baby daughter of Wallowa visited this week at the home of Mrs. Becket's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thomson.

Mrs. Adeline (OShea) Dennis and baby daughter of Portland were visitors this week at the home of Mrs. Dennis' sister, Mrs. Harold A. Cohn.

Miss Marie Healy of Portland and Miss Rosanna Farley of Hood River visited over the week end with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Charles Cox and Mrs. Charles Vaughn left Tuesday afternoon for Portland, being taken as far as Arlington by Mr. Cox.

Richard Peterson greeted old-time friends here Monday while in the city on business from the farm near Monument.

Frank Anderson took time off from fall farming operations on the Eight Mile farm to visit town Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Connor at their home in this city Tuesday morning, an 8-pound son.

Herman Neilson and Fan Miller were two residents of the Hardman section in town Tuesday.

Food sale by Methodist ladies in Case's store window, 1:30 to 5, Nov. 18.

Guests at the Orville Smith home last week end were Mr. Smith's mother and an aunt from Naches, Wash.

Frank Lindsay was a business visitor in the city Monday from the farm in the Morgan section.

Guy Huston and son Milo were in town Monday from the Eight Mile farm, transacting business.

J. G. Barratt left Sunday for Montana to attend to sheep interests in the Browning section.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Slocum were in the city Monday from the farm near Monument.

## HARDMAN NEWS

### Hardman Schools Hold Visiting Day

By HARDMAN HIGH SCHOOL  
Education week was observed in both schools last week. Although visitors were welcomed any day, the high school emphasized Thursday afternoon especially when the following program was given, at which Vern McDaniel presided and gave an introductory talk: Jean Leathers spoke on "Education is Our Business;" Vera McDaniel on "The Cost of Education;" Nona Inskip on "Religion in the Schools;" Mildred Clary on "The History of Oregon Schools;" Irl Clary on "The Scope of Education." Frances Inskip made posters and advertised education week. The grade school invited the mothers for the last 45 minutes on Friday afternoon to a program given by the pupils. High school visitors were Mrs. Carl Leathers, Mrs. Owen Leathers, Mrs. Ethel McDaniel, Mrs. Sam McDaniel, Mrs. Darrell Harris, Mrs. John Adams and G. I. Clary.

Dr. and Mrs. Downs of Portland visited at the Joe Batty home over the week end. Sunday the Joe Batty family and the Downs spent the day at the Lewis Batty home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladd Sherman of Lexington brought Mrs. Sherman's mother, Mrs. Golda Leathers, to Hardman Thursday, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Lewis Knighten.

Mrs. Percy Bleakman and children of Toll Gate are visiting at the home of Mrs. Bleakman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Merrill. They plan to return home Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Leathers, Miss Lurline Sparks and Miss Oleta Raimey were business visitors in Heppner Friday afternoon.

Owen Leathers has started working at Bill Greener's where they are getting out logs for the mill.

On Thursday Darrel Farrens took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Farrens to Portland. Mr. Farrens has been ill for some time and went for medical advice. They returned Saturday.

Rally day last Sunday was a big success. The goal was set at sixty and there were sixty-five present. Martin B. Clark and Rev. R. C. Young of Heppner were here and also Mr. Ely. The speaker was Rev. Young of the Methodist church. A special program was given in the afternoon.

Mrs. Kenneth Bleakman and daughter Neta and Lewis McDonald were visitors here Sunday. Lewis now lives at the Bleakman home in Heppner where he is going to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Harris visited at the J. E. Craber home till Saturday. They left for the Wright ranch in the mountains where they will cut posts.

Mrs. Bert Bleakman, Mrs. Owen Bleakman, Miss Neva Bleakman and Mrs. Percy Bleakman and son visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McDaniel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carmichael of Lexington accompanied by N. H. Leathers visited at the Owen Leathers home a short time Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Lovgren and son Stacy Ray visited Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Leathers.

Carey and John Hastings were both successful in bagging their bull elk next to the last day of the sea-

son. Carey brought in a very nice spike, and John a splendid six-pointer. In the party also were Guy Chapin and Barton Clark.

Miss Lurline Sparks, Miss Oleta Raimey, Miss Pat Bleakman and Mrs. Thomas Brown were initiated into Mistletoe Rebekah lodge Tuesday night of last week. After initiation candy was served.

John McDonald who had been working at the Craber ranch went to Heppner last week where he had medical attention. His collar bone was cracked and there were other minor injuries.

Rev. Ely, who has an apartment in the Neal Knighten home, plans to hold services for the next few weeks at the community church, each evening at 7:30.

Misses Juanita Byer and Flora Mae Jensen returned home from Portland Thursday.

John DeMoss who is a cousin of Harvey P. DeMoss who taught here for two terms about six years ago, visited in Hardman last week.

Mrs. Fred Gallagher and sons Wesley and Harley of Heppner visited here last week at the William Lee home.

Everything is in readiness for the evening of one-act plays to be given in the high school auditorium at 8 p. m., Saturday, Nov. 18. Admission charges are to be 15c and 25c. You must not miss "The Resurrection of Ezra." Dance at the I. O. O. F. hall, with Ivan Leathers' orchestra, follows.

The weather this last week was slightly chilly. The sun shone on almost every day, but one night there was a very light rain, and at least during half the week there were high winds. Those who were up early Monday morning were rewarded by seeing the aurora borealis.

### Checking AAA Range Due to Get Benefits

An outstanding accomplishment of the federal range conservation program this year has been its demonstration of the value of water developments, according to E. H. Miller, chairman of the Morrow county agricultural conservation committee.

"This has been a dry year," he pointed out, "and those ranch operators of our county who developed springs, dug wells or built dams and reservoirs under the AAA program were certainly glad to have the extra water supply for their livestock."

Mr. Miller said that 38 ranch operators of this county took part in the federal range improvement program this year, and he expected as many and perhaps more would participate in 1940.

The chairman stated that the 1939 range program is now nearing a wind-up and that December 31 is the final date for operators to complete their practices. Any practices undertaken after that date will be applied to the 1940 range program. Only exception to the December 31 date is artificial reeding, which will be approved only if done between September 1 and November 30.

"Range conservation practices must be checked for compliance after they are completed," the chairman said. "It costs more to check compliance after winter sets in, so we are urging ranch operators to finish their work and have it checked as soon as possible. March 31, 1940, has been set as the final date for

filing applications for payment on the 1939 range program, but we hope that folks won't wait until the deadline before having conservation practices checked."

## MANY PEOPLE VISIT STATIONS

That Oregon people are keenly interested in what takes place on the experiment stations is indicated by the fact that 50 field days in the last two years have brought visitors to these stations in numbers ranging up to 800 each. A summary of these

field days given in the recent biennial report of the experiment station shows that the eastern Oregon livestock branch station at Union held the most field days, followed by the central station at Corvallis.

## IRRIGON NEWS

W. C. Isom shipped over 400 turkeys in the pool that went out of Hermiston last week. R. V. Jones, Batie Rand and Robert Smith each had quite large shipments in the pool.

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Morrow County Representative  
**Mutual Benefit Health and Accident Association of Omaha**  
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**The STAR REPORTER**

**Friday-Saturday**  
**THE UNDERPUP**  
with Gloria Jean, C. Aubrey Smith, Virginia Weidler, Nan Grey, Robert Cummings, Beulah Bondi, Margaret Lindsay, Billy Gilbert, Raymond Walburn  
Eleven-year-old Gloria Jean, who makes her screen debut in this feature, possesses a carload of personality, acting ability, quaint humor and a birdlike singing voice. The wholesome, good-natured story is excellent entertainment for adults and children alike.  
—plus—  
**Torchy Plays With Dynamite**  
with Jane Wyman as the new "Torchy" and Allan Jenkins as the detective boy-friend never let things grow dull in this harum-scarum comedy.  
Cartoon

**Sunday-Monday**  
**THE WIZARD OF OZ**  
(in technicolor)  
with Judy Garland as Dorothy, Frank Morgan as the Wizard, Ray Bolger as the Scarecrow, Bert Lahr as the Cowardly Lion, Jack Hale as the Tin Woodman, Billie Burke as the Good Witch, Margaret Hamilton as the Bad Witch, Charley Grapewin as Uncle Henry, Singer's Midgets as the Munchins.  
On the other side of the Rainbow . . . many, many miles east of Nowhere lies this Wonderful Land of Oz! The most amazing empire ever conceived in the mind of man . . . now actually created on the screen before your very eyes in all its splendor and magnificence.

**Tuesday**  
PAL NIGHT: 2 adults 35c, 2 children 10c  
**I STOLE A MILLION**  
with  
George Raft, Claire Trevor, Dick Foran, Victor Jory, Henry Armetta  
A real guy with a heart of gold . . . who stole a million dollars because he had never learned that two wrongs can't make a right.  
Musical Cartoon

**Wednesday-Thursday**  
SPECIAL THANKSGIVING MATINEE THURSDAY AT 2 P. M.  
**THESE GLAMOUR GIRLS**  
with Lew Ayres, Lana Turner, Tom Brown, Richard Carlson, Jane Bryan, Anita Louise, Marsha Hunt, Ann Rutherford, Ernest Truex  
A girl from the wrong side of the tracks gives a group of snobbish socialites some lessons in how to behave.  
**"UNCLE SAM—THE FARMER"**  
Will America again feed Europe's millions? This latest issue of March of Time deals with the effect of the war on the 32,000,000 farmers in the United States.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Gonty (Heppner) are invited to present this coupon at the boxoffice for complimentary admissions.  
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