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Let's All Be On Hand

We are coming into the home stretch of one of the noisiest political races we've experienced in Oregon in many years and we're certain that practically everyone, witnesses and participants alike, will be ready for the peace and quiet which will descend on November 3. The silence will be nearly complete, broken only now and then by a quiet sob or two from some quarters or an occasional joyful whoop from others. Yes, the day after an election is always a let-down... a day when most Americans look back over the fireworks of the previous few weeks with at least a semblance of logical retrospect. It is then that they ask themselves a lot of serious questions and give themselves quite a few pretty reasonable answers, too.

"day" we have been talking about could come the day before election rather than the day after—A one-day truce, in effect. Hindsight wouldn't be quite so good, but at least we would have one day of quiet in which to resolve all the claims and charges and promises, to sift the truth from the fiction, and to decide issues within our own minds without the help of biased propaganda and last-minute claims.

Think we'll speak to our legislators (whoever they may be) about the idea and see if we can get it brought before the voters. It may not get anywhere, but at least it ought to start a good fight for the next election because somebody's bound to object.

Regardless, this year we'll have to wait until November 3 to use our hindsight but that doesn't absolve each of us from the job we must do on November 2—the job of voting. The battles have been long and hard-fought, but they're about over and Tuesday it will be up to us to decide the issues. Our work's cut out for us, and it's a mighty important job. Let's all be on hand.

From Files of the Gazette Times

October 30, 1924
The Arion Literary Society of Heppner high school met last Thursday and initiated the following new members: Mary Patterson, Crockett Sprouls, Jim Thomson, Margaret Prophet, John Turner, Howard McDuffee, Stephen Thompson Marvin Wightman, Anna Wightman, Edna Vaughan, Zada Tosh, Louise Thomson and Stanley Minor.

Mrs. Eugene Penland returned to Heppner Sunday from Portland where she had been spending some time.

Mesdames John Wightman, Geo. McDuffee, C. W. McNamer and O. T. Ferguson were hostesses at the O. E. S. Social on Saturday afternoon at Masonic hall, when the ladies were entertained at bridge and trael.

Elks informal dance, Tuesday, Nov. 4th. Election returns by radio.

The wool market continues strong with considerable active buying on the part of manufacturers in the East.

Opal Leach of Lexington has just been elected president of the Wauna club of Waldo hall at Oregon Agricultural College in Corvallis.

Stanfield, 8 fat hogs 1710 lbs. \$21.20; Vern Fischer, Spray, 2 lambs, 210 lbs., \$16.80; F. S. & Stanley Green, Stanfield, 830 lb. whiteface heifer, \$18.50 and 1210 lb. whiteface bull, \$14.75; John McKinzie, Pendleton, 5 weaner pigs, \$13.25 hd.

Calves: Baby calves 2.50-15.00 hd.; weaner calves, steer calves 17.75-19.20 cwt.; heifer calves 15.10-17.20 cwt.; veal 18.10-19.30. Steers: Stocker steers 15.10-16.80 cwt.; feeder steers 16.80-18.40; fat slaughter steers 19.35-20.90; fat heifers 16.10-18.50.

Cows: Dairy cows 85.00-140.00 hd.; dairy heifers 21.00-43.00 hd.; stock cows, none.

Slaughter cows: Commercial 12.75-14.20 cwt.; utility 10.80-12.35; canner-cutter 8.00-9.60; shells 5.90-7.20.

Bulls: 11.50-14.75.

Hogs: Weaner pigs 9.50-13.25 hd.; feeder pigs 20.20-21.40 cwt. fat hogs 20.10-21.20; sows 14.80-17.20; few light sows to 18.30; no boars.

Sheep: Feeder lambs 13.25-15.20 cwt.; fat lambs 15.50-16.80; ewes, 7.50-16.50 hd.; bucks, old 7.00-11.00 hd.; slaughter bucks to 3.00 cwt.

Air Force Training Positions Open

Congressman Sam Coon announced that he will nominate ten boys from the second congressional district of Oregon for consideration for possible admission

to the United States Air Force Academy. The first class will begin in July 1955. Boys who are interested should write to Congressman Coon at Washington, D. C.

The boys nominated by Representative Coon will then compete in an examination to be given by the Air Force for final selection. Each Oregon Congressman and Senator may nominate ten boys, and the State of Oregon is allotted three appointments to the Academy for the first class of 300 cadets.

Candidates should be at least 17 and must not have reached the age of 22 by July 1, 1955. They must be citizens of the United States, must be physically qualified for flying training, and must never have been married.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hughes had as weekend guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coe of Milton-Freewater.

Monument News

Mrs. Oscar Veelle returned to her home from Portland last week where she was called by the illness of her father, O. P. Cahiff, Oregon City, who fell and broke his right arm, and the illness of her sister, Mrs. Joe Dupasquier, Gladstone, who is in a Portland hospital.

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ELECT
BRUCE M. LINDSAY
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR
MORROW COUNTY CLERK
YOUNG — CAPABLE — DEPENDABLE
Pd. Adv. Bruce Lindsay, Heppner

From The County Agent's Office

By N. C. Anderson

Some interesting figures were reported in the last news letter of the Oregon Cattleman's Association. For those of you who might not have read this, it was pointed out that the cash farm income from the sale of cattle

The average price paid for beef cattle last year was \$15.20 per hundred and \$17.10 per hundred for calves. The average price paid for cattle in Oregon last year \$15.20 was more than double that paid in 1940, which was \$7.10 per hundred. It was also a little more than half that paid in 1951, when the average price on cattle was \$27.40 a hundred. Cash income last year from the sale of cattle and calves was better than 3 2/3 times greater than the cash income in 1940 from sale of cattle and calves in Oregon. The January 1st, 1940 inventory showed nine hundred thirty-seven thousand cattle and calves in Oregon, while January 1st, of this year, the inventory reported one million four hundred twenty-nine thousand.

November 13 is National 4-H Achievement Day. This is the day set by the Extension Service to report on 4-H club achievements to parents, the community, and the nation. In addition to being a reporting day, it is an opportunity to emphasize the opportunities the 4-H club program provides for young people. Morrow County will observe 4-H Achievement Day by holding its Achievement Parties which recognize the work of 4-H club members and leaders for the year. These events will be held on November 12 at Boardman, and on November 13 at Heppner. Both are evening affairs.

Corn belt farmers are feeding a few less cattle than last year but California feed lots have nearly half again more than a year ago. Mid-west marketing has been running ahead of last year and replacements are smaller.

The U. S. Department of Commerce reports that U. S. people were earning more and spending more during the second quarter this year, than at any other like time in our history. Incomes after taxes rolled in at the record rate of two hundred fifty three billion.

The National Columbia sheep show and sale is being held this year in connection with the Grand National Livestock Exposition at Cow Palace, October 29 through November 6. This is the

Cattle Prices Show Slight Gain

HERMISTON—Krebs Bros. of Cecil topped the market at the Hermiston livestock auction Friday with a 1285 lb. Guernsey cow that sold for \$11.00 cwt. Delbert Anson, manager of the sale, reports.

Volume of cattle returned to normal after the unusually heavy consignment of the previous Friday. Prices were steady to somewhat higher on almost all animals.

Consigned were 440 cattle compared with 795 the previous Friday, 145 hogs compared with 139, and 154 sheep compared with 274.

Particularly in demand were commercial cows, scarcity of which brought a top of 14.20 cwt., up \$2.30, from a packer buyer, Oregon, Washington and a California packer and Oregon and Washington feeder buyers as well as area farmers contributed to the broad demand in an active market. Many small consigners contributed odd lots.

Fat hogs regained strength in line with other markets after the drop of a week ago, the top price being \$21.20 cwt., up 50c. Shortages in cows brought tops of 12.35 cwt. on utilities, up \$1.85; canner-cutter \$9.60 cwt., up 80c and \$7.20 on shells, up 40c. Better finish on fat heifers brought a top of \$18.50, up \$1.60 cwt., feeder steers of lower quality were steady at \$18.40 cwt., and fat slaughter steers were up 30c to a \$20.90 top. Dairy heifers brought \$43.00, up \$12.00 per head.

Needed next Friday are fed steers, fed heifers and commercial cows.

Others topping the market were Fred West, Condon, 215 lb. veal, \$19.30 cwt.; Ralph Trow, La Grande, 1130 lb. cow, \$14.20; Oscar McCarty, Echo, 265 lb. white sow, \$18.30; Arman Pratt,

first year, this has been held west of the Dakotas. Consigning to this show and sale from Morrow County is Ronald Baker who has some of the top Columbia sheep in the Pacific Northwest. Ronald will exhibit and sell three ewes and one stud ram. The quality of these animals are outstanding. Entered in the show and sale are 170 selected Columbia ewes and 21 selected Columbia rams.

ONE GOOD TERM DESERVES ANOTHER

RE-ELECT Congressman SAM COON

STAR THEATER, Heppner

Admission Prices: 70c, 50c and 20c including Federal Tax. Patronize your home-owned theater; we constantly attempt to bring you the finest entertainment available without the necessity of advancing admission prices.

Thursday-Friday-Saturday, October 28-29-30
SOUTHWEST PASSAGE
Rod Cameron, Joanne Dru, John Ireland. Few westerns can boast as many assets as this stirring sagebrusher, based on an obscure morsel of frontier history. Filmed in the New Mexico desert in color.

Plus
Our Contribution to Your Hallow'een Weekend Fun!
The Spine Tingling CREATURE FROM THE BLACK LAGOON
with Richard Carlson, Julia Adams, Richard Denning, Antonio Moreno. What manner of Monster lay in wait in the depths of a treacherous Black Lagoon?

Sunday-Monday, Oct. 31—Nov. 1
BETRAYED
Clark Gable teams with Lana Turner and Victor Mature in an espionage thriller located in The Netherlands—with Dutch scenery in color.

Tuesday-Wednesday, Nov. 2-3
William Shakespeare's—JULIUS CAESAR
Marlon Brando, James Mason, John Gielgud, Louis Calhern, Edmond O'Brien, Greer Garson, Deborah Kerr. From the first word uttered by the lean and hungry Cassius to the glorious end, Shakespeare's greatest historical play is powerful and exciting! Don't miss seeing this picture—and try to see it from the beginning! Show starts at 7:30.
SPECIAL NOTICE—Julius Caesar Student Matinee, Tuesday, November 2nd, 1 p. m. Heppner Students must buy tickets at school.

TRICKED?

If some Witch should knock On your door this Hallow'een— Best have a treat to give her Or that witch might get mean!
Are you sure Trick-or-Treater's Won't get hurt while there? In the dark they could so easily Fall from porch or stair!
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Why not get one for yourself. Then you can enjoy their fun!

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THIS... ..or this?



- President Eisenhower made a trip to Oregon to request the voters to re-elect "my good friend, Senator Guy Cordon." Let's be fair. Give Ike the men he needs to carry on his progressive program. Ike got us out of war. He is bringing our boys home. He has increased social security benefits. He has reduced taxes—plans further reductions through increased government efficiency. More jobs are being provided through peacetime prosperity—not the blood money of a war boom. All in less than two years' time. **IKE asks YOU TO RE-ELECT SENATOR GUY CORDON!**
- Senator Cordon is NOW at the peak of his usefulness to Oregon. In the Senate, and only in the Senate, does a small state like Oregon have equal voice with the more populous states. We cannot afford to lose Oregon's only effective voice in the U. S. Senate.
- As chairman of the Interior Committee Senator Cordon has a key role in consideration of western power, irrigation and flood control projects. He is a high ranking member of the appropriations committee, chairman of subcommittee on interior appropriations, member of the subcommittee on rivers and harbors and member of the joint committee on atomic energy.
- Since 1946 Senator Cordon has increased the funds for federal power projects in this area from 4.7% to 27.5%. Nearly one dollar out of every three now comes to the Pacific Northwest due to Cordon's efforts.
- A VOTE FOR SENATOR CORDON is a vote for EISENHOWER'S PARTNERSHIP PLAN creating payrolls and prosperity NOW by encouraging the development of hydro-electric power through EVERY source—Federal, Private and Public. MORE dams for MORE power for MORE jobs. We need them all!

- Cordon's opponent, the ambitious journalist, has shown by every action, by every writing, by every speech that he would knife the Eisenhower program at each opportunity. He is for greater government expenditures which means higher taxes. He is for greater centralization of government which means less individual liberty.
- Cordon's opponent would have no standing, no seniority; just another useless vote. He has shown by his absences from vital roll-call votes in the State Senate—more than 300 absences in three years—that he does not have a deep concern for representing the people. One of the three worst senators in attendance at the 1953 session, Senator Cordon's opponent has demonstrated that he is a lone wolf, not interested in team play.
- This Portland writer is for federal-power-or-nothing. This philosophy would leave us just that—nothing.
- Senator Cordon's opponent admitted in a letter to the Oregonian April, 1951, that "Politics with me is strictly a sideline." He said he was "primarily interested in writing and journalism." And he has admitted that he wants to go to the United States Senate to get material for a book. Of what value is this to Oregon?
- BEFORE you believe campaign charges by CORDON'S opponent—a self-confessed political prevaricator read what he wrote about himself in political campaign in 1947: "As long as the business of rounding up votes dominated my thoughts... TRUTH became NOT THE SOLE TEST. And I was seeking only minor office... what if I had glimpsed ahead the prospect of a United States Senatorship?"



DON'T TRADE A RECORD FOR A PROMISE!
Re-Elect **GUY CORDON** UNITED STATES SENATOR
CORDON FOR U. S. SENATOR COMMITTEE, W. H. STEIWER, CHAIRMAN, IMPERIAL HOTEL, PORTLAND, ORE.