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SCOUTS HAVE BIG TIME ON CAMP TRIP

EIGHT FROM HERMISTON IN ON SESSION AT NUZNUPA
Eats Good, Fun Plentiful and Lots To do in Mountains Boys Report.

"Fun? Well, I'll say we had fun, nothing but," was the enthusiastic comment made by a Hermiston Boy Scout in reply to a question as to whether local scouts enjoyed their camping session during the past two weeks.

Six of the boys, Glenn Moore, Melvin Follett, Eddie Bense, Dick Martin, Howard Cherry and Walther Ott came home late Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Enos D. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hurly. Two Hermiston scouts, Enos Martin Jr. and Bill Hurly, remained and will spend all of this week at the camp.

Camp Nuznupa is 14 miles southeast of Milton on the Walla Walla river in the Blue mountains and is just being developed by the scout organization as a summer camp grounds. The literal meaning of the name is "at the foot of the nose." It was at one time an Indian camp.

"It was not so hot there as it is here at home," one of the scouts said. "We had good food, a lot to do and heaps of fun. I wish I could have stayed for another week."

The scouts are erecting their buildings as fast as they can. The swimming pool was provided by Pendleton. There are three permanent buildings in camp now, a mess hall, headquarters building and officers' cabin. There are six tents, erected on permanent floors, and the camp can accommodate 60 scouts. The forest service is erecting a ranger's cabin on grounds near the camp.

The boys followed a regular schedule in their day's activities. They got up at 6:30, had colors, breakfast, a work hour followed, tests, then health inspection. Swimming was on the morning's program and was followed by an instruction period on various subjects. Then came dinner.

In the afternoon there was a rest period which did not always mean rest, but might mean a hike. Then the camp went swimming. This was followed by regular inspection and supper. After supper there were games and camp fire sessions. Lights were out at 9 o'clock.

Glenn Moore went up July 1. The rest of the boys, except Walther Ott, went up July 8. Last week two days were spent on a hike of 25 miles.

SLIGHT DAMAGE DONE BY

FIRE IN HINKLE HOME

Flames that flared up from a gas-line stove in the Hinkle house south of town ignited the walls of the kitchen and caused the fire alarm to be sounded Monday just after 12 o'clock noon. P. P. Sullivan heard the shouts of Mrs. Sheehan, occupant of the house, and had the flames under control before men from town reached the place.

The damage was reported to be slight.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carson and sons have returned from Canada where they spent several weeks in developing a farm which they recently acquired in a trade.

Enos Martin left Monday for Rupert, Idaho, where he was called on account of the serious illness of his father.

O. S. CUMMINGS



O. Samuel Cummings of Kansas City, who was elected president of Kiwanis International at the twelfth annual convention of the organization in Seattle.

OWNERS GET BACK RUM LADEN BOAT

Washington, D. C.—The celebrated international case involving Boatswain Larry Christiansen of the United States coast guard has been settled by diplomatic negotiations between Washington and London.

In admission of the violation of British sovereignty by Christiansen, the Washington government has formally expressed its regrets to London. In addition it has agreed to surrender to the British authorities the two American-registered rum-laden vessels seized by Christiansen off the Bahamas and their cargoes.

Christiansen, commanding a coast guard patrol vessel, seized the two rum-laden ships off the Bahamas last September. There is an unsettled dispute as to whether the actual seizure was made within British territorial waters, Christiansen contending he overhauled and took possession of the two ships five miles off shore in the open sea. The point proved to be of no importance, however, as Christiansen subsequently took the captured ships into British waters, landing his prisoners and the seized cargoes at Gun Cay, Bahamas, where they spent the night being transferred to another coast guard vessel the following day and sent to the United States.

WELCOME HOOVER HOME

Reception is Sadden by Death of Mrs. Hoover's Father.

Palo Alto, Cal.—Herbert Hoover, the first resident of the Pacific coast to carry the standard of a great political party, returned to his beloved California to receive formal notification of his selection as the republican presidential candidate.

It was a quiet home coming, the death of Mrs. Hoover's father, C. D. Henry, wealthy banker, having made necessary the canceling of the celebrations which the people of San Francisco and Palo Alto, the university town, had planned in his honor.

Within a few hours after they reached their home on the rolling hill overlooking the university campus, Mr. and Mrs. Hoover attended the funeral services for Mr. Henry at Stanford chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert La Rose, of San Francisco, were guests at the O. T. Lockridge home the first of the week. Mr. La Rose is a nephew of Mrs. Lockridge and they hadn't seen each other for 33 years.

WEATHER MAN POPS HERMISTON

FOR 110 MAXIMUM DURING HOT WAVE THAT HITS NORTHWEST

And then, after a cool spring and a June that was marked by the most delightful of temperatures for living comfort, July came along in 1928 and made up for lost time by forcing the thermometer up to 110, thus equaling the maximum mark made on the project during the past 20 years.

Tuesday's temperature was 110. It required several days for the weather man to extend his mark to this limit, according to the records kept by Charles Taylor at the district office. July 18 the maximum was 85 with 86 reached on the 19th. July 20 saw the mercury up to 92 and on the following day it went up to 99.

By July 22 the mercury was all limbered up and flowing readily with the result that the thermometer did 104. That was last Sunday. On Monday it added another four notches for a perfect 108.

Pendleton was jealous of Hermiston's summer weather, however, and on Tuesday the Round-up city went into first place with a record of 111, the highest in that city since 1912.

Other warm days in Hermiston's history were equal to Tuesday's maximum, according to Mr. Taylor's records. In 1908 there was a summer day when it reached 108. The same mark was reached also in 1914 and in 1922.

The mercury has gone up to 110 on previous occasions. During 1911 there was a such a day, and 1926 saw one day of 110.

As far as can be ascertained the chief result of the hot wave is the effect it has on conversation and ice cream consumption. Reports have been made that a few poultrymen have suffered slight losses of overfat birds or those lacking in vitality. Hay crews and baling crews have had to work at a slower pace, and in some cases harvesting has been discontinued during the hottest part of the day.

SPECIAL SERVICES HELD

BY LOCAL FREE METHODISTS

Special services that were attended by members from congregations in two states were held Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday in the Hermiston mission of the Free Methodist church.

Rev. R. G. Milton of Walla Walla, presiding elder, was in charge of the sessions. Others here either to attend or aid in the services included Rev. and Mrs. Damon of Walla Walla, Mr. and Mrs. Parris of Walla Walla, William Abey of Pullman and Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Kerns of Walla Walla.

"The attendance was very satisfactory," Rev. Beamish, local pastor, stated. "We wish to express our thanks to members and to friends who provided entertainment for the visiting speakers and workers."

The Stork

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wheeler are the parents of a son born Tuesday at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hendricks of Boardman are the parents of a girl born Wednesday morning at the Hermiston hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McNary who live across the Columbia in Washington are the parents of a son born Wednesday morning at the Hermiston hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Bowman of Portland, who formerly owned the Tilden ranch north of town, called on friends the first of the week. They were en route to Wallowa lake.

CLUB WORKERS WILL BE HONORED AT PICNIC FEED

A meeting and picnic on the lawn at the water district building will be held Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in recognition of the work being done on the project by boys and girls in club work. The meeting is being sponsored and arranged by the Umatilla Project Farm Bureau and the Women's auxiliary.

Members of clubs who went to summer school at O. A. C. will make reports of the work they did. The members who went to summer school from Hermiston are Helen Jendrzewski, Fern Lindner, and Rachael Buell from the girls' clubs and Enos Martin from the boys' clubs. Talks will also be made by others interested in the work.

CO-OP LAUNDRY STARTS OPERATION THIS WEEK

18 Housewives to Avail Themselves of New Machine; Four More to Start Next Week.

The co-operative laundry, work on which was launched a short time ago by the Women's Auxiliary of the Umatilla Project Farm Bureau, started operations the first of this week in the room adjoining the Hermiston creamery. An electric washing machine was purchased and installed. Laundry tubs have arrived and will be installed this week.

There are already 18 housewives scheduled to use the machine, and four others will be added to the list for next week. Those who used the laundry this week, and their period of the day follow. The day has been divided into four periods. Periods one and two are from 8 to 10 and from 10 to 12 in the morning. Periods three and four are from 1 to 3 and from 3 to 5 in the afternoon. The present schedule:

Monday, 1st period, Harkertrider; 2nd, Ott; 4th, W. G. Dyer.
Tuesday, 1st, Wilson; 2nd Haddox; 3rd, Logan; 4th, Jendrzewski.
Wednesday, 1st, Todd; 2nd, Hammer.
Thursday, 1st, Gordon; 2nd, Bense; 3rd, Kik; 4th, E. I. Davis.
Friday, 1st, L. C. Dyer, 2nd, Harr.
Saturday, 2nd, Hooker; 3rd, Hutchison; 4th, Guivits.

CAMPFIRE GIRLS RETURN FROM OUTING AT BINGHAM

Five Campfire Girls of Hermiston returned home last Sunday evening after spending 10 days in camp at Bingham Springs. Mrs. J. G. Pearson chaperoned the party.

The girls indulged in swimming in the pool at the springs to their heart's content. They also took several hikes and one day hiked to Gibbmon, a distance of eight miles, and some of them came all the way home without a lift.

Mrs. Oscar Payne is in charge of the Hermiston unit of Campfire, but due to illness was not able to make the trip, so Mrs. Pearson acted. The girls making the trip were Florence Pearson, Coralene and Iva Duane, Marjorie Mullins and Goldie Shutter.

Neighbors Harvest Hay

R. E. McFaul is in the sanitarium at College Place, Washington, but his hay crop has kept on growing, so his neighbors in the Minnehaha district decided to harvest it. The cutting, raking and shocking have been under way for several days, and today the neighbors moved onto the place and started stacking. A community dinner for all the families involved was on the program for today.

I. B. SUTTON



I. B. Sutton of Tampico, Mexico, a native of Saginaw, Mich., has been elected president of the Rotary International.

NICARAGUAN JOB OF MARINES NEAR END

Washington, D. C.—The Nicaraguan job of the marines is believed to be nearing a close.

The surrender of more than 500 natives to marine troops within the past two weeks has wiped out all organized bands in the interior of the Central American republic, in the opinion of the marine corps headquarters here. The only force at large is believed to be that of General Sandino who, with approximately 150 men, has fled to the mountainous jungle between the Coco and Bocay rivers in Jinotega province, in northern Nicaragua.

Sandino and his band are being slowly "pocketed" by large marine forces operating in that region, according to the latest reports. Although the operations of the marines are difficult on account of the inaccessibility of the jungle section and the rainy season, it is thought that within a few months Sandino will be forced from his present stronghold either to surrender to the marines or to flee across the border into Honduras.

The marine troops, numbering about 1500 officers and men in western Nicaragua and more than 500 in the eastern region, have practically surrounded Sandino.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

Ex-Premier Giolitti of Italy died, following a long illness from uremic poisoning. He was 85 years old.

Panama canal tolls in the fiscal year just closed increased almost \$3,000,000 over the previous year, the Panama canal office announced.

Announcement that the 62nd annual meeting of the national grange will convene in Washington November 14 to 23 was made by L. J. Taber, master of the grange.

Preference will be given world war veterans in the homesteading of 106,388 acres of land in Idaho, Montana, Utah and Wyoming, announced by the department of the interior as open for settlement.

Tax collection for the fiscal year 1928 decreased \$74,776,244.29 under 1927, the treasury department announced. More than half of the loss was from income taxes, which fell off \$45,455,965.92.

Burton K. Wheeler, United States senator from Montana, was renominated by the democratic party in Montana in the primaries. Joseph M. Dixon, former governor, received the republican nomination.

TESTING IS AID IN DETECTING BOARDERS

27 COWS FOUND UNPROFITABLE DURING JUNE

High Producer of Month in Body Was Guernsey Owned By W. G. Graham.

During the month of June there were 27 cows in herds of the Umatilla Dairy Improvement association that were caught in the act of being "boarders" and were slaughtered for beef, according to the report of E. M. Hauser, official tester. June saw 49 herds under test with 591 cows enrolled, 51 of which were dry.

The average production of milk for all cows, including those dry, was 644 pounds and 27.2 pounds of fat. Total production of milk in association herds was 380,866 pounds, and 16,184 pounds of fat.

For herds of 20 or more cows the A. Seifert herd of purebred and grade Holsteins had high averages, 781 pounds of milk and 26.9 pounds of fat. In the class that includes herds from 12 to 20 cows A. T. Haun's herd of 17 mixed Jerseys and Guernseys carried off the honors with an average of 1092 pounds of milk and 42.7 pounds of fat. For herds under 12 head A. R. Coppock's herd of eight mixed Jerseys and Guernseys were in the lead with average milk production of 1062 and fat 42.9 pounds.

Daisy, a grade Guernsey owned by W. G. Graham, was honor cow for the month with a milk yield of 1590 pounds and a fat yield of 82.7 pounds. Black Beauty, a grade Holstein owned by A. T. Haun, was second with 1410 pounds of milk and 76.1 pounds of fat. The cows are both six years old. Another cow that produced in excess of 70 pounds of fat for the month was Ace Wagner's grade Guernsey, Daisy, 9423 pounds of milk and 72.5 pounds of fat.

A number of Hermiston cows were in the honorable mention list for high production in various classes.

TURKEY GROWERS TO ASK TARIFF RATE INCREASE

Hermiston Growers Attend Session Held Here; Loading in Transit is Granted.

An appeal to congress to raise the tariff on turkeys as a means of protecting the growers of the United States against Argentine, which has lately begun moving turkeys into American markets in appreciable volume will be made at the next session according to information divulged last night at a meeting of local growers.

Argentine can move birds by water to the United States for a cent a pound, it was stated. The freight rate from Hermiston to eastern markets will average about three cents. The present tariff is six cents, and a demand to double the present tariff is to be made.

The Union Pacific System has voluntarily granted a loading in transit privilege that will permit growers at intermediate points to load fractional parts of cars for an extra payment of \$6.30. L. A. Breithaupt said. Heretofore growers have not enjoyed this privilege.

Speakers included Mrs. C. G. Brink, W. A. Holt and G. H. Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Osborn of Portland spent Sunday at the O. C. Pierce home. Mr. Osborn is a brother of Mrs. Pierce.

THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne

