

The Hermiston Herald

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Hermiston has received considerable comment and advertising throughout the state with its Jerusalem artichoke outlook, and the planting of five acres this year at the Hermiston Experiment Station which has been contracted by a manufacturing concern. There seems to be certain factors that make this section a favorable spot for the growing of artichokes. They may be used in the manufacture of a sugar that is free from one of the objectionable qualities of cane sugar.

How this new industry will work out remains to be seen. The story, however, illustrates the close relationship between chemistry and agriculture. Scientists are constantly seeking new facts and frequent discoveries they make have a far reaching influence.

It is never safe of course to anticipate in such cases. When tests of this sort are made the results may be negative. On the other hand we may enjoy a new field for settlers on our irrigated district. It often occurs that when one section is rejected by one group of settlers, another group will come along and make a success thru new developments.

We believe that this section is one of the best in the state for the growing of Jerusalem artichokes, and are confident that after the tests of our production have been made that this district will become one of the leading sections of the state.

We have assurance from the Pabst Corporation of Milwaukee, Wis., that the Hermiston section will be given an equal chance with any other section of the state, and with the co-operation and untiring efforts of the Oregon Agricultural college, together with our own encouragement, there is a brighter future close at hand.

Davidson county, North Carolina, has tried out a county manager plan. A year's results are worth looking at.

Under the old regime, Davidson county was just as poorly managed as most counties. Its board of Commissioners came into office ignorant of the financial condition of the county and went out of office not much enlightened. The county had a deficit of \$255,000. In one year the manager reduced the tax rate, wiped out \$100,000 of indebtedness, installed centralized purchasing, raised the county's credit rating in New York from C to A, installed a budget and a dorderly accounting system and saved taxpayers money on practically every item purchased during the year.

Two interesting examples of money saved were: Under the old regime tax scrolls cost \$181; under the new \$39. The tax abstracts formerly cost \$8.50 per thousand; under the new manager \$4.55. This is the first time we have heard of a manager plan applied to a county. If these results are typical of what the plan can do, the country will undoubtedly see more of it.

May we include in our prayers, that the day will soon arrive when Amie McPherson and Ma Kennedy with their what have you, will be a thing of the past, and the press will cease to comment and recognize such publicity, and these women will confine their activities within the four square walls.

If the Hermiston Herald does no more good than keep the family home long enough to read it, it is worth while.

Hermiston will become the kind of town all good citizens want it to be, less the proportion by which it is held back by those who don't give a rap what becomes of it.

They call women the weaker sex, but did you ever hear of a barber talking one into a shompoo when she came in to get a hair cut?

Even a jail has it's bright side: the outside.

Get-up—clean-up—paint-up—10th to 13th.

Yes it is spring, asparagus is being shipped.

American Girls Help Students in Europe
New London, Conn.—To enable two or three needy European students of merit to attend college in their own country, the student body of Connecticut College for Women has decided to establish a scholarship fund for that purpose.
The accumulation of the fund will be used every other year. The plan heretofore has been for student contributions to be disbursed from New York. The change is due to desire to have more personal contact with students abroad who are aided by the college.

SOUNDS FISHY
The undergraduate sardines were out for their afternoon swim down stream.
"What ever happened to Tommy Big Fin?" asked a prominent student in the sardine school.
"I thought you knew," answered his companion. "He couldn't seem to make the grade. He was always swimming about 5 to 10 feet in the rear. He wasn't alert or intelligent. So the usual happened."
"You mean—?"
"Yep. He got canned!"
Wall

SCHOOL NOTES

Equipment was received Monday, April 8 for the laboratory. Among the equipment received were test tubes and various important compounds and elements.

Hermiston high school's baseball team plays the Helix high school team at Helix next Friday, April 12.

Eddie Benschel won the silver medal in the declamation contest held at Pendleton April 5.

Benny Harp is a new pupil in the eighth grade from Echo.

The sixth grade sent in their art pictures April 1. They will be exhibited at Spokane at the Inland Empire Teachers association and then will be shown at Hermiston.

June Dahlman has received her home reading certificate.

Aldruda Beletski is absent with the mumps.

The Auxiliary is going to give \$5 reward and a medal to the pupil in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades that writes the best story about the poppy. Echo, Sanfield, Boardman, Irigoin, Umatilla and Hermiston are all taking part.

The following received an "A" in spelling every day last week in the third grade: Ruth Pierson, Mary Skovbo, Mildred Cherry, Annie Pearson, Jeanette Bradley, Edith Montgomery, Esther MacMullen, Loretta Furrer, Nina Ray McCully, Harold Laird, Edward Hall, Bobby Prime.

Edison Davis has left the third grade as his family has moved across the Umatilla river.

At the Baptist-Christian church, Sunday, April 14. Sunday school and church services at the regular time in the morning. Christian Endeavor meeting in the evening.

R. F. Bowman, specialist in horticulture, was in this community from Milton Thursday looking after the spraying of orchards.

Zelle French, Stanfield, entered in grade one April 8.

COLUMBIA NEWS NOTES

(Claude Haddock, correspondent)

Mrs. Joe Udey was a Sunday visitor at the Tom Stewart home.

Mr. Lenz and George Liebe are hauling gravel from the river and will begin the erection of their silos at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Linder were dinner guests at the Harvey Payne home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Addleman of Pendleton were guests at the R. L. Addleman home Sunday.

Mrs. Don Telfer and four children are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Bundy from Lexington were visitors Thursday at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. H. Stockard.

Jap Templeton and Bill Luttrell were visitors in Portland the latter part of the week.

Wednesday evening Mrs. Templeton was honored with a birthday dinner and party at the Chas. Lynch home. The evening was spent in playing cards. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snell, Mr. and Mrs. Mikesell, Mr. and Mrs. Luttrell, Mr. and Mrs. Templeton and Uncle Johnnie Thom.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lenz and daughter Martha were Sunday visitors at the Addleman home.

Otis Buell, daughters Dorothy and Rachel and Claude Haddock motored to Pendleton Friday to attend the declamatory contest.

Mr. Archer of Stanfield was a dinner guest at the Barnard home Sunday.

Lila Davidson and Mrs. Hopper returned Sunday from Boise, Idaho, where they have been visiting their mother.

Russell Blessing was a week-end visitor at the Gus Linder home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Strohm were Sunday visitors at the Will Lindner

home. Sherlock Stockard spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stockard.

The Farm Bureau ladies' Auxiliary met in the club house Friday. The regular business was taken up and afterwards a very interesting health program was presented.

Harry and Sidney Barricklow have rented the Jack Harr ranch and will move there in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Harr plan to go east for an extended visit soon.

Tilford Stillings was a dinner guest at the Roy Rogers home Sunday evening.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

Of Hermiston Herald, published weekly at Hermiston, Oregon, for April 1st, 1929.

State of Oregon, County of Umatilla.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. M. Biggs who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and manager of the Hermiston Herald and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 111, Postal Laws and Regulations, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are: J. M. Biggs, Post office address, Hermiston, Oregon.

2. That the owner is: J. M. Biggs.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: H. J. Simmons, Fossil, Oregon; J. S. Harvey, Twin Falls, Idaho.

J. M. BIGGS, Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of April, 1929.

A. H. Norton, Notary Public for Oregon.

My commission expires Feb. 26, 1933.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

In the matter of the Estate of

Mary E. Leathers, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary E. Leathers, deceased, and has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to me at the office of W. J. Warner, my attorney, in Hermiston, Oregon, with proper vouchers within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1929.
W. A. LEATHERS, Administrator.

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, for Umatilla County, under the hand of



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the clerk and the seal thereof and to day of May, 1927 and the further sum of \$12.46 taxes and \$75 reasonable attorneys fees, costs and disbursements taxed at \$46.60 and whereby it was decreed that a certain mortgage executed by Albert H. Laird to plaintiff on the 6th day of November, 1926, and recorded at page 97 of Book 85 of the Record of Mortgages of Umatilla County, Oregon, be foreclosed and the property therein described, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of Section 20, in Township Four North of Range Twenty-nine, E. W. M., containing 160 acres, should be sold, and the proceeds applied to day of March, 1929, in favor of D. L. Johnson and against Albert H. Laird and ———— Laird, his wife, and Archie A. Laird, and whereby plaintiff did recover judgment against said Albert H. Laird for the sum of \$450 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 6th day directed and delivered upon a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 23rd

the payment and satisfaction of said judgment and costs and disbursements of sale, and that plaintiff's recovery is limited to the amount for which said property is sold.
Now, therefore, I will on the 4th day of May, 1929, at the hour of 2:15 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the west door of the County Court house in the City of Pendleton, Umatilla County, State of Oregon, sell all the right, title, interest and estate which said Albert H. Laird, ———— Laird, his wife, and Archie A. Laird, or any of them and all interest, which any person, claiming by, through or under them had on the 23rd day of March, 1929, or have since acquired therein, or now have in or to the above described real estate and every part thereof, at public auction to the highest and best bidder thereof for cash in hand.
TOM B. GURDANE, Sheriff of Umatilla County, State of Oregon.
By Wayne M. Gurdane, Deputy.
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