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**Not Worth the Sacrifice.**

The cost in lives of the 74 men who went down with the \$5,000,000 world's super-dirigible far exceeds the value of the ship that will be remembered as majestic—beautiful.

Caught in an electric storm the huge ship was like burned paper tossed about in a strong wind, soon to be broken and torn into bits. The tragedy is indeed "a storm-taught lesson in lighter-than-air craft" flying.

**Reforestation.**

The word "reforestation" is much before the public nowadays. In fact it is a headline word. President Roosevelt has done much to popularize it within the past few months, and it is now dealt with in a congressional act.

President Roosevelt, by executive order, Wednesday made available \$10,000,000 to finance the beginning of reforestation work. This move by the president has been ac-

to be of an emergency nature to give employment to men most in need of help, and to those whose circumstances are fully and accurately known. This is true, but there are other points to be considered.

What will be accomplished by these workmen besides finding themselves on a payroll, being furnished food and shelter? The word "reforestation" has come to be popularly used to cover a much wider field than it has in former years. Is this loose and popular sense it has come to mean almost any method means, or system whereby forest land is improved, developed, or protected, whether the land is cut over or is now bearing mature timber. These men employed in this work will be working out a system of fire lines or trails, or protection roads will be felling snags or dead standing trees for fire protection, and thinning out too dense tree growth or even furnishing protection for cut-over lands for future tree crops.

Little or no artificial reforestation has been practicable or necessary in the past, due to the heavy cost. By and large therefore, there has been relatively little artificial reforestation done by the federal government in Oregon and Washington. If these lands are replanted by seedlings by the employment of men who would otherwise come under the aid of federal relief measures, is it not better that they are giving something in return? Such forest planting on cut-over or burned or denuded lands will eventually restore such lands to forest productivity; will help regulate stream flow and also serve as a cover for game animals and game birds.

The first group of workmen will be selected from eastern cities and by the time they are established on a project the forest service and other government agencies will have

selected projects to which others will be assigned.

Funds allotted were drawn from previous appropriations for public construction and road buildings.

**CHURCH NOTES**

**COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
 W. O. Miller, Pastor  
 Boardman, Oregon  
 10:15 A. M., Sunday school. W. A. Baker, superintendent.  
 11:15 A. M., Preaching service. Some let us worship together.

**COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
 W. O. Miller, Pastor  
 Umatilla, Ore.  
 Sunday morning, April 9, 1933. Junior Endeavor, 9:15 A. M., led by Gene Hiatt.  
 Sunday school at 10:00. Miss Julianna Pope, superintendent.  
 We have a very interesting Sunday school. A cordial invitation is extended to all.  
 Christian Endeavor 7:15 P. M. President, Melvoia Root.  
 Preaching service 8:00 P. M. Subject, "Am I My Brother's Keeper."

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
 O. W. Payne, Minister.  
 The regular Sunday morning services will be held at 10:00 o'clock with Sunday school at eleven.  
 Instead of the regular evening preaching service as usual the time will be given over to the male quartet from Dallas, Oregon, composed of the Quiring Brothers and Ediger Brothers who will furnish an entire evening of quartet music.  
 Beginning Monday, April 10, at 8:00 o'clock, the churches of the town will unite in the annual pre-laster services which will continue throughout the week, closing Saturday evening. We will earnestly endeavor to have something special in music and message for each evening.

**HERMISTON UNION CHURCH**  
 W. E. Jones, Pastor.  
 10:15 A. M., Communion.  
 10:25 A. M., Song service and devotional.  
 10:50 A. M., Sermon subject, "The Way of the Transgressor is Hard."  
 11:20 A. M., Teaching service.

At 7:00 p. m. the Junior C. E. will meet in the church. The young people will conduct a meeting in the Columbia school house with Miss Pauline Stoop leading the discussion. The meeting will start at 7:30 and transportation will be furnished for all those who wish to attend.

At 8:00 P. M. there will be no evening service. The congregation will meet at the Methodist church where the male quartet from Dallas, Ore., will give an evening's concert. The Quiring Brothers and Ediger Brothers are members of the quartet.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES**

"Soul and Body" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 21.

The Golden Text was, "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service" (Rom. 12:1).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Look unto me, and be saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else" (Isa. 45:22).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures", by Mary Baker Eddy: "If we look to the body for pleasure, we find pain; for life, we find death; for truth, we find error; for spirit, we find its opposite matter. Now reverse this action. Look away from the body into Truth and Love, the Principle of all happiness, harmony, and immortality. . . Detach sense from the body, or matter, which is only a form of human belief, and you may learn the meaning of God, or good, and the nature of the immutable and immortal" (pp. 260, 261).

**UMATILLA NEWS**  
 By Louise Byrnes

Mrs. John Wurster and daughters Annie, Sara, May, and Melvoia Root and Louise Byrnes were shopping in Pendleton Saturday. Mrs. Wurster and daughters Mary and Sara visited with Mrs. F. J. Thorne in the afternoon while Annie Wurster, Louise Byrnes and Melvoia Root attended the Christian Endeavor rally.

Paul Walsh and Mrs. James Byrnes motored to Irrigon Sunday evening where they attended church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Walsh and small daughter Dale have moved back to their home after visiting with Mrs. Walsh's parents for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bullard and Mrs. Frank Clark motored to Pendleton Monday.

Mrs. Jack Cherry spent the week end in Portland visiting her son Carl Cherry who is attending school here.

Cyril Brownell of Portland was in Umatilla several days of last week attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bramer and on Valoie left Thursday for Oswego where they will make their home.

George Kendler, Jr., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. George Kendler, Sr., motored to Walla Walla, where they spent the week end visiting with Mrs. George Kendler, Jr. Mrs. Cera Burns of Walla Walla visited Mrs. Harry Gramer in Umatilla a few days last week.

Mrs. D. R. Brownell and son of California left for Yakima where he will visit.

W. H. Bloom attended the Eastern Oregon Superintendents and Principals meeting in LaGrande, Ore., Saturday. Miss Julianna Pope also attended.

Mrs. Nora Berwick and Mrs. Geo. Butterwood spent Friday in Pendleton shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Van Schoelack and children Deloris and Delbert accompanied by Mrs. Nora Berwick and sons Arthur and Jimmy, visited at the home of Mrs. Van Schoelack's brother, Arthur Peterson, in Willow Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lyle Schucks of Yamhill, Ore., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Nora Berwick.

Lorine Leah who was taken to the St. Anthony's hospital two weeks ago has been removed from the hospital to the home of Mrs. Mooney in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lindsay of Portland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bullard.

Mrs. A. E. McFarland motored to Rhea Creek Saturday to attend the Pomona Grange.

The five men who were gassed at the Newport camp some time ago have recovered. They will not be allowed to work for one or two weeks.

John Powell who has been in Portland for some time has returned home.

Duff Knight returned home Sunday. He has been working at Butter Creek.

Those attending the Christian Endeavor meeting in Pendleton Saturday were Miss Rossa Ricco, Devere Brown, Mildred Conlon, Melvoia Root, Annie Wurster, Louise Byrnes Alma Caldwell and Margaret Baumgartner.

A meeting of the church members was held last Wednesday evening to elect a new elder for the church and a pastor. Rev. W. O. Miller was re-elected as the pastor and Mrs. D. W. Jackson was elected elder to replace Mrs. Harry Bramer who has moved away.

The Catholic Ladies Altar Society have quilted a beautiful butter-

fly quilt which will be raffled off some time before Easter. The proceeds are to go to the repairing of the church and the beautifying of the church grounds.

George Butterwood and Glenn Blakeley accompanied by Frank Sloan of Stanfield motored to Heppner Saturday evening to attend the district meeting of the Masonic lodge. Walter Bullard also attended the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bloom of Heppner, Ore., spent the week end at the home of Mr. Bloom's brother, W. H. Bloom. Edward Bloom accompanied W. H. Bloom to LaGrande Saturday.

George Butterwood, Glenn Blakeley and Clinton Harvey were among those who attended the Masonic banquet in Echo Friday night.

Catholic Ladies Altar society are giving a cooked food sale at Hull & McNabb's Saturday, April 15 at 9 a. m. Orders for cakes, dressed chickens, etc., will be taken before the sale.

W. R. Nugent spent three days of last week in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peck and small son Dickie left Wednesday for Maryhill, Ore., where they will make their home.

The Bridge Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Knudson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cramer spent Wednesday in Umatilla visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark.

Mrs. Fred Duttal and Mrs. L. Snider of Enterprise, Ore., visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baumann and daughter Margaret Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Best and children of Hermiston were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McFarland Sunday afternoon.

Ray Erwin spent last week in Portland attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rogers and son have moved from Milton, where they have been living, to the Edwards ranch east of town. They were residents of Umatilla several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stephens and son Gale are moving into the Henry Thompson house where they will make their home.

Mrs. Joe Springer and daughter, Mrs. W. E. Mahoney and daughter Patsy Ann motored to Pendleton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Trumbull of Umatilla accompanied by Mrs. Trumbull's mother of Stanfield motored to Pendleton Saturday.

Mill Rosaline Lennix of Seattle is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Switzer.

Several Umatilla people attended dance in Irrigon Saturday evening.

**BOARDMAN NEWS**  
 By Mrs. Dan Ransier

John Jenkins and Bob Harwood were in Heppner Monday on business.

Chas Hango and Mrs. Carrick spent Monday in Hermiston.

Lewis Bush returned Monday evening after spending the winter in Nebraska and Missouri.

The H. E. C. gave a card party at the Tyler home Wednesday evening. Seven tables of bridge were in play, high score going to Mrs. D. Ransier and Mr. Bradford, and low going to Mrs. Howard Channing and Mr. Forves.

Chas. Hango received 1000 baby chicks Friday, being shipped from California.

Mr. Sunstey is again on the section at Coyote.

Jess Mathis, Chas. Myers, John Jenkins and Ed Kunze are shearing the Travis sheep on the island.

Andy Anderreg is staying with Mr. Wasmer and is giving a few ranchers a treat by going to their homes and making cheese.

The local ball team played the Blalock team on the Boardman diamond Sunday. The score was 12-11 in favor of Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chandler came Saturday to stay for the summer at the W. Wilbanks home. Mr. Chandler and Mr. Kunze plan to shear sheep together.

Frank Marlow is moving to the Meade ranch this week, and Mrs. Grace Rose is moving to Umatilla where she purchased the Edwards ranch. The children will stay until school is out.

The Senior Frolic will be given Saturday night, April 8th.

The H. E. Club will be entertained at the Leo Root home Apr. 12. Pot lunch at noon and following this will be the regular business meeting.

Mrs. U. Wilbanks and Mrs. Clyde Carrick spent Saturday in Hermiston shopping.

Ago Jensen and John Brice left Tuesday for Portland.

W. King is spending the week end in Eugene visiting his father who expects to celebrate his 86th birthday Sunday.

Normal and Eddie Rainville spent the week end visiting their parents at Cayuse.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Saunders went to The Dalles Saturday to consult the doctor. Mr. Saunders returned Sunday but Mrs. Saunders stayed to receive medical attention. She is visiting with her sister.

Several attended Pomona grange at Rhea Creek Saturday. Those going were Paul Smith and Margaret Smith, Mrs. Howard Channing, Mrs. Falor, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Della-baugh, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ransier and son Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barlow, Mrs. Claude Watts, Mrs. Tyler, Mrs. Hendricks, and Mrs. Bob Wilson and Emogene, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wicklander, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Delano and Mrs. Ray Brown.

Billy Harper was rushed to the hospital at Pendleton Sunday for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wicklander and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wicklander were visiting on the project Sunday stopping on the way home from Pomona.

Frank Marlow took Mrs. Marlow to The Dalles hospital. He is at the Ransier home until he gets moved out to the Mead ranch.



**ON LOOKING AHEAD---**

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**STANFIELD NEWS**  
 By Mrs. Jess Richards

(Too late for last week.)

The members of the Study Club heard an enjoyable program Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Francis Dwyck was hostess at her home on the Sunrise ranch. Members responded to roll call by giving suggestions for next year's study. Mrs. G. E. Greathouse discussed the works of two Oregon writers, Mary Carolyn Davies and Philip Parish. The latter is an editorial writer for the Oregonian and is best known as the author of "Before the Covered Wagon". Mary Carolyn Davies, while not a native of Oregon, has spent the greater part of her life in this state since early childhood. Selections from a book of her war time poems "The Drums in Our Street" and a volume of western poems "The Skyline Trail" revealed the fact that Mrs. Davies is a versatile writer. Her poem "The Circuit Rider" was awarded the Robert Booth prize at the unveiling of the Circuit Rider statue at the capitol grounds in Salem several years ago. Mrs. J. F. Bogan and Mrs. James Hutton were elected to membership in the club.

The Bridge Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. M. McCall. Mrs. G. E. Greathouse held high scores and Mrs. Adolph Heyden was received as a member of the club.

The Commercial Club play "Here Come Three Knights" was presented Friday evening to an appreciative audience. The Udey orchestra of Hermiston added to the evening's pleasure.

The Junior-Senior play, "With the Help of Scotty", will be presented on the evening of April 7. The cast includes Billy Hedrick, Myra Martin, Gladys Ross, LaVonne Walk, Viola Kruse, Tom Laughary, Eddie Atchbury, Carl Rhee and Charles Hedrick. A feature of the program is a musical number entitled "The Toy-maker's Dream" in which Billy Hedrick carries the solo part.

The annual business meeting of the Presbyterian church was held Sunday following the morning ser-

mons. Reports were given by the heads of the several departments of the church and the budget for the coming year was presented. W. G. Wallace was elected treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of M. R. Ling. A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Ling in appreciation of his services as treasurer over a period of twenty-two years. Rev. J. F. Gibson was asked to continue his services as pastor.

The Rebekahs, Oddfellows and their friends enjoyed a social time in the IOOF hall Wednesday evening. Chereades, games, readings and music all contributed to the evening's pleasure. A pot luck lunch was served after the program. Several members from Hermiston and Echo were in attendance.

Complimenting Wayne Kelly and Tommy Retvem a birthday dinner was given at the M. Retvem home Monday evening. Duetts included Mrs. Florence B. Connor and Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole motored from Lewiston, Idaho, Sunday. They returned Monday accompanied by Mrs. Cole's father, M. R. Ling, who will make his home with them.

Miss Elaine Green, student nurse at St. Anthony's hospital, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Green.

Miss Blanche Thorsen, who teaches at The Dalles, spent Sunday at her home on the meadows.

Odelpha Hoskins, Helen Connor, and Stanley Green who have been with home folks during their spring vacation, returned Sunday to Corvallis where they are students at Oregon State.

Mrs. William Cunningham and her mother, Mrs. Emma Harkey, plan to leave next week by motor for Powell, Wyoming, where they will make their future home. Mr. Cunningham will remain here until the latter part of April when he will ship a car load of stock to Powell.

The alfalfa, for the most part, has been frozen out this winter. Some farmers are reseedling while others are drilling oats or barley where there is still a thin stand of alfalfa. More pasture grasses are being sown than usual.

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