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Notice for Publication

U. S. Department of Interior, U. S. Land office at The Dalles, Oregon, January 15, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that Gaylord M. Madison of Echo, Oregon, who, on April 20, 1917, made Desert Land Entry 023786 (La Grande 015137) for the SE 1/4, Sec. 30, T. 3 North, R. 28 East, W. M., has filed notice of intention to complete the purchase of said land under the provisions of the Act of March 4, 1929.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land or desiring for any reason to object to the completion of the purchase and final entry thereof by the application, should file their affidavits of protest in duplicate in this office during the 30-day period of publication immediately following the first printed issue of this notice, otherwise the application may be allowed.

W. A. Wilkinson, Acting Register. (Jan. 22-Feb. 29)

Notice of Lien Foreclosure Sale NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a lien, notice of which was filed by E. F. Pierson on the 4th day of February, 1931, in the office of the County Clerk of Umatilla County, Oregon, a certified copy of which has been delivered to me, against Unknown Owner, defendant, covering one 1924 model Dodge Touring car, motor No. A18-655, State of Washington, 1930 license No. 320-452, serial No. 941673 for labor and storage amounting to \$31.50, and I having been directed by said lien claimant to foreclose said lien and having taken possession of said property, I will on the 13th day of March, 1931, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the garage of E. F. Pierson in Hermiston, Oregon, sell the above described property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the proceeds to be applied in satisfaction of said lien and all charges, costs and attorney fees.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1931.

TOM B. GURDANE, Sheriff. B. J. NATION, Deputy. (Feb. 26-March 5)

HILLSBORO—H. J. Swain of Sherwood has started work on an irrigation project on his farm following a survey made for him by County Agent W. F. Cyrus and Arthur King, extension specialist in soils from Oregon State college. The main ditch was located and the point of water diversion in the creek determined.

TOLEDO—L. M. Commons of Harlan recently reported to County Agent M. J. Conklin that Austrian winter field peas on his place came through the winter in fine shape and are now more than 8 inches high.

SCHOOL NOTES

School Calendar

March 6 - National Oratorical try-out March 6-7 - Basketball, district tournament at Milton.

March 9 - Union High School board meeting.

March 11 - P.T.A. play and program at the Oasis theatre.

March 12 - Parent-Teachers meeting, 3:00 p. m.

March 13 - Local Oratorical contest.

March 20 - Zone Oratorical contest at Stanfield.

April 4 - County Oratorical contest at Pendleton.

April 9 - Parent-Teachers meeting, 3:00 p. m.

April 10 - Music Week program.

April 13 - Union High School board meeting.

April 17 - Senior class play.

April 17 - Zone track and field meet.

April 24 - County track and field meet at Pendleton.

May 10 - Baccalaureate Sunday.

May 11 - Union high school board meeting.

May 13-14 - High school end-semester examinations.

May 14 - Class Day exercises, 8 p. m.

May 14-15 - Eighth grade examinations.

May 15 - Graduation exercises and close of school.

A no-decision debate was held Wednesday morning between the Pendleton and Hermiston Union high schools on the question, Resolved: That Chain Stores are Detrimental to the best interests of the American Public. Simultaneously a similar meeting took place in Pendleton, in each case the two-student teams representing the negative side of the questioned travelled. At Pendleton, Hermiston was represented by Jannie Shockey and Ed Throop, while at home Floyd McMullen and Ed Benson upheld the affirmative. For Pendleton Maude Maxfield and Anna McKintyre appeared locally. Mr. Henry G. Hargar, debate coach, accompanied the Hermiston team to Pendleton, and Pendleton debaters were in charge of Reverend Pearson of Pendleton.

With the close of basketball, both boys and girls are turning their thoughts to baseball, tennis, and track. Plans are maturing for resumption of play in the Umatilla county high school baseball league. This season it is hoped that four teams, Echo, Stanfield, Umatilla and Hermiston, will enter from the western part of the county thus enabling the four to decide the winner of the western section. At the same time four teams in the eastern half of the county will be deciding on a winner and the champions of the east and of the west sides will meet in a play-off for the league championship.

High school girls are actively planning on a team this year, using the 12 inch playground ball. In addition to inter-class games it is hoped to secure matches with nearby schools.

The upper grade boys are enthusiastically planning on having a baseball team also. Some 15 have signed up to play.

One of the requirements of Mr. Cochran's Chemistry course is that each member write an essay and enter it in the National Chemistry Essay contest. These essays have just been submitted the State Superintendent C. A. Howard.

New pupils registered last Monday are Vera and Alton Sisson who have entered the fifth and seventh grades respectively from the Minnehaha district school.

Professor William Jones of Willamette University, Salem, will give an address before the student body at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, March 24th.

Hermiston high basketball team won from Boardman and lost to Hepner and Ione in the sub-district basketball tournament at Arlington last week end. The following teams qualified to play in the district tournament at Milton March 6 and 7: Umatilla won out first, Ione second and Arlington third.

Katrena Kryger enrolled in the Hermiston Union high school this week as a senior from the Pendleton schools.

British lexicographers have made a list of 43 words, which they declare comprise one-half of the daily conversation one hears. They are: And, as, at, about, all, be, but, can, come, day, dear, for, get, go, have, hear, he, if, it, in, me, much, not, on, of, one, say, she, so, that, the, they, those, this, though, time, to, we, will, with, write, you, your. Over here such a list would certainly include "gimme."

Plant Furnishes Water

in Payment for Food

A plant which saps its food from another plant grows 20 times as large as the host plant, yet does not in any way harm but rather benefits the host, grows in the desert of southeastern California.

Adding further to its peculiarities is the fact that it makes an excellent food for man, yet grows in an area where only 2 to 6 inches of rain fall annually.

The plant is the Ammorbroma, or sand root, and was first seen in 1928 by white men, so far as the record is concerned. It was found, however, that the Papago Indians were familiar with the plant, and for generations had been digging the roots, which extend 3 to 5 feet into the ground. In spite of the depth to which the roots extend, they are easily drawn up out of the soil.

It has little or nothing in the way of leaves, and the only flower is a sand-colored blossom, which lies close to the ground. The stalks of the plant are much like asparagus, and are both appetizing and nourishing.

Lacking green coloring matter, the plants are unable to manufacture their own food, and obtain it by attaching themselves to other plants. In return the root system of the Ammorbroma supplies the host plant with the vital, life-giving water.

Backgammon Played in Practically All Lands

Caesar's legions, sweeping Europe, carried backgammon to every country they touched—and left it there, after the barbarian hordes had swept Rome's empire into dust.

Down through the centuries it came, essentially a game of the aristocrats—it's known that Madame de Maintenon, just before the French revolution, entertained at backgammon, practically as wealthy Detroiters, New Yorkers, Bostonians are entertaining today.

"Aristos," waiting debonairly for the "honor roll" that carted them to the guillotine from the prisons of France, played backgammon.

It has a different name in nearly every country. France, for example, calls it Tric Trac.

The origin of the English name is in doubt. Some say it came from the Welsh words, "bach" meaning "little," and "cammam," meaning "battle." Others assert it came from the Saxon, "baec," meaning "back," and "gamen," meaning "game"—or a game in which the men were set back.—Detroit News.

History of the Carpet

Perhaps the oldest pieces of carpet are certain fragments excavated by Sir Aurel Stein in Turkestan. These are attributed to about the beginning of the Christian era, but their exact date and significance are not established. A western wall hanging, resembling a carpet, made at Quedlinburg about the end of the Twelfth century, suggests strongly that oriental carpets were not unknown in Europe at that date, and that the technique of one had been copied by the Quedlinburg weavers. It is not quite out of the question that the art may have been independently invented, especially as a modified form of the oriental technique is adopted. Three carpets in the mosque of Alaed-Din, at Konla, are attributed with some certainty to the early Thirteenth century.

Island in Dispute

The Isle of Trinidad, off the coast of Brazil was first discovered by the Portuguese, but never claimed or made use of until 1700 when the English astronomer Halley, in the course of a scientific cruise, raised the British flag there. In 1805 Great Britain annexed the island for a cable station. This, however, was opposed by Brazil, and by mutual consent the dispute was submitted to the King of Portugal, who decided in favor of Brazil. The island is 680 miles east of the coast of Espirito Santo, Brazil. It is four miles long and two miles wide.

Blossoms Three Feet Across

Blossoms of a plant found in the interior of Sumatra grow to enormous size, often reaching a diameter of three feet and more, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The buds are only as large as walnuts and give no indication of their future proportions. Just before opening, they closely resemble a cabbage and the matured blossom is somewhat like the forget-me-not bloom. It has an unpleasant odor, and, oddly enough, is usually found only along wild elephant trails.

Father to the Man

A good story is told about the early John D. A reporter had come across an old lady who knew Rockefeller as a boy. "I wonder if you remember anything particular about Rockefeller when he was a boy?" asked the reporter. "Was there anything in particular to suggest his career?" "Let me see," mused the old lady. "Well, he had very taking ways." And he certainly did take quite a few millions for himself.—Kansas City Star.

Real Judgment on Life

Time is a man-made division of days and months and years that means little or nothing in life. Deeds, and not years, is the measure of a man's accomplishments. The world judges us not by how long, but by how well we live.—Grit.

IRRIGON NEWS

Those going from here to Pendleton to the show Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Brace, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Houghten, Lawrence Markham, Robert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dawald, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wier and Mr. and Mrs. Don Brooks.

The dance Saturday night given by the school was enjoyed by a small crowd.

Word was received here Wednesday that Mrs. Don Rutledge, who is in a Portland hospital, is not so well this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brace and daughter Florence visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Isom Sunday evening.

Fred Markham and Jess Oliver returned from Echo Wednesday and came to the W. C. Isom place where they sheared sheep for Isom, V. Jones and Bate Rand.

Mrs. F. Markham spent the day with Mrs. Vern Jones Wednesday.

The H. E. ladies are very proud of the new cabinet of silverware and dishes they have purchased recently with the money they have made the past months, in various ways.

THEATRE NOTES

With the completion of her role in "Her Wedding Night," her latest starring picture, which opens a two day run at the Oasis theatre Friday next, Clara Bow had played her way through the complete histrionic alphabet, for in "Her Wedding Night," she makes her debut in farce comedy.

Clara Bow's latest role should establish her as one of the most versatile actresses in the history of the theatre, says Frank Tuttle, director of "Her Wedding Night," who also piloted the red-haired "It" girl through "True to the Navy" and

at the Rivoli theatre.

Clara Bow has now played drama, melodrama, tragedy, light comedy, smart comedy, musical comedy.

Winnie Lightner in "Gold Diggers of Broadway," in "She Couldn't Say No" and in "Hold Everything" set the country in an uproar. Mention of her name became and continues to be a surefire signal for merriment. Why?

You will say "Individuality, Personality, Pep, Punch, Her blues, Her fancy falls. Who can woo like Winnie. Or wink. Or wallop. Who can roughhouse a startled suitor with such haughty, headlong, slap-em-down-and-leave-em-lay technique as Winnie?"

You are quite right, but there is another reason for Winnie Lightner's overwhelming popularity. Back of her tomfoolery is an honest liking for people that suffices all she does with a winsomeness that is altogether irresistible. When Winnie-the-Wink woos 'em they stay wooed—when she swoos 'em they stay wooed.

She is coming to the Oasis theatre Sunday and Monday next, in her funniest, "The Life of the Party" latest Warner Bros. and Vitaphone production.

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WITH FARMERS AROUND THE STATE KLAMAH FALLS — Klamath county now ships mor potatoes than the entire state of Oregon shipped in 1922, reports County Agent C. A. Henderson. DALLAS — Arrangements have been completed for a continuation of the moisture conservation trials being conducted on the Charles McCarty orchard at Zenith by County Agent J. R. Beck. An effort is being made to determine the merits of early versus late cultivation in orchards. CORVALLIS—A strawberry plant improvement project which calls for rigid application of principles of selection of proven strawberry stock is to be launched in several Oregon counties this year by Dr. G. M. Darrow of the U. S. department of agriculture, in cooperation with county agents. The Oregon or Marshall variety of berry will be used in this project, which is expected to lead to the certification of nursery stock. Counties to be included in the work are Lane, Denton, Yamhill, Washington, Clackamas, Multnomah, and possibly Josephine and Columbia. Some work may also be done in Marion and Linn counties.

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