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"To thine own self be true, and it must follow as the night the day, thou canst not then be false to any man."

**SCHOOL NOTES**

The Hermiston football team will play Heppner Monday, November 12.

There will be no school Monday.

The Masque club will give a program for Armistice day Friday afternoon in the assembly room.

Miss Randall was absent from school October 30 and 31 on account of illness.

The civics class visited the polls Tuesday afternoon.

In the eighth grade quarterly examinations Howard Cherry ranked first, Dick Martin second and Margaret Felthouse third.

The eighth grade is going to have a regular election for president Tuesday.

The first grade will begin the study of the Indians this week.

**Where Man Can Live, but Not Raise Family**

Among the various climatic limits of individual existence, reproduction, and civilization are especially important. So far as civilized man is concerned, the climatic limit of individual existence is probably not reached on the earth's surface. No place is so cold or hot, so dry or wet, so windy or still, so monotonous or so variable, that individuals cannot survive. In primitive times and in the Glacial period, however, half of the earth's surface may have been so cold that unprotected savages would have frozen to death had they tried to live there. Even now in regions like Greenland and Antarctica the well-equipped, vigorous, adult white man stands an extremely good chance of freezing to death if he tried to remain year after year.

In such places families cannot survive. Until our skill increases very materially it would be suicidal to attempt to raise a family on the Antarctic ice sheet where the intrepid Scott froze to death. It would be almost equally foolish to make the attempt in Death valley, where the thermometer rises above 135 degrees, and the summer is one long discomfort because one's tissues call for water no matter how much one may drink. Men can live there, but not mothers and babies; the climatic limits of reproduction are more narrow than those of individual existence.—Ellsworth Huntington in Harper's Magazine.

**Western Novel Heroes**

**Draw Rap From Critic**

I wonder why, when a feller picks up a Western novel nowadays, there has to be so much smoke and dust, smoke from six-shooters and dust from one man chasing another. It seems like there's no rest for the good any more than there is for the wicked, and a feller wonders how come all the characters ain't killed in the first round of the first chapter, but if that was the case there wouldn't be no story much, so the characters have got to suffer on through and live anyhow, only the bad boys are relieved at the end, by sudden death or by a term in the pen. That's proper and as it should be, sure enough, but that ain't life. I don't object to the guns, as long as they ain't pointed toward me, what I object at, by making that big fuss over 'em, is that so much that's good in the Western life is covered up by 'em.—Will James in the Bookman.

**Golfer's Composition**

(1) Although I have practiced, my game is not good. (2) The second hole was worse than the first hole, and the third hole was the most bad. (3) I have struck my golf ball over 100 times. (4) The grass near the fourth hole is long and very beautiful. (5) I have lost there my white ball with the pretty dots. (6) While I am hunting for it my partner is angry. (7) No, I have no more golf balls. (8) Have you found my golf ball, caddy? (9) Yes, here it is under this little stone in the sand. (10) Give me my iron and then give me my niblick, too. (11) See, I have struck the ball and it is in the lake. (12) I think I shall not play golf again because I am tired. (13) I shall go to church the next Sunday.—Kansas City Star.

**Sea Rover's Ambition**

**to Settle New World**

America's first real-estate development was promoted by Eric the Red. Eric anticipated modern sales methods by more than 900 years. He spent three summers moving back and forth along the west coast of the land he had discovered, searching for pleasant districts to settle, for he had made up his mind to found a colony. He was thus not only the first Arctic explorer, and the discoverer of the new western world, but also the first of that typical western product—the realtor. For the "Saga of Eric the Red" tells us that, in connection with his plan to secure settlers, he hit upon the device of calling the place Green Land, "conceiving that people would all the more desire to go there if it had a fair name."

That winter Eric carried out a publicity campaign so successfully that in the spring of 980 twenty-five ships set sail with him for Greenland. The colonists were something between 400 and 700. The numbers of the domestic animals have never been estimated, but in variety they were all the common ones of Iceland—horses, cattle, sheep, goats, pigs, chickens, geese and dogs.—Viljalmar Stefansson in the Forum Magazine.

**Passed Out of Life to Keep Contentment**

Charles Driscoll thinks he knows what death will be like when it comes to him. As a boy he was once very ill. He felt life ebbing away, saw members of the family standing around. Then to the watchers and himself he seemed to pass out of life. "I was away," he says, "so far away that space was different, and altogether limitless. I was immeasurably interested and contented. Returning to consciousness was like being born again into a strange world. Somebody was pouring whisky down my throat. I opened my eyes and a great sense of loss and disappointment overwhelmed me. I sat there a long time trying to project myself, in memory, back into that vast country in which I seemingly had been existing for uncountable ages. For in that country a moment seemed eternity. That experience remains a vivid and pleasant memory to this day. When I think of death I think of that eternity I sensed when the earth-life seemed to cease to pull me. And it seemed good, not evil."—Capper's Weekly.

**Quill Pens**

Many young men and women who think they can write and who would like to write, but off real work because they make the manual job of writing tedious. Even the most modern and smooth running typewriter becomes a wearisome machine. Pushing a pencil or a pen is even more tiresome. Few can dictate as well as they can write, even if they can afford the luxury of a secretary. What is needed, in the face of such trifling discouragements, is more downright energy and less laziness. Remember that Charles Dickens once wrote a whole book with a single quill pen. But Dickens did not suffer from the commonest complaint of the young person—mental indolence.—Grove Patterson, in the Mobile Register.

**Believe Me or Not**

I am frank, honest, courageous, and kind. Though I do not talk much of my accomplishments, I feel that I have a serious mind, yet I do not lack a sense of humor. People look to me with respect. I am destined to be a prominent member of my community. Often quiet in company, I nevertheless have a ready wit and a capacity for intelligent conversation. At times I am too reluctant to take other people's advice. This is bad for me. I should not be headstrong, though my naturally powerful will often leads me to make mistakes of judgement. I am very sensitive.

I have just spent 14 pennies on the fortune-telling machines.—Los Angeles Times.

**Cicada Not a Locust**

The cicada is referred to as the 17-year locust, a name that is incorrect in at least two particulars. It is not a locust at all, that name being properly applied only to members of the grasshopper family, and while it has a 17-year period it also has a 13-year period. It has been so long mis-called by the name of the locust, however, that there is no hope of divesting it of that incorrect appellation.

**When Piano Keys Stick**

To keep piano keys from sticking open the piano and take the front-end where the music rack is located. Expose this place that is open to the sun and air. If any sun comes in the room, move the piano to that spot; if it does not, move the piano to a place where there is sun and air. The reason piano keys stick is because the inside of the piano is swollen with dampness.

**Early Britons Unlettered**

Neither Caesar's Commentaries nor the writings of Tacitus and other historians of the period of the Roman domination convey evidence that the Britons had any knowledge of letters until the Roman and Greek characters were taught them. Neither do these historians preserve any oral traditions of the British bards or druids calculated to shed much light upon the early history of the Celtic race.

**The Life Prolonger**

In the mental plane of your heart is an evergreen tree; its name is Love. As long as it flourishes you are young; when it dies you are old. In the central place of your heart is a wireless station. As long as it receives messages of beauty, hope, cheer, grandeur, courage, and power, from the earth, from men and from the Infinite, so long you are young. When the wires are down and all the central places of your heart are covered with snows of cynicism and the ices of pessimism, then you are grown old—even at twenty.—Nuggets.

**The Clipper Ship**

The period of the clipper ship was the golden age of merchant sailing. The first real clipper, the Rainbow, was launched in New York in 1845. The repeal of British navigation laws in 1849 and the California gold rush in 1848 gave a marvelous impetus to the building of ships. One of the sensational events of the period was the voyage of the American Oriental in 1850. This was the first ship of the nation to carry tea from China.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Umatilla, under the seal thereof, and to me directed and delivered upon a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 1st day of October, 1928, in favor of Nicholas Codd as plaintiff, and against J. W. Spencer s administrator of the Estate of C. E. Spencer Deceased, as defendant, whereby the plaintiff did recover a personal decree against the defendant J. W. Spencer as Administrator of the estate of C. E. Spencer, Deceased, for the sum of \$4,000.00, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 15th day of April, 1926, the further sum of \$28.73 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from July 14th 1927, the further sum of \$350.00 attorney's fees, and the costs and disbursements of this suit taxed at \$22.60, and whereby it was decreed that the mortgage dated the 15th day of April, 1920, executed by C. E. Spencer, now deceased, to plaintiff upon the following described real property in Umatilla County, Oregon, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter and the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section Thirty-three, Township 5 North of Range 29, E. W. M., in Umatilla County, Oregon,

which mortgage was recorded on the 16th day of April, 1920, at page 151 of book 70 Records of Mortgages in the office of the County Recorder of Umatilla County, Oregon, should be foreclosed and the said real property sold by the Sheriff of Umatilla County Oregon, to satisfy said judgment and all costs; therefore I will on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1928, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. at the front door of the court house in the City of Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, sell all the right title, interest and estate which the said C. E. Spencer and said defendants, and all persons claiming and to claim by, through or under them, or any of them, had on the 15th day of April, 1920, or since then have had, or now have, in and to the above described real property and every part thereof, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the proceeds of such sale to be applied in satisfaction of said execution and all costs.

Dated this 9th day of October, A. D. 1928.

R. T. COOKINGHAM,  
 Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon.  
 (6-5tc) By Vera Case, Deputy.

**PRODUCE Wanted**

Turkeys, year old, 12 lbs. up, No. 1 birds, live.....28 to 30c  
 Turkeys, year old, 12 lbs. up, No. 1 birds, dressed ..... 36 to 40c  
 Turkeys, '28 hatch, 12 lbs. up, No. 1 birds, live ..... 31 to 33c  
 Turkeys, '28 hatch, 12 lbs. up, No. 1 birds, dressed ..... 37 to 41c  
 Capons, No. 1 birds, live, 6 lbs. up, live ..... 30 to 32c  
 Capons, No. 1 birds, live, 6 lbs. up, dressed ..... 36 to 38c  
 Hens, heavy col., live ..... 25 to 26c  
 Hens, Med., live ..... 20c  
 Hens, light, live ..... 16 to 17c  
 Geese, young live, live ..... 19 to 22c  
 Ducks, young Pekin, live ..... 20 to 23c  
 Lambs, fancy light ..... 20 to 22c  
 Beef ..... According to Grade  
 Hogs, top blockers ..... 13 to 14c  
 Veal, fancy top ..... 18c  
 Veal, med. and Heavy ..... 15 to 17c  
 The above is the trend of the market. We want poultry of all kinds; the price on turkeys will not be any higher this year than last and a good chance of a lower market as there are more birds. Ship me your poultry.

**Nelson Produce Co.**

Wholesale Commission Merchants  
 151 Front St., Portland, Oregon

**Auxiliary Meets**

A regular meeting of the Farm Bureau Auxiliary was held on Friday, November 2. At this time the membership was divided into four divisions, poultry, civic duty, home economics and health. The next regular meeting has been announced for Friday, November 16, with the health committee under the leadership of Mrs. C. M. Best in charge of the program.

**Oil Company Builds**

The local distributing plant of the Shell Oil company is undergoing several improvements. A new warehouse to be used for the storage of lubricating oils and kerosene and a garage for the oil truck are in the process of construction. The new buildings are being erected on the grounds of the plant.

Christmas Cards at The Herald Office.

**We Have Anticipated**

Your needs in everything that is necessary to complete your golf outfit. Come in and give our line the "once over."

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**WE REPAIR SHOES**

FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY AND USE MODERN MACHINERY AND THE BEST OF MATERIALS.

YOU ARE ASSURED OF THE BEST OF SERVICE IN OUR SHOP.

**BOWMAN SHOE SHOP**

**When Farmers Co-operate**

When farmer co-operate to obtain better prices for their produce, rich corporations use various methods to intimidate them and belittle their efforts. This is sometimes done by creating false prices for the commodity at stake. The only farm relief a farmer can expect is the relief he can get by his own effort, chiefly thru co-operative marketing.

We wish to commend the signers of the cream pool. They are sticking tight 100 per cent.

Co-operate and insure better prices—stick together or get stuck.

**Hermiston Creamery Co.**

**UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the board of directors of Union High School District No. 9 of Umatilla County, Oregon, will meet in the High School auditorium in the school house in Hermiston, Oregon, in said district, on November 24, 1928, at 8 P. M. for the purpose of levying the tax for the fiscal year beginning on June 30, 1928 and ending on June 30, 1929, at which time the following estimate and budget may be discussed with said board.

The total amount of money needed by said Union High District for the fiscal year 1928 and 1929 is estimated in the following budget.

**UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 BUDGET**

**ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES**

PERSONAL SERVICE:	No.	Salary per year
1. Superintendent	1	\$1800.00
2. Principals	1	1600.00
	1	1530.00
	4-1350	5400.00
3. Teachers	1	405.00
4. Janitors		600.00
5. Clerk and Bond		150.00
Total		11485.00

**MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES:**

1. Furniture (desks, stoves, curtains, etc)	250.00
2. Supplies (chalk, erasers, etc)	350.00
6. Janitor's supplies	200.00
7. Fuel	600.00
8. Light	180.00
9. Water	60.00
Total	1610.00

**MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS:**

Rent	1500.00
Total	1500.00

**INDEBTEDNESS:**

2. Warrant, and interest thereon	2875.00
Total	2875.00

**TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS:**

MISCELLANEOUS:	2000.00
3. Audit of clerk's books	200.00
Total	19700.00

**ESTIMATED RECEIPTS—None.**

Balance, amount to be raised by district tax \$19700.00

The indebtedness of District No. 9 is as follows:

Total warrant indebtedness	12240.64
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Dated this 29th day of October.

Attest:  
 R. A. BROWNSON, District Clerk. JESS GOFF, Board of Directors

**ORIGINAL ESTIMATE AND ACCOUNTING SHEET UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9**

This original estimate is made in compliance with section 231-A of the school laws of 1921 and shows in parallel columns the unit costs of the several services, materials and supplies for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year, the detail expenditures for the last one of said three preceding fiscal years and the budget allowances and expenditures for six months of the current year. ("Six months" of the current year" means six months of the last school year.

ITEMS	Estimated Expenditure for the ensuing school year.	Expenditures and budget allowances for six months of last school year.		Expenditures for three fiscal years years next preceding the last school year.		
		Expenditures in detail	Budget allowance in detail	Detailed expenditure for the last year of the three-year period.	Second year Give-yearly totals	First year Give-yearly totals
<b>PERSONAL SERVICES:</b>						
1. Superintendent	\$1800.00	900.00	900.00	\$1800.00		None
2. Principal	1600.00	850.00	850.00	1700.00		None
1.....	1530.00	765.00	765.00	1530.00		
4-1350	5400.00	2700.00	2700.00	5400.00		
3. Teachers						
1.....	405.00	202.50	202.50	405.00		
4. Janitors	600.00	300.00	300.00	514.00		
5. Clerk and Bond	150.00	75.00	75.00	150.00		
Total—Personal Services	11485.00	5792.00	5792.00			
<b>MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES:</b>						
1. Furniture (desks, etc.)	250.00			463.00		
2. Supplies (chalk, etc.)	350.00	200.10	150.00	342.73		
6. Janitor's supplies	200.00	48.22	140.00	189.98		
7. Fuel	600.00	289.20	250.00	441.17		
8. Light	180.00	88.70	85.00	169.00		
9. Water	60.00	29.60	15.00	22.65		
Total—Materials and Supplies	1540					
<b>MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS:</b>						
Rent	1500.00	750.00	750.00	1485.00		
<b>INDEBTEDNESS:</b>						
2. Warrant, and interest thereon	2500.00					
Total—Indebtedness	2500.00					
<b>TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS:</b>						
Total—Transportation of Pupils	2000.00	849.00	1000.00	2187.26		
<b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b>						
	200.00					
Total—Miscellaneous	200.00					
<b>GFAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$19225.00</b>					

I, R. A. Brownsong, do hereby certify that the above estimate of expenditures for the year 1928-1929 was prepared by me and that the expenditures and budget allowance for six months of the current year and the expenditures for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year as shown above have been compiled from the records in my charge and are true and correct copies thereof.

R. A. BROWNSON, District Clerk.