

"Often times a little thing gives perfection, although perfection is not a little thing."

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The indispensable things for happiness are few and simple—food, shelter, health, love, work.—Stanley Baldwin.

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## COMMERCIAL CLUB SETS FINAL DATE FOR CLEAN-UP WEEK

### CAPTAINS APPOINTED FOR EACH CITY BLOCK.

Waste Material Will Be Hauled Away Free of Charge if Placed in Sacks.

Clean-up and paint-up week for Hermiston and surrounding communities begins the week of Monday, April 25th. The date was set by the Hermiston Commercial club at its last meeting Tuesday and committees have been appointed to captain every block in town to see that work is done and waste material cleared away.

Trucks will make the round of the town all day Wednesday and all day Thursday to pick up tin cans and rubbish that has been put in sacks and placed by the side of the road or in allies back or residences. This service is given free and will be a splendid opportunity for residents of Hermiston to clear away all old rubbish collected during the winter months.

Chairman appointed to captain blocks on the east side of town are listed as follows:

Otto Pierce, home block; Enos Martin, reclamation block; Elwood Bowen, home block; H. E. Hitt, business block; C. A. Paul, telephone block; Ralph Brownson, home block; Frank Pierson, home block; Ben Gerking, business block; Dr. V. V. Prime, home block; Boy S. Ooms, Mamma block; J. A. Clarke, home block; Jack Smith, home block; J. C. Conley, home block; Rev. E. J. Cain, Baptist Church block; Dr. A. W. Christopherson, home block; Anton Sonneson, home block; Floyd Knerr, home block; Hermiston High school, for school and ball park and dairy sheds.

Captains appointed for the west side are as follows:

O. A. Barlow, Co-op laundry block; Orin Hills, home block; Edmond Briggs, home block; James Todd, home block; B. E. Sykes, Co-op Creamery block; Frank Woughter, home block; Frank Bilderback, home block; W. W. Felthouse, home block; Tom Fraser, home block; M. E. Smith, home block; Rev. W. E. Jones, home block.

In order to make this clean-up campaign a success, it is requested that all residents that can make it possible co-operate with these captains appointed for each block.

## POLLS CLOSED FOR PRIMARIES WITH INCREASE IN VOTERS.

No further registration of voters will be taken until after the Primary election to be held May 20th. The following is a summary of the poll books turned in by Judge West for the Hermiston precincts, Numbers 32 and 33:

There were 114 new registrations in West Hermiston precinct, making a total of 273 active voters in No. 32, while precinct No. 33 furnished 147 new registrations, making a total of 442 qualified electors in East Hermiston. Each precinct is furnished a counting board to facilitate getting early returns.

Don't forget the primaries, May 20th, from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.

### Commencement Date Set.

The date for commencement exercises for the Hermiston Union high school has been set for Saturday, May 14, in the Methodist church with Dean Jewett delivering the address. Dean Jewett is dean of the school of vocational education at O. S. C. and was only available on this date. Baccalaureate service will be Sunday, May 8, in the Baptist church at 8:00 o'clock, with Rev. E. G. Wuest delivering the sermon.

### Weather Report.

Date	Max.	Min.
April 14	78	45
April 15	74	29
April 16	71	45
April 17	64	35
April 18	65	39
April 19	63	46
April 20	62	27

Days have been sunny and warm with temperature dropping at night and wind rising late in the day. A killing frost did some damage to gardens Tuesday night.

## BOARDMAN BOY INJURED WHEN HIT BY CAR SATURDAY

Norval Shannon, 16-year-old high school boy, received a broken leg last Saturday when he was hit by a Model T Ford sedan driven by P. Dyer from Mayville, Oregon. He was brought to the Hermiston hospital where the break was set and the bruises treated by Dr. A. W. Christopherson.

Shannon, in company with two other boys, was returning home after participating in a baseball game, walking along the highway, when the car struck him knocking him down and running over his body. Mr. Dyer did not realize that he had struck the boy and drove on to Hermiston where he was enroute to visit his sister-in-law, Mrs. Maud Dyer. Bert Nation, deputy sheriff stationed here, was summoned and met Mr. Dyer near Umatilla. When questioned he said he remembered seeing the three boys near Boardman but did not know that he had hit one of them.

The incident was cleared up when Mr. Dyer agreed to settle for part of the expense. Shannon remained in the hospital until Sunday morning.

## IRRIGON BAND WINS SECOND PLACE IN STATE CONTEST.

The Irrigon band under the direction of Merton Dawald, which won state championship last year, went to Corvallis last Friday, April 15, where it participated in the state band contest winning second place in class C. Members of the band were entertained at fraternity and sorority houses during their stay over Saturday.

Irrigon rated higher this year than any school band which won in last year's contest including Gresham, third in class B, and Albany, fourth in class A. The order of winning in the various classes follows: Class A—1st, Jefferson; (Portland); 2nd, LaGrande; 3rd, Corvallis; 4th, Albany; 5th, Klamath Falls.

Class B—1st, Silverton; 2nd, Oregon City; 3rd, Gresham; 4th, West Linn; 5th, Bend and Marshfield.

Class C—1st, Hill Military; 2nd, Irrigon; 3rd, Seaside; 4th, Beaver-ton; 5th, Hood River and Estacada.

The class C band was limited to 25 members only. A total of 700 bandmen participated in the contest. Acting as judges were: J. E. Rausch, Band Master, 148th Field Artillery Band, Tacoma, Wa.; Lynn E. Dieker, Band Master, 10th Field Artillery Band, St. Lewis, Mo.; and Emil Rodhora, 6th Engineer's Band, Ft. Lawton, Seattle, Wa.

LaGrande, the only other eastern Oregon band to be entered, lost only by a total of seven points to Jefferson high of Portland. The LaGrande band has what is probably the best band developed in eastern Oregon.

Irrigon band members participating in the contest are listed as follows: Cornet—Robert Dexter, Donald Isom, Nellie Leicht, Leva Rose, Laverne Lamoreaux, Trombone—Vallas Dexter, Baritone—Margaret Allen, Drums—Dave Rose, Vonna Jones, Alton—Ruth Leicht, Joyce Puckett, Ruth Markham, Rose Corey, Saxophones—Edward Houghten, Floyd Oliver, Clarinet—Wiley Benfield, Josephine Fredrickson, Flute—Belle Fredrickson, Bessie Wilson, Virginia Lamoreaux, Clarinet—Raymond Allen, Flute—Billie Markham, Bass—Arthur Collins, Wayne Caldwell.

## HERMISTON HIGH DEFEATS UMATILLA IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Hermiston High school scored a victory over Umatilla High last Wednesday afternoon when they defeated them in a tennis tournament held on the local courts. Ruth Davis, playing girls singles against Josephine Connell, won the match, 6-2, 6-1, while Ed Bensei defeated Cecil Tiptie in boys singles, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5. Girls doubles were played by Mignon Davis and Juanita Wells of Hermiston and Louise Byrnes and Mildred Conlon of Umatilla, with Hermiston winning the first set 6-3, and Umatilla winning the second set 6-4. Jim Neary and Mildred Phelps of Hermiston defeated Lyle Brown and Verna Byrnes of Umatilla in the mixed doubles with the score of 3-6, 6-1, 6-3.

The students are practicing every minute possible, under the direction of Miss Elliott, in the hopes of winning the county tennis tournament which is to be held the latter part of the month.

## LOCAL EXPERIMENT SHOWS GREEN FEED CUTS TURKEY EXPENSE

### H. K. DEAN REPORTS FROM UMATILLA EXPERIMENT STATION.

Fourth Saved in Production Cost by Providing Succulents; No Disease Prevention Needed.

Value of an abundance of green feed and high protein content in the ration of developing and fattening turkeys was clearly indicated this past season in the second year's experiments in raising turkeys under semi-confinement at the Umatilla experiment station at Hermiston, Oregon.

The detailed report of the experiments in turkey raising have just been reported on by H. K. Dean, superintendent, and H. E. Cosby, extension poultryman of O.S.C., in a new circular of information, No. 68, just issued by the experiment station. It may be had free from county agents or direct from Corvallis.

Two hundred and fifty day-old poulters were obtained for the experiment and divided into four pens, after the brooding period. From these 213 mature birds were sold, 205 of which, or 96.2 per cent, graded prime, seven graded choice and only one graded commercial.

It cost 27 per cent more to produce a pound of turkey in one lot than was given no green feed than in the lot where the birds were pastured on growing alfalfa and 18 per cent more were the ration included dried greens. Less difference was shown where chopped green feed was fed.

This year's feeding was based on a higher animal protein poult starting mash and higher protein developing mash than was used previously. The results obtained so far are very promising, says the report, though additional work will be carried on to determine the proper level. This year 200 pounds of fish meal, 200 pounds of meat scraps and 100 pounds powdered milk were included in a ton of dry mash. Complete formulas for the starting mash, developing mash and scratch feeds are given in the circular.

"There was no loss from or any indication of blackhead, intestinal worms nor parasites, and no money was expended for preventives, panaceas, tonics or medicinal treatments," says the report.

### Attend State C. E. Convention.

The annual state Christian Endeavor convention opened in Portland this afternoon and will continue through Sunday. Mrs. Levi Reeder, and daughter Elsie, and Miss Pauline Stoop left Wednesday night to be there for the opening session Thursday. Miss Ruth Bensei will assist in the Herald office during Miss Stoop's absence.

## DISTRICT LEGION COMMANDER SPTAKS BEFORE JOINT MEETING

Jack Barron of Pendleton, district commander of the American Legion, spoke before a joint meeting of the local American Legion Post and Auxiliary Unit last Thursday night in the I.O.O.F. hall. His theme was "Membership", with each post in the state over the top before the national convention to be held in Portland September 12 to 15.

The meeting was presided over by Commander McCulley and Mrs. Lyle Tilden, Auxiliary president. Following the main address of the evening the meeting was turned over to the music committee headed by Mrs. W. L. Hamm who introduced Mrs. W. P. Griswold of Pendleton, talented accordion player. Mrs. Griswold played several numbers during the evening. The Girl Scouts under the leadership of Miss Ingrid Boling, sang several songs portraying their work, which was greatly appreciated by those present. Miss Myrtle Clayton, talented pianist, entertained with a piano solo, and was anchored enthusiastically. Mrs. A. W. Christopherson explained the standards of the American Legion flag, including how it should be hung on different occasions.

Auxiliary members, singing in unison, presented the Oregon Legion welcome song which they had written at the request of the state reception committee for the National convention.

Following the musical program the entertainment committee furnished games for the amusement of the guests. Among other out-of-town guests were Mrs. Jack Barron, Mr. W. P. Griswold, "Buck" Leuel-len, all of Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hawkins of Adams; Mrs. Chas. Smith and daughter Helen, of Oawego, Oregon, and Mr. and Mrs. Petri of Umatilla.

## HERMISTON BOYS RECEIVE HIGH RECOGNITION AT O.S.C.

Oregon State College, Corvallis, April 20.—Walter Ott, junior in agriculture, and Oscar Mikesell, sophomore in agriculture at Oregon State college, both of Hermiston, have recently been elected president and secretary, respectively, of the Campus 4-H club. Both men have also been pledged to Mu Beta Beta national honorary fraternity in 4-H club work.

The Campus 4-H club is composed of students who have had 4-H club experience previous to enrolling in college, and have continued to display an interest in the work. Mu Beta Beta was first organized on the Oregon State campus, but is now a national organization with several active chapters in the northwest. Pledging is restricted to sophomores and upper-classmen who have not only maintained a high scholastic average while in college, but have also been active in the campus 4-H club.

## GAME COMMISSION RULES OUT PRIVATE PLANTING FISH, BIRDS

### HERMISTON ROD & GUN CLUB FORMED AS RESULT.

Over 300 Hunting and Fishing Licenses Issued Here Last Season to Local Sportsmen.

Sportsmen organized the Hermiston Rod & Gun Club last Friday night electing H. E. Hitt president, and A. H. Norton secretary-treasurer.

The organization of the club this year grew out of a ruling made by the state game commission that no China Pheasant chicks or fish would be sent to individuals as previously, but only to communities where game organizations existed in active force. The commission made this ruling following reports that individuals were planting fish and birds on private lands and reserves where hunting and fishing was not open to the public.

Last year 600 day-old chicks were planted on the J. H. Lewis place on the Meadows where they were taken care of by Mr. Lewis for six weeks before they were scattered over the project. Fish were also planted in the different streams and ponds in this community by individuals last year.

It is the belief that this community should have a strong and permanent organization since approximately 300 sportsmen buy hunting and fishing licenses here every year. H. E. Hitt says that about \$1000 in license fees are bought through his station.

It is expected that at least 100 persons will join the organization now formed. The fee is only fifty cents and the following have already joined: V. C. Smith, M. T. Mott, M. Longhorn, H. E. Hitt, Geo. Wagner, Bert Little, Alfred Quiring, B. S. Kingsley, Bert Nation, Julius Gimble, and Logan Todd.

## LOCAL ATHLETES WILL PARTICIPATE IN TRACK MEET.

Sixteen boys and sixteen girls from the grade school are eligible to attend the sectional track meet in Pendleton Saturday from Echo, Stanfield, Umatilla, Hermiston, and all out-lying district schools. Four will go from Hermiston in the persons of Thelma Swanner, Floreace Johnson, Marvin Rankin, and Jack Reeves. Fourteen representatives from the same schools taken from eligibles in high schools may attend the track meet also. Those representing Hermiston high school are Allen Bowman, Fred Reeves, and Rob Cox. R. H. McAtee, superintendent, will take the grade school group to Pendleton in his car.

## OFFICERS ELECTED AT FINAL P.T.A. MEETING WEDNESDAY.

The final meeting of the P. T. A. for this year was held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at which the following program was given:

Two Instrumental numbers, High School Orchestra; Vocal Number, High School Quartet; Piano Solo, Anna Ray Martin; Vocal Solo, Dick Hitt; Violin Solo, Harley Michaelis; Vocal Number, High School Quartet.

Miss Eleanor Dally, teacher of music in the local school gave an interesting talk on music in the schools and Miss Myrtle Clayton, also spoke on certain phases of music, which proved very interesting to those attending.

Officers were elected to serve during the year 1932-1933, and are as follows: Mrs. B. J. Nation was re-elected President; Mrs. J. S. Burnham, Vice President; Mr. Henry Harger, Secretary; and Miss Buck will succeed Miss Petri in the office of Treasurer.

Following the meeting, a social hour was held with Mrs. Pankow, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Collins, Miss Sommers, Miss Lang and Miss Elliott in charge.

## TIMELY THEME USED AS BASIS OF NEW MOVIE.

"Shanghai Express," claimed to be one of the most outstanding pictures of the year, comes to the Oasis theatre for three days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The Oregonian says: "What it takes to make a first-class motion picture, 'Shanghai Express,' has—and what it takes to make a great screen actress is Marlene Dietrich's. She has the most important role in the picture, that of 'Shanghai Lily,' a notorious white woman of the China coast.

To Clive Brook goes the distinction of being the first man in films who has succeeded in winning and holding the exotic Marlene. The picture has a happy ending for the star for the first time since she appeared in American films.

The story strikes a keynote of unusual interest, for it depicts war-torn China with its teeming masses and discord. The crack Shanghai Express is seen winding its way through the countryside with the famous and notorious Shanghai Lily as one passenger and Captain Harvey of the British medical corps as another. The train is held up by bandits under the leadership of Chang, a sinister oriental who has taken passage on the express. Harvey insists the Chinese bandit, who in return is prepared to blind the English captain until the Shanghai Lily offers herself as payment of the debt. The eventual situations which solve the problem and reunite the lovers are said to be tense with suspense and drama.

Anna May Wong and Eugene Fallette have prominent parts in the supporting cast.

## SEEKS NOMINATION FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE.

Dr. James A. Best of Pendleton is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of state representative from Umatilla County at the primaries May 20th. Dr. Best declares himself to be in favor of the following propositions:

Old age pensions. He believes the old folks should be kept at home instead of being sent to poor farms or county hospitals.

Freight trains of not more than 75 cars instead of the trains containing 135 to 150 cars as presently run over the railroad systems of the state.

Re-adjustment of the Workmen's compensation act whereby the laboring men will get a square deal when injured and his family proper compensation in the event of his death, without being compelled to go into court to fight for their just dues.

The present rate of interest on delinquent taxes, and no more.

Re-adjustment of county taxes assessment to suit present conditions.

The working out of some plan whereby the laboring man may be assured of sufficient employment to support himself and family without asking for public relief.

Dr. Best has practiced medicine and surgery in Umatilla County for the past 35 years. He is more than a professional man, however. He is a successful and able man of affairs. (Continued on page 3)

## STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION RESTORES POWER TO HEADS

### MOVE IMPORTANT TO STABILITY OF SYSTEM.

Compulsory Military Training To Be Continued on Two Major Campuses.

A move that was of importance to every person in the state was made last Monday by the board of higher education when it completed its deliberations for the day and left no doubt as to where it stood on many perplexing and vexing questions. It decided that:

1. College and university presidents in Oregon still have authority.
2. Compulsory military training for lower classmen still will hold upon the state's two major campuses, Eugene and Corvallis.
3. The college printing plant at Corvallis and the university printing plant at Eugene will not be amalgamated with the state printing plant at Salem.
4. Efforts of a minor official of the state board of control to reduce the maximum for meals and lodgings below the present limits on traveling expense accounts will meet with polite rebuff.

The board, in its efforts to get the schools organized for budgetary purposes before the process of chancellor selecting can possibly be completed, has made tentative appointments of deans and directors.

Although no officials, either institutional or board members, made any public statements, it is quite evident that reorganization of the various schools has been carried on without reference to or conference with the two presidents—Drs. Hall and Kerr—to any great extent.

From now on there shall be no reorganization work carried on either campuses by any board employee or secretary, or dean or director, without approval of the president whose responsibility it is to direct the affairs on that campus.

Decision to continue compulsory military training for lower classmen on the Eugene and Corvallis campuses came with the motion of the military affairs committee to withdraw its previous report, which had recommended abolition of the compulsory feature. B. F. Irvine, F. E. Callister, and Mrs. Pierce consisted this committee.

The proposal to unify the university press at Eugene and the college press at Corvallis with the state printing plant at Salem was thwarted in adoption by the board of a committee report signed by Messrs. Burch, Irvine, Pease, Sammons and Starr of the board.

The committee said that claims of "great savings" to be made by such consolidation were baseless, and were grounded upon statistics both out of date and faulty.

The board will meet next in Portland on April 29 at 1:30 P. M. to consider the reports of the university and college presidents on unification, which are expected to be in by that time.

Those in attendance at the meeting were: C. L. Starr, board president; C. C. Colt, F. E. Callister, B. F. Irvine, E. C. Pease, Albur Burch, Herman Oliver, E. C. Sammons. For the first time since her appointment to the board, Mrs. Walter M. Pierce was absent.

## ALONG THE CONCRETE

Take the "die" out of depression and you have the words, "press on."

Walking may be the greatest sport in the world but did you ever see a mail carrier who looked like he could lick a truck driver.

Tom Jensen, our handy man about town, says he does not like the idea of having to come down stairs suddenly while standing on a step ladder working on an awning on Main street. Tom is really quite efficient at sewing up ripped awnings and he is taking no chances at having his arm broken.

