

An ounce of honesty is worth a pound of cleverness that is tainted with dishonesty. If one is really clever, he will be truly honest.

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## COMMERCIAL CLUB ATTENDANCE HEAR INTERESTING SPEAKER

### EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION FOR COOPERATION GIVEN.

Schofield, Jardine, and Lewis to Assist Harold Dean in Forming Plans Experiment Station.

Three men of state and national agricultural recognition were speakers at the Commercial club meeting Tuesday, who will assist Harold Dean, superintendent of the Umatilla Experiment Station, Hermiston branch, in laying plans for construction of the new experiment station which is to be located north of town. The \$35,000 appropriation money will be available until June 30, 1932, and after that maintenance funds will come from another source.

J. W. Warner, local attorney, introduced C. S. Schofield of the United States Department of Agriculture, in charge of field stations on reclamation projects, who expressed his appreciation for the cooperation and support given by local people in assisting in obtaining the appropriation for the new experiment station. Mr. Schofield brought out that the new station would increase facilities for experiments and enable farmers to get the best out of the sandy soil. He also expressed his appreciation to the Hermiston Irrigation District officials for obtaining such reasonable water rates.

Dr. J. T. Jardine, director of the Oregon Experiment stations, was next introduced by Mr. Warner. Mr. Jardine backed up statements made by Mr. Schofield and said that he was willing to do everything he possibly could to assist in the planning of the new experiment station.

The last speaker to be introduced by Mr. Warner was M. R. Lewis, irrigation engineer with the United States department of agriculture, who stated that he was glad for the opportunity of assisting wherever possible.

## FIRST LOCAL STRAWBERRIES OF SEASON RECEIVED SATURDAY

The first local grown strawberries were put on the local market Saturday at the MacMarr store. They were grown by Jean Dexter of Umatilla who brought others to town Monday and sold them to Joe Norton. The berries are of fine grade and are now ripening fast with eight boxes picked Saturday and twelve Monday.

### "Fool's Paradise to be Presented"

The Ladies Aid of Stanfield will present the play, "Fool's Paradise," a three-act comedy in the high school auditorium in Stanfield Saturday night, May 16, at 8:00 o'clock. There will be dancing and singing numbers between acts. Patrons who attend will have a chance to attend the grand dance after the performance, which will be given in their hall.

### New County Nurse Visits.

Miss Honegardner, Umatilla county nurse, who is taking the place of Miss Sampson, called in Hermiston Thursday. Mrs. Twist from the state nursing bureau, accompanied her.

## REGULAR I.O.O.F. NEWS NOTES

Grand Lodge will be held in Corvallis this year and opens Tuesday, May 19, continuing for three days. Delegates from the local lodge are: Oddfellows, Gwyn Hughes and Chiles Barham; Rebekahs, Mrs. Cecil Warner and Mrs. Geo. Harkenrider. They plan to leave Sunday.

Uria Lenhart returned from Portland Monday after spending two weeks receiving treatment from a bone specialist there. His arm seems to be some improved.

Initiation will be held next Monday night when Gerald White will be ushered into the mysteries of the order.

Nominations were read for the coming election as follows: Walter Meade, vice grand, Virgil Smith, noble grand. Nominations for these offices remain open for two more meetings with election date set for April 1st.

## OLD OREGON TRAIL PAGEANT PRESENTED AT COLUMBIA

A novelty in the way of school entertainment was the program of the Columbia school given in the park Friday afternoon. The day was ideal for the out-of-doors program and a large number of residents of the district and Hermiston were present.

A luncheon was served at noon and following this came the program. Episodes of the early history and settlement of the Oregon country were given by the pupils in costume. Indian life in the Oregon country and the spring dance of the Indians were first given and was followed by tableaux depicting Capt. Gray's entry in the Columbia river, the purchase of the Oregon country, Lewis and Clark's expedition, the Whitman massacre and immigration to Oregon. Pupils of the first and second grades gave a floral drill which was well done. Intermediate girls wound the May pole. A parade of all participants brought the grand finale.

An exhibit of the work of the pupils for the past year had been arranged in the school house by the teachers Mrs. Laura Morris, Miss Fannie Todd and Miss Glea Sias.

## DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNED FOR HERMISTON

Representatives of the three churches of Hermiston met in the south room of the Methodist church Tuesday evening. It was decided to conduct a Vacation Bible school in Hermiston, beginning Monday, May 25th.

Only morning sessions will be held from 9:00 o'clock to 12:00 o'clock each day except Saturday. Every child in Hermiston of ages from 4 to 6 years, will be eligible for enrollment, regardless of color or creed.

The Baptist and Methodist church buildings will be used to accommodate classes. Some of the things to be taught are Bible, supervised play, sewing, basketry and craft work.

## COLUMBIA NEWS NOTES

Mrs. J. Jendrejewski was a school visitor Monday. She says she has orders in for eight or nine hundred day old turkeys besides those being hatched under hens setting on the home place.

The Belscamper's has made some substantial improvements in the way of a new roof and an attractive latticed porch on the home place.

Mrs. D. L. Davidson has a healthy poultry flock. Nine little China Pheasants hatched out recently and took no exception to the modern incubator method but turned out 90 per cent strong.

W. H. Tuttle assisted in making the pageant realistic by contributing a covered wagon and span of mules. Both are natives of Oregon.

Clement Stockard was a school visitor Tuesday afternoon.

Bill Reynolds and Walter Norquist of Wallula spent the week end in Columbia.

Art Edwards of La Grande, a relative of W. Edwards, visited at the Edwards home Sunday. The two men had not met for years.

Floyd Lynch of Portland, son of C. A. Lynch, is visiting at the home place a few days. He leaves soon for Cold Springs where he will be engaged in the warehouse work. He is driving a new Chevrolet roadster.

Reverend Savage of Berkeley, who has been a guest in the Madden self a good pmusethe home for several days was a guest at the Columbia school picnic dinner Friday. He enjoyed the exhibit very much and complimented the teachers on the up-to-date school.

Miss Glea Sias was an over night guest at the Madden home Monday.

Miss Erma Patton, who has been living with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Edwards, will go to Phillipsburg, Montana, at the close of school to spend the summer with her mother.

Miss Glea Sias is leaving Saturday for Athena where she will spend the summer with her parents.

Miss Fannie Todd is planning to remain at her home in Hermiston this summer.

Mrs. Laura Morris has not made definite plans for her summer vacation.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR SUBSCRIPTION SPECIAL!

## ROHRMAN MOTOR COMPANY WILL PRESENT AUTO SHOW

### ATTRACTIVE SHOWING LATEST FORD BODY TYPES.

Sound Motion Picture Feature of Exhibit Arranged by Local Dealer; Display Room Attractive.

A sound motion picture graphically portraying the story of the Ford Motor company and its widespread activities will be exhibited free of charge in a special Ford exhibit to be held at Rohrman Motor company garage, Tuesday, May 19. The show will be open to the public from 2:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.

The picture, entitled "A Tour Through the Ford Factory" will show the gathering of raw materials, their arrival at the Rouge Plant in Dearborn, Mich., and the numerous interesting stages through which they pass in the process of making Ford cars and trucks. It is, in short, an education in the extent and meaning of modern volume production.

While an unseen voice explains each scene, the audience is taken on a tour of the plant, through the great blast furnace building where ore is converted into iron; into the open hearth building where the iron becomes steel and is poured, a white hot liquid, into moulds; into the blooming mill where the steel ingots are made into bars; and into the rolling mill in which the long bars to white hot steel are reduced to definite sizes. Forty kinds of steel, each of a composition to serve a definite purpose, are used in the Ford car and truck.

Throughout the picture one sees literally miles and miles of conveyors which take much of the manual labor off the backs of men. There are conveyors carrying newly arrived materials into the plant, others taking parts from one building to another, and, of course, the final assembly line, that famous conveyor on which the parts are put together to form the completed car.

In addition to the picture, there will be a representative line of Ford cars and trucks and display boards containing car and truck parts.

The cars alone are well worth a visit for they include body types to suit any taste and to meet any occasion. Particularly attractive are the de luxe cars in which upholstery appointments are of a kind and quality usually found only in more expensive automobiles.

## High School Students Exempt

Among high school students exempt from examinations were Mary Brownson, senior review; Edith Clarke, Latin I, Business arithmetic, English I, Junior Science; Robert Henderson, Chemistry, English II; Anna Ray Martin, Business arithmetic, English I, Latin I; Dick Martin, Biology; Fred Reeves, English I; Phyllis Winters, English II, Latin I; Eunice Woughter, Business arithmetic, Latin I; Helen Woughter, English II.

## Car Overturns in Drain Ditch

A Ford car driven by Mrs. A. R. Roberts overturned in the drain ditch on the diagonal road Saturday when Mrs. Roberts became confused and ran off of the drain ditch bridge. The car was badly damaged and Mrs. Roberts received several severe cuts and bruises but the two little boys riding in the back escaped without injury.

## THEATRE NOTES

Outlaws, cattle and a woman combine efforts to tame one man in "Fair Warning," Fox movie tone outdoor romance adapted from Max Brand's thrilling story, "The Untamed," coming Friday and Saturday to the Oasis theatre.

Next to religion, health is the most universal topic of conversation. It concerns both old and young, embraces the latest findings of science and the age old remedies of the race, and includes spiritual as well as physical and mental sickness.

Therein lies the wide appeal of "Doctors' Wives," Fox drama of misunderstood marriage in the medical profession which comes to the Oasis theatre Sunday and Monday with Warner Baxter and Joan Bennett co-featured.

## LOCAL TEACHERS TO LEAVE ON SUMMER VACATIONS

With the close of school this Friday the local teachers will leave Hermiston, some going to their homes, some traveling and others attending school. Cupid will deal in the destinies of two of the grade school teachers this summer when Miss Clara Gehmert will be married to Ernest Hauser of Klamath Falls and Miss Emma Thoeny will become the bride of Glenn Stages of Milton. Miss O'Keefe has not made definite plans for her summer vacation but may go to her home in Foley, Minnesota. Miss Wilken will leave for Los Gatos, Calif., where she will visit for a short while with her aunt Mrs. Gustaf Goehner, before going to her home in Brandon, Minn. Miss Werry will leave Sunday for her home in Boise, Idaho. Miss Petrie plans to spend her vacation at her home in Fulton, Minn. Miss McBain will go to her home in Vancouver, Wn., and later enroll for the University of Washington summer school.

Mr. Frank Shaw, superintendent of the Hermiston Union high school plans to attend summer school at Berkeley, Calif. Miss Daily will leave for her home in Palouse, Wn. Miss Elliott plans a trip to Springfield, Minnesota, where she will visit indefinitely with relatives. Miss Ethel Bougher and her sister Alice leave Saturday for their home at North Bend. Miss Brierey will remain in Hermiston with her mother. Miss Voyne will go from here to her home in Portland. Mr. Cochrane plans to spend most of his summer in Albany but his mother will go from here to Morrow. Mr. Harger plans to be at his home in Homedale, Idaho.

## PILOT ROCK AND LOCALS PLAY FRIDAY FOR COUNTY TITLE

### HERMISTON DRAWS ATHENA FOR CONTEST SATURDAY.

Stewart Strikes Out Four Players; Only Score Made in Second Inning; Only Two Errors Made.

In a tight contest of baseball played at Pilot Rock last Friday when Hermiston crossed bats with Pilot Rock, their opponents were held to a four hit game but the locals lost by the close margin of a 1-2 score.

This contest decided the west end of the county championship for Pilot Rock and entitles them to play Helix, winner of the eastern end of the county championship, at Pendleton on the Round-up grounds Friday afternoon. The Hermiston boys probably will draw Athena for a game at Pendleton the same day.

The first and only score made by Hermiston in the second inning was tied by Pilot Rock in the third. Cassidy struck a flunk home run in the fourth inning and brought in the winning run for Pilot Rock.

Klages made a two-base hit in the second inning.

Massey, for Pilot Rock, struck out ten players and walked one man during the play, and Stewart struck out four players and walked one man. Both pitchers held their opponent's batting squad to a close average.

The locals held to two errors while Pilot Rock players made three. DeMoss pinch-hit for Hunt in the last inning.

The lineup was as follows: Hermiston Pilot Rock Whitsett cf. Bracher Martin ss. Shophire Addleman 3rd. Boyer Klages 1st. Boyd Pierson lf. Cassidy Hunt 2nd. Smith Stewart p. Massey Cox c. French Michalis Matott umpired for Hermiston.

## Committees Plan Petitions.

Committees from the Farm Bureau Cooperative of Hermiston and the Stanfield Grange met at Stanfield Grange hall Tuesday night and made plans for preparing and circulating petitions whereby the west end of the county will be made a bovine abortion free area. Members of the Farm Bureau committee are Ed Benschel, chairman, John Lynch, and Clint Jackson; Stanfield Grange committee, Roy Attebury, chairman, A. N. Boggs, and S. R. Cooper.

## SUB-CONTRACT ON WALLULA CUT-OFF LET TO LOCAL MEN

### BIGGS-HALLYBURTON START IMMEDIATE CONSTRUCTION.

Contractors Employ All Local Labor as Far as Possible; Involves Expenditure of Over \$50,000.

Work started Saturday on the Wallula cut-off with approximately three miles of sage brush cleared from the right-of-way at the present time. Biggs-Hallyburton of Hermiston returned from Portland Saturday after they had secured the sub-contract for the construction on the east unit of the Umatilla Sand section of the highway from the Portland Sand & Gravel company. Preparations for building a construction camp were started immediately upon their return.

Eight inches of gravel will be put on the road with the completion of the grading. A new steam shovel arrived Wednesday along with trucks. The gravel loading and truck hauling will be done by Harry Kelley and C. D. Kelley. A compressor has been installed and the dynamiting ant rock work will be in charge of H. W. Kelley.

A cook house and camp have been erected on the site at Cold Springs and Mrs. Preston Hansen of Umatilla will do the cooking. Everything will soon be in readiness for the men and 70 head of horses needed on the job. All local labor will be employed as far as possible, and the contractors state that an attempt will be made to do all buying locally.

September 1st is the date set for completion of the work which will involve an expenditure of over \$50,000.

O. D. Wolf, veteran contractor of Washougal, Wn., has the construction of the west unit of the cut-off and Bill Kidd has a sub-contract for dirt work. They will have their headquarters on the Logan ranch at Umatilla.

## STUDENTS GIVEN AWARDS FOR YEAR'S WORK IN PENMANSHIP

Students receiving awards for their work in penmanship during the past school year are listed below under divisions and award given.

A—Silver Star Primary Button—First grade: Esther Conley, Lawell Winters, Louis Rood, Barbara Follett, Dorothy Hall, Bobby Miller, Georgia Ebert, Oscar Payne, Paddy Robinson, June Lenhart, Betty Rood, Wilford Shafer, Bobby Earnheart, Floyd Wilson, Geraldine Mead.

B—Gold Star Primary Button—Second grade: Jean McPherson, Mary Louise Harris, Earl Parson, Violet Mead, Lyle Garner, Gale Felthouse, John Allen, Gilbert Dyer, Helen Johnson, Marybelle Clarke, Virginia Smith, Dale Pierson, Tom Fraser, Dwight Ellenwood, Gertrude Kasinger, Bobby Smith, Irene Little, Ralph Jones, Jack Wilson, Mary Hemphill, John Ellenwood, Eugene Miller, David Hamm.

C—Palmer Method Button—Third grade: Glen Warner, Charles Knerr, Zella French, Bobby Little, Kenneth Benschel, Bettie Payne, Virginia Todd, Susanne Nye, Allen Clarke, Joyce McCulley, Roberta Winters, Marion Pierce, Claude Markham.

D—Progress Pin—Fifth grade: Robert Harris, Dan Biggs, Gerald Rood, Rebecca Pierson, Esther McMullen, Ruth Shaw, Viola Jones, Edith Montgomery, Florence Johnson, James Dallman, Nina Rae McCulley, Edward Peterson, Mary Skovbo, Helen Ralph, Ruth Pierson.

E—Improvement Certificate—Fifth grade: Ruth Pierson, Mary Skovbo.

F—Student's Certificate—Seventh and Eighth grades: Chester Dyer, Lois Barnard, Winston Roberts, Edna Little, Charlotte Ralph, Rosella Matott, Floy Attebury, Barbara Reid, Mary Burnham, John Biggs, June Richards, Zelma Garner, Edith Markham, Miriam Swarner, Edith Wilson, Edna Turablad.

M—Merit Button—Fourth grade: Ralph Marble, Albert Skovbo, Laura Gregory, Mary Jane Hammer, Virginia Dyer, Jesse Moore, Gladys Pierson, Geraldine Mullins, John Nye, Morris Huff, Darwin Shaw, Zelma Sale.

## STUDENTS RECEIVING AWARDS FOR READING CIRCLE WORK

Upon completion of outside reading circle work the grade school students are entitled to awards. They appear below in the order of grades. Second grade, Mary Petrie, teacher—Ethel Paul, Gale Felthouse, Tom Fraser, Robert Christian, Dole Pierson, Dwight Ellenwood, Virginia Smith, David Hamm, Mary Hemphill, Helen Johnson, Gilbert Dyer, Irene Little, Maxine Mead, Bobby Smith.

Grade three, Catherine McBain—Charles Pearson, Donald Pankow, Virgil Farmer, Allen Clarke, Fay Roberts, Frankie McKenzie, Marion Pierce, Claude Markham, David Davis, Jimmy Mead, Virginia Todd, Billie Nation, Zella French, Robert Pierson, Wayne Sage, Kenneth Benschel, Suzanne Nye, Joyce McCulley, Betty Payne, Glenn Warner, Roberta Winters.

Fourth grade, Emma Thoeny—John Nye, Naomi Nunn, Albert Skovbo, Darwin Shaw, Laura Gregory, Frank Thorne, Darwin Shaw, Robert Conley, Laura Gregory, Ray Montgomery, Albert Skovbo, Naomi Nunn, John Dunning, Virginia Dyer, Mary Jane Hammer, Morris Huff, Ralph Marble, Jesse Moore, Geraldine Mullins, Gladys Pierson, Zelma Sale.

Fifth grade, Ann V. Werry—Helen Ralph, Ruth Shaw, Florence Johnson, Bobby Follett, Martha Shaw, Kenneth Christianson, Bobby Prime, Gerald Rood, Esther McMullen, Viola Jones, Edward Hall, Billy Hamm, James Dallman, Dan Biggs, Robert Harris, Alan McNaught, Ruth Pierson, Rebecca Pierson, Harley Michaelis, Frank Davis, Nina Rae McCulley, Mary Skovbo.

Sixth grade, Della Wilken—Irene Kennings, La Velle Stephenson, Verda Conley, Roberta Mullins, Hugo Pankow, Helen Dunning, Wesley Knauf, Frank Furrer, Bonnie Jean Follett, Rosemary Serrell, Thelma Swarner, Eugene Winters Vivian Dyer.

Seventh grade, Florence O'Keefe—Beverly Allen, John Biggs, Mary Burnham, Richard Cox, Hugo Driscoll, Zelma Garner, Lois Hutchison, Paul Marble, Maxine Paul, Arlene Nunn, Charlotte Ralph, June Rich.

## PINE CITY NEWS

Mrs. Reid Buisick and daughters, Barbara and Donna, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenberger, returned to their home in John Day. Alma Nell accompanied them.

Elsie Strain left for her home in Idaho Saturday. She has been staying with her sister, Mrs. E. B. Wattenberger while attending high school.

Mrs. Bert Young came up from The Dalles for graduation and a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McCarty. Her sister, Wilma, returned to The Dalles with her.

C. H. Bartholomew and John Brosmann left Friday morning on a business trip to Montana.

Genevieve Bowman, who has been in the Pendleton hospital, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson and daughter Freida Mae, of Portland, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Carlson.

Lydia Carlson and Naomi Moore spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swagart. In the evening they, attended by Merle Swagart, Raymond Clark, and Juanita Leathers motored to Heppner for the baccalaureate sermon. Raymond is one of the graduates there.

Bert Michel, Willard Hawley, Gunner Linde, and John Moore have been making trips to the mountains for wood and lumber.

Ralph Jones and John McCarty returned Monday evening from the Deschutes river where they had been on a fishing trip.

## VICE PRESIDENT OF HERMISTON BANK IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

R. Alexander, vice president of the First National Bank of Hermiston, was honored on his 81st birthday by the Pendleton Kiwanis club Monday. The big feature was the cutting of a mammoth cake in honor of the pioneer.

Mr. Alexander has been living in Walla Walla for the past 11 months but according to the East Oregonian will return to Pendleton to live.

## NEW COUNTY FAIR BOARD APPOINTS DEPARTMENT HEADS

### JOHN JENDREJEWSKI ELECED PRESIDENT OF BOARD.

Date of Fair Set for October 2-3; Plans Made for Raising Fair Buildings Soon.

Members of the new Umatilla County Fair board met Monday night in the office of Assistant County Agent Best and elected John Jendrejewski president, Curtis Dyer, vice president, and Harry Kelley, secretary. The date for this year's fair was set for Friday and Saturday, October 2nd and 3rd.

The heads of the other departments were appointed as follows: Charles Lynch, dairy; Lyle Tilden, poultry; Ed Jackson, club work; boys; Mrs. Hinelme (tentative) girls; Baxter Hutchison, farm products; Albert Kennings, sheep and swine; O. W. Payne, rabbits; Mrs. Hinelme, women's department; Logan Todd and Harry Kelley, sports and merriement of the grounds.

Curtis Dyer and Harry Kelley were appointed to arrange for the band and football games.

President Jendrejewski was authorized to arrange for the reconstruction of the hog and dairy barns that were blown down during the recent wind storm. All labor will be donated and districts will be formed so that men will have work lined out for them when they are able to be on the job. One man will be paid to make plans for raising the building but there will be no other money expended, with the exception of material costs. Local business houses and organizations are cooperating, by donating labor and funds.

### Rev. O. W. Payne to Remain.

Rev. O. W. Payne, pastor of the Methodist church will remain in Hermiston for another year, it was decided at the district conference conducted by Dr. T. D. Yarnes, district superintendent for the Cascade district, Tuesday night. Rev. Payne also covers the Echo district.

## Afternoon Bridge Party.

The home of Mrs. Enos Martin was the charming scene of an afternoon bridge party last Thursday when Mrs. W. L. Morgan and Mrs. Martin acted as joint hostesses. The color scheme of pink and green was carried out with green holders supporting tall green tapered tides with rose pink tulle. A mixed bouquet of pink and green flowers centered each table.

While refreshments were being served Mrs. O. A. Hills and Betty Ralph favored with piano solos, and Mrs. J. S. Burnham sang a song in keeping with Mother's Day.

Mrs. B. Haneline won high score, Mrs. F. B. Swayze second, Mrs. Thomas Campbell low score and Miss Mary Petrie received the draw prize. Prizes were in keeping with the color scheme.

## All Items Appearing in this Column are Contributed by the Hermiston W. C. T. U.

The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Thursday, May 21, at 2:00 p. m. in the south room of the Methodist church. All ladies are welcome to attend any of meetings.

## Not Repeat.

Repeat echoes from lip to lip from one end of America to the other—repeat prohibition—it has failed! This cry, started by some thoughtless fanatic, has been picked up by person after person and repeated without their having stopped to weigh the case.

Something has failed, though; no one will deny that. Liquor is leaking through the country like water through a dry barrel.

It is, instead, the integrity of the American officer. We are in an age when money speaks, and it buys officers as well as commodities. We must admit that we, the strongest, the wealthiest, and the best nation in the world have failed in character—a shameful admission. Our officers can not be trusted to enforce the laws.

Is it repeal, then, that we want? No, it is a set of new, square-jawed, fearless men at the wheels of enforcement.