

JESSIE B. BRIERLEY BUYS VARIETY STORE

AMSBERRYS GO TO BLAINE, WASH.

Amsberry's variety store was taken over this week by Jessie B. Brierley, who will commence operations the first of next week. The new owner purchased The Style Shop, a ladies' ready to wear store, last year but plans to dispose of it soon. She has resigned her position as teacher in the Hermiston Union high school after many years of service.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Amsberry have operated the store since August 7th, 1933, and are locating at Blaine, Wn., where they have purchased another variety store. They are leaving this locality because of the illness of their son, feeling that his health will be better in the coast country.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Amsberry have been active in civic and community affairs during their stay in Hermiston. Mrs. Amsberry has been president of the American Legion Auxiliary and an active member of other civic groups. Mr. Amsberry is an active Legionnaire and has served on many important committees serving in the community.

Amsberry, in a statement to the Herald, said: "It is with the keenest regret that Mrs. Amsberry and myself leave Hermiston. We have spent four very happy years here and found some of the finest people on earth right here. Hermiston as a community has better prospects than the average and we assure you that it is not lack of confidence that causes us to place our lot elsewhere."

Miss Brierley expects to dispose of her dress shop and will devote full time to the store. She has lived in Hermiston for many years and is well known in the west end of Umatilla county. The community wishes her success in her new venture.

MISS HEDWALL BRIDE GARDEN WEDDING

The marriage of Miss Margaret Hedwall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hedwall of Hermiston, and Mr. Morris Pierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Pierson of La Grande, was solemnized last Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at a lovely garden wedding at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McReynolds. Rev. R. R. Finkbeiner of the Methodist church read the service.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a princess dress of pale pink organza over taffeta, with a veil of matching net of finger-tip length. She carried a fan bouquet of pink roses and blue delphinium.

Mrs. McReynolds, the bride's sister and only attendant, wore a dress of green organdie and gold gros-grain ribbon, with a green and gold off-the-face hat. She carried a fan bouquet of gladioli and snapdragons.

Glenn Pierson, brother of the groom, was best man.

A reception followed, and Miss Ruth Pierson of La Grande finished cutting and serving the wedding cake. Mrs. F. B. Belt, Miss Snow McCoy and Mrs. Neil Boynton assisted about the rooms, which were decorated with white tapers and flowers.

Out-of-town guests were the bride's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hedwall of Wenatchee, Wn., Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Pierson, father and mother of the groom from La Grande, Ruth and Dale Pierson, brother and sister of the groom, Glenn Pierson of Spokane, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pierson and son Lenn of La Grande and Mr. and Mrs. W. Pierson of La Grande.

Following a trip to Oregon beaches Mr. and Mrs. Pierson will be at home at the Royal Court Apartments in Spokane where Mr. Pierson is an instructor in Kinman Business college.

County Court Visits.

The Umatilla county court inspected roads in the west end of Umatilla county Wednesday and spent some time in Hermiston. Among them were County Judge Carl Chambers, Sam Ingles and Wm. Meiners, commissioners. A. C. McIntyre, district attorney, was also a business visitor in town Wednesday.

RETIRED POSTMAN HONORED

J. A. Reeves was honored at a surprise party by a group of friends Tuesday evening at his home in the east part of town. Twenty men walked in on him to pay their respects on the event of his retirement from many years of service as rural carrier on Hermiston mail routes. His hobby is fishing and they presented him with a split bamboo fishing rod and reel.

For 21 years and nine months Reeves served as mail carrier, beginning when the first route was established. He started with an old team of horses and open buggy and in the following winter secured a closed mail wagon and three mules which he alternated on the route, giving each mule a day's rest, in turn, from the heavy drag over new sandy roads. A year later he bought a model T Ford pick-up, and in '29 a model A; later he purchased a V-8, using a total of nine cars in the service.

The period during which he covered the route was an average of 302 days a year, or a total of 6566 days. The average distance he estimates at about 40 miles a trip, making a total distance covered of approximately 262,640 miles. He kept no record of days off but estimated that a substitute carried the route only ten days each year.

Because of this long, continuous service, under the rules of the postal department, he is permitted to retire with a comfortable pension for the remainder of his life.

TOWNSEND CLUB MEETS AUGUST 17

The Townsend club will meet August 17th and a basket social with the sale of the lady member's feet will be the entertainment feature of the evening. Ladies are requested to bring boxes or baskets containing refreshments for a couple.

Glenn C. Wade, district manager of Townsend clubs, will be in eastern Oregon, August 22nd, and will hold a special meeting here to which other clubs are invited. He will tell of his trip to national headquarters in Chicago. A committee will be appointed to arrange a program for the evening on that date.

The public is invited to attend all Townsend club meetings and is given a special invitation to the August 22nd meeting.

The Townsend club wishes to thank L. W. Dixon for permitting club members to sell refreshments at the dance held last Saturday night. Also to thank the business houses giving donations.

New Turkey Tour Feature.

Plans for the turkey tour August 21st are going forward and Jay T. Pierson, assistant county agent, has announced that Noel L. Bennion, new extension poultryman at O.S.C., will be in attendance. Another feature of the tour will be a demonstration put on by local 4-H club boys and girls. A sports program is being arranged by A. E. Bensen. A complete program for the day will be published next week.

Neill Home From Range.

Roy Neill has just returned from his sheep range near Glacier Park in Montana. While there he shipped two cars of lambs to St. Paul, Minn., and while not striking the best market, sold for 10 cents. He says that the entire eastern part of Montana and western North Dakota has no crops in sight along the railroads. The ranges where he has his sheep are in excellent condition.

Logan Appointed Postmaster.

The following item appeared in the East Oregonian Tuesday: "President Roosevelt sent to the senate today for confirmation the following postmaster nomination: Oregon-Hermiston, Wm. E. Logan." Mr. Logan has been serving as acting postmaster for the past two months, but has not received any official communication regarding his appointment.

Pendleton Lodge Will Visit.

Members of the Eureka Lodge No. 22, I.O.O.F., of Pendleton, will visit the Vineyard Lodge No. 206 at Hermiston next Monday evening at its regular meeting and will furnish refreshments and entertainment. All members are requested to be present to enjoy this association of the neighboring lodge.

STANFIELD ON RADIO PROGRAM

The City of Stanfield will be represented on a radio program Saturday, August 14th, over KEX in Portland at 3:15 in the afternoon, as a participant in the dedication ceremonies of the new KGW broadcasting station tower. An invitation came from the station and the Sagebrush Wranglers will present a number. They are composed of Geo. McDermott, Don Refvem, Billy Penney, Raymond Meade and Raymond Beebe.

Advertising of Stanfield and the irrigation project will also be presented on the 3:15 program. The Stanfield Commercial club is sponsoring the Sagebrush Wranglers and M. Refvem, president of the club, and H. R. Wessell, secretary, appreciate the opportunity to be represented in this broadcast. Wilbur Cedardale deserves much credit for arranging this broadcast and appreciation of his efforts was expressed by the club members.

DE MOSS-MYERS.

The marriage of Miss Marjorie Myers of North Powder and Harvey DeMoss was announced this week. The ceremony was performed Saturday, July 24th, at Anaconda, Montana, and the couple are making their home at Granite, Montana, where Mr. DeMoss is employed. The bride is a graduate of Monmouth Normal and taught for several years at Sheridan, Ore. Mr. DeMoss is a graduate of the Eastern Oregon Normal at La Grande and was postmaster here for more than a year.

Legion-Auxiliary Pot Luck.

The Hermiston Post of the American Legion and Auxiliary Unit will hold a joint pot luck picnic on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Amsberry next Sunday evening at 6:00 o'clock. The occasion is the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Amsberry who will leave the first of the week for Blaine, Wn., to make their home. All Legion and Auxiliary members and their families are invited to attend and asked to bring their pot luck dish and own table service.

Honey Crop Light.

Jens Skovbo reports that the honey crop this year in this district is approaching almost a failure. He has 500 stands of bees and instead of a normal flow of 25 tons of honey he does not expect over five tons for the season. Some of his hives may have to be fed through the winter since they have not stored enough for their own consumption. The reason, he believes, is that plant life is lacking in nectar. Bloom has been plentiful but due to the rains and cool weather through June, or other effects, the storage of honey has been lacking the usual amounts. Bees are active but are unable to bring home their customary sweet burdens.

Banners For Parade.

Many banners will be needed for the floats in the Umatilla Project fair parade on September 4th. They may be printed on cloth or paper and those who cannot make their own can have painters in the different towns do the work.

REPRESENTATIVE FLOATS FROM WEST END OF COUNTY TO APPEAR IN FAIR PARADE

The parade for the silver jubilee of the Umatilla Project fair September 4th, already has promises of being the most elaborate show of this kind ever presented by the Umatilla project fair board. The plan is to exhibit a pageantry of every enterprise in the west end of Umatilla county in as convincing a manner as possible to show what is here and what has been accomplished during the past 25 years of progress.

E. P. Dodd is managing and arranging the parade, and reports satisfactory results from contacts made thus far.

Each irrigated district and farm locality will be represented by appropriate floats. All the cooperative institutions will prepare representative displays. Nearly every business man is designing a float which will illustrate his part in the affairs of the community.

The experiment station will have a float on pastures. Umatilla will present its claims as a port. The round-up will be represented by the queen and attendants and a large showing of horses, cowboys and cowgirls. Premium dairy cattle and 4-H

PROJECT FAIR JUDGES SECURED

Definite word has been received from O.S.C. relative to the livestock and 4-H club judges for the Umatilla Project fair. R. E. Brooke, county agent at Grant county will judge the cattle, horses and sheep, and will arrive in Hermiston on Friday morning, September 3rd. Judging will start promptly at 8:00 o'clock and continue through Saturday until all judging is completed.

L. C. Wright, county agent of Sherman county, will judge the crop exhibits and the 4-H club demonstration and judging contests. He will arrive in Hermiston at 1:00 o'clock Thursday, September 2nd, and will remain through September 3rd until all judging is completed. Fred Cockell of Milwaukie, Ore., will judge the poultry exhibits, arriving in Hermiston Friday morning, September 3rd.

L. J. Dame of Portland will judge home economics exhibits on Friday.

Mrs. McClintock will judge the home economics exhibits. Arrangements have been made for one of the home economics specialists at the college to do the judging of the girls 4-H club exhibits.

Dr. Prime Enlarges Offices.

Dr. Frank V. Prime, dentist, and formerly of Hermiston, announces the enlargement of his office in connection with his residence at 2355 State street in Salem, by building a reception room and well equipped laboratory adjoining the operating room. He has also installed new and modern dental X-ray equipment, including a projector for enlarging the films for thorough examination, study and explanation. Dr. Prime practiced in Hermiston for many years before moving to Salem.

Morrow County Fair Premiums.

The board of directors for the North Morrow county fair has announced that premium lists have been printed and any interested person may secure one at the Irrigation or Boardman post office. The fair has been set for Friday and Saturday, September 10th and 11th. Some exceptional premiums are being offered this year and in view of the fact that crops are good the prospects are fine for a display of produce.

Turkey Picking Contest.

A turkey picking contest for the championship of the world, will again be made a feature of the Umatilla Project fair this fall. Harold G. Rankin is in charge of this event and will soon publish a list of prizes for the winners. The contest will take place the last day of the fair under rules similar to those of last year. Rankin states that he finds the interest greater this year than that manifested in the first show staged last year.

C. Warner Speaks Before CCC.

C. Warner, pastor of the Union church, motored to the CCC camp near Ukiah last Thursday where he delivered a message to members of the camp personnel. Captain Barney requested his presence and the message. Mrs. Warner and Mrs. Levi Reeder accompanied him.

THREE ACCIDENTS OVER WEEKEND

Three accidents by local people were reported over the week end involving serious injuries. J. H. Yeager and his family collided with a car driven by Bob Smith of La Grands about 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning on what is known as Hickman's curve on the highway above Echo. May Yeager suffered a broken collar bone and both cars were badly damaged.

Smiths were enroute to Hermiston to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, and the Yeagers were going picnicking.

Mrs. Grace Rice suffered a broken collar bone and other minor injuries in an accident Sunday evening on the old Holdman road. Dust from a passing car was said to have obscured the vision.

W. J. Warner, city attorney, had his car sideswiped Saturday evening at the same point in the highway that the Yeager accident occurred. No one was injured.

Hop Circular Well Received.

The second progress report on costs and practices in hop production in Oregon, which was issued in mimeographed form by the O.S.C. experiment station, has recently been reprinted by a private firm of hop merchants in New York. Hugo V. Loewi, Inc., asked permission to reprint the circular of information to give it wider distribution. Officers of the company expressed admiration for the facts developed by the Oregon State specialists, who conducted the survey. A final report of this cost study, which includes three years of records by Oregon growers, will soon be issued in bulletin form by the experiment station.

Fair Queen Nominations.

Fair queen nomination tickets purchased at the Dixon hop yard dance last Saturday night that were not turned in at that time may be dropped in a box at the Herald office or the vote cast any time prior to the evening of August 27th. The final queen dance and election will be held August 28th at the Hermiston Community park hall, at which time a queen will be elected from candidates from all districts at Stanfield, Echo, Umatilla, Hermiston, Columbia, Boardman and Irrigon. Curtis Simons has charge of the queen dances here and will conduct the final voting and election dance. Harry Kelley has charge of nominations of candidates in outlying districts.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ellis Moyer have moved into the residence on the corner of Main and Sixth from the Osborn Apartment.

Jackie Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Jackson, is expected to return home Saturday from a four weeks' stay with his grandmother, Mrs. B. Severns, at Hamilton, Mont. His father and mother plan to motor to Pasco where they will meet him Saturday evening.

Herbert Hedwall, who until a week ago was manager of the Safe-way Store here, was in town Sunday from Wenatchee, Wn., where he was transferred, to attend the wedding of his sister Miss Margaret Hedwall, who became the bride of Morris Pierson of Spokane.

A party of six from Hermiston spent the week end at Bear Wallow on Battle Mountain picking huckleberries. They included Mrs. Edna Mulkins, and children Lauretta and Lavester. Mrs. Vern Lewis, Mrs. Phillip Power, and also Mike Nodel of Milton. Altogether the party returned with 30 gallons of berries.

C. J. Buhmann and his two nephews Bob and Jean Buhmann of Zurich, Montana, spent from Sunday until Saturday last week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Buhmann, who returned to Montana with them for a week's visit.

E. B. Foster and daughter Eleanor, Mrs. M. J. Draper, Mrs. Alfred Zandell and daughter Agnes of Walla Walla, Wn., motored to Hermiston Tuesday to visit at the Charles Seeliger home in Westland district. Charles Edward and Jimmy Seeliger returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zivney returned the last of the week from a week's trip to Crater Lake, the Oregon Caves and over the Redwoods highway to Pacific City in California, and then up the Oregon coast to Newport and back to Hermiston. Mr. Zivney is employed at the Umatilla Field Station.

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DAIRY FIELD DAY PROGRAM GIVEN

IDENTIFICATION OF CROPS OFFERED

The Dairy Field Day sponsored by the Umatilla Experiment Field Station, the Umatilla-Morrow Dairy Herd Improvement association, and the Umatilla Cooperative Creamery of Hermiston, will be held Saturday, starting at 10 o'clock in the morning. All 4-H club boys and girls are invited to attend this annual field day to participate in the judging contests. Substantial prizes are being offered by the creamery and the Farm Bureau.

The program for the day is as follows:

- 10 A. M.—Field trip, Umatilla Experiment Field Station.
- 11 A. M.—Dairy cattle judging contest; Roger Morse, Extension Dairyman of Oregon Extension Service, supervising.
- 11:45 A. M.—Crops identification contest.
- 12 A. M.—Dairy Demonstration, 2 4-H club boys of West Umatilla county.
- 12:30 — Basket dinner. Each farm family will bring basket dinner. Umatilla Cooperative Creamery will furnish ice cream free and the Experiment Station will prepare coffee. Each family bring own table service.

Afternoon Program.

- W. A. Holt, County Agent, Pendleton, in charge.
- 1:30 P. M.—Results of dairy experiment conducted at the field station, by I. R. Jones, Dairy Husbandman, Oregon Experiment Station.
- 1:50 P. M.—Marketing Program of Interstate Associated Creameries, by G. A. Brown, manager.
- 2:15 P. M.—Long Time Dairy Cattle Breeding Program for Oregon Breeders by Roger Morse.
- 2:30 P. M.—Cream Grading Law; Its Effect On the Dairy Farmer. A. W. Metzger, Assistant Chief of Foods and Dairy, State Dept. of Agriculture, Salem, Or.
- 2:50 P. M.—Sports and results and prizes for judging contests. A. E. Bensen will also direct a sports program.

NEW LA GRANDE DAILY PUBLISHED

A new daily newspaper made its debut on Monday of this week. The Daily Review at La Grande, Or., published by C. J. Shorb, represents an expanded publication schedule of the Eastern Oregon Review, established weekly.

The Idaho Free Press, Nampa (Idaho) evening daily, published Monday for the first time under ownership of Bernard Mainwaring and Lucien P. Arant, who by the narrow margin of \$100 were successful bidders for the property at a sheriff's sale Saturday. Mainwaring and Arant bid \$36,600; J. T. LaFond, general manager of the newspaper, bid \$36,500 on behalf of himself and a group of Free Press employees.

The new publishers are from Baker, Or., where they own the Evening Democrat-Herald. Mainwaring was at one time publisher of the Herald.

Back from Mid-West Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Challis of Pendleton, formerly of Hermiston, have returned from a trip through Nebraska and over the line into Missouri. Challis, who was here today, said that rains had come to the relief of that region this season and crops everywhere were good, though the farmers were suffering from a grasshopper plague. The far famed dust bowl, he says, is nowhere to be found, and in parts of western Kansas wheat is in danger of rust from too much rain. In many localities he found the chief complaints from high taxes. While east they visited many former friends, including an aunt who is 90 years of age, at Joplin.

Many Catfish Transplanted.

When the lakes were drained in the north end of the Westland project thousand of catfish were found making homes there. Under the leadership of the Hermiston Rod & Gun club, these fish were largely moved to the river, small lakes, reservoir, and drainage canals, in this locality. They varied in size from a few inches to nearly one foot in length.