

News About Town

Over Sunday guests of Mrs. Corda Saling were her brother, John Warren of Walla Walla, and her daughter, Mrs. Violet McDonald and children, Jack and Terry of Pendleton.

A son was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones of Lexington at the Corda Saling home. Major and Mrs. Clayton Shaw and son left Tuesday for Portland where they will visit a few days prior to continuing their journey to their home in Lawton, Okla. Sunday, Major and Mrs. Shaw and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Osmin Hager, attended a family picnic at the Otis Hampton ranch near Pendleton. Fifty guests were present.

Eddie Chinn is up and about town after an illness of several weeks which kept him confined to his apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Van Scho-

jack, farmers in the Shobe canyon district, were shopping in town Wednesday.

Mehlon Stoneman of Portland was a visitor in Heppner Wednesday. At one time, Mr. Stoneman resided in Hardman.

Mrs. Arthur Hunt of Lexington was shopping in Heppner Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Akers of Hamilton were visiting in Heppner Wednesday.

Mrs. Phil Hiri and son Charles of Lena were transacting business in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Frances Mitchell entertained the Bookworm club Tuesday evening at her country home below Heppner. Mrs. Ed Dick reviewed the book, "Three Come Home" and gave a brief report on suggested summer reading for the members. Eight guests were present. Refreshments were served.

R. W. Crawford of Ione was attending to business matters in Heppner Wednesday.

Miss Emma Anderson was in town Wednesday from the farm home in Gooseberry.

Raymond Parrish has about decided not to return to Valdez, Alaska, and is looking for a job at home. His friend, Earl Smith, who accompanied him here from Valdez, is preparing to leave for her home Saturday and may be accompanied by Tom Hughes and Clarence Greenup, who will seek employment in the northland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McCurdy Sr. returned to Heppner last week after spending the winter and spring in southern California.

F. W. Turner will leave Saturday for Seattle to meet his daughter, Mrs. Raymond Huddleston and children, who are flying from their home at Valdez, Alaska, for a visit with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nickerson are enjoying a visit this week from Mrs. Nickerson's father, A. O. Bauman of Chicago. This is Mr. Bauman's first visit to Heppner and he is enjoying not only his family but meeting the people of the community. He is a business man of Chicago.

County Agent News . . .

American farmers have the largest private business in the world, says an article by Elco L. Greenshields of the bureau of agricultural economics. Farmer land, buildings, machinery, equipment, livestock, and crops on hand were over 90 billion dollars last year. And the products of American farms last year were valued at about 25 billion dollars.

Oregon has 63,125 farms, according to the 1945 census of agriculture. They average about 313 acres in size, but many are smaller and some much larger. Well over two-thirds of the land in farms in Oregon is owned by the operator. The proportion of owner-operated land as compared to rented land was larger in 1946 than in any other year for which census data are available. The average size of farm in Oregon in 1945 also was larger than in previous census years, especially in Eastern Oregon. In several counties where county agricultural planning conferences were held during the past winter, land use committees expressed concern about the trend toward larger acreages. They regarded the trend toward fewer and larger farms as a danger to the welfare of the rural community.

On the other hand, the census data indicate a trend toward more and more small part-time farms and rural residences having a comparable small amount of production, especially in western Oregon. Thus the total number of farms in Oregon has increased, despite an increase in the average acreage per farm.

GRANGE TO MEET

Rhea Creek grange will hold the regular meeting scheduled for Friday, June 6, according to Francis Nickerson, master.

JANITOR WANTED—40-45 hour week. Permanent job, living room if desired. Inquire at Heppner Branch First National Bank of Portland. 10c

Serval

Kerosene Refrigerators
Martin Bauernfeind
Morgan, Oregon

STAR REPORTER

Sunday Matinee starts at 1 p.m. Boxoffice open until 3:30.
Evening shows, except Saturday, start at 7:30. Saturday show starts at 7:00. Boxoffice open evenings until 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, MAY 30-31:

Sweetheart of Sigma Chi
A sprinkling of currently popular songs plus the theme number and excellent specialties make this comedy a pure delight. In the cast are Phil Regan, Elvise Knox, Phil Brito, Ross Hunter.

Conquest of Cheyenne
Wild Bill Elliot, Bobby Blake, Alvie Fleming in another of the popular Red Ryder westerns.

SUNDAY-MONDAY June 1-2

Margie
The surprise picture of the year in TECHNICAL-COLOR. Comedy, music, drama, romance. A story of the "Baby-makers" of twenty years ago with top old-time songs. In the cast are Jeanne Crain, Glenn Langan, Alan Young, Lynn Bari, Hattie McDaniel.

TUESDAY, June 3

Wake Up and Dream
A whimsical journey through bayside country with luring tunes. Technicolor and Jane Haver, John Payne, Charlotte Greenwood, Connie Marshall.

SONS OF COURAGE, photographed 8000 feet up in the Rockies at the Lazy VV Ranch, home of pure-bred Arabian horses. This subject was advertised previously but did not arrive for showing.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY, June 4-5

My Brother Talks to Horses
Butch Jenkins, Peter Lawford, Beverly Tyler, Edward Arnold, Spring Byington, Charlie Ruggles.
Speaking comedy, with America's favorite boy star, based on Morton Thompson's fascinating little tale about his brother who had the gift of conversation with horses.

AT PENNEY'S MONTH-END CLEARANCE

A Month-End Clearance of in-season Merchandise -- odds & ends, broken sizes and odd lots. Drastically reduced for a quick clean-up.

<p style="text-align: center;">13 only Women's SLACK SUITS Good range of sizes Heavy 3-ply Rayon REDUCED TO \$5.00 Brown Navy & Black</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">50 Pair PRISCILLA CURTAINS Jumbo Size REDUCED TO \$1.50 Your choice of Blue or Green Cushion dots or plain White</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">11 only Misses Chenille Robes Reduced To \$2.50 Sizes 12 & 14 In White, Green, Blue & Dusty Rose</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">REDUCED TO CLEAR!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">100 Pairs WOMEN'S SPRING SHOES TO CLEAR AT \$3.00 Pair These shoes formerly sold for \$5.50 a pair—Now \$3.00 Sling pumps, pumps and ties Luggage Tan or Black Patents</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Misses Sport Jackets Reduced To \$4.00 Rayon Twill Sizes 12 to 18 Tan or Black</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9 only Luncheon Cloths 40c Size 42" square</p>

ODDS AND ENDS REDUCED!

<p style="text-align: center;">Boys' Blue Denim Jeans Sizes 10 to 16 \$1.00 Pair Sanforize shrunk for fit</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Boys' Blue or Tan Herringbone Jeans Sizes 10 to 16 75c Pair Sanforize shrunk</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">37 only Men's Rayon Sport Shirts Long Sleeve \$2.50 Styles In Tan Brown or Maroon</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Men's Sport Sweaters Slip-over Style \$4.00 All wool Sizes Small, Medium and Large</p>
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SATURDAY Features at Penney's

<p style="text-align: center;">46 inch & 54 inch Prints 46" 49c Yard</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Plain Colors 54" 59c Yard</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">OILCLOTH</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">500 Boxes Breamore Cleansing TISSUES 500 TISSUES TO THE BOX 30c</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">500 Yards OUR FAMOUS RONDO DE LUXE COTTON PRINTS \$1.49 yard 36" wide—Fast to washing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">500 Boxes Breamore Cleansing TISSUES 500 TISSUES TO THE BOX 30c</p>

ONE NEWS . . .

Mrs. Ruby Kincaid and son Roger, and Johnny, Donald and Jerry Bristow left for the mountains where they will spend a few days.

Lindsey Kincaid is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Clara Kincaid. Ralph Kincaid is in La Grande with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roundy and Lyle Kincaid is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bryson at Hermiston.

Mrs. Ethel Stewart moved into the home that she recently purchased from Mrs. Bernice Harris.

Paul Pettyjohn and Rollo Crawford returned from Minneapolis, Minn., last week where they went after a load of machinery for the Jordan elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen and family went to The Dalles Tuesday.

The social club of the Eastern Star will meet June 4.

Milk Hearing . . .

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thinks people should pay a little more if necessary to get better milk. He stated that competition should result in better service.

Lloyd Burkenbine coincided in Mahoney's statement relative to competition. He also stated that milk sales had fallen off at the Heppner market.

J. O. Hager expressed the belief that a larger volume could be acquired here. Engaged in the dairy business on a limited scale, Hager said there is always a market for good milk.

Richard Barham, representing the Happy Thought Dairy at Hermiston was heard relative to his application for a license to deliver milk to a store in Ione. It is expected that the milk

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13-16 x 1 1/2 and 2 1/4

Tum-A-Lum Lumber Company

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Announces a

Weekly AUCTION SALE

of Livestock

Until Further Notice Every Thursday

Bring your stock to these sales for the best prices. Most cattle are bringing Portland prices—and you don't have to bother with shipping.

HEPPNER SALES YARD

HAROLD ERWIN, Yard Manager
JOHN VARNER, Auctioneer HARRY DINGES, Clerk

The Buyer Reaps The Benefits

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Many of our customers are surprised at the savings they make by buying for cash, but in reality there is nothing surprising about it. By eliminating expensive bookkeeping and losses from bad accounts, we are able to pass on the benefits to those who pay us cash. Simple, isn't it?

In other words, we are better satisfied to take a small profit on each transaction and have the cash in hand than to charge a larger profit and have to wait for the money—and in some instances, perhaps, not get it

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Yours for Better Food at Saving Prices

Court Street Market