

HOP INDUSTRY ADVANCES ON IRRIGATION PROJECT

SURPLUS HOLDS MARKET AT LOW LEVEL.

Two New Yards Planted This Spring; Second and Third Year Yields Expected to be Large.

Hop acreage on the Hermiston and nearby projects has increased this year and all hop yards show indications of a fine yield.

O. T. Lockridge, one of the original hop growers here whose yard is giving its third year yield, secured an average production of a ton per acre from his 3 1/2-acre yard last year.

Mr. Lockridge will start top training along the trellis this week. He and his nephew Kenneth Athey have done practically all of their own work this year, which, Mr. Lockridge believes, will keep the cost of production at a lower level than it was last year.

Mr. Lockridge has accepted the drying contract for other growers on the project for the season, since his large kiln, completed more than a year ago, is adequate to take care of all the hops produced on the 48 1/2 acres planted to hops in this district.

The L. W. Dickson 10-acre yard on the old Briggs place in Columbia district planted to slip roots secured from Mr. Lockridge this year, shows signs of a remarkable growth and production of fine baby hops.

Another first year yard is the 8-acre put in by Ted Nedeau, just north of the Geo. Strohman place. Mr. Nedeau secured crown roots from growers in Yakima valley.

Other second year hop yards which have good stands this year are those put in by Paul Miller near Stanfield, J. A. Scott south of town and W. O. Whitsett in Columbia district.

Miller has a good stand this year after filling in with 7000 slip roots secured from Lockridge. He has finished training and will soon be ready to top train on the trellis.

Scott's stand last year was very poor but by filling in with 1600 slip roots this spring his stand is nearly 100 per cent and shows prospects of a fine crop. He has also completed training.

W. O. Whitsett trellised his 8-acre yard this year and is now training. He had a good stand last year but has been unable to move his crop since the hop market remained at such a low level during the year.

The first venture in hop growing ever attempted on this project was made three years ago by Mr. Lockridge and the soil and climatic conditions have proved to be adaptable in the fall of the year large crews are hired to harvest the crop.

STANFIELD NEWS

Mrs. Ella Campbell of Modesto, Calif., is spending an extended visit with her son R. B. Campbell, who is depot agent at Stanfield.

Mrs. Edna Despain and her sister Mrs. E. Sullivan of Roseburg are here visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laird, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Laird and Miss Clara Beebe attended the Rose Show in Portland Sunday.

C. M. McCall and Fred Depperman left Sunday for Portland to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Laird of North Bonneville visited at the home of the former's parents over the week end. Mr. Harry Bartholomew and daughter returned home with them Sunday evening.

Frank Sloan left Tuesday for Portland to attend Masonic Grand Lodge. Miss Billie Hedrick left Monday for California with Dr. and Mrs. H. Brown for an extended visit.

Miss Katherine Cooper stopped in Stanfield Monday to visit Miss Elva Berry. She was on her way to Pullman, Wn., from Marshfield where she has been teaching.

Miss Florence Hutton left for La Grande Friday to visit her sister Marlan for a week.

Mrs. Gilbert McKay, Mrs. Jim McKay and Miss Irene McKay of San Francisco, Calif., are here visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. K. McKown.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waterman of Thorne, Wn., and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carnes of Clatskanie arrived Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoskins to spend the summer.

Homers Hedrick and son Charles and Harry Wessell and son Bud returned from Ukiah Saturday.

T. C. Baker and family left Sunday for Portland where Mr. Baker will attend a six weeks summer school.

Mrs. Lennie Bender and children Evelyn and Walter of Portland are visiting at the homes of Messrs John, Jack and Jake Rueber. The Bender family is en route to Chicago.

RESIGNATION OF SCOUTMASTER ACCEPTED BY COMMITTEE

The resignation of Scoutmaster O. W. Payne was accepted Wednesday evening by the troop committee of Boy Scout Troop No. 56, at a court of honor meeting. Earl Watson and Lester Flannigan passed requirements for first class scouting by demonstrating the new requirements for first class scouts.

The court of honor was held at the Herald office with Guy Amsberry M. L. Watson and Al Quiring acting as the court of honor.

The following resignation was read and accepted by the committee: "Greetings: It is with the utmost regret that I am led to submit my resignation as Scoutmaster of Troop 56 to become effective at once.

"I wish to state that our working together has been of the utmost pleasure and my sincere best wishes are for the Troop and the Committee as well as the forward march of Scouting.

O. W. Payne." Mr. Payne has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church at Brownsville, Ore., which will take him away from the work here.

COLUMBIA PARK BOARD URGES CARE OF GROUNDS.

It has come to the attention of the Columbia Park board that some picnickers are rather thoughtless when leaving the park, and fail to carry their garbage and trash with them. Complaint has also been made that tables have been taken down.

Perhaps everyone does not know that this park has no paid caretaker, and depends almost wholly upon donation work by interested people.

Therefore it is very essential that all users do their part in keeping it in shape. People in charge of a picnic should be responsible for the grounds. Let us have your cooperation, please.

COLUMBIA PARK BOARD. Frigidaire to Mrs. Geo. Wagner.

The second number at the frigidaire drawing last Friday night was held by Mrs. Geo. Wagner, which was 4752. A previous number, 1942, was not held by any person present.

Little Minnie Riley and J. A. Clarke assisted the management during the awarding.

IRRIGON NEWS

Ralph Minnick from the CCC camp is visiting his father, Roy Minnick and family this week.

Don Isom spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Isom the past week. His camp is now stationed at Tollgate for the summer.

Mrs. Maurice Burchett and daughter Esther motored up from Kelso, Wn., Wednesday for a few days visit with friends.

R. Suddarth received the sad news of his mother's death Monday.

Otto Elsie returned from California Tuesday.

Roy Bedwell had the misfortune to run the prong of a pitch fork nearly through his left hand Wednesday while working in the hay.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bowler and Rev. Crawford were among the business visitors in Hermiston Wednesday.

Edward and Francis Markham from La Grande are here for a visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Markham.

A birthday dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell Friday honoring Mrs. Caldwell. The occasion was also the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell's thirty-third wedding anniversary, and their daughter and son-in-law's anniversary. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, third anniversary. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clair Caldwell and two daughters, Alvin and Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith and son John Smith, and Rev. Crawford. Friends extend their best wishes for many happy returns of the day.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Warner who have attended Yale University the past year, visited Mr. Warner's mother, Mrs. James Warner, his brother, Harvey Warner, and sister, Mrs. Bette Rand, Saturday. Rev. and Mrs. Warner are in Oregon for a short stay and will again return to the east to make their permanent home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brace have their old house wrecked and will erect a new residence on the same site. Work will begin at once with Ernest Fagerstrom in charge of the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Brace motored to The Dalles Sunday for a short visit with relatives.

Barney Endrice from near Spokane, Wn., is visiting his cousin, Frankie Leitch.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevers from Union, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. Will Stevers from Carmelia, Ore., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bedwell, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Simmons, who are en route to Liberia, were in charge of the services at the Pentecostal church Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas and family, Mrs. Warner from Boardman and Mr. Jackson from Umatilla attended services at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon.

Frank and Marvell Connell from the CCC camp at Tollgate spent the week end with their parents.



MISS CLARABEL NYE State Leader, Home Economics Extension

Who will direct the Homemaker's Vacation Camp activities at Frazier Creek, June 26 to 31.

CHESTER JOHNSON EXPECTED IN OREGON DURING JUNE.

Chester Johnson, cadet at West Point, is expected in Oregon some time within the next two weeks on his first furlough in two years. He left West Point June 12 with three companions who are motoring through to Oregon.

Chester is a graduate of Hermiston Union high school and received the appointment to West Point through Senator Steiwer.

SCHOOL BOARD WILL CONSIDER REVISED BUILDING PLANS

After due consideration of plans for the Hermiston Union high school building furnished by architects Tourtelotte & Hummell of Portland, the school board for District No. 9 authorized the revision of plans to entail less cost to the district.

Mr. Tourtelotte was present at the meeting and will have new plans ready for the next meeting which will be held Tuesday, June 18.

FLORA-WELLS.

Miss Juanita Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Wells, and Lawson H. Flora, Jr., were married Monday, June 10, at Pasco, Wn. Flora is the son of Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Flora and has lived in Hermiston for more than a year. Mrs. Flora is a graduate of the Hermiston Union high school and is well known here.

Payne Goes To Brownsville.

Rev. O. W. Payne has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church at Brownsville, Ore., and will take over the pastorate the last week in June. Rev. Payne has enrolled at Albany College and will complete his college course by attending summer school. The family expects to move within the next two weeks.

Millions Adore Shirley Temple.

Following the success of "Bright Eyes" and "The Little Colonel," Shirley Temple has been given a picture that appeals to young and old. It is "Our Little Girl," coming to the Oasie theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Here Shirley, sensational star, is revealed as a dramatic artist, a real child beloved by millions.

She is the typical child, and does what every child does. She plays with other children, dances, enjoys a picnic, attends a grand circus.

Devoted to her parents, she brings them together when a rift separates them.

Rosemary Ames and Joel McCrea head the fine supporting cast.

School Election June 24.

One director will be elected to the board of school district No. 9, at the annual election Monday, June 24, which will be held between 2:00 and 7:00 P. M. A. D. Smith, who will be retiring as president of the board, is up for re-election.

Auto Repair Shop Opens.

An auto repair shop was opened this week by Carl Hall and Claud Wilcox in the building formerly occupied by A. W. Turnblad, under the L.O.O.F. hall. Hall will act as mechanic and Wilcox as machinist.

Notice of Annual School Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of the Union High School District No. 9, of Umatilla County, State of Oregon, that the Annual School meeting of said District will be held at the school house, to begin at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M. on the fourth Monday in June, being the 24th day of June, A. D. 1935, and hold until 7:00 P. M.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing one Director and the transaction of business usual at such meetings.

Dated this 24th day of June, 1935. R. A. BROWNSON, Dist. Clerk. A. D. SMITH, Chairman, Board of Directors. (June 6 - 13 - 20)

CCC CAMP BEING CONSTRUCTED NEAR STANFIELD SCHOOL.

STANFIELD, Ore., June 12 (Special)—Lieutenant J. D. Killgreen is now in charge of operations for construction of a government CCC camp on the school grounds adjacent to the school building south of Stanfield. Lieutenant Killgreen and twelve CCC boys arrived here Saturday morning and have been clearing and leveling land for the erection of mess hall, office building and sleeping quarters.

Temporary electrical service lines have been run to the grounds by the Hermiston Light & Power Company of Hermiston which serves this territory and wiring is being directed by Harry McMillan, also of Hermiston. Telephone service connections have also been made.

Due to previous application for rehabilitation and canal work on the Stanfield project, it is believed this is the purpose of stationing these boys at Stanfield, although no official report has been released.

LUCKY FISHERMAN GETS LOST ROD AND BIG FISH.

Floyd Ober, brother of Fred Ober of Hermiston, who lives at The Dalles, Ore., went fishing last week and lost his fishing rod, so the story goes. When he borrowed another and continued fishing he reeled in his line—plus a 31-pound sturgeon.

AUTO LICENSE EXAMINER WILL BE HERE JUNE 29.

C. M. Bentley, operators' and chauffeurs' examiner, will be in Hermiston again Saturday, June 29, between 9:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M., at the city library. Blanks for renewal of driver's licenses may be secured at either the Herald office, City Recorder's office or the Rohman garage.

Experiences Nebraska Flood.

G. T. Reed, who plans to locate somewhere in the Pacific Northwest, visited Hermiston Wednesday telling of the ravage of flood waters on the Republican river in Nebraska where he was a prosperous business man and farmer. Flood waters, he said, have destroyed all bridges on the river for 250 miles, inundated 85 miles of railroad, taken a toll of 250 lives and at least 8000 head of cattle. Mr. Reed was pleased with the appearance of farms in the Boise valley in Idaho but planned to visit the Willamette valley before deciding upon a location.

POWELL-DEXTER.

Miss Dolores Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Powell of La Grande, Ore., became the bride of Yallas Dexter, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dexter of Irrigon, at a pretty wedding in the home of the bride's parents, Saturday, June 1. Miss Constance Bailey of La Grande acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Maxwell Jones as best man. Both attended the Eastern Oregon Normal and will make their home in La Grande.

Hammon to Alaska.

Everett Hammon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hammon of Hermiston, sailed June 1 from Seattle for Circle, Alaska, where he will be employed by the Northern Alaska School of Mines near Circle, which is located near the head of the Yukon river. He will be employed there until October.

Cooking School Next Week.

Miss Gray and Mr. Guernsey of the Monarch Home Service Department will conduct a two-day cooking school Tuesday and Wednesday, June 11 and 12, in the building formerly occupied by Kingsley's store on Main street, for the Oregon Hardware & Implement Co. The school will open at 1:30 each afternoon and will continue until 5:00 p. m.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

R. C. Todd of Hermiston accompanied his daughter, Mrs. G. E. Holt of Pendleton to Yakima last Sunday where they attended a wedding of Dr. Holt's niece, Miss Evelyn Holt who became the bride of Faulkner Holt at a lovely wedding in the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon. The bride is the daughter of Dr. Wm. Holt of Yakima.

The Misses Shirley Brownson and Mary Brownson returned home Saturday morning from Corvallis and coast points. Mary just completed her junior year at OSC and Shirley has spent the past week visiting friends at Corvallis and at coast points. She taught at Heppner last year and has a contract to teach in the Pendleton schools for the coming school term.

Mrs. R. C. McReynolds, Miss Margaret Hedwall and M. G. Hedwall motored to Portland Friday where they visited relatives and attended the Rose Festival. They returned late Sunday accompanied by Mrs. A. Wahl and daughter Bernice of Astoria, and by Jane Jackson who has been visiting her sister in Portland for some time. Mrs. Wahl and Bernice plan to visit their daughter and sister, Lenore Wahl, for the next four weeks.

A group of Christian Endeavorers motored to Umatilla Sunday evening where they attended a joint meeting held on the school house lawn, led by Mrs. Bernice Bramer. They were: Mrs. Chas. Duvall, Edna Turnblad, Virginia Dyer, Pauline Stoop, Jack Tillery, Harvey DeMoss, Ed Hall, Woodrow Whitsett, Alvin George, Harold Busell, Edith Clarke, Opal and Clement Stokard, J. A. Clarke and Rev. C. R. Moore.

HENNING WILL RECEIVE A B. DEGREE; MANY OTHER LOCALS.

Clarence Henning left Friday for Cheney, Wn., where he will enter Cheney Normal to complete his A.B. degree. His mother and brother Oren will make their home here this summer. They are living in the Ross house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McAtee.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stockard of Columbia district are the parents of a baby daughter born Friday, June 7, at their home. She has been named Patricia.

Mrs. Florence Garner Davis of North Bend, Ore., and her daughter, Miss Ruth Davis of Portland, who have been visiting at the A. P. Garner home, left Wednesday by stage for their homes.

Mrs. Ralph Freese and daughter Carol of Portland are the house guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Christopherson, who returned from Portland Monday after spending the week end there. Mrs. Freese is Dr. Christopherson's sister.

Glenn Hammon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hammon, who has been a student at Bellingham Normal in Washington, returned home this week to spend the summer with his parents.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Williams and granddaughter Mary Francis and grandson Wm. Durand of Portland visited with Miss Emogene Paul for a short while Monday en route to Pendleton.

Mrs. O. C. Pierce and daughter Marlan spent the week end at Culver, Ore., with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott of Pendleton who motored down with Miss Winifred Osborn who will make her home there with her parents for the summer. They returned Monday afternoon.

Mrs. E. C. Schofield was hostess at contract bridge Saturday and Monday afternoons at the home of her mother Mrs. W. J. Warner. Mrs. E. L. Jackson won high honors Saturday and Mrs. N. R. Mueller high honors Monday.

Miss Florence Udey of Portland, arrived home Saturday and will spend a two week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Udey of Columbia district. Mrs. Udey and Florence motored to Pendleton Tuesday on business.

Miss Edna Ott and Walther Ott returned home last week from Corvallis where they have been attending O.S.C. Edna finished her first year and Walther completed some special work at the college.

Mrs. Rena Waterman left Monday evening for Portland where she will visit her son Dr. E. A. Waterman for a short while before going to Bend to spend the summer with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Waterman.

Chas. Carnes of Clatskanie, Ore., is substituting at the Grange Co-operative this week during the illness of Roy Penney, who is confined to his home with the mumps. Mr. and Mrs. Carnes are spending the summer at the Hoskins home in Stanfield.

Walter Cochran motored to Portland Sunday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Dave Middlesdorf and son David, and Mrs. Frank Fowler. Mrs. Fowler has been visiting friends on the project for the past two weeks and will remain at her home in Portland.

Mrs. Claudine Gwinn and son Rex left Sunday with her father, C. D. Ellis for Harrington, Wn., where she joined her brother before going on to her former home at Okenogan. Mrs. Gwinn expects to return to Hermiston within the next two weeks, after arranging to move her household furniture.

C. M. Dexter of near Umatilla recently sold his farm to a Mr. Haley of Battle Ground, Wn., who plans to take possession in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Dexter will leave some time next week for their home at Battle Ground. They are making the change due to Mr. Dexter's health.

A group of young people presented a musical program to mothers and friends in the basement of the Methodist church Tuesday. Appearing on the program were Velma Amsherry, Louis Laughlin, Dorothy and Rebecca Pierson, Wayne Sager, Jack Briggs, David Hamm and Althea Briggs.

Miss Marjorie Buraham returned home last Thursday from Ellensburg Normal where she graduated last Wednesday, majoring in primary work. She accompanied her mother, Mrs. J. S. Burnham, her sister, Mary Burnham, and Mrs. Miles Barager who had attended the commencement exercises.

The Misses Shirley and Mary Brownson, Betty Ralph and Anna Ray Martin motored to Pendleton Wednesday afternoon to attend the wedding of a sorority sister, Miss Helen Somppi, who became the bride of Floyd McDonald, at 5:00 P. M. in the Church of the Redeemer, with the Rt. Rev. William R. Remington reading the ceremony.

Miss Miriam Swarner, Lawrence Swarner and Emol Sater motored to Corvallis a week ago where they attended commencement exercises at O.S.C. at which Miss Gladys Swarner graduated, receiving her degree in education. Lawrence remained in Wilsonville, Ore., to visit friends but Miss Swarner and Mr. Sater returned to Hermiston Wednesday.

The Missionary Society of the Hermiston Union church met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Saylor on Butter Creek Wednesday for an all day meeting. After a pot luck dinner at noon Mrs. W. G. Dyer led the business session of the meeting, during which Dan Lindsay passed with a vocal solo. Among those present were Grandma Ellis, Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Moore, Miss Mary Ellis, Mrs. F. L. Moore, Mrs. A. M. Smith, Mrs. Levi Reeder, Mrs. Chas. Duvall, Mrs. A. W. Turnblad and daughter Edna and Mrs. Dan Lindsay.

TEAMS RETAIN POSITIONS IN BASEBALL LEAGUE

UMATILLA HOLDS TOP PLACE, 7 WON, 2 LOST.

Hermiston Advances Within One Game of Second Place; Defeats Stanfield 22-7.

League Standing.

Table with 2 columns: Team, W. L. Umatilla 7 2, Echo 5 4, Hermiston 4 5, Stanfield 2 7

Hermiston advanced within one game of second place in the Irrigation Baseball League Sunday as it defeated Stanfield 22-7, after Stanfield opened with a battery of four runs in the first inning.

Things tightened up in the second inning and in the third Hermiston scored three runs, tying the score in the third when Harris slugged a three base hit followed by a two base hit by Shafer. Kopacz pitched air-tight ball in the fifth with three straight batters taking to the bench.

In the sixth Hermiston again put across two runs against a triple fan for Stanfield. Worthington, Longhorn and Klages crossed the home plate in the seventh.

A few of the Stanfield hitters got acquainted with the offerings of Kopacz in the last two innings, driving three of the tallies home, against seven by the locals.

Harris chalked up one three base hit in the fourth; Shafer, J. Kopacz, R. Longhorn and Wallace two base hits. Thirteen batters struck out by Kopacz for Hermiston, and five for Stanfield by Winnett.

Umatilla still heads the league after losing to Echo in Sunday's game. By winning all games played during the remainder of the season it is possible for Hermiston to tie Umatilla.

Hermiston will meet Umatilla here Sunday and Echo will play Stanfield at Echo.

July 4th Picnic Planned.

Another individual picnic is being arranged for July 4th in Columbia Park by a number of the Columbia residents. No definite plans have been made as yet, but it is understood that a program will be given in the morning, and possibly a speaker for the afternoon.

Everyone who enjoys this kind of a picnic is welcome to come and bring the family and basket.

BOARDMAN NEWS

Miss Maxine Ballenger of The Dalles visited here last week with her uncle, Harry Murchie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gorham and daughter Mardel were guests Sunday at the Roy Wolfe home at Blacklock.

Chloe Barlow and Echo Coats are ill this week with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Blayden and family of Kennewick spent Sunday here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Blayden.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynne Ranney and daughter Phyllis and Mr. Ranney's sister left Monday on a motor trip to Seattle.

The Ladies Aid Social meeting was held last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. A. Macomber. A large number of ladies were present. Refreshments were served by Mesdames Guy Barlow, Arthur Allen, J. F. Barlow, N. A. Macomber, and Bryce Dillabough.

Mrs. H. B. Thomas spent several days in Portland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mead and Cathryn of Wallowa visited during the week end at the Bryce Dillabough home. Paul Mead, who is working at The Dalles, spent Sunday here with his parents. Allen Dillabough returned to Wallowa with the Meads.

Basil Cramer of Colville motored here last Friday for a few days visit at the home of his grandparents.

Allan Chaffee left Saturday for Eugene where he will work during the summer.

The father of George and Robert Mitchell is visiting with them this week.

L. W. Compton and daughter Virginia spent several days in Portland last week.

G. F. Harford, Ada May and Marguerite spent the week end in Portland attending the Rose Festival.

ALONG THE CONCRETE

Batie Rand, who works at the Rohman Garage, had to call on Dan Follett to boost him into town early one morning this week because he was out of gas. The shoemaker never has his shoes properly soled and the garage man runs out of gas.

Hugo Pankow is starting his car with a gas bomb now. Geo. Harkenrider and Dave Middlesdorf seem to be implicated, however. It really looked as though the car was burning up when the starter set the bomb off.