

Its not the size of the dog in the fight—its the size of the fight in the dog.—Will H. Hays.

# The Hermiston Herald

A little work directed to a good end is better than a great deal of work directed to a bad end.—Bert-rand Russell.

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## OREGON VOTES NO ON PROHIBITION AT ELECTION FRIDAY

MUCH INTEREST SHOWN BY LOCAL VOTERS.

City of Hermiston Votes Dry; Oleo Bill and Sales Tax Badly Defeated.

Oregon, after 18 years of prohibition, became the 20th state on Friday to vote repeal of the 18th amendment and erased every dry law from the statute books of the state.

Much interest was shown in Hermiston by the voters as told by Otto Pierce and Mrs. W. W. Felthouse, chairmen of the voting boards in precincts 32 and 33. The following figures show how the Hermiston voters felt towards the bills that were on the ballots:

Repeat of Prohibition—Defeated 234 to 145.

Oleo Measure—Defeated 247 to 125.

Sales Tax Bill—Defeated 299 to 79.

Of the nine measures on the ballot of the special state election, three of them passed in Umatilla county and six failed to pass. In the state, the sales tax was defeated badly with 36,523 in favor of the measure and 124,598 against. The proposed tax on oleomargarine was swamped for the fourth time with an overwhelming negative vote.

The following people from Hermiston served on the voting board: Otto Pierce, chairman, precinct 33; Mrs. E. P. Dodd, Mrs. David Middle-sdorf, Mrs. N. W. Bloom and Baxter Hutchison. Mrs. C. M. Best, G. W. Bailey, Gerald McKenzie, F. C. McKenzie and Herbert Haneline made up the counting board in that precinct. In precinct 32, of which Mrs. W. W. Felthouse was chairman, Mrs. B. J. Nation, R. Longhorn, Mr. Pennock and Al Prann served on the voting board, while Mrs. A. E. Bensen, Ed Jackson, Alice Stone, W. G. Rodda and Enos Martin made up the counting board.

### PAIR OF NUTS AT

### NUTTIEST IN NEW FILM.

One of the very nuttiest pictures ever made is "Diplomaniacs," the Wheeler and Woolsey opus which plays at the Oasis theatre Friday and Saturday. Audiences are likely to be left with the feeling that they must have fallen asleep and dreamed the picture, because no photoplay could be that crazy, but it really is.

The central idea about which the nonsense edifies has the two comedians as delegates representing the American Indians at a Geneva peace conference, and the strongest sequence shows the other conferees fighting for peace. After Bert and Bob have calmed the meeting with a song and dance act, the heavy, a bullet manufacturer, throws a bomb. When the smoke clears away, the entire assemblage is in blackface and goes into a camp meeting style of choral singing. That is just a sample.

The gags are frequent and many of them new. Several song numbers are introduced which do well in their place but leave the audience nothing much to carry home. The chorus is comely and well drilled. Marjorie White and Phyllis Barry enter the picture as vamps engaged by the villain to take the delegates' minds off their work. Unlike "So This is Africa," "Diplomaniacs" is clean, for a Wheeler and Woolsey picture.

### OREGON STATE MAN HOLDS SERIES OF MEETINGS.

A series of meetings for dairymen have been held in this part of the country the past week by Roger Morse, extension Dairymen from the Oregon State college.

Meetings have been held in Board man, Irrigon, Hermiston and Stanfield, and Mr. Morse has stressed the point that butterfat of the highest quality should be the main thing for a dairyman to be sure of. These meetings were held in cooperation with the Cooperative Creamery.

### COLUMBIA NEWS

By Florence Udey

Mrs. R. C. Hooker of Holdman was a business visitor in Columbia Friday.

Mr. Miller of Boardman and Mr. Foster of The Dalles were visitors in Columbia Thursday.

Mrs. Belcamper and George Knapp were visitors at the F. W. Lenz home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Upham were visitors at the John Jendrzejewski home Sunday.

Juanita, Charles and Dale Wells and Gladys, Thelma and Art Norquist, Irene Farris and Tillford Stillings were visitors at the Lon Norquist home in Wallula last Monday evening.

The Epworth League of Hermiston gave a wicker roast for their members in the Columbia park Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Upham were visitors at the J. Armburg home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson of La Grande were visitors at the H. A. Hooker home for a few days of this week. Mrs. Sanderson is an aunt of Nellie Hooker.

The Farm Bureau Auxiliary had a noon picnic at the Columbia park Friday. The afternoon was spent with a short entertainment after which games were played.

Squire Thomas has traded his farm for a farm in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and family of Nolan were dinner guests at the Armburg home Sunday.

A dinner party was given at the Tom Stewart home Sunday in honor of Tom Stewart's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Corman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Luttrell, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pearson, Frank Allen, Carltop Lynch, Merdeth Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stewart and sons Tommy, Jimmy and Earl.

Mrs. George Leibe was a visitor at the Joe Udey home Tuesday.

Evelyn Lindner is working in a cafeteria in Arlington.

Mrs. Belcamper and Mrs. Minnie Norton were visitors at the Tom Stewart home Sunday.

J. E. Hallyburton who has been cutting wood in the mountains, is visiting at home for a few days this week.

Mrs. Carrie Larkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, was united in marriage to Alton Hooker, son of H. A. Hooker, last Monday.

O. A. Wells and son Childs, and brother Dale have gone to the wheat country to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutts Zimmerman of Portland were visitors at the F. W. Lenz home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller who have been employed at the Joe Udey ranch left Sunday for the wheat country.

A group of people from Stanfield, Hermiston and from Portland enjoyed a picnic Sunday in the Columbia park. They included: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindner and daughters Ruth, Clair, Georgia and Marlon, and son Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindner and son Billy and daughter Fern; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Rueber, daughter Nadine and son Leo of Stanfield; Mr. and Mrs. John Rueber, son Henry and daughter Evelyn; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rueber, daughters Alice, Irene and Betty, and sons Henry and Willis; Bob Rueber; Mr. and Mrs. H. Christian-son and daughters Rose Jean and Fatsy Ann of Portland; Miss Viola Rueber and Melvin Rueber of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Strohm; and Melvin Follett.

Florence Udey was a visitor at the Lindner home Wednesday.

### FARM BUREAU AUXILIARY

#### HOLD ALL DAY SESSION.

The Farm Bureau Auxiliary held their regular meeting July 21st, at the club house in Columbia district. The meeting was well attended and the day was spent in playing games and visiting. At noon a pot luck lunch was served and was very much enjoyed. A vote of thanks was given the committee in charge for the good time had by those at the meeting.

The next meeting will be held in Columbia Park, August 4th, under the direction of Mrs. Jackson Harr, Mrs. McCully and Mrs. O. Wells. It is planned that the meeting will be in the form of a lawn party and will start at 8 p. m. All members and their friends are urged to attend.

### FORMER HERMISTON WOMAN TO TAKE PART IN CELEBRATION.

Mrs. George H. Root, former president of the Hermiston community club, is to take part in the big reception planned for Old Ironsides in Portland, on August 2nd. The Oregon chapter of the Daughters of 1812 will present the ship with a fine silk American flag and the official flag of Oregon. The stand, to be presented by Mrs. Root, is valued at \$400.00.

### PEARSON-McKENZIE.

Coming as a great surprise to friends of Hermiston was the announcement of the marriage of Miss Florence Pearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pearson, and Mr. George McKenzie, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. McKenzie, which took place at the Catholic church, December 29, 1932, the ceremony being performed by Father O'Conner.

Only parents of the bride and groom knew of the marriage until Sunday night when close friends and relatives of the bride and groom gathered at the home of Gladys Smith and Francis Householder when the marriage was announced publicly.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie are both well known in the community, having graduated from the local high school, and friends join together in wishing them happiness.

The groom has been associated with the Hermiston Transfer but plans to sever relations there and go to Kelso, Wn., where he and his bride will make their home and manage a service station near that city.

### LOCAL BOY GETS ASSIGNMENT IN MILITARY ACADEMY.

West Point, New York, July 24—Chester L. Johnson, Hermiston, who was sworn in as a cadet at the U. S. Military Academy here on July 1st, has been assigned to the third company by Major General W. D. Connor, Superintendent. The total strength of Johnson's class is 415.

For the next six weeks Johnson and his classmates will receive an intensive course of instruction in various military subjects including both drills and lectures. Early in August, the class will be absorbed into the Corps of Cadets and will participate in the impressive parades which are held daily.

In the middle of August, the new cadets will take a five day practice march through the foothills of the Catskills, southwest of West Point. During the march they will live in shelter tents and eat from rolling kitchens.

The academic work will open September 1st. Classroom work will start at 8:00 A. M. and will extend until 3:00 P. M., with an hour's intermission for lunch. Drills and compulsory intramural athletics will take up another hour in the afternoon. For the academic work the class will be divided into sections of from ten to fourteen cadets and each man will be required to recite in each subject every day.

### FORMER LOCAL GIRL ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT.

Alicia Ouellette, who attended the Hermiston High school several years and graduated in 1932, has announced her engagement to Mr. William Athow, Jr., who is science instructor in the Longview High school. The wedding is to take place the first part of August.

## ENGINEER PICKS BONNEVILLE FOR POWER DAM SITE

PROJECT COSTING \$43,900,000.00, ACCORDING TO REPORT.

Must be Approved by Board of Army Engineers and President.

Bonneville, five miles below Cascade Locks, was recommended by the district and division engineers of the war department as the site of the Columbia river navigation and hydro-electric dam.

Selection of Bonneville as the site for a \$43,900,000 dam project that would have an installed capacity of 430,000 kilowatts has been made by Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas M. Robbins, division head of the United States army engineers, San Francisco. This report is not final since it must be approved by the board of army engineers at Washington, then by the public works administrator, and the president.

The building of this dam does not give the people of Eastern Oregon, Washington and Idaho the advantage of lower freight rates for the wheat raised in this territory. In view of this fact, E. P. Dodd, president of the Hermiston Commercial club, is contacting Walla Walla and the surrounding country for the support of the Umatilla Ralids project development.

### SWARNER-DAY.

At 10 o'clock Saturday morning, July 22, at the First Methodist Episcopal church, Miss Ella Day, daughter of Mrs. S. H. Day of Toledo, became the bride of J. Herbert Swarner of Hermiston. Dr. James E. Milligan officiated, reading the service in the presence of a small group of relatives and close friends.

Miss Margaret Atwood was at the organ and played the wedding music. The bride was given in marriage by J. Ralph Beck of Dallas, and was attended by Miss Ena Christensen as maid of honor, while Robert Stone attended Mr. Swarner as best man. Tall bouquets of gladioli adorned the altar.

An informal reception in Wesley hall followed the service. Mr. and Mrs. Swarner left at once on a short wedding trip but are returning to Corvallis to make their home. Mrs. Swarner attended Oregon State college. She has been employed on several Oregon newspapers and is now in the department of journalism at Oregon State college. Mr. Swarner, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Swarner of Hermiston, has been a student in electrical engineering of Oregon State. He is now employed in Corvallis.

### HAL HOSS SENDS LAST WARNING TO CAR DRIVERS.

Unless early action is taken, fully two-thirds of the automobile drivers in this vicinity will be subject to arrest on the morning of September 1st for failure to obtain their new drivers licenses, according to information just received by this newspaper from Hal E. Hoss, Secretary of State. An official estimate discloses that barely one-third of the drivers in this section are equipped with proper drivers' licenses.

Police officials state that no moratoriums will be granted and a strict enforcement of the law will be observed in their check on all operators. With the "dead-line" barely four weeks away, all persons still carrying cards issued before July 1, 1931, should obtain new cards at the first opportunity. Secretary Hoss warned.

Renewal permits are being granted without examination to all operators previously licensed in Oregon who are now under the age of 70, those with clean accident records and those without physical defects. All applications must be signed in the presence of a notary public, or other person authorized to administer oaths. Examiners will perform notarial duties for all applicants without charge, it was pointed out.

### LAST BASEBALL GAME OF SEASON PLAYED HERE SUNDAY.

Hermiston and Irrigon will play their last game of the season on the local diamond Sunday. Hermiston has won two games from Irrigon this season, the first game 8 to 10 and the last game 5 to 6. These scores show the teams are evenly matched but Irrigon has "spiked up" and think they can win Sunday. The Irrigon team is made up mostly of youngsters but are all good ball players and with this season's experience they will have a good team next year. "Sticks" Woods, ex-big leaguer, is managing the Irrigon team for their game Sunday and the boys are all determined to get revenge on Hermiston. However the Hermiston boys have a different idea about it, and there is no doubt the game will be a hard fought contest.

### CITY MARSHAL NATION CATCHES LAW BREAKERS.

Bob Callihan of Portland was arrested by City Marshal Nation, Sunday night for stealing gas from the car owned by Ross Newport. He was taken before Justice of the Peace, Sullivan, who sentenced him to 30 days in the county jail.

Dad Hudson, and Mural R. Wilson of Vale, Ore., were caught by B. J. Nation Tuesday night about 2 o'clock when they were attempting to break into the back of the Oasis theatre. Mr. Nation turned them over to the State Police who took them to Pendleton where they will be tried and sentenced.

### PINE CITY NEWS

By Oleta Neill

Mrs. Ollie Neill and daughter Oleta were in Hermiston Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bartholomew and daughter Lila made a business trip to Pendleton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ayers and family were visitors in Heppner Friday.

A. E. Wattenburger and E. B. Wattenburger were business visitors in Hermiston Tuesday.

Mrs. Peter Carlson who has been visiting at the home of her son Arthur Carlson in Portland returned home the latter part of last week.

Frank Helms made a business trip to Hermiston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neill and son Harold drove to Pendleton Saturday. Miss Bernice Neill who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Plourd returned home with them.

Mrs. Ritchie of Hermiston has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Ayers this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger attended the matinee in Hermiston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Young and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Cox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger and children were in Pendleton Friday.

C. H. Bartholomew was a business visitor in Heppner Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wigglesworth are the proud parents of a baby girl born Monday morning. The young lady has been named Dorothy Mae.

Miss Elsie Strain and Floyd Orsdill of Pendleton visited at the E. B. Wattenburger home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Finch and family called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moore and Mrs. O. F. Thomson Sunday.

The teachers for the coming year at the Pine City school will be Principal, Milton L. Smith of Roseburg, Assistant high school and intermediate teacher, Miss Cecelia Brennan of Portland, and primary teacher, Miss Marian Henderson of Hermiston.

C. H. Bartholomew started harvesting his wheat the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wigglesworth and son and Miss Elsie Strain and Floyd Van Orsdill of Pendleton called at the home of Mrs. Ollie Neill Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lila Bartholomew and Jasper Myers, both of Pine City, were married in Walla Walla, Saturday. They returned to Pine City Monday evening.

Earle Wattenburger motored to Bingham Springs Sunday.

Mrs. Reid Busick and children and Mrs. Rose Shields of Long Creek are visiting Mrs. Busick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger. Mr. Wattenburger met them in Heppner Monday morning.

### VITAL POULTRY PROBLEMS ON CONVENTION PROGRAM.

Many of the most practical phases of the poultry industry are concerning poultrymen of Oregon at their tenth annual convention this week at Oregon State college, Thursday and Friday, July 27 and 28. The "home-made program," as it is termed by A. G. Lunn, head of the poultry department sponsoring the gathering, includes such fundamentals as feeds, types, egg quality, electrical appliances, disease control, trade factors, and research.

In addition to college poultry specialists on the program, are Miss E. B. Reed, manager of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry Producers of Portland, and Floyd Oles, manager of the Oregon Feed Dealers association, who agreed to discuss the new government codes of fair competition.

The first morning session starts at 10 o'clock and the second at 9 o'clock, while afternoon sessions are at 1:30. Dean W. A. Schoenfeld is the speaker at the evening meeting of the first day, which starts at 7:30. Two business sessions of the Oregon Poultrymen's association are scheduled as the concluding feature each afternoon.

Considered one of the chief features of the entire program is the opening number on the Friday afternoon schedule, when Dr. W. T. Johnson sums up the results of his work to date in coccidiosis control. He is recognized as a world authority in this field.

### Jewelry Shop to Open.

A new jewelry and watch repair shop is to open within the next few days by S. D. Williams in the office of the Hermiston Herald. Mr. Williams who was formerly with the Siegrest Jewelry shop of LaGrande, is highly recommended and capable of proficient watch repair work.

## UMATILLA PROJECT FAIR PLANS CARRIED FORWARD RAPIDLY

RODEO ON FINAL DAY TO BE MAIN FEATURE.

Premium Lists to be Available Within the Next Few Weeks.

Plans for the Umatilla Project Fair were further made and discussed at the meeting of the Fair board last Friday night at the Assistant County Agent's office, when it was decided that from 1:00 to 2:00 P. M. on Saturday, September 16th, races and different sports would be the main features, under the direction of A. E. Bensen.

It was also decided that a wooden fence would be built around the ball field to make an arena where the rodeo will be held, Saturday afternoon from 2:00 until 4:00 P. M. This rodeo, under the management of George Attebury, is to be one of the main features of the fair and only local people and people from surrounding communities will be allowed to enter.

The premium lists were also discussed at this meeting and the board decided that the books should be about 6 by 9 inches, which will be much larger than the one last year. It is planned that advertising in the premium list books will pay for the printing of them. R. C. Fodd, president of the Fair board, was delegated to go to Walla Walla Tuesday of this week where he spent the day soliciting advertising matter for the premium lists. These premium lists will be available within the next few weeks.

As it is now only 6 weeks until the fair, everyone planning on entering exhibits are urged to get started on them as soon as possible, owing to the dates being set in September instead of October as in previous years.

### PAULINE STOOP OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS SATURDAY.

Pauline Stoop and Wilma Stoop left Thursday night for LaGrande where Pauline underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday morning at the Grande Ronde hospital. Dr. Christopherson journeyed over to do the surgical work and reports that Pauline is recuperating rapidly. Miss Stoop plans on leaving the hospital in about 10 days when she will visit at the J. M. Biggs home in LaGrande for about a week before returning to this city. Mrs. W. M. Pearson is taking Miss Stoop's place in the Herald office while she is away.

### Enjoy Outing in Blue Mountains.

Enos and Dick Martin, Clarence Henning, Jack Reeves, Donald Jackson and Al Quiring left Saturday night for the Blue Mountains where they spent several days fishing and camping on Big Creek, about 25 miles above Ukiah. Henning and Quiring returned Monday noon but the rest of the party stayed until Tuesday night. The report a splendid time and the small mountain trout were plentiful.

### ALONG THE CONCRETE

A certain young bride in town certainly disproved the old adage "A woman can't keep a secret." One trouble is that we can keep the secret but the ones we tell it to can't.

Ernie Carson bragging about the ham he won playing horseshoes at Toll Gate Sunday. Come on, Ernie, invite us to a big feed.

Citizens of Hermiston dodging in and out among the ladders and scaffolds on main street. Wonder if they're superstitious.

Coach Cochran seems to make too many trips back to Hermiston for just business.

No use talking about building that community cold storage plant in Hermiston since J. S. Burnham is putting in such a huge cooler in the back of his store.

## Back from the World's Fair

