

Check up on your rusty memory as primary election dates draws near: "Have you registered?"

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We can cram into the experience of one week all that we used to get in a whole year.—Sir Hugh Allen.

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LOCAL MAN SEEKS COMMISSIONER'S PLACE IN PRIMARY

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT AT COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING.

C. S. Cheshire of Milton, Candidate for County Judge Speaks to Club Members.

R. C. Todd officially announced his candidacy for the nomination of county commissioner Tuesday night at the regular monthly night meeting of the Hermiston Commercial Club.

Mr. Todd has long been a resident of Hermiston, always prominent in civic and business life of the city, and the west end of Umatilla county.

O. O. Felthouse, president of the club, next introduced S. D. Peterson of Milton who was a guest of the club, and who in turn introduced C. S. Cheshire, also of Milton.

Following the talk by Mr. Cheshire, two other prominent citizens from Milton spoke, William Steen, and H. S. Mansfield.

Mr. Felthouse closed the meeting by expressing the pleasure of the club at the filing of Mr. Todd to run for county commissioner, and stated that the club joined with other local organizations in backing the candidate from the west end of the county.

HERMISTON MAN FILED AS CONVENTION DELEGATE.

H. J. Stillings, for 21 years a resident of the Hermiston project, filed with the Secretary of State Wednesday, February 17, his intentions to run as a candidate in the May primary election, for delegate to the Democratic National convention to be held in Chicago in June.

Mr. Stillings is a member of the Grange and Farm Bureau and announces that he favors Franklin D. Roosevelt for president but will support Oregon's choice. Two candidates are chosen from the second congressional district.

MOVE WALLOWA ELK TO MOUNTAINS NEAR BEND.

A contract for catching seven head of young elk at the upper end of Wallowa lake and moving them to the Bend district has been awarded by the state game department.

It is the belief of those engaged in the work that there will be little difficulty in trapping the elk and getting them loaded on a truck. The animals of this herd are very tame.

Masquerade Ball Success.

The masquerade ball sponsored by the Stanfield Grange last Friday night was a decided success with approximately 150 couples in costume.

CANDIDATES FILE INTENTION TO RUN RACE IN PRIMARY

C. C. Proebstel, district attorney, and Judge Sweek, have filed with the county clerk their intentions of seeking the nomination for reelection in the primary.

Mr. Proebstel is a native of Umatilla county and was educated in the grade and high schools in this county. He studied law four years under Circuit Judge Phelps, and was admitted to the practice of law in 1932.

Judge Sweek has been a resident of Pendleton since his appointment to the office of Circuit Judge for the sixth Judicial District of Oregon by Governor Meier, in April, 1931.

Mr. Steel has been a resident of Umatilla county for many years and besides ranching he has been associated with the assessor's office as an office and field deputy assessor for 21 years.

PENDLETON TEAM PROVES TOO MUCH FOR BULLDOGS.

Believe it or not, the fierce Bulldogs showed signs of being scared when they met the strong Pendleton aggregation Friday night on the Pendleton floor.

Galloway, who marked up 12 points for his team during the evening, started the scoring by a shot from under the basket, followed immediately by goals from Spafford and McCormac in rapid succession.

In the first quarter with the Bulldogs unable to sink a single basket, Bowman managed to get a foul and a field goal for a total of three points for the Bulldogs in the first half, but with Pendleton still leading by 20 points.

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Lineups for Friday's game were: Hermiston Klages, Martin, Bowman, Cox, Hammon; Pendleton Galloway, McCormac, Spafford, Lybecker, Bauer.

Substitutions: Hermiston—Neary and Reeves; Pendleton—Boyle, Epperson, Rees, Scriviner and Hobby.

Weather Report.

Table with columns: Date, Max., Min. February 18: 38, 18; February 19: 50, 25; February 20: 56, 30; February 21: 54, 39; February 22: 60, 25; February 23: 61, 28; February 24: 66, 40.

From Columbia News.

A surprise party was given for Charles Wells Thursday evening, the occasion being his birthday. A number of young folks were present and the evening spent playing games.

FINAL TURKEY SHIPMENT BRINGS CAR TOTAL NINE

ASSOCIATION MAKES LAST POOL FOR MARKETING SEASON.

Prime Grade Birds Top List in Each Shipment; One Individual Shipment Made.

A car load of turkeys shipped from here Friday by the Eastern Oregon Turkey Growers' association brought the total cars going to markets from Hermiston up to nine.

Thursday's pool was the last one for this season and cleaned up the stray birds over the project, leaving only breeding stock for the coming season.

The first car shipment of 1368 birds was made November 14, averaging 20,532 pounds. The second shipment of three cars, December 4-5, the largest one made through the association last year, contained 4104 birds averaging 62,330 pounds.

Out of the third shipment made December 14th, 30 birds were selected and were taken to Oakland, Oregon, where they were displayed at the world's greatest turkey show, December 17th to 19th.

On January 22nd, birds received through the pool occupied two cars; 4196 birds weighing 58,505 pounds. These two cars were crowded as more birds came through the pool than were signed up at the association's headquarters.

An individual shipment of 164 birds was made by Logan Todd shortly after January 22nd. These birds weighed 2758 pounds.

The final pool for the association this season was held Thursday, February 18, when 631 birds were shipped averaging 8977 pounds. Birds were graded as listed below:

U. S. Prime Young Toms .. 249 4532 U. S. Prime Young Hens .. 172 1735 Choice Young Toms .. 86 1300 Choice Young Hens .. 43 365 Choice Old Hens .. 1 13 Common Young Toms .. 73 977 Common Young Hens .. 7 55

Mr. W. W. Felthouse returned Saturday night from Portland where she spent the week visiting friends.

RACE FOR CARNIVAL QUEEN WAXES HIGH

There'll be a hot time in the old town Friday night! This is what high school students are saying regarding their carnival to be given in the Auditorium when there will be confetti flying, balloons ascending, whistles shrieking, side shows running high, fortune telling, and all at depression prices.

At 2:00 o'clock today the votes for the Queen stood, Edith Clarke, 602; Alicia Oulette, 489; Betty Ralph, 449; Margaret Felthouse, 403; Anna Rae Martin, 391; Iris Shafer, 371; and Marjorie Shafer, 339.

The doors to the fun-house will open at 7:00 o'clock and at 8:00 o'clock a short program of songs, choruses, skits, and stunts has been arranged. Following this the floor will be thrown open to dancers.

TWENTY-NINE ON GRADE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL.

Twenty-nine pupils of the Hermiston grade school were on the honor roll for the third six weeks. They are as follows: First grade—Carl Longhorn, Elvin Loudermik, Gladys Perry and Rose Anna Wimer.

Second grade—Patsy Best, Barbara Follett, Leona Fuller, Betty Rood and Lowell Winters; Third grade—Harry Lewis, Tom Fraser and Bobby Smith; Fourth grade—Marion Pierce, Betty Payne and Allan Clarke; Fifth grade—Geraldine Mullins, Ralph Marble, Gladys Pierson and Jesse Moore; Sixth grade—Mary Skovbo, Esther McMullen, Nina Rae McCulley and Edward Hall; Seventh grade—Verda Conley, Helen Dunning and Irene Kennings; Eighth grade—Maxine Paul, Barbara Reid and Dora Richards.

Others Make Errors Too.

Newspapers needn't feel so bad about errors invited by their haste of going to press. Frequent and glaring are the mistakes made in official papers supposed to be painstakingly prepared by government officials with plenty of time to do it in.

ENTHUSIASTIC CROWD WITNESS COLLEGE TEAM IN ACTION

UNIVERSITY SQUAD TRIMS UP PER COLUMBIA TEAM.

Webfoot Team Enroute to Walla Walla Where They Will Engage in Two Contests.

One of the largest crowds seen at a basketball game in this end of the county for months, witnessed the contest between the Willamette University squad and the Columbia All star quintet at the auditorium in Umatilla Wednesday night.

The University squad was enroute to Walla Walla where it meets the Whitman college quintet in two games, one Thursday and one Friday night. The boys were in fine shape and outclassed the Upper Columbia All Star squad to the tune of 25-48.

Lack of teamwork was evident in the playing of the Upper Columbia All Stars who had not had the opportunity to work together in scrimmage before the contest. Players were drawn from Arlington, Boardman, Irrigon, Umatilla, and Hepburn.

Coach "Spec" Keen of the Willamette squad put in his second string men for the second half of the game and they held their opponents to nine baskets, while they chalked up fifteen.

The lineup follows: Upper Columbia Willamette Yager RF Benjamin Parrish LF Burdett Steelhammer C Kloostera Shivan RG Kasper Hostetler LG Allen

Attend District Conference.

A group of Hermiston Legionnaires and Auxiliary members attended the district conference of the American Legion post at Ione Saturday night, at which the American Legion Commander, Alex Berry, department of Oregon, and Mrs. Lado-cia Cobb, state Auxiliary president, were the main speakers.

COUNTY ASSESSOR HAWKS GIVES TAX INFORMATION.

The Herald is in receipt of a copy of the Umatilla county abstract of taxes payable in 1932 on the assessment rolls of 1931, issued by County Assessor R. O. Hawks.

The valuation of the county this year is given as \$52,162,588.28. On this valuation the levy for county and state taxes is 7 mills and will raise \$385,888.42.

Union high school district No. 9 has a valuation of \$2,439,726.19. The levy is 8.4 mills, to produce a revenue of \$20,493.70.

The total amount of taxes levied in the county for every purpose is \$1,062,355.94.

HELM'S MURDERERS GO TO STATE PENITENTIARY.

John Owen, 29, and Keith Crosswhite, 19, left La Grande this week for the state prison at Salem to which they have been sentenced for the rest of their lives.

The two Springfield, Mo., youths Helms, state policeman, were in the Helms, state policeman, were in the custody of Sheriff Jesse Breshears of Union county and Deputy Sheriff Hugo Klinghammer.

Owen was convicted of the murder and the jury recommended life imprisonment. Crosswhite then pleaded guilty to second degree murder. Last Saturday both were sentenced to imprisonment for life.

PENDLETON REBEKAHS VISIT LOCAL ORDER WEDNESDAY

Members of the Pendleton Rebekah lodge visited the local lodge Wednesday night and presented a short play as part of the evening's entertainment. Those in the playlet were Mrs. Ada Rhodes, Mrs. Bedow, Mrs. Bloom, Mrs. Bowman, Mrs. Whetstone, Mrs. Fred Sheer, Mrs. Julia Cook, and Mrs. Blanchet.

HERMISTON SCHOOLS OBSERVE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

A splendid patriotic program honoring the 200th anniversary of George Washington's birth was presented by the American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, and the high school Monday morning in the high school auditorium.

During the same hour the grade school pupils took part in the observance, each room having individual programs. The remainder of the day was a holiday for all school children.

E. B. Shafer Dies.

E. B. Shafer, father of Ralph Shafer of Hermiston, died at St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton Tuesday.

Mr. Shafer went to Pendleton 50 years ago. He is survived by his widow; the following children, Mrs. C. A. Mitchell and Mrs. H. M. Eoylen, Jr., of Pilot Rock; Ralph Shafer of Hermiston; Robert and Alex Shafer of Pendleton; a brother and two sisters in Washington.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 2:30 from the Methodist Episcopal church with G. L. Drill officiating. Burial was in Oney cemetery, with Bomboy's in charge.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind help and offerings during our late bereavement of our beloved daughter and sister.

Edwin Wilson and family.

CREATOR OF "CIMARRON" PUTS TALENT TO COLOR FILM

The men who supervised Radio Pictures' epochal "Cimarron," has again come through with an outstanding picture. But this time, instead of dealing with the mad frenzy of stamped humanity who made an Empire overnight, he had to do with a picture which has an English millionaire clubman in New York City who wanted to outwit a man-wise show-girl.

HIGHWAY GROUP ORDERS WALLULA ROAD INVESTIGATION

DELAYED ACTION SAID TO BE PART OF ECONOMY PROGRAM.

To Study Project in Connection With Umatilla Rapids Plans; Work Not to be Delayed.

SALEM, Feb. 23.—Holding the Wallula-Umatilla cut-off project in abeyance until further investigations are made will not delay the completion of the road, R. H. Baldock, assistant state engineer who will succeed Roy Klein as chief engineer next month, announced here today.

The new state highway commission ordered this project be held up for a time in order to investigate the elevation necessary if the Umatilla dam is constructed. Under the present survey, if the dam elevation would be 330 feet as proposed, about 70 per cent of the road would be 13 feet under water, Baldock said.

Baldock said under the original plan it was proposed to grade the road this summer and surface it next year. Following the investigations, he added, the road could still be graded this fall and the project completed on schedule.

The cut-off from Umatilla to Wallula on the Washington state line is 20 miles in length. Of this road 12 miles have been constructed, leaving a little more than 8 miles remaining. The highway on the Washington side is 335 feet elevation, while the 12 miles on the Oregon side was constructed at an elevation safe even if the dam is constructed.

Bee Men Make Cost Survey

A. S. Burrier from O. S. C., department of farm management, and F. E. Todd, department of entomology, from Davis, California, spent last week making a cost survey with bee men in and near the vicinity of Hermiston. They left the first of the week.

ALONG THE CONCRETE

Just what is meant by—"Well, good night, I hope you enjoy your week end?"

More presidents have been elected and more gold mined in Chas. G. Burke's store than anywhere in the United States. Burke said he swept up a pan full of gold dust one morning after prospect enthusiasts had held a heated discussion the night before.

Sam Nye believes that he should be able to take a holiday when the bank closes its doors, but there is no regulation for the telephone operator to plug the switch board on February 22nd, so Sam had to pull out and get into the old truck for a genuine day's work.

Wm. Shaar and Dr. Morgan believe that rumble seats are not necessary to the motoring public when robes can be piled in to make a soft, comfortable place to sit, without the other necessary attachments. Sunday the Shaar family and the Morgan family went motoring, riding in such a manner—and did we have fun? Just ask them.

We high school graduates of several years hence, are a little behind with our reading. The students of the present day read such literature of higher learning as "The Illustrated Love Magazine." The magazine found among the text books of one of the students in Hermiston Union high school is a little too advanced for some of us old "letterfogs," so is kept out of sight as much as possible.

The housewives of Hermiston evidently took a vacation from their usual wash day Monday, from the evidence of laundry displayed Tuesday morning. The consolidated truck line terminal block was especially represented.

Heads bobbed out of business houses Tuesday morning as shrieks of pain pierced the air. It was only a poor little homeless white dog, but for a short while it attracted much attention.

Advertisement for 'Lion or Lamb' featuring a cartoon character 'Weatherman' holding a weather vane, a rabbit, and a sign that says 'MARCH FIRST'.