

Dead hopes should be buried to make room for live ones.—Between the

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Nothing turns out right unless somebody makes it his job to see that it does.—William Feather.

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WHITE ANNOUNCES BENEFITS FROM SCS PROGRAM

STANFIELD CAMP ENROLLEES DUE

A company of enrollees to arrive at Stanfield Friday will give farmers and stockmen of western Umatilla and northern Morrow counties an opportunity to obtain important aid from the Soil Conservation Service in a variety of ways to improve their land. It was announced this week by S. T. White, SCS state coordinator with headquarters at Corvallis.

The camp will be set up by the end of the month, Mr. White reports, making the labor of approximately 200 enrollees available to operators who wish to enter into cooperative plans for range development, sand dune protection and erosion control. The boys are being transferred from Pullman, Wn., another SCS camp.

Soil and water conservation demonstrations have been carried on by the Service at Athena, Gibbon, Condon, Heppner, Moro, Newberg, and Warrenton. Mr. White reports, with the aid of CCC workers, camp and project technicians. As a result of the demonstrations many farmers and stockmen in neighboring territory have voluntarily adopted practices that have been proven valuable in controlling erosion, thereby improving their land and fulfilling a primary objective of the service, he explains.

The Soil Conservation Service is a scientific bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture working in cooperation with individual farmers, the state college and other agencies to demonstrate practical methods of erosion control and soil building. Farmers are then encouraged to apply proven methods on their own farms, on a voluntary, self-help basis.

J. H. Christ is in charge of the service's operations in the three northwest states, with headquarters at Spokane, and Mr. White supervises state activities from Corvallis, in the capacity of state coordinator.

Stockmen and farmers may obtain full information from project technicians on local cooperative plans as soon as the camp is organized at Stanfield. A range and soil conservation survey in the area is planned in the near future, and a crew of men is now in the territory.

Range Survey Crew.

A range survey for the soil conservation camp at Stanfield will be made by a crew of men from the Spokane office. The men are W. R. Frandsen, N. T. Nelson, M. E. Lawrence, L. P. Miller, who will arrive some time this week to be stationed in this territory for two months in connection with the SCS camp. The camp will be inhabited by CCC enrollees after October 28th it has been announced by officials.

Amateur Hour at Columbia.

The pupils of Columbia school will present an amateur hour program Wednesday, November 2, at 8:00 p. m. Proceeds received from the program will be used for playground equipment. This is the first charge program for Columbia school in five years and everyone is asked to attend. The admission charge will be twenty-five cents and fifteen cents.

CONDON DEFEATS BULLDOGS

Condon high school defeated Hermiston Bulldogs 13 to 0 in a game on the Condon field last Friday. The first score was made in the second quarter when a pass was completed bringing the ball to Hermiston's 20 yard line and then moved to the five yard line on a penalty. The Bulldogs put up a tough battle at this point and held the line for three downs. When Condon pushed the ball over Hermiston's men were over an embankment in the street and the player fairly dove over the line.

The second touchdown came as the result of a 35 yard run as one of the players broke around end.

Ralph Marble played an outstanding game with his consistent gains through the line.

The Bulldog will meet the Mac-Hi B squad here November 4, and Heppner here November 11.

CANDIDATES FINAL FILING FRIDAY

The time limit for candidates to file for Hermiston city officers will be Friday evening, October 28, by 5:00 o'clock, in order that their names may appear on the official printed ballot for the general election November 8, 1938.

Names and offices filed to date are Charles Taylor for Recorder; Gertrude Sanders for treasurer; and for councilmen, M. L. Watson, Dr. W. L. Morgan, M. G. Hedwall, Geo. Harkenrider, Al Quiring and W. W. Felthouse.

A full set of officials are to be elected, consisting of mayor, recorder, treasurer and six councilmen. It is expected that other names will be filed with the city recorder by Friday evening.

TURKEY PICKING, GRADING PLANNED

N. L. Bennion, extension poultryman from Oregon State college, will conduct a turkey picking and grading demonstration at the fair ground in Hermiston, Monday afternoon, October 31, at 2:00 o'clock. He will be assisted by local turkey growers who will soon kill for the first Eastern Oregon Turkey Growers' association pool, November 9th and 10th.

The demonstration will emphasize the removal of wing tip feathers, which, according to the new grading law, will not be permitted this year. Instruction given will aid growers in preparing their birds in the best possible grade.

A number of birds will be killed and all feathers removed showing requirements in the new grading rules for this year.

GARDEN CLUB NAMES COMMITTEES

The Hermiston Garden club held a special meeting in the library Monday afternoon, with a large attendance. Chairmen of committees were named by the president, Mrs. F. B. Belt, as follows: Ways and Means, Mrs. F. C. McKenzie; Contact, Mrs. W. L. Hamm; Horticulture, Mrs. H. K. Dean; Program and Year Book, Mrs. Alice Wagner; Roadside Development, Mrs. T. A. O'Grady; Publicity, Mrs. Charles Taylor; Flower Shows, Mrs. James Todd; Civic Improvement, Mrs. Geo. Harkenrider; Children's Department, Mrs. Frank Bilderback; Membership, Mrs. Julius Gimble.

Regional vice presidents of the club were also named by the president to guide the programs of the club in their districts. These were Mrs. J. H. Reid, Columbia; Mrs. Merrill Potter, North Side; Mrs. S. L. Carson, Minnehaha; and Mrs. R. B. Wilcox, South Side.

These chairmen will name the members of their committees and active work will be under way as soon as possible. The club is reported to have a membership of 34, by Mrs. Gimble.

An interesting and instructive talk was given by Mrs. H. K. Dean on tulips and their care at the meeting Monday, and Mrs. Henry Ott gave the group help by telling the best way to grow dahlias, cannas and other tubers that do so well in project gardens.

At the next meeting of the club, November 7, a talk will be given by H. W. Klages on work in the gardens, and the program committee hopes to have many interesting speakers during the year.

All members attending are asked to bring paper and pencil to take notes during the talks, otherwise many useful points brought up by the speakers may not be remembered at some later time when garden work starts. Mrs. Gimble, membership chairman, has announced that a prize will be given for the most perfect attendance, starting with the next meeting up to the end of the club year.

Pulleys Locate Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Pulley arrived in Hermiston three weeks ago from Woodburn, Ore., after trading their property for the Rawson farm, west of the Harvey Payne residence. They state that they like this section very much and are improving the property recently purchased.

Wool Growers Notice.

The Wool Growers auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. A. C. Ebert at Echo, Friday, November 4, according to a notice from Mrs. Gaylord Madison, president.

MISS WESSELL BRIDE GLENN RUTHERFORD

Miss Barbara Wessell of Hermiston became the bride of Glenn Rutherford of Stanfield, Wednesday morning, October 26, at Walla Walla, Wn. The ceremony was performed at the Presbyterian parsonage.

Harry Wessell of Stanfield, father of the bride, and Miss Beverley Walker, stood with the couple as vows were exchanged.

The bride was charming in a plum-brown afternoon gown with black accessories, and wore a yellow rosebud corsage tied with a ribbon taken from her mother's bridal bouquet. She carried a handkerchief of her grandmother's which was 49 years old.

Others in the party were Mrs. Ina Wessell, the bride's mother, Mrs. Mabel Walker, Mrs. F. E. Ranney of Wichita, Kansas, and Frank Rutherford, father of the groom.

The party returned to Hermiston where dinner was served. Covers were placed for the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Y. P. Rutherford, Mrs. Wessell, Mrs. Ranney, Mrs. Walker, Beverley Walker, Mrs. J. G. Pearson, Frank Rutherford and B. I. Whitney.

The couple left by train that afternoon from Stanfield for Live Oak, Calif., where they will make their home.

Ford Dealer's Meeting.

A. F. Rohman and A. A. Estle, dealer and salesman for the Ford Motor Co., through Rohman Motor Co., will leave Friday morning to attend the preview of the 1939 Ford cars and to see for the first time the new Mercury, an entry in the low medium priced field. They will be accompanied by their wives.

Post Office Rating High.

W. E. Logan, local postmaster, announced this week that the local office was given a rating of 96 following an inspection last week. Mr. Logan is assisted by Miss Snow McCoy, Clerk, James Todd and Gerald White, rural carriers.

Gym Class November 3.

Anyone interested in participating in a gym class and games will meet at the high school gym Thursday, November 3, at 7:30 p. m. Organization will take place under the supervision of Miss Lavina May Lynch, physical education instructor.

Station Announcement!

The following was received in the mail Thursday morning: "Announcing new broadcasting station. Call letters: Charlene Ann. Location: Salem General hospital. Later: Hermiston, Oregon. Wave length: 20 inches. Kilo weight: 6 lbs. 15 1-2 oz. First scheduled program October 25, 1938, 9:30 a. m. Technical adviser: Dr. F. K. Powers. Maxine and Stearns Cushing Jr., sponsors.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS FOR VOTERS CONSIDERATION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH

Proposed legislation to be voted upon by the people of the state at large, November 8, 1938, will appear upon the official ballots in the following condensed form and order:

1. Amending the constitution so as to give twenty days, instead of five as at present, after final adjournment of the legislature, for the governor to consider and approve or veto bills.

2. To appeal the provision in the state constitution commonly spoken of as the bank stockholders double liability, which makes each stockholder in a banking corporation individually liable to the depositors in such bank to the amount of the par or face value of his or her stock in such bank in addition to payment for such stock at par.

3. Providing that members of the legislature shall receive not to exceed \$8 a day while in session and for not more than 50 days for any regular session; no extra session to be longer than 20 days; members also to receive 10 cents per mile traveled to and from meeting place; presiding officers to receive one-half daily pay additional; such compensation to replace that now received as follows: \$3 a day but not over \$120 for any session, no extra session being over 20 days, and \$3 for every 20 miles traveled; presiding officers receiving two-thirds daily pay additional.

4. To require medical examination and certification of all applicants for marriage licenses, showing freedom from contagious or infectious venereal diseases, epilepsy, feeble-mindedness, insanity, drug addiction or chronic alcoholism; requiring blood tests for determination of syphilis and microscopic examinations to determine gonorrheal infection; state health board to make such tests free from applicants unable to pay for laboratory tests, state board of eugenics providing blanks, certificates and questionnaires for such examinations. All records of such examination shall be confidential, not for public inspection. Applicants denied licenses may appeal to circuit court.

Referendum Ordered by Petition of the People.

5. Prohibiting possession, operation, control of operation or play of nickel-in-the-slot machines or other devices of like character which may vend or pay money, merchandise or other representative of value or evidence of winning, depending upon chance, at occasional or uncertain intervals or in varying quantities.

6. Making unlawful and prohibiting the licensing, possession, display, operation or play of all games of chance, such as slot machines, dart games, pin-ball games and similar games and devices when operated for profit, either in cash, merchandise or other thing of value, whether involving an element of skill or not.

7. By vote of the people to authorize and direct the state legislature to amend the constitution to

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SEED PRODUCERS WILL ORGANIZE

Due to the large increase in small seed production in the west end of Umatilla county, arrangements are being made to pool the seed this fall so that it can be held over for spring delivery, and a better price.

A meeting will be held Friday evening, November 4, at 8:00 p. m. in the Legion hall for the purpose of discussing future pooling plans. H. G. Avery, secretary of the Blue Mountain Seed Growers association, located at La Grande, will be present to give their experiences in handling small seeds in that area.

There are now 35,853 pounds of local grown seed in the warehouse at the Farm Bureau Cooperative, and several thousand pounds have been sold to outside markets. At least a third of the total production is yet to be harvested.

All seed growers are urged to attend this meeting.

Armistice Day Program.

The Hermiston Post of the American Legion will be host to Heppner and Lone Legionnaires and auxiliary members Armistice day, November 11, according to Al Cable, commander. A program will be conducted in the morning and during the afternoon Heppner high school will meet Hermiston in a football game. The day will terminate with a dance in the community park hall. A pot luck dinner will be served in the Legion hall between six and seven o'clock. Every family is asked to bring a pot luck dish and table service.

S. O. S.

This is the cry from the Ways and Means committee of the Garden club. Mrs. F. C. McKenzie, chairman. Help the club and help yourself, for S.O.S. means "Save Old Stuff" and bring it to the good old fashioned rummage sale. Sale will be held November 4th and 5th, at the Westland Land building south of Baptist church. Save all white elephants and leave with Mrs. McKenzie or Mrs. Arletta White.

New Beauty Parlor.

Hugh Neill will open a beauty parlor in connection with his barber shop some time within the next three weeks, he announced today. The parlors will be in the same building he occupies. The name of the operator will be announced later.

Weather Report.

Date	Max.	Min.
October 20	68	27
October 21	70	27
October 22	67	28
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October 24	65	32
October 25	70	36
October 26	69	34

MANY WITNESS CHURCH DEDICATION

A capacity crowd filled the new Hermiston Union church building at all three services Sunday when the building was dedicated. The cooperation of local churches and those of nearby towns made a union service possible.

B. Ross Evans, state evangelist for the Church of Christ, conducted the dedication service during the afternoon. He was assisted by C. Warner, pastor of the church, G. E. Williams, field secretary for the Turner Memorial home, G. B. Schmid of Eugene, and W. E. Jones, former pastor of Willamina, Ore., who was warmly welcomed by those present.

A highlight in the program was the unveiling of the scene of the River Jordan above the baptistry, painted by Mr. Schmid.

Musical numbers were given by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerking, duet, Pendleton; male quartet, Al Quiring, Ben Gerking, R. G. Saylor and J. A. Clarke; solo by Dan Lindsay; and a mixed quartet, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerking and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clarke.

Construction of the church building was started early in the spring under the supervision of the board of trustees consisting of A. W. Turnblad, chairman, R. G. Saylor, Jens Skovbo, H. A. Wilson, W. C. Morehouse and O. I. Barlow, whose term expired at the last election. Levi Reeder acted as head carpenter during the construction. The cooperation of every member and the people of the community has made the final dedication of the building possible.

The evening service was the first of a series of evangelistic meetings being conducted by B. Ross Evans, Mr. Warner, who is attending Northwest Christian college at Eugene, remained in town this week to assist with the meetings.

HONOR ROLL HEADS SCHOOL NOTES

The honor roll for the high school and grade school for the first six weeks of the school year has been released as follows:

Freshmen—Donna Saylor and Ellen Hammill. Sophomore—None. Juniors—Bob Jackson, Frances Follett, Jack Meyer and Zella Curtis. Seniors—Jesse Moore, Ralph Marble, Eleanor Steiner, Gladys Pierson, Mary Helene Piersol, Geraldine Mullins, Lauretta Mulkins, Alma Laird, and Maxine Blinston.

The grade school consists of Kenneth Elwood, eighth; Johnny Lewis, Dale Dryer, seventh; Bobby Martin, Donna Jean Myers, sixth; Lucy Holman, Jack Belt, Opal Rand, Audrey Phelps, David Pierson, Billy Hibbard, fifth; Lelell Reeder, Delores Carr, Barbara Todd, Kenneth Dean, Jack Osborn, fourth; Third none; Bobby Yeager, Eveline Dryer, Georgia Sneed, second; Ernestine Cook and Shirley Simons, first.

The Whitman college glee club will give a concert in the high school gymnasium Thursday, November 10, between the hour of eleven and twelve o'clock. The public is invited to attend at a nominal charge.

The school cafeteria is now open and is working on the same plan as last year. Miss Gladys Elwood is acting as cook for the present.

A recreational program will be conducted during the noon hour at the high school gym, starting after the first of November, according to Supt. W. G. Kersbergen. The lunch hour will be from 12:00 to 12:20; from 12:20 to 12:50 games, badminton and other athletic contests will be conducted in the gym under the supervision of two teachers. Inter-mural teams will have contests at various times. Glee club and play practice will some times be held during this period also.

Pupils in the second grade wrote cards to Delores Carr while she was in the Doernbecher hospital in Portland recently. She is at home now somewhat improved but is unable to be in school.

GRAND CHAMPION DEMONSTRATION

Bob Jackson and Joe Cooney were selected as the grand champion demonstration team for Umatilla county as the result of the demonstration "Dehorning Dairy Calves," given at the Umatilla Project fair. Word was received this week of the award from County Agent Walter Holt of Pendleton. The boys will each receive half a scholarship to 4-H club summer school at Corvallis.

WAGE-HOUR BILL LITTLE EFFECT ON HERMISTON INDUSTRY

CHANGES HOURS FOR HALF-DOZEN MEN

The wage and hour bill which went into effect October 24 does not appear to be well understood yet as to its application locally. Compliance, at present, will be made by the Farm Bureau Cooperative as to several mill employees, because of interstate business, but no other business here has found it necessary as the bill is understood, to meet any of the conditions contained in the measure.

The wage feature of the bill does not apply in this district as wages are paid in excess of the minimum requirements, but the 44 hour requirement may reduce hours from the customary 48 hours per week.

The Tax Research Institute of New York, under date of October 20, has sent out cards to employers of labor which contains exemptions under the law as follows:

Executive and administrative employees to be exempt must direct work of a department, have authority to hire, promote, fire or suggest same, and be paid \$30 per week.

Professional employees must be in varied intellectual work requiring discretion as to manner and time of performance. Work must be non-standardized as to time and must utilize specialized educational training other than academic.

Local retailing employees are those making retail sales, more than 50 per cent of which are within the state. Exemption also includes those wrapping or delivering packages in connection with such sales.

Outside salesmen are exempt if regularly selling away from the office. Recurrent routine deliveries or collections are not such sales.

98 DEER BAGGED BY LOCAL HUNTERS

An unofficial check on the deer bagged by local hunters this season is shown as 98 and includes many from surrounding towns. The majority of these animals have been cared for at the local cold storage plant. Hunters state this is the largest kill known for many years.

Many of the deer have been entered in the local largest buck and smallest buck contest sponsored by Hale's Confectionery every year. The prizes are \$5 for the largest and \$3 for the smallest. All weights must be registered within ten days after the season closes.

Among hunters bringing in venison are: Glen Hadley, Ed Skoubo and Ralph Skoubo, Buster Rands, Chas. Reese, Chas. Dillon, George Wicklander Sr., Paul Smith and son, Chas. Smith, Marvin Ransier, Claude Myers, Neil Bleakney, Edward Skoubo, and Forbes, Knoblock and Harwood, all of Boardman.

J. Childers, I. C. Cox, Anna Skovbo, M. Evans, Chas. Pierson, Milo McFarland, A. Darr Jr., Harry Hammon, D. D. Follett, O. D. Forbes, Jim Logan, Bud Daugherty, V. L. Warren, Emma Fritts, John Volle, M. Rankin, J. Omohundro, Fred Lee, A. H. Cable, Bill Comstock, C. J. Mathews, F. C. Fredrickson, Fred McMurray, Virgil Smith, Howard Montgomery.

Harold Rainwater, B. Cellars, Mrs. C. A. Brown, Joe Baumgartner, Harry Gifford, Don Howler, Lou Hooker, Paul Bracher, Frank Riley, Guy Knapp, Fred Davis, R. H. Stockard, Harvey Payne, Chas. Clark, Bob Geer, Burl Thornberg.

Bill Reeves, W. R. Haney, Bernard Jendzejewski, Mrs. D. D. Follett, Grover See, R. V. Jones and son, E. A. Bense, Don Rutledge, Bob Geer, Joe Roberts, John Mathews, J. V. Allen, R. C. McReynolds, Joe Furrer, John Bense, Tom Lenhart, W. A. Blakney, Ed Bense, Bob Harwood, Ben O'Conner, Kenneth Meyers, W. M. Pearson, Dr. W. L. Morgan, E. R. Sires, Cecil Madden, Henry Gorbodeen, J. C. Hoskins, Phil Jones, G. E. Aldrich, Bruce Follett, Mrs. Milo McFarland.

Special I.O.O.F. Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Odd Fellows will be held Monday evening, October 31, at which the approaching visit of the Grand Sire to the Pendleton lodge, will be discussed. Delegates will be selected to attend the meeting. Doughnuts and cider will be served during the social hour.