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Mess Hall Will Be Missed

ONE feature of Camp Heppner that will be missed by Morrow county citizens is the mess hall. More than once since the camp was established here the mess hall has witnessed large assemblages which it would have been difficult to accommodate elsewhere in Heppner. Such a meeting was that of sportsmen last Sunday evening. To feed from 150 to 200 people is no small job any time, yet Lieut. Marius Hanford and his boys handled the job in a capable manner. The people of this vicinity know full well that the boys at the camp are properly fed for not only on special occasions, such as Sunday evening, do the cooks show their qualifications but on every day are the variety and preparation of foods of a type to promote development of healthy bodies.

The camp will be sorely missed in other ways, too. It has been a comforting thought to know that if assistance is needed, such as in January when snow was cleared from the walks, or the cutting of Christmas trees and numerous other services rendered by the CCC, and when the camp is closed, as appears quite certain at this writing, these personal attentions will be sorely missed.

Heppner may well be proud of its school band. To have a large group of young people molded into an effective musical organization is a good thing for any community. The showing made by the band last Saturday was creditable and altho the results of their parade proved disappointing to the young people they should not be discouraged. It is difficult to keep the public interest at a high pitch even if the band's efficiency is well sustained. Perhaps a little more ballyhoo was needed to impress the crowd on the street with the nature of the parade. There was nothing of an advertising nature in connection with the band's appearance. A good announcer and

a few banners carried by pretty high school girls would have directed the attention of the people to the thing the band was trying to put over—the dance Saturday evening.

Church Should be Recreation Center

The modern church should take the lead in providing recreation facilities for the young people, in the opinion of Rev. Mofatt Dennis, Lexington-Ione minister. Rev. Mr. Dennis was speaking before the Lions club Monday noon on the subject of church union. His statement relative to recreation facilities follows an outline of the work he is committed to in his two-town pastorate, namely, consolidating the several congregations in each place into one church.

Reasons for this consolidation, or federation, are numerous and convincing, the speaker pointed out. In the first place, any one of the churches operating alone is unable to pay the salary of a minister, keep the church property in good condition and provide proper facilities for attracting and holding the attention of the young people. By uniting the several congregations under one management, as it were, it is possible for the minister to draw a living wage and for the church to offer better facilities to those whom it wishes to serve. Rev. Dennis has committed himself to the task of building one strong congregation in each community. In Lexington he advocates using one of the church buildings for church services and converting the other into a recreation hall. He admits his program is a little bit in advance of the prevalent idea in the community, but is hopeful he can get the people to see it his way. Several Lions and others present at the luncheon expressed opinions coinciding with those of the speaker.

The Lions will not meet next Monday but will assemble at the hotel at noon of March 25.

THEY ALL ADVERTISE!

The hen is not supposed to have much common sense or tact, Yet every time she lays an egg she cackles for the fact;
The mule, the most despised of all, has a most persistent way Of letting folks know he's around by his insistent bray.
The busy little bees, they buzz, bulls bellow and cows moo;
The watchdogs bark, the ganders quack, the doves and pigeons coo,
The peacock spreads his tail and squawks, pigs squeal and robins sing
And even serpents know enough to hiss before they sting.
But man, the greatest masterpiece that nature could devise
Will often stop and hesitate before he'll advertise.

The 'Cap' Himself



Captain Harry L. Beard

Captain Harry L. Beard, better known as "Cap," is the well-known director of the Oregon State College Cadet band, which will appear here Monday, March 18. Captain Beard has led the band for 35 years.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Heppner fire department and others for responding to the fire in Lexington Tuesday night. Although the department's services were not needed, we appreciate the generous spirit in offering to come to our assistance.

Lexington Town Council.

FLAG QUESTIONS

(Presented by Americanism Committee of American Legion Auxiliary especially for use of school pupils participating in its annual Americanism contest.)

31. When displayed in a church what is the position of the flag of the United States?
 - (a) If in the chancel?
 - (b) If outside the chancel?
32. On a float in a parade how should the flag always be displayed?
33. When used to cover a casket
 - (a) What is the position of the blue field of the flag?
 - (b) How should the casket be carried?
 - (c) Is the flag lowered into the grave?

34. How is the Flag placed to indicate mourning?

- (a) When flown from a stationary staff?
- (b) How should it be hoisted?
- (c) What should be done before lowering the flag for the day?

35. What is the rule for displaying the Flag on Memorial Day?

36. What are the only cases in which the Flag of the United States should ever be half-masted?

37. What are the rules regarding the following:

(a) Placing any other flag or pennant above or to the right of the Flag of the United States?

(b) The Flag touching the ground or trailing in the water?

(c) Placing any object or any emblem of any kind on or above the Flag?

(d) Using the Flag as a portion of an athletic uniform?

38. (a) Should torn or badly soiled Flags ever be displayed?

(b) What should be done when a Flag is in such condition that it is not fit to be displayed?

39. What is the correct way for the Flag to be saluted:

- (a) By men in uniform?
- (b) By men not in uniform?
- (c) By women?

(d) When is the salute in a moving column rendered?

40. (a) What is the correct way of rendering the pledge to the Flag?

(b) State the Pledge?

41. What should be done and how should we go about it when we see violations of the Flag Code?

42. What is the correct way to carry the Flag:

(a) At the side of the body?

(b) In front of the body?

(c) Into a lodge room, and placing it in its stand?

43. Is it considered good form to display the Flag of the United States on an automobile while driving through a foreign country?

44. When and how was June 14 as Flag Day established, or nationalized?

45. What does it mean when the Flag is displayed with the Union down?

46. Relate how the American Flag came to be named "Old Glory."

47. Is it permissible to wash or dry clean a United States Flag? If so, how should it be hung to dry?

48. Is it proper for organizations like the Odd Fellows, Masons, and Knights of Columbus to decorate with Flags the graves of their dead

on Memorial Day?

49. Is it proper to place the Bible on the Flag?

50. (a) What is the proper attitude for all Americans when the Flag is being raised on lowered or when it is passing in a parade?

(b) What has been your observations with respect to this?

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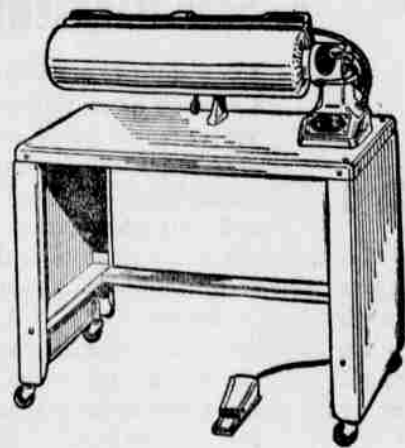
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