

**HERMISTON LOCALS**

Mrs. O. D. Burgess is in a very critical condition from pneumonia.

Henry Notz went to Pendleton today, where he will secure his final naturalization papers.

George A. Cressy and George E. Briggs went to Pendleton Monday, where they attended the sessions of the grand jury as members.

Dr. M. S. Kern was here from Pendleton Tuesday on business connected with the Island Empire Lumber Co., of which he is president.

Levi and Frank Reeder, Wm. Shaar and E. P. Dodd were circulating among the inhabitants of the lively little town of Boardman last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ross and children returned Saturday of last week to their home in Washington state. Mr. Ross is a Ford expert in one of the Seattle shops.

Howard Hilsley is visiting here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hilsley, on his return from the training school at Pullman. He carried with him his honorable discharge papers.

On Monday C. V. Wilson, who has leased the Brassfield ranch from B. S. Kingsley, purchased a team, harness, wagon and hayrack from Bob Neimeyer, and is now preparing to do ranching in earnest.

Miss Doris Percey and Miss Lila McMillan have recovered from their recent flu illness and have resumed their duties as operators in the local telephone exchange. During their enforced absence from the "hello" board two lady operators from Echo substituted for them.

James M. Smith, better known as "Alabama," who has been holding down a clerical position in Hitt's Confectionery store the past six months, left Sunday for Portland. It is understood he has secured employment in a shipyard at Vancouver, Wash.

L. D. Lay, former resident of this project, was here on a visit Monday and Tuesday from Tacoma. He was accompanied by his son, Sergeant Phillip Lay, in the service at Camp Lewis, who had secured a ten day furlough in order to make a little visit here with his parent.

Mrs. J. H. Young was called to Pendleton Tuesday afternoon to the bedside of her mother, who had suffered a stroke of apoplexy. This is the second attack the lady has had, and while she is reported to have partially recovered fears are entertained that the stroke will prove fatal.

Louis Blayden, accompanied by his mother and his sister, Mrs. Paine, motored to Hermiston from Boardman last Saturday. On the return trip they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gorham, who made an over Sunday visit at the home of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Blayden.

Robert Neimeyer left for Portland the first of the week after passing several days looking after his farming interests in Columbia District. Before leaving he said he was going back to pack his furniture and return with his family to the ranch. He had been working in one of the numerous shipyards near Portland.

Sixteen cases of the flu are reported in Umatilla, according to reports from the Hermiston Doctors and the disease is on an increase. Several cases have developed in the last few days. No homes have been quarantined and it is expected that the disease will gain much headway. Miss Fern Stevens, one of the High School pupils, is having the second siege of the malady this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Knox and two children returned last Saturday from Portland, where they have been since last April. While there Mr. Knox was carpenter's foreman over the crew that built houses for government employees in the Grant Smith-Porter shipyards located at St. John, a suburb of Portland. He returned at this time to do some improvement work on his ranch a mile and a half northwest of Hermiston.

F. R. Brown, county agent of Morrow county, with headquarters at Heppner, was here last Saturday while on his way home from Boardman and Irrigon, where he spent a couple of days directing the forthcoming rabbit poisoning campaign. He says the north end of Morrow county is now well organized to put on a ten day poisoning campaign. Mr. Brown, besides being county agent, is associated with F. A. McMenamin, an attorney and auctioneer of Heppner, in the operation of the Farmers' Exchange in that city.

Until further notice we will deliver goods to all parts of the City. Phone in your orders and have them delivered. Avoid the crowds and protect yourself and family against the Flu as far as possible.

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There are about seventeen patients still in the emergency hospital, two arriving at the institution from Umatilla yesterday.

If the weather holds cold a large number of the young people will enjoy skating on the Cold Springs reservoir tomorrow.

The city flag was lowered to half-mast Wednesday out of respect to the late Colonel Roosevelt, whose funeral occurred on that day in New York.

**Card Of Thanks**

I desire to thank friends and neighbors for the numerous kindnesses shown me during the sickness and at the death of my beloved husband, also for the handsome floral offerings.  
Miss Mabel Sapper.

**January Clearance Sale**

Greatly reduced prices for the next few days on Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts, Waists, Petticoats and Furs. Also material by the yard. Mrs. A. S. Johnson. 17-1tc

Am leaving for California in few weeks and offer my furniture for sale. You are invited to call at the house and make your selections. B. F. Keapp.

**Saturday, Jan. 18, Dr. Freeze, the Eye Specialist, will make his regular visit to Hermiston and may be consulted at Oregon Hotel Parlors all day. Headaches, Crosseyes and other eye troubles given attention. Are your eyes weak as a result of influenza. If so have them examined carefully. If glasses or other treatment will help then I will advise you. At Echo Jan. 17th. 16-2tc**

**WANT ADS.**

Send your washing to the Model laundry at The Dalles, Oregon, through P. B. Sisco, local agent. Basket leaves Tuesday morning and returns Saturday of each week. -adv49tc

Wanted—Your subscription for The Saturday Evening Post, \$2.00; The Ladies Home Journal, \$1.75; The Country Gentleman, \$1.00. Ed. H. Graham, Hermiston, Ore. 3fc

Sewing machine repairing and supplies, all makes. Phone 281. C. E. Hensley. 5tc

Stock For Sale—Early Maturing, Easily Fed type Duroc Jersey hogs. Geo. H. Root, Hermiston, Ore. 12fc

Half of my farm for sale on very easy terms. Come and see. C. W. LaBarre. 9tc

For Sale—Team of young mares, 4 and 5 years old; 2 weanling colts; extracted honey. B. W. Smith. 31tc

For Sale—Five months old Holstein bull calf. Registered stock. D. H. Prindle. 11tc

For Sale or Exchange—7 passenger Studebaker car in good condition. See Rev. M. R. Gallaher. 12tc

Apples for Sale \$1 and \$1.50 per box, customers to furnish own boxes. H. E. Hanby 14tc

For Sale—Forty acres of unimproved land under government ditch, four miles north of Hermiston. Will sell or trade, and will divide if desired. John F. Reihl, agent for owner, Hermiston. Phone 77. 15-3tp

Wanted—A good cow for cash. A. P. Garner. 16-tfc

For Sale—Big Type Poland-China pigs, either sex; registered; ready for immediate breeding. A. W. Purdy

For Sale—Finest bred pacing mare in state of Oregon. Am leaving the country. Geo. C. Ellison, Hermiston, Oregon. 16tfc

Lost—A black Oxford bag containing lady's apparel on road four miles northeast of Stanfield. Finder please leave at this office. 16-2tp

**NEXT WEEK'S SPECIALS**

Rice Flour, in bulk, per lb.....	10c
Barley Flour, in bulk, per lb.....	7c
Oat Flour, in bulk, per lb.....	7c
Corn Flour, in bulk, per lb.....	7c
Corn Meal, in bulk, per lb.....	7c
Self Rising Pastry Flour, 4 1-2 lbs.....	30c
3 pkgs. Corn Flakes.....	40c
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3 pkgs. Grape Nuts.....	40c
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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

We desire to announce to the automobile owners of Hermiston and vicinity that we will shortly have with us Seargent J. V. Connell of the Aviation Section Overseas Troops. Mr. Connell comes bearing a United States Department of Labor written recommendation. Mr. Connell has had 14 years experience in the automobile line in Portland, Oregon, before going with the Overseas forces, and while with the forces has learned the best and quickest methods of automobile and aeroplane engine construction and repairing.

The fact that he carries a written Government recommendation alone spells success for Mr. Connell, and they further state his recommendations to them before he entered the service are also of the best. Mr. Connell will be an expensive man but will have all the latest "tricks" of the business at his command.

We wish to announce further that a second man of this class is promised us by the Government just as soon as they have another available from the service. We expect Mr. Connell the first of the coming week.

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