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WEATHER REPORT

The following table shows the high and low temperature for the days and nights for the past week:

Date	High	Low	Date	High	Low
20	62	41	24	55	33
21	60	40	25	65	43
22	67	29	26	69	41
23	66	45			

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Mrs. Mary Jones, of San Jose, came Thursday morning for a visit at the home of her son, Paul S. Jones.

Mrs. Gunn entertained at dinner Sunday in compliment to Delbert Park. The guests were Clarice Watson, Jane Gunn, Doris Swayze, Arlene Kennedy, Hugh Fraser, Ronald Graham, John D. Watson jr., Frank Swayze, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Ellison and two children arrived Wednesday to make their home in Hermiston. Mr. Ellison has purchased what is known as the Maxwell field, comprising 107 acres of splendid alfalfa. The Maxwell barns are included in the deal, as are also a house and 12 lots.

Friday evening of last week the newly formed Honor Guard gave a very enjoyable dance at the Hermiston auditorium. Mr. Marxen very generously giving up his regular night. The attendance was good. The Guard now has something like 35 members.

Miss Nason, county librarian, was down Friday evening of last week to act as judge in the west end oratorical contest. Miss Nason is a firm believer in aiding the nation during the war and is using her spare time to grow potatoes. Miss Nason intends giving the profits of her share to the Red Cross.

The next meeting of the Red Cross will be held at the Civic Center room Thursday afternoon, May 3. All members are urged to be present and assist in getting the work here under way. To those not already members an invitation is extended to come to this meeting and unite with the organization. Men are equally as eligible to membership as women.

The Honor Guard membership is making every effort to get in touch at once with everyone likely to join. The classes in the various lines of work the Guard will take up are to open May 2 and those joining after that date would be unable to enter the first classes. Should the membership committee fail to find all, those desiring to join would do well to communicate with some member immediately.

Sunday morning at the Baptist church a union patriotic service was held, Bishop Paddock presiding. The church was filled and all hearing the bishop were well pleased with the sermon. His talk was timely, forceful and earnest and will go far toward bringing those who heard him to realize fully the problems confronting the nation. Such an impression was made by the morning address that 20 went from Hermiston to Echo to hear the bishop give the address there.

OPEN COMPETITION POSITIVELY ASSURED

All Contractors to Have Chance to Bid on Proposed Highways.

In reply to an inquiry from the Legislative Good Roads Committee as to what its policy would be in the matter of awarding contracts for road construction if the pending road bond bill should be approved by the voters in the June election, the State Highway Commission issued the following statement:

"We recognize the propriety of your inquiry and therefore hereby authorize you on our behalf to say that this Commission, at a public meeting held at Portland on this date, adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas there exists in the public mind an impression that undue profits have heretofore been made by paving contractors in Oregon,

"Be it resolved that it will be the policy of the Highway Commission to call for bids on all standard types of pavement in open and fair competition and to award contracts to the lowest responsible bidder who will be required to give a good and sufficient guarantee for the permanency of his work.

"Be it further resolved that in the event no satisfactory bid can be obtained the Highway Commission will proceed to do the work itself by force account after the purchase and installation of its own paving plant.

"The above resolution is intended as a frank statement to the public of what our policy will be. If there is anything which is not fully covered it is due to an oversight on our part and not due to any desire to evade any issue or question.

"We may summarize our plans as follows: We shall demand and endeavor to acquire for the state full value for every dollar of public money expended. If the bond issue is adopted we shall so far as possible, commence work in every county in which work is to be done at the earliest possible moment. We shall not favor one county or locality over another, but will, to the best of our ability, be fair to the various sections of the state."

In voting the good roads bonds June 4th, the voters of the state are taking absolutely no chances. The bill authorizing the bonds specifically describes the roads to be improved and defines the general character of their construction. Bids will be invited and, if the proposals are excessive, the Highway Commissioners have an authority that they will do their own paving. What more could be asked?

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, March 3, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that William L. McDonald of Hermiston, Oregon, who on August 11, 1911, made Reclamation Homestead Entry No. 06679, for Unit "D" in SW 1/4, or N 1/2 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 6, Township 4 North, Range 29 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described before W. J. Warner, United States Commissioner, at his office at Hermiston, Oregon, on the 4th day of May, 1917.
Claimant names as witnesses: Claud L. Upham, John L. Wailer, Herbert A. McKeen and Henry M. Sommerer, all of Hermiston, Oregon.
C. S. DUNN, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, March 3rd, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that Edward G. Beddow, of Hermiston, Oregon, who on March 31st, 1912, made Reclamation Homestead Entry No. 010241, for Farm Unit "C" of NE 1/4, being the 1/2 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 section 28, township 5 north, range 28 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described before W. J. Warner, United States Commissioner, at his office at Hermiston, Oregon, on the 3rd day of May, 1917.
Claimant names as witnesses: William O. Sutherland, William O. Whitsett, Hiram J. Stillings, Edward H. Graham, all of Hermiston, Oregon.
C. S. DUNN, Register

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit court, state of Oregon for Umatilla county, and to me directed and delivered, upon the judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 5th day of March, 1917, in favor of Susanna Barbel by Mark J. Barthel, her attorney, K. Bland, Kathryn F. Bland and against Clarence K. Bland, Kathryn F. Bland, his wife, and John A. Donovan as defendant, for the sum of \$1500.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from and after March 1914, the further sum of \$3.75, the further sum of \$150.00 attorney's fees, and for \$29.66 cost and disbursements, which said decree, judgment, and order of sale has been docketed and enrolled in the office of the clerk of said circuit court; and whereas by said judgment, decree and order of sale it was decreed that the following described real property in Umatilla county, Oregon, to-wit: Lots one, two, three, five, seven, eight, nine and ten in block "D" and lots one, five, six, ten, eleven and twelve in block "C" of the First Addition to the town (now city) of Hermiston, Umatilla county, Oregon, according to the plat of said first addition as filed in the office of the Recorder of Conveyances of Umatilla county on the 5th day of March, 1917, and recorded at page 69 in book 2, be sold by the sheriff of Umatilla county, Oregon, to satisfy said judgment and all costs; I will on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1917, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Pendleton, Umatilla county, Oregon, sell the right, title and interest in the said Clarence K. Bland, Kathryn F. Bland and John A. Donovan had in and to the above described property on the 15th day of March A. D. 1914, or since then has acquired, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the proceeds to be applied in satisfaction of said execution and all costs.
Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1917.
T. D. Taylor, Sheriff

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR UMATILLA COUNTY

Cora Louise Yeager, Plaintiff, vs. Mary L. Sutton, Defendant, Summons for Publication.

To Mary L. Sutton:
You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks of the date of the first publication of this summons, and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer or plead within said time, the plaintiff for want thereof will appeal to the above entitled court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, viz., for judgment against you in the sum of \$245.00 upon one of the notes referred to in the complaint and the further sum of \$50.00 attorney's fee and for the costs and disbursements in said suit, and the expenses of sale of the following described property: S one-half of the NW quarter of the SE quarter of the SE quarter of Sec. 32, Tp. 5 N. R. 23, E. W. M. sec. of the date of the first publication of this summons, and that the proceeds of such sale be applied as by law provided, and that plaintiff's lien shall be decreed to be superior in right, equity and interest, and that the defendant and all persons claiming through defendant, be forever foreclosed of all equity in and to said property, except only the equity of redemption.
This summons is published by order of the Honorable Gilbert W. Phelps, Judge of the above entitled court, said order being dated April 14, 1917, and the first publication of this summons is dated April 21, 1917.
Frederick Stalwart,
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