

"Rushing the growler," however, may not include the one at the door.—Clark Wood.

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The man who spends too much time in waiting for his ship to come in, usually finds it's a receivership.—Weston Leader.

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FARM BUREAU CO-OP. MEMBERSHIP ELECTS TWO NEW DIRECTORS

BOARD AND MANAGEMENT CRITICIZED IN STATEMENT.

Chairman of Board Answers Charges Made by Co-Member; Favor Financing Cold Storage Plant.

In the election at the annual meeting of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston last Friday afternoon, 193 votes were cast, to elect two new directors, Ralph Saylor of Butter Creek and J. H. Reid of Hermiston, and replace A. E. Chapman of Umatilla and Joe Hawkins of Adams. The vote cast was as follows: Saylor, 102; Reid, 62; McFarland, 90; and Hawkins, 65.

The meeting was held in the Methodist church and the main auditorium was packed to capacity with all available standing room taken. Interest ran high in the meeting as a motion was made and passed permitting C. C. Mason, who became a member of the cooperative the day before the meeting, to read an 18-page statement in which he criticized the policies of the board and management. Immediately following the reading of this statement a motion was made to have the statement filed with the secretary for further reference, but the author refused to surrender the document.

Tension Broken.

The tension in the crowded room was broken when A. E. Bessel spoke regarding the importance of keeping down controversy in a cooperative organization if it were to continue to benefit its members. He stated that it was his belief that no organization could stand long when controversy and dissension persisted.

Charges Made Against Board.

H. J. Ott, chairman of the Farm Bureau Co-operative board, answered several charges made by P. P. Sullivan, another board member, implying that unofficial meetings had been held, and that requested reports and financial statements had not been issued. Mr. Ott explained the action of the board members in these matters and gave the reason for such action, saying that there had been no intention to "put something over" on any board member or any member of the organization. Mr. Ott has been a member of the Farm Bureau Co-operative board since its beginning and is familiar with its operation and policies.

Finance Cold Storage Project.

Before the meeting adjourned a motion was passed to amend the by-laws of the organization to empower the board of directors to loan sufficient money, not to exceed \$4000, to the Umatilla Co-operative Creamery board for the purpose of financing a cold storage plant. The proposed set-up was explained by the manager of the creamery.

No further business arose, and the meeting adjourned.

Files for Recorder.

Jack Folsom filed Thursday, Feb. 8th, on the Republican ticket for the nomination of county recorder of conveyances, to be held at the primary election, May 18, to fill the unexpired term of the late Charles E. Graham.

Mr. Folsom will be remembered as the candidate for the above office at the general election 1932, and in view of the large vote received by him at that time, his many supporters have encouraged him to enter the race again this year. He is the son of Wm. Folsom, former county recorder, and became familiar with the work in the office during his father's administration, also had experience with his successor, the late Fred W. Hendley, and he desires "Capable and Experienced" to be printed after his name on the ballot.

Mr. Folsom was born 1892, in the Camas Prairie region of Umatilla county, and received his education in the schools of this county, having attended both grammar and high school. He has three children of school age in whose behalf he earnestly solicits the support of the voters of Umatilla county.

SCHOOL NOTES

The freshman class will give an assembly program Thursday, February 22, beginning at 2:30 p.m., honoring the birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and George Washington. The program will include the following numbers:

1. Sextet of freshman girls, special arrangement of "America the Beautiful."
2. Oration, "Influence of a Great Character," Margaret Clarke.
3. Violin solo, selected, Roberta Mullins.

4. Play, "Abe Lincoln and the Little A. D." Little A. D., Wayne Power; Abe Lincoln, the boy, Bernard Jendzejewski; Abe Lincoln, the youth, Hugo Pankow; Abe Lincoln, the man, Bill Harris.

Considerable preparation has been made. The entertainment promises to be worth while, and the public is invited to attend.

An epidemic of pink-eye has been found to exist among several in the lower grades. So far no cases have been reported from the high school. However, the disease is very contagious, and parents are requested to keep any children with inflamed eyes home.

Rev. A. J. Ware, former minister in Hermiston, gave a short inspirational talk before the high school assembly last Wednesday morning.

Donna Saylor and Eldon Saylor enrolled in the fourth and sixth grades, respectively, last Monday. Formerly they had attended school in Echo.

For several months members of the Torch Honor society have eaten their lunch together and discussed problems and activities which the members might sponsor. At a meeting last Wednesday plans were completed for a party to be given Saturday, February 24. Junior and senior members will entertain the sophomores in the society and all freshmen who have earned at least eleven of the twenty-four points required to gain membership at the end of their first year.

At the beginning of the second semester a typing class was organized under the instruction of Miss Sibert, commercial teacher, for the purpose of promoting activity for those freshmen and sophomores who had spare time and to give them an opportunity to determine whether they liked typing or were adapted to make a success of it later on. The class meets Mondays and Wednesdays during the activity period. They may spend any additional periods typing that are available. They are following the regular course of study given Typing I students. Thus far considerable interest and progress has been apparent.

Students enrolled in the class include: Eleanor Dawson, Opal Stockard, Bonnie Lamberson, Ellis Coxen, Dorothy Conrad, Harold Throop, Paul Marble, Beverly Allen and Earl Watson.

Valentine's day was observed after the usual fashion in all the grades but the eighth. Valentines were distributed and in several grades a party was held at which the instructors treated the children.

Since the beginning of the second semester a number of record zero writes have been made in typing. A zero write indicates that a student has written for ten minutes without making an error, and averaging a certain number of words a minute on the basis of five strokes per word. The following were some of the outstanding records made by typing I students: Helen Addleman, 42-0, 43-0; Neva Richards, two 39-0 writes; Mary Rodda, 35-0; and Ed Peterson has made five zero writes averaging 22 words per minute. In Typing II many writes were made averaging as high as sixty-three words a minute, but with several errors. However, for consistent accuracy, Eunice Woughter wrote 45-0, and two 46-0 writes.

Returns from Corvallis.

O. L. Barlow, manager of the Hermiston Co-operative Laundry & Cannery, returned Monday from Corvallis where he had attended a canning school sponsored by the extension service. He accompanied Willard Campbell of Kennewick on the trip. Mr. Campbell operates a private cannery there. Mr. Barlow said that during the week the program consisted chiefly of the study of machine work, preparation of produce and grading.

MARTIN NAMED CONCILIATION COMMISSIONER FOR UMATILLA

Enos D. Martin, manager of the Hermiston Irrigation district, has been named by the United States district court as conciliation commissioner for Umatilla county, according to notice received February 8th, by A. S. Cooley attorney for the 20 petitioners who asked for the appointment. The appointment was made by Federal Judge James Alger Fee.

As explained by Mr. Cooley the naming of a conciliation commissioner is authorized by a federal law passed last spring. When a farmer fears a foreclosure or an attachment he may appeal to the conciliator for an adjustment and while the matter is in the hands of the commissioner no suit for foreclosure or attachment can be filed.

It is said that others not signing the petition for the conciliator have a right to take advantage of his services if they desire to do so.

SURVEY STARTS ON HERMISTON-UMATILLA HIGHWAY SECTION.

The survey of the Hermiston-Umatilla section of the Oregon Trail highway, and the Pendleton-Stanfield section, with a view to the proposed re-routing, was started Wednesday by a crew of nine men with J. B. Weaver, engineer in charge.

The group came here from Ashland, Oregon, and include J. B. Weaver, chief engineer, Norman Kennedy, Ed Morelock, M. A. Cameron, L. C. Irwin, H. K. Mobbert, Frank Caverhill, M. F. Zutz, and L. R. Raley.

STRATTON-BURNSIDE.

Miss Theta Burnside, niece of Mrs. Rose Lawson, who has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Payne for the past four years, was married Tuesday, February 6, to John Stratton at Canyon City, Oregon. Mrs. Stratton had lived with her grandmother at Monument prior to coming to Hermiston. The announcement of her marriage came last Friday when Mr. and Mrs. Stratton motored to Hermiston to visit Mr. and Mrs. Payne. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Sedric Hurlberger, and remained until Sunday. Mrs. Hurlberger is Mrs. Stratton's sister.

P.T.A. Program Arranged.

The program for the next regular P. T. A. meeting has been arranged in the following order: Superintendent McAtee will talk on "The Exceptional Child" in the local schools which will include a remedy for meeting a happy medium. Mrs. L. A. Moore, fifth grade teacher, will discuss the aims of the course of study for the fourth, fifth and sixth grades and what is expected of the child of this age. Music will be furnished by fifth grade pupils.

PROJECT HISTORY RECALLED BY DEATH OF COUNTY PIONEER

CHAS. H. SHAW ONE OF FIRST PROJECT SETTLERS.

Assisted in Construction of Westland Irrigation Canal and Maxwell Ditch Work.

Charles H. Shaw, age 79, of Hermiston, died Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. M. Bery. Funeral services were held at Stanfield Tuesday, Feb. 13, in the Hope Presbyterian church, with Rev. W. A. Briggs conducting the service. Interment was made in the Echo cemetery.

Mr. Shaw was Second Lieutenant in the Volunteer Company for five years, of which his father was captain, and was the last surviving member. He fought in several battles with the Indians protecting the early settlers in northwestern Nebraska. He assisted in the building of the old fort at Fort Riley. He was born in New York, September 22, 1854. He came from Greeley county, Nebraska, to Eugene, Oregon, in November 1887, and the following year to eastern Oregon, and has made his home in the Hermiston community since 1898.

Early settlers will remember when Mr. Shaw superintended the construction of the Maxwell ditch which carried the first water into Hermiston. He also cleared the lane west of the railroad track where part of Hermiston now stands, which was at that time called Maxwell. He took contracts for leveling land for several years, and had charge of the building of the Westland Irrigation canal when it was first built to Butter Creek about 31 years ago. He was named one of the first directors of District No. 8, and helped build the little white school house on lower Butter Creek.

Mr. Shaw had been a member of the Macabees since 1902.

Two daughters have gone before him. He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow, Adeline Shaw, and eight children as follows: Earl E. Shaw of Umatilla; Dick H. Shaw, Meacham; Prior F. Shaw, Portland; Mrs. Roy G. Attebury, Hermiston; Mrs. Edna Shanghnessy, Seattle, Wn.; Mrs. C. M. Berry, Hermiston; Mrs. Edwin Reiman, The Dalles; Mrs. John Spain, Meacham; one brother, Ervin Shaw of Grandview, Idaho, and two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Southward of Hermiston and Mrs. Foad Simmons of Sebastopol, Calif. He also leaves seventeen grand children and two great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chisholm of Walla Walla were business visitors in Hermiston Monday night. Mr. Chisholm is connected with the Ellis Feed Store here.

PEARSON ENLARGES SERVICE STATION IN WASHINGTON.

J. G. Pearson, well known Hermiston garage and service station man, left the first of the week for Castle Rock, Wn., where he will enlarge his service station business by adding cabins and auto park. The station is located approximately one and one-half miles north of Castle Rock and will be known as the "Evergreen Park." Harvey Cook and J. H. Cook, both formerly of Hermiston, now located at Kelso, Wn., will do the carpenter work for Mr. Pearson.

The local station will be operated by Walter Pearson with the assistance of B. A. Doyle. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson will return to Hermiston in about a month to move their furniture to their new location where their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKenzie, have been operating the Castle Rock station. Mr. Pearson has approximately 12 acres of land there.

MORE DEATHS BY MOTOR

CAR ACCIDENTS IN 1933.

More deaths, fewer accidents and fewer injured are Oregon's motor car accident record in 1933 as compared to the year previous.

Two hundred and forty-six persons lost their lives in 1933 as compared to 227 deaths in 1932. This stands as 19 more deaths, or an increase of 8 per cent.

A total of 4315 persons were injured in 1933 as compared to 4384 in 1932, a decrease of 69.

As for total accidents, there were 20,248 in 1933 as compared to 20,822 in 1932, a decrease of 574.

Boy Scouts to Walla Walla.

Thirty-nine Boy Scouts from Umatilla, Irrigon and Hermiston attended a district mobilization of the Blue Mountain Council at Walla last Saturday where they heard a radio address by President Roosevelt. The President outlined a program whereby the Boy Scouts of America could assist in relief work. Plans were laid for the carrying out of this work in each local community. No mishaps occurred on the trip until the school bus in which the boys were riding, reached the edge of town, and then the cap came off the wheel, letting the hub down. No great damage was done and no boys hurt.

"Cynara" Among Best Pictures.

"Cynara," from the international stage success, is a perfect vehicle for the inimitable talents of Ronald Coleman, and will show at the Oasis theatre Sunday and Monday.

Indeed, even the suave, urbane Colman has made few pictures more artistic and entertaining than this one. Advance reports from Hollywood—and from disinterested observers, too—had placed "Cynara" far up in the list of the season's best efforts.

LEGION AUXILIARY NOTES

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary were entertained at a bridge luncheon by the Heppner Unit Saturday afternoon as a reward for winning a recent membership contest between the two units. The St. Valentine motif was used and the visiting members report having a delightful time. Mrs. Geo. Storey won high honors during the afternoon's play. Those attending were: Mrs. Rena Waterman, Mrs. F. L. Kelley, Mrs. W. L. Hamm, Mrs. George Storey, Mrs. O. K. Mudge, Mrs. James Todd, Mrs. Lyle Tilden, Mrs. Peter Castirc, Mrs. Alice Stone, Mrs. E. E. McPherson, Mrs. A. W. Christopherson, Mrs. Garnet D. Best, and Mrs. J. M. Norton.

Another public card party will be given Thursday, February 22, in the American Legion hall, with Mrs. E. E. McPherson acting as chairman. Every Auxiliary member should try and be present and invite their friends to come.

NEC DIRECTOR FOR OREGON

WILL GIVE RADIO ADDRESS.

Portland, Feb. 14 (Special)—Acting on a suggestion from President Roosevelt, Edgar Freed, National Emergency Council, Director for Oregon, will go before the people of the state in a radio address to be presented as a joint program at 9:45 p.m. Friday, February 16, over radio stations KGW and KEX, Portland.

Mr. Freed will explain the formation of NEC, its aim and functions. In the radio address Friday, he returned this week from Washington, D.C., after a series of conferences with the ranking heads of the Federal Recovery program and the other 47 State Directors of NEC.

Conducts Funeral of Pioneer.

O. W. Payne motored to Mayville, Ore., Tuesday where he conducted funeral services for Jean Smith, 74, pioneer Gilliam county wheat farmer and county commissioner, whom he had known for ten years. Mr. Payne said that it was one of the largest funerals he had ever conducted. Interment was made in the Mayville cemetery.

Named Secretary of State.

P. J. Stadelman of The Dalles was sworn in as Oregon's secretary of state by Justice P. R. Kelley of the supreme court last Friday, February 9. He immediately took over the duties of the office which were left unmanned by the death of Hal E. Ross, Tuesday, February 6.

"Life in the Raw"

"Life in the Raw," the new Zane Grey story with George O'Brien in the featured role, is a worthy vehicle for the combined efforts of the leading writer and the leading portrayer of western romance. It is the new Fox production to show at the Oasis theatre Friday and Saturday.

Weather Report.

Date	Max.	Min.
February 8	56	35
February 9	55	26
February 10	51	20
February 11	53	26
February 12	53	19
February 13	55	20
February 14	55	20
Precipitation was .13 for week.		

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Rev. W. A. Briggs, pastor of the Methodist church, is attending a regional conference of the church at The Dalles this week. Some of the outstanding leaders of the church were present at this meeting, including Dr. Bovard, head of the educational work. Dr. M. A. Dauber, head of the rural work of the church, Dr. Diffendorfer, head of the Board of Foreign Missions, and Bishop Titus Lowe, of the Portland area, were among those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Clark entertained at dinner at their home southwest of town Saturday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richards and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Alice Stone entertained Monday night at dinner with covers laid for Mrs. F. B. Swayze, Mrs. H. T. Fraser, Mrs. A. W. Prann, Mrs. C. M. Jackson, Mrs. B. J. Nation, Mrs. Georgia Henderson and the hostess.

CUB CERTIFICATE AWARDED PACK BY EXECUTIVE HAYES

FATHER AND SON BANQUET ATTENDED BY 150.

Seventeen Boys Receive Memberships In Pack No. 161; Fine Entertainment Recognized.

An outstanding event during the year for Boy Scouts of Hermiston, Irrigon and Umatilla was the annual Father and Son banquet Monday night in the basement of the Methodist church. Approximately 75 fathers entertained their sons at the big affair of the year, making a record crowd for any similar banquet held in Hermiston at a previous time.

Oscar Payne, scoutmaster for the Hermiston troop, is to be congratulated for his success in promoting the work here, and in carrying out the annual banquet for the fathers and sons.

One of the highlights of the meeting was the presentation of Cub certificate by Robert R. Hayes, scout executive of the Blue Mountain Council, to a group of seventeen boys which will permit them to carry "Cub" cards as members of Pack No. 161, a branch of the Boy Scouts of America. Boys who have qualified for their card include David Hamm, Thomas Fraser, Jack Briggs, Russell Demorro, Oscar Payne, Billie Nation and Harold Briggs. The remaining boys will be eligible for the same award within the next few weeks: Eugene Miller, Gale Felthouse, Frankie McKenzie, Robert Miller, Albert Stone, Wayne Sage, Bobby Smith, Allan Clarke, Lowell Stater and Claude Stamper.

The Cub Scouts, consisting of boys up to the age of 12 years, have been trained during the past year by W. A. Briggs, assisted by a committee of R. H. McAtee, H. J. Shillings, and H. T. Fraser. These boys have been trained and prepared for the life of a Boy Scout.

Another portion of the evening's entertainment which particularly pleased the boys was a narrative given by Robert R. Hayes, their friend and counselor, as he pictured the route he would take if he had his life to live over again. He stressed growth, physically, mentally, and spiritually as the main developments in a boy's life, and suggested a number of ways in which the boys might be benefited.

At the close of his clever talk Mr. Hayes surprised the boys by again presenting the Hermiston troop with the Roosevelt award—a red, white and blue banner, and also presented one to Irrigon troop No. 64. Difficult qualifications had been fulfilled by members of both troops before they could achieve this award. Mr. Hayes stated that only fifty percent of the troops in the (Continued on last page)

ALONG THE CONCRETE

Coach Cochran was seen buying garden seed Saturday. A sure sign of spring.

The sound of a watch being wound was heard in the back of the room at the Farm Bureau meeting Friday.

If you plan to attend the dance at Westland school house Saturday you can count on getting stung by the "Yellow Jackets"—the new dance band that will furnish the music.

A country is getting pretty far in the red when the bill collecting agencies can't pay their own bills. Some of the boys were disappointed Monday because they were unable to persuade Al Q. that he should furnish them with cigars, sodas, candy bars, etc., after he had returned from a week end trip. But Al said it took more than the story told by his Pals to do the trick.

The circus was in town again Saturday with its brass band parading down Main street advertising the big show, while the publicity man and manager barged into business houses and sold tickets. This time the kids secured the Knerr residence for their performance.

O. O. Felthouse received a "ducky" valentine from the "Lollypop Twins" two fair admirers who ride to and from school on the bus, said to be Helen J. and Fern L.

