

Omer M. McCaleb is here from Corvallis this week assisting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McCaleb, move into their new residence, purchased last week from Mr. and Mrs. Terrel Bengtson.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

THE DROVER

IN THE EARLY DAYS OF OUR DEMOCRACY, CATTLE WERE DRIVEN IN SMALL HERDS TO THE NEAREST MARKETS. ON THE HARD JOURNEY, THE DROVER RISKED LOSSES DUE TO INJURIES AND SICKNESS—TO ATTACKS BY WILD ANIMALS AND BANDS OF THIEVES.



LATER, AS THE WEST OPENED UP, CATTLE WERE DRIVEN IN GREAT HERDS FOR LONG DISTANCES ACROSS BARREN COUNTRY TO RAIL HEADS... THE LOSSES, BOTH IN SIZE OF HERDS AND WEIGHT OF CATTLE, WERE ENORMOUS.



TODAY, OUR COUNTRY'S MODERN SYSTEMS OF TRANSPORTATION MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO SHIP CATTLE, BY TRUCK AND RAIL, WITH SUCH SPEED AND EFFICIENCY, THAT THEY REACH MARKET IN PRIME CONDITION WITH VIRTUALLY NO RISK—AND COMPARATIVELY LITTLE LOSS.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

If They're Wild, They Belong To Tik!

Saw Tik Anderson last week and was reminded of the first time I ever spoke to him. The missus had sent me out one Saturday afternoon to hunt for some blackberries.

been like the rest of folks in town—respectful of his right not to tell where "his" berries grow.

Joe Marsh

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COURT PROCEEDINGS FOR JULY, 1949

The minutes of the June, 1949 term were read and approved. The Court ordered that the budget be accepted as published and the levy is hereby ordered on the tax rolls of Morrow county this 8th day of July, 1949, for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 1949 and ending June 30, 1950.

The Court ordered the following city levies to be extended by the Assessor: City of Heppner, \$22,041.00; City of Lexington, \$4,797.00; City of Ione, \$1,131.00; City of Boardman, \$1,572.00.

The Court ordered the levy of \$909.23 of the Irrigon Rural Fire Protection District for the Fiscal Year of July 1, 1949 to June 30, 1950, extended to the tax rolls.

The Court orders a 4 per cent per acre levy on all taxable property for Fire Tax purposes as set out by the State Forester.

The Court ordered the Rural School District levy of \$380,051.00 for the Fiscal Year July 1, 1949 to June 30, 1950 be placed upon the tax rolls of the County, which said levy includes all of the school districts of the county.

The Court did provide and appropriate the sum of \$5590.00 for use in and about agricultural or farm and home demonstration and field work in said County of Morrow during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1949, and ending June 30, 1950.

The Court ordered the transfer of the Motor License fund of \$17,334.67 to the General fund.

The Court ordered the transfer of the Alcohol Control fund of \$423.82 to the General fund to be used for Mothers' Aid, Old Age Pensions and Relief of the Indigent.

The Court ordered the transfer of the Amusement Device Tax fund of \$221.05 to the General fund to be used for Old Age Assistance.

The Court ordered the following salary increases: The Deputy Assessor be increased to \$300.00 per month; the Deputy Tax Collector to \$215.00 per month; the Sheriff's office clerk to \$125.00 per month, and the County Nurse to \$240.00 per month.

The Court ordered the coyote bounty be raised from \$3.00 to \$6.00; for wildcats, bobcats and lynx the sum of \$3.00; gray wolf, black wolf, gray wolf pup, or black wolf pup the sum of \$2.50; timber wolf or timber wolf pup the sum of \$2.50; mountain lion, panther, or cougar the sum of \$10.00.

The Court ordered the following Bang's Disease claims paid: Lora M. Moyer \$36.00; Alonzo G. Edmondson \$40.00.

WARRANTS ISSUED ON THE GENERAL FUND: Garnet Barratt \$184.40; C. W. Barlow, Co. Clerk 217.40; Sadie Parrish, deputy 147.25; C. J. D. Bauman, sheriff 225.70; Frances Mitchell, deputy 184.10; Leila J. McLachlan, Of. Clk. 113.25; W. O. Dix, assessor 198.00; Olive B. Hughes, deputy 185.03; L. W. Briggs, treasurer 150.80; Margaret Gillis, nurse 197.25; A. J. Chaffee, janitor 176.00; Dr. A. D. McMurdo, Phys. 24.75; Susie W. Miller, Ct. Reporter 41.25; William Garner, J. P. 59.40; J. O. Hager, J. P. 113.45; Pacific Tel and Tel Co. current expense 75.62; Ralph E. Currin, Dist. Atty. 30.00; Turner, Van Marter & Co. 50.00; Sheriff of Umatilla Co. jail 26.00; Packer Scott Co., Ct. Hse 1.41; Heppner Gazette Times, official publication 254.70; Susie Watts Miller, circuit Ct. 57; Margaret Gillis, county health nurse 80.58; State Dept. of Agriculture, district sealer 4.95; Garnet Barratt, county court 56.34; Ralph I. Thompson, county court 62.63; Russell K. Miller, county court 100.00; Turner, Van Marter & Co. bonds 50.00; First National Bank of Portland, withholding tax on salaries 145.50; State Industrial Accident Comm., Sheriff \$3.05; Sheriff salary 30c; deputy salary 30c; court house 85c; janitor 30c 4.80

WARRANTS ISSUED ON THE GENERAL ROAD FUND: Boardman Supply Co. 6.10; Feenaughty Machinery Co. 19.58; Sunset Motor Co. 60.98; Columbia Equipment Co. 22.82; Feenaughty Machinery Co. 10.10; Contractor's Equipment Corp. 2.63; Columbia Equipment Co. 69.91; Columbia Equipment Co. 8.11; Lexington Implement Co. 46.65; Industrial Air Products 6.71; Turner, Van Marter & Co. 30.60; Heppner Lumber Co. 11.45; Union Pacific RR Co. 1.33; S. C. Russell 3.00; Standard Oil Co. 4.90; Allen Service Station 11.50; Western Auto Supply 7.72; Scribner and Co. 729.52; English and Company 17.50; Loggers and Contractors Machinery Co. 3.57; Turner, Van Marter & Co. 29.11; Heppner Motors 583.01; State Tax Commission 163.14; First National Bank of Pld 375.60; State Industrial Accident Commission 143.12; Oscar Breeding 16.95; George A. Stalcup 236.85; Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co. 29.28; The Texas Co. 45.87; Owens Hardware 2.49; Lexington Implement Co. 211.63; Anderson's Builders Supply 6.80; Braden Tractor and Equipment Co. 107.39; Paul G. Pettyjohn 186.13; Jack Allen Supply Co. 46.10; City of Heppner Water Dept. 4.46; State Tax Commission 2.72; First Natl Bank of Portland 31.70; Dodge Chevrolet Co. 46.18; Ring's Truck Line 134.98; Columbia Equipment Co. 619.80; Gilliam & Bisbee 69.77; Comrie Motors 47.13; Penland Bros. Transfer 60; Union Oil Co. 881.76

WARRANTS ISSUED ON THE HOSPITAL FUND: Darold Hams 115.00; Dean Gilman 66.27; Frank Dewey 21.26; Donald Munkers 149.74; W. E. Scott Jr. 202.04; Harold Wilson 21.36; W. Cunningham 44.06; William C. Heath 5.34; James McLaughlin 10.68; Malarkey and Moore 3,111.07; State Industrial Accident Commission 19.36; First National Bank of Pld. 61.70; Malarkey and Moore 10587.38

Greenfield Grange Bids Farewell to Departing Members

By MRS. FLOSSIE COATS Saturday evening following the regular grange meeting the grangers had a farewell lunch and dance honoring Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pearson who are leaving this week for Tacoma where Pearson has been transferred, and for Mr. and Mrs. George Gustin who have sold their farm just south of Boardman and are leaving the first of September.

Boardman school will open September 6, with the following faculty: Supt. Gerard B. Fahey, high school, Ronald Black, Kenneth Knight, and Miss Mary McIntosh; grades, Mrs. John Partlow, Mrs. Ruth Knight, Mrs. Rebecca Wilson and Mrs. Zoe Billings.

Recent visitors at the Lee Pearson home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens and son Bobby of Hardman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and grandson Leo Dunn motored to Ellensburg and were guests of Brown's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Tjossen.

Dates for the grange harvest festival is Saturday, September 24. Grangers have your exhibits ready.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller motored to Troutdale Saturday where they attended the opening of the new Columbia river highway.

Mrs. John Partlow returned last week from Eugene where she attended the O.S.T.A. and N.E.A. conferences.

Duane Brown spent several days in Portland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pearson left this week for Tacoma, where they will make their home. On the way they will stop at Yelm, Wn., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Massey.

Following Sunday school at the Community church a farewell pot luck dinner was served in the basement in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Ehle who are moving to Umatilla this week. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorton and two children of Farrington, N. M. Mr. Gorton is a missionary to the Navajo Indians and has been doing missionary work with the extra workers on the railroad. Mr. Gorton also gave a very interesting talk to the group following Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Partlow and family and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Partlow left this week for a motor trip to Sumas, Wash. the home town of the Paul Partlows. They will also go on into Canada before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hadley of Camp 5 spent the week-end with Hadley's aunt, Mrs. Anna Cramer.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Biann were Mr. and Mrs. Benford Payton and daughter Barbara Joe of Prineville and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Clark of Hermiston.

Miss Evelyn Wickland who has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Allen returned to her home in Hamilton Field, Calif. Saturday, the Allens taking her as far as The Dalles.

Miss Maxine Ely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Ely, was honored at a bridal shower Wednesday, August 24 at the Robert Miller home. Several young ladies were the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barlow and daughters Carma and Bonnie spent Thursday and Friday in Boardman visiting relatives. Coming from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barlow, Heppner, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Messenger, Betty, Gerry and Carroll, Lexington, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Macomber and son Lee of Arlington.

Ladies Aid Silver Tea society met at the home of Mrs. Nate Macomber Wednesday in connection with a farewell for Mrs. Chas. Ehle who will leave soon for Umatilla. Committee in charge were Mesdames Nate Macomber, Seth Russell, Claud Coats, Lee Pearson and Mrs. Olive Atchberry.

Mrs. Esther Knight and children, Edna and Fred, returned from Ellensburg, Wash. where they spent the week-end.

Mrs. Emmett Rogers was honored at a stork shower Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ailey Taylor. Serving were Mrs. Maxine Crowder, Mary Graham Mrs. W. W. Benson and Mrs. Art Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Gillespie and son Donald, also Mrs. Nathan Thorpe motored to Pendleton Wednesday.

CARD OF THANKS Words are inadequate to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the tender sympathy and many courtesies extended to our beloved and to us during his long illness and at the time of his departure, and we thank everyone from the depth of our hearts.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Wells Mrs. Wm. S. Cochell and daughters

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Furlong and Mrs. Naomi Moyer and daughters motored to Pendleton Monday to spend the day shopping.

W. R. Scott Jr. 38.23 Donald Munkers 3.75 Heppner Lumber Co. 80.51 Malarkey and Moore 13,857.57 Malarkey and Moore 8,000.00 Malarkey and Moore 8,000.00 Malarkey and Moore 8,061.78 Malarkey and Moore 8,000.00

WARRANTS ISSUED ON THE MISCELLANEOUS FUND: Elmer Steers, coyote bounty 30.00 Edwin S. Tucker, ditto 6.00

Mrs. Mabel Sears and Miss Maude Cool of Chelan, Wash. were lone visitors Sunday. Miss Beverly Prafton of John Day is a guest at the John Jackson home. He has been attending school at the Simmons Memorial school at the Simmons Memorial in Seattle. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lindstrom visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Troedson.

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