

FINLAND - AN OBJECT LESSON

The heroic defense of their country by the Finns has commanded the admiration of us all. Let us look at a few other admirable things about Finland.

In Finland, cooperatives have really flourished. In 1938 the co-ops did 36.4 per cent of the total business. Risto Ryti, Prime Minister, when in the United States a few years ago, gave the co-ops credit for Finland's ability to pay its debts. He further said, "The cost of processing and distribution of agricultural produce is relatively low in Finland, thanks chiefly to the advanced cooperative movement." In Finland producers get a much larger share of the consumer's dollar, as much as 24 per cent more of it in some instances, than in the United States.

A bulletin of the Bank of Finland says, "Owing to the disappearing unemployment, the unemployment boards have discontinued the compilation of statistics."

Farm tenancy at one time in Finland was 62 per cent. Official statistics show it reduced to 27 per cent in 1920 and to 11 per cent in 1929.

We salute brave Finland! May all her enemies fail! The results she attained by cooperation combined with political democracy we too can attain.

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LOOK FOR SOME HOT SPECIALS ON OUR WINDOW THIS WEEK!

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STANFIELD NEWS

By Mrs. J. M. Richards

Leo Clark, superintendent of the Stanfield irrigation district, reports that the winter work is progressing nicely. Three short pipe lines have been laid, the river work near the headgate is completed and men are now busy cutting willows along the ditch.

H. Harlin, who has been ill with heart trouble for two months, was taken to St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton Saturday. His condition is reported as very serious.

Mrs. L. Jouannout was hostess to the Woman's Study club at her home Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Troy Coleman as presiding officer. Mrs. H. P. Boonewitz was elected to membership in the club and Mrs. Howard Herick of Portland was a guest. The club made its annual contribution to the Scholarship Loan Fund which is a state and national project of the Federation of Women's clubs. For the literary program Mrs. Jouannout read a paper on the "Geography of South America," and Mrs. F. A. Baker discussed "International Relations Between the U. S. and South America." The January 18 meeting will be at the G. E. Greathouse home.

The Monday Bridge club members held their annual holiday party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. Wallace, Mesdames D. Penney, M. Cox, Martin Refvem and G. Elliott were guests during the afternoon's play.

● P. A. VELVET ● HALF & HALF THOMPSON'S DRUG 10¢

Mrs. Velma Tenny entertained the Harmony club at her home Tuesday afternoon. A program was presented by the Lamont and Tenny young people with Marie Tenny in charge.

Mrs. Harry McCormick, who has been ill for the past month, is reported to be greatly improved.

Mrs. Neil Robertson of Butter Creek was hostess to the Wool Growers Auxiliary at the G. E. Greathouse home Tuesday afternoon.

CHURCH NOTES

HERMISTON UNION CHURCH
C. Warner, Pastor

This is a season of inventories, all business institutions are taking inventory. The church is the greatest institution in the world. It, too, should take inventory. Our Sunday morning sermon will be, "God Taking Inventory of His Church," and Sunday evening, "Christ, Our Religion."

The churches of your community are trying to be of service to you. Why not use one of them Sunday to worship God?

PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
E. D. Greeley, Pastor

The Bible school convenes at 10 a. m. Devotional service is at 11. The pastor will bring a message on the subject, "Faces at the Window." The evening service will prove inspirational with a timely and brief message from the Scriptures.

The services at the Butter Creek school are continuing to prove a blessing to all attending. Meet us there at 2:30 and enjoy the fellowship of those wholesome people who have made that part of the commun-

ity one of the best in the west.

HERMISTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Grayden D. Loree, Pastor

On Friday night, January 11, we will have the closing service of our present evangelistic campaign. This will be music right. Beginning promptly at 7:30, we will have an hour of music: solo, duet, quartet, and everybody singing Gospel choruses and the old hymns. This will be followed by a short evangelistic message by Dr. Sawtelle. Come early!

Our topic at the Sunday morning service will be "What does it mean to be a Christian?" "The disciples were called Christians first in Antioch." Why? Because they were baptized? Because they were church members? Read the answer in Rom. 10:9 and 10.

Gilbert and Vivian Dyer will give a report during the B. Y. P. U. hour on the State Young People's Rally which they attended at Eugene last week.

The Sunday evening message will be on "Paul's First Prayer."

Sunday school at 10 o'clock, and morning worship at 11. B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 and evening service at 7:45. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30.

METHODIST CHURCH

"The Purpose of Life," will be the sermon topic for the Sunday morning service, January 14, at the Hermiston Methodist church. In the last issue of the Reader's Digest there is an article telling why people do not go to church. Among the reasons given are, one, that preaching is not to the needs of the people; another, the denominational divisions; another that the buildings are ugly and gloomy.

Answering these objections the writer suggested that the people change it if they didn't like it; further quoting, "Instead of leaving the church, why not get others to come to it who have aspirations like your own? The battle is yours—not alone the preacher's or the church's. It may be a long hard fight, but, if you are truly religious, you can win."

That is the work we are trying to do in our church. The stress on denominationalism is negligible. The surroundings are comfortable and pleasing. The sermons are aimed to constructively help. We invite you to make a regular habit of worshiping with us. The morning service is at 11 and Sunday school is at 10.

Boardman Community Presbyterian Church

Rev. John K. Walpole, Pastor
Sunday school, 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m. Evening worship, 8 p. m. Sermon by the pastor and singing led by the young people's choir.

Young people's choir practice, Monday evening at 7:30 at church. Teacher's study class Monday evening at 7:00.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

Ladies' missionary meeting Wednesday afternoon, January 17, at home of Mrs. Walpole.

Umatilla Community Presbyterian Church

Rev. John K. Walpole, Pastor
Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon by pastor. Christian Endeavor 7:15 p. m.

Ladies' missionary meeting Thursday afternoon, Jan. 25, at home of Mrs. Burns.

Irrigon Community Presbyterian Church

Rev. John K. Walpole, Pastor
Morning worship 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.
Sunday school 10:45 a. m.

GARDEN CLUB CHATS

By Mrs. T. A. O'Grady

It is timely to make preparations for feeding our wintering birds. If we are to have any severe weather it must come soon. Pieces of suet or halves of apples secured so that they cannot fall into the snow, bits of bread or cornmeal together with fresh water will mean the difference between life and death to our feathered friends.

Mrs. Hamm gave directions for building bird feeding stations when she talked on "Bird Life in Our Gardens" November 20 at club meeting. Along this same line of thought we recently read, "Many of our birds could get along without feeding while the snow is on the ground, if they could get grit to help digest what they pick up normally, but thousands of birds die when feed by kind hearted bird lovers give them no grit."

No other house plants cause so little work or fit more gracefully into as many places in the homes as do vines. Many vines make a satisfactory growth indoors in water, but a most happy selection for this time of the year would be either wander-

ing-jew or English ivy. These vines will thrive in sunlight or semi-darkness. Outside of adding water, the only regular care needed by these plants is wiping them clean or spraying them with water once a week. A piece of charcoal will keep the water sweet and prevent stem rot.

A carrot submerged in a vase with only the lower two-thirds covered with water will make a pleasing feathery growth. A sweet potato set stem up in a vase will send forth a luxuriant vine, but should be started early in the fall. The sweet potatoes sold later are so well cured that they are slow in starting their growth. If you want a low bushy plant, pinch back the tips of the growth.

A small leaved coleus in a green glass vase, placed where it can get the sun for a short time each day, to insure a rosy tinge on the leaves, will prove very attractive.

The evening of January 19 is the time, the high school auditorium is the place, and the Pendleton Male Chorus will be the attraction, so keep that date open.

Next meeting of the club will be January 26. We hope we will be seeing you.

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