

Local News

O. M. Clark of Hermiston, distributor in Morrow county for a well known firm for the last five years, has been confined at the U. S. Veterans hospital at Portland for the last two weeks undergoing treatment for a service connected injury. He reports fair progress and hopes to be back in the territory by the first of December.

It was on December 14, 1934, that Morrow county's wheat crop was entirely frozen out, recalled J. H. Padberg when in the city on business Tuesday. He wasn't pessimistic over the prospects for this year, saying the stand was one of the best he had seen in his many years of residence here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh B. Smith returned home Thursday night last from Portland where they had been for two weeks with Mr. Smith's mother who is critically ill. It was necessary for Mrs. Smith the elder to undergo an operation while they were there.

Lawrence Redding was a business visitor in the city today from the Eight Mile farm. He was pleased with the abundant supply of moisture this fall and winter.

FOOTBALL TEAM FETED

A dinner for the Mustang football squad was served Friday evening in the domestic science room at the school, honoring the boys' for their work in the season just closed. Fifty guests were served by the home economics girls under direction of Miss Jean McIlhinny, including faculty, school board and team members. Coach Robert Knox as toastmaster introduced speakers, who included Charles Jones representing the school board; Supt. Alden H. Blankenship for the faculty, and Kay Ferguson, Dean Gilman, Billy Padberg and Captain Claude Snow for the football team. Musial numbers included vocal solo by Patty O'Hara, and numbers by the girls' trio, Lucile Barlow, Patty O'Hara and Dorothea Wilson. Balloons decorated the music room where guests assembled and the banquet hall was attractive with purple and gold streamers.

SHERMAN COUPLE WED

Marriage vows were exchanged here Tuesday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock by Mr. Clyde Dewey Davis and Miss Frances Isabelle Fortner, both of Sherman county. Rev. James Wilkins performed the single ring ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Driscoll, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, with the Driscolls attending. The bride is a grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lucas.

FIRE DESTROYS GARAGE

A garage at the home of Mrs. J. H. Gemmell was destroyed by fire Saturday night when it became ignited from an overheated stove. Oscar Davis had living quarters in the building. Quick action of the fire department prevented the flame from spreading to buildings near by.

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks and appreciation are extended to the many friends for their help, sympathy and floral tributes at the time of bereavement of our beloved mother and grandmother.

Maud Robinson and family,
G. A. Booher and wife,
W. T. Brookhouser and family.

SMITH-ARCHER

Harry M. Archer and Letha E. Smith have announced their marriage as an event of November 8. They were married at the Methodist parsonage in The Dalles by Rev. Oliver J. Gill. The couple was charivariated by friends here on the 14th. They are living at the Smith residence.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Watkins customers wanting any product please order by mail as I am still at the U. S. Veterans hospital at Portland. O. M. CLARK.

Mrs. H. O. Bauman and children are spending Thanksgiving at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cool, at Carlton, Wash., and will visit with other relatives at Wenatchee before returning.

Blaine E. Isom has been confined at home for two weeks suffering a severe attack of influenza and tonsillitis. He is reported much improved but not yet able to resume his regular work.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Babb returned home from Portland the first of the week. Mr. Babb is still indisposed and will not be back to work for some time.

Arthur Johnson was a business visitor in the city Monday from the farm in the Ione section.

Livestock Prices Show Generally Firm

(North Portland Livestock Market News.)

The livestock market at the Portland Union Stock yards, North Portland, for the week ended November 15th, showed steady to 25c lower for cattle; an improvement in the hog market, with weakness in the late trading; a good strong to 15c higher fat lamb market, with slaughter ewes fully steady. There were 3,100 cattle, 290 calves, 4,750 hogs and 2,870 sheep sold on the open market during the past week.

The trading opened this Monday with 2,650 cattle, 175 calves, 3,135 hogs and 1,075 sheep for sale on the open market.

Some of the best steer offerings, as well as canner cows, sold about steady on Monday's market, but most of the better cows and many of the heifer and short fed steers were around 25c lower. Bulls shared the decline, while good vealers held fully steady. A load of good fed steers brought \$10.00. Short fed and grass fat steers sold mainly at \$8.25 to \$8.75. Common heifers sold around \$5.75 to \$6.50, with fleshy grass heifers around \$7.50 to \$8.25, with some fed heifers going at \$8.50 to \$8.65. Canner to common cows sold mainly from \$3.25 to \$4.75, heavy Holsteins reached \$5.50 and better. Good beef cows bulked at \$6.25 to \$6.50, with a few young cows above. Good beef bulls sold around \$6.50 to \$6.75, with a few to \$7.00 or over. Good to choice vealers made \$10.00 to \$10.50.

Tuesday's cattle market was on practically a steady basis with the bulk of Monday sale. One outstanding sale of vealer calves reached \$11.00 for an outside price.

Carlot hogs Monday sold at \$6.50. Good to choice truck-ins weighing around 170 to 215 pounds bulked at \$6.25 to \$6.35. 225 to 270 lb. butchers sold from \$5.65 to \$5.85, with some in the rail division to \$6.00. Lightweights moved at \$5.50 to \$5.75 mainly. The bulk of the packing sows brought \$4.50 to \$5.00.

Tuesday's hog market was about in line with Monday's close or around 10c below Monday's best time.

Fat lambs sold at fully steady prices and slaughter ewes were as much as 25c higher in Monday's trading. Good to choice woolled lambs brought \$8.50 to \$8.75, with medium to good grades at \$7.75 to \$8.25. Good to choice shorn lambs sold at \$7.50 to \$7.75. Good slaughter ewes brot \$3.50 to \$4.25.

Tuesday's trading in the sheep alleys was on a steady basis, with prices generally unchanged from Monday.

The following quotations are based on prices being paid in Tuesday's trading:

CATTLE: Good grain-fed steers \$9.65 to \$10. Good grass steers \$8.25 to \$8.75. Good grain fed heifers \$8.50 to \$8.65. Good grass heifers \$7.50 to \$8.25. Good beef cows \$6.25 to \$6.50. medium \$5.00 to \$6.00; common \$4.25 to \$5.00, canners \$3.25 to \$3.75. Bulls, medium to good, \$6.25 to \$6.50; common \$5.00 to \$5.75. Vealers, good to choice, \$10.00 to \$10.50.

HOGS: Good to choice carlots,

quotable, \$6.40; 170 to 215 lb. truck-ins \$6.25 to \$6.35; 230 to 285 lb. butchers \$5.50 to \$5.75; lightweight butchers \$5.50 to \$5.75; packing sows \$4.00 to \$4.75. Feeder pigs \$4.25 to \$4.75.

SHEEP: Good to choice woolled lambs \$8.50 to \$8.75; medium to good, \$7.75 to \$8.25; common \$6.75 to \$7.50. Slaughter ewes, good to choice \$3.50 to \$4.25. Feeder lambs, good to choice \$7.25 to \$7.50. Shorn lambs \$7.50 to \$7.75.

Farms, Businesses In Labor Survey

With Oregon's skilled labor inventory well under way, local committees are turning their attention to farms, small business and other concerns in an effort to enlist every possible experienced worker for defense industries.

Under the direction of the Board for the Mobilization of Labor, central registration points are being set up in communities all over the state. City or county offices, fire stations, chambers of commerce, hiring halls and similar places are being designated by the local committees named by Governor Charles Sprague.

In Morrow county complete information can be secured through the local committee, including E. Harvey Miller, chairman; P. W. Mahoney, secretary; C. J. D. Bauman, C. D. Conrad, L. H. Frederickson, H. A. Cohn, Jasper V. Crawford.

While early reports from blanks filled out by Oregon's larger employers have not yet been tabulated, early indications are that thousands of skilled workers have registered their trades with the board. In banks and hotels, factories and mills, insurance offices and department stores have been found many men who have not worked at their primary trades for years.

Although most of the registrants are mechanics, electricians or carpenters—all necessary trades—many quite unusual workers have been brought to light by the inventory. In one packing plant in a valley town were found asbestos workers, pipe calkers, hoisting and refrigerating engineers, ship joiners, acetylene welders and a single-spindle drill press operator.

Last week the survey was extended to city, county and state employes through meetings in Portland, Salem and other towns. With this third and final step reaching uncovered employes and the self-employed, the labor mobilization board hopes to have a comprehensive picture of the skilled labor reservoir available for defense industries in any emergency that may arise in this area.

CLOCK TICKS TAX, TOO

It has been estimated that state and federal gasoline taxes amount to \$2,106 a minute, or \$35.10 a second, throughout the year, according to the Oregon State Motor Association. Total state, local, and federal motor vehicle taxes amount to approximately \$3,333 a minute or \$55.55 a second.

"Read 'Em and Reap" OUR ADS

TRACTOR SERVICE

Company of Morrow County

Lexington, Oregon

CO-OP BUILDING

Stock Ranches Wheat Ranches Creek Ranches FOR SALE

See My Listings
V. R. Runnion
Heppner, Ore.

Homemaker Meets Scheduled for County

Three home economics demonstrations are being given for the homemakers of Morrow county this winter by the U. S. D. A. extension service.

The demonstrations will be on clothing materials with the first meeting being held at the Rhea Creek grange hall, beginning at 10 o'clock Tuesday, November 26. This meeting will be on the selection of clothing materials and ready-made clothing. A similar meeting will be held the following day beginning at 10 o'clock at either the Lexington grange hall or the Ione grange hall for which final arrangements have not been made. All homemakers interested in the second meeting can find out the place where it will be held from the county agent's office. Thursday and Friday a two day clothing clinic, or remodeling school, will be conducted at the Boardman grange hall. All meetings will begin at 10 o'clock in the morning and will last until about 4. Ladies attending are asked to bring potluck luncheon.

These demonstrations are being conducted in cooperation with the home economics clubs of the subordinate granges but all homemakers in the county are more than welcome to attend.

KEEP TIRES MATCHED

When tires are shifted from front to rear, be sure to place matched tires on the front wheels, otherwise steering difficulties may be encountered, suggests the Oregon State Motor Association. Modern cars require balanced wheels all around in order to insure proper performance at all speeds.

Announcement has been received of the birth of an 8-pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Wally Cashaw at Rockaway, November 12. Mrs. Cashaw was formerly Miss Betty Irwin of Heppner.

HARDMAN CHURCH

Brother Wilkins will conduct services in Hardman at the regular afternoon hour of 3:00 o'clock this Sunday.

Holiday special on all week days except Saturday for girls under 14 years, \$2.50. Myrtle's Beauty Salon.

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CLAMS
CRABS

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The "R" months are back again with a fresh supply of choice sea foods always available here.

Contributions Taken for CHINESE RELIEF SOCIETY and Official Receipt Given

Meals at All Hours

FOUNTAIN SERVICE

Elkhorn Restaurant

ED CHINN, Prop.

The STAR REPORTER

Friday-Saturday

TEXAS STAGECOACH

Charles Starrett and Iris Meredith in a roaring western melodrama with songs by Sons of the Pioneers.

plus

CALLING ALL HUSBANDS

with Lucile Fairbanks, George Tobias, Ernest Truex, George Reeves, Florence Bates

Domestic Comedy.

Sunday-Monday

SPRING PARADE

with Deanna Durbin, Robert Cummings, Mischa Auer, Butch and Buddy

For fun and song, dances and romances, nothing can compare to this thrilling entertainment triumph!

Tuesday

BARGAIN NIGHT: Adults, 20c each; Children, 2 for 10c

THE MUMMY'S HAND

with Dick Foran, Peggy Moran, Wallace Ford, Cecil Kellaway, Eduardo Cianelli, George Zucco, Tom Tyler

Here is a shocker! The spookiest, eeriest, wierdest of all mystery yarns—so beware—if you can't stand thrills, bring someone along with you so you won't be afraid to go home in the dark!

Wednesday-Thursday, November 27-28

HIRED WIFE

with Rosalind Russell, Brian Aherne, Virginia Bruce, John Carroll, Robert Benchley

A gay comedy about an advertising agency executive who marries the right girl although he doesn't want to.

STAR THEATER

Heppner, Oregon