

EMPEY CHAIRMAN COLLEGE INTERNATIONAL WEEK

Gene Empey, chairman of agriculture from Heppner, was recently appointed chairman of public relations for the annual International Week, Feb. 14-20 at Oregon State college.

"This", his announcement, political and social aspects, has been selected as the theme for the week. Randolph Churchill, son of English former prime minister, will be one of the featured speakers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Turner drove to Hillsboro Sunday to attend the funeral of Ernest Edwards which was held Monday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Harvey Miller, formerly of Heppner, were present at the funeral from their home in Portland.

Rose Burkenbine left Tuesday for the veterans hospital in Portland for a physical check-up. He expects to be gone several days.

AMERICAN BANKS TURN TO INSTALLMENT LOANS

National and state banks of America are turning in increasing numbers to the installment credit business, according to William Bell, vice president of the First National Bank of Portland, who met 850 bankers from every state at the consumer installment credit conference of the American Bankers association in St. Louis, Mo.

"This is one phase of bank credit in which the west is undisputed leader," Bell asserted. "California really is the birthplace of bank credit to installment buyer customers but bankers in Oregon, Washington and other western states were not long in recognizing the value of this business."

"By 1940 the middle western and eastern banks had become interested in consumer installment loans, but about that time equipment faded out of the picture and became unobtainable. Now the banks are eager to step into the financing field."

First National of Portland, in common with other large banks on the Pacific coast, has had wide success with automobile purchase loans, and household equipment purchase loans. In addition, First National has gained wide recognition as a leader in airplane association to a committee of nine bankers, charged with helping banks entering the installment credit field for the first time.

'Truant Bottles' Hit Milk Supply; Beverage Drought Threatened



Jackie Lamb does her little bit for the bottle roundup drive by helping her mother collect empties for prompt return to the store.

"Truant bottles" are threatening the supply of milk and soft drinks, and industry spokesmen say that American housewives can solve the problem. With glass container manufacturers unable to increase output because of raw material shortages, the need for bottles is so serious that a nationwide campaign to drive "truants" from kitchens, attics, basements and garages began this week.

The goal is the 25,000,000 empty milk and 10,000,000 empty beverage bottles believed to have accumulated in American homes. Some industry spokesmen believe these figures are too conservative. Representatives of both industries agree that the complete cooperation of the housewife is needed to get "truant" bottles back into use. They point out that for every bottle of milk delivered, the dairy must have eight bottles in the process of washing, filling and in storage. The beverage bottlers, likewise, must maintain four bottles for every one delivered.

Cooperation of retailers handling milk and beverages is being sought by the three industries. Driver-salesmen and other employees of bottling plants are being enlisted in the drive. This campaign, it was pointed out, should make it easier for housewives who are anxious to do their part in maintaining the flow of milk and such typically American products as beer and soft drinks.

WORD OF APPRECIATION

To the good people of Hardman, our former neighbors and friends, we extend our heartfelt thanks in making arrangements at the cemetery and other acts of kindness in connection with the burial of our beloved E. M. Leathers.

The Leathers Family.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for your expressions of kindness, sympathy and beautiful floral offerings extended in our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladd Sherman and family
Loren Leathers
Mrs. M. H. Leathers and family.

EXAMINER COMING

A drivers license examiner is scheduled to be on duty in Heppner Tuesday, Feb. 18, at the court house. He will be here between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. and persons wishing li-

censes or permits to drive are asked to get in touch with the examiner well ahead of the closing hour in order to assure completion of their applications with a minimum of delay.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



That Ring Around the Bathtub

Jeb Crussell blew his top the other day. Seems that for weeks he's been trying to get his youngsters to scrub out the bathtub after using it. And this night he sees two rings around it—one where young Sonny left off, and another about Pinky's level.

From now on, Jeb's careful to put his glass down on the table cover—like the missus does. And I hear he's a little more forgiving about rings around the bathtub. Just keeps on patiently reminding.

From where I sit, there are little annoyances in every family—conflicting habits and opinions in every community. A little patience—a little more "forgive and let live" is the only antidote.

Joe Marsh

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Ar Portland 6:30 pm	9:00 am	8:30 pm

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Kinzua Happenings

Funeral services were held in Fossil Friday p.m. for Robert Hendrix who was fatally injured on June 30 in the planer department. He passed away Monday at The Dalles hospital. Mr. Hendrix had worked as a carpenter for Kinzua a number of years.

The Lettermen's club sponsored a dance Saturday night at Fossil with the John Day Moderns making music. A large crowd was present. Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Leathers, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mathews and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Neth acted as patrons and patronesses. Benefits are for the Lettermen's banquet on February 15.

Mel Wahn and Harlan Schroder took Mrs. Jack Wickland and small son to The Dalles Sunday evening to see a doctor. The child had been sick for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Billings and girls visited friends at Boardman last week end. Mrs. Billings is the primary teacher here.

Mrs. Stuart Turner was honored with a large shower at Jeffmore hall Saturday p.m. About 40 ladies were present. Mrs. Maurice Brown, Mrs. Sterling Wahn and Mrs. Harlan Schroder were hostesses. Mrs. Turner was Beverly Bird and is a senior of Fossil graduating class this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Leathers and son Junior spent the first of the week at Heppner attending the funeral of Mit Leathers who passed away at Bakersfield, Cal. Vern and Otto Leathers visited the Leathers in Kinzua before returning to Portland.

Layton Tripp was not able to work this week due to a painful injury to his knee received playing basketball.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and small daughter of Portland are visiting a few days here with Mrs. Johnson's parents, the Harve Boyes. Mr. Johnson is in the navy and is stationed at Bremerton, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Adams and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McDanel spent the week end at Heppner.

Mrs. Harve Boyer and her brother, Ed Wahn, spent part of the week at Baker visiting relatives.

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tives and friends. Cameron Porter is not at the office this week. He has the mumps.

Coach, Mrs. Orvil Mathew of Fossil brought her two grade basketball teams to Kinzua on Friday night. Kinzua grades, coached by Harvey Pierce, took both games.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Wahn were week-end visitors at Hermiston, visiting Mrs. Wahn's sister, Mrs. Roger Shock. Stanton Hadley of Camp Five is suffering from a sprained hand.

Basketball HARLEM Legionnaires



CLIFF STINSON, Capt. formerly with The Globe Trotters



PETE LOTIN, 6 ft., 6 in. center formerly with N. Y. Hottentots

These players are World War II Veterans and Members of the American Legion—2nd season on the road—Won 122, Lost 14 last season—Clever ball handling

HARDWOOD'S CLOWNS DON'T MISS THIS ATTRACTION

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Heppner Townies School Gym, 8 p.m., Feb. 18