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OASIS TO SHOW "3 CHEERS FOR IRISH"

"Three Cheers for the Irish," which will start on the Oasis screen Sunday, promises to be one of the warmest family stories emanating from Hollywood.

It concerns a retired New York cop, Thomas Mitchell's role, and his three beautiful daughters, played by Priscilla Lane, Virginia Grey and Irene Hervey.

They decided that Pop is to run for office of Alderman. The campaign progresses smoothly, aided by Alan Hale and William Lundigan, until Irene accepts campaign funds from a racketeer. Priscilla elopes with Dennis Morgan, a young rookie cop, disliked by Casey. Then Casey discovers the source of his campaign money, and his public admission of this dumbfounds the people into electing him.

YOUNG GRANGERS INSTALL OFFICERS

The Young Grangers of America gave the first and second degrees Thursday, May 23, at Tillicum Grange, Pendleton, at their regular

● P. A.
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- USED MOWERS
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FARM TOPICS

NEW SEED ACT AIDS GROWERS

Latest Federal Law Requires Additional Labeling.

By MISS JESSIE FISKE
The passage of the new Federal Seed act early last fall brings into operation a piece of agricultural legislation which is of great importance to all the farming sections of the country. This became apparent after a study made of the law at Rutgers university.

It is the product of two years of study and preparation by the United States department of agriculture, all farm organizations, seed analysts, and the seed dealers of the United States.

Regulations are now in the hands of the U. S. secretary of agriculture and the law is expected to be put into effect in the near future. The most outstanding change from previous legislation seems to be that a larger percentage of seed shipments will be subjected to the requirements of seed control than has been the case in the past.

The provision of the new act requires that all interstate shipments of seeds be labeled if transported for seeding purposes, or properly identified if transported for seeding purposes, or purveyor will be required to make representations concerning every interstate shipment of seed. This regulation overcomes one of the glaring weaknesses of the old law, which provided that penalties for misrepresentation should be made, but failed to require that a representation be made.

There has been introduced into the new legislation another departure in the seed control program as it has developed in the past 30 years. All persons transporting seed in interstate commerce will be required to maintain a system of records which will carry through all the steps from production to consumption.

Another feature of the law which offers added protection deals specifically with the noxious weed seeds. Henceforth all interstate shipments of seeds must meet the noxious weed seed requirements of the seed law of the state into which the shipment is destined.

Group Machine Buying Benefits Small Farmer

Small farmers, forced to compete with larger, mechanized units operating on a scale big enough to afford expensive equipment, have banded together in recent years to purchase heavy equipment and expensive services which none of them could afford to buy individually, the Farm Security administration reports.

The FSA makes group loans to its rehabilitation borrowers and other low-income farmers who cannot get adequate credit from other lending agencies, public or private, to help them finance the purchase of machinery, live stock, equipment, and services which none of them could afford alone.

The loans are repayable in from one to five years, according to the amount of the loan, the type, and the life of the service. Three per cent interest is paid on loans for equipment and service and 5 per cent on loans for purchase of supplies and materials which are consumed during the year's farming operations.

The list of equipment and services obtained by such group loans is almost limitless. It includes combines, silage cutters, purebred sires, cold-storage plants, bulldozers, terracing equipment, syrup mills, hay balers, hatcheries, tractors, health services, and veterinary services. During the past four years, Farm Security has made more than 10,000 such loans involving over \$6,000,000 and benefiting more than 180,000 participants.

Farm Facts

Poultry sires and dams can be tested through their offspring not only for egg production, but for size and hatchability of eggs broodiness, and other characters.

The number of horses on farms is now the smallest in 60 years and the number of mules is estimated to be the smallest in 30 years.

The use of canned milk has increased steadily for a number of years, but American consumers still get less than 10 per cent of their milk in cans, an economist says.

For electricity in poorer farm homes, the REA is developing a small transformer and accompanying equipment which will permit a power line to be tapped for a charge as low as \$1 a month. Such equipment will permit use of an electric iron, a radio and a few light bulbs.

That American farmers are using more machinery is indicated by figures showing that farm machinery sales were 330 per cent higher last year than at the bottom of the depression.

UMATILLA NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Ostrom

Harry Hull accompanied Aloy Stangeby, a salesman, on his trip this week. He expects to be away from his duties at his store until after the first of the month. The trip takes them into northern California.

Mrs. Jack Geer, who is visiting her sister Mrs. Leland Smith from her home in Kinzua, spent Thursday and part of Friday at Ballock Island where she visited her children. The latter are staying with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Powell.

Miss Clara Corrigan has purchased a 1940 Pontiac coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and daughters Joan and Mrs. V. D. Bramer and children James and tSella Rae arrived home Friday evening from a six day trip, visiting friends and relatives in The Dalles, Portland, Oswego, aSlem and Walport. They also went through the museum at Maryhill, Wn.

Mrs. O. P. Miller and Mrs. Elmore McKenzie attended the flower show in Pendleton last Thursday, where Mrs. McKenzie entered several displays and tied for three places.

Mrs. Bertia Cherry and Mrs. John Kinney spent Friday in Pendleton. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hull purchased a new 1940 Dodge sedan.

Miss Clara Corrigan and Mrs. Harry Hull motored to Pendleton Thursday where Miss Corrigan purchased a new Pontiac and they also attended the flower show.

Mrs. Ervin Chapman spent the latter part of last week in Walla Walla with her husband, who is employed there.

Mrs. O. P. Miller, Mrs. Bill Switzer, Mrs. Elmore McKenzie and Mrs. Harry Hull attended the Hermiston Garden club meeting Friday.

Herbert Lane, who has been in the army, stationed at Hawaii, returned home Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lane Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie DeHarte and son Alfred of Sunnyside spent Sunday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Steppens.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ostrom and son Gary Dean were Saturday dinner guests at the Lyle Brown home.

Mrs. Ervin Chapman and daughter Francis and Naomi Brownell spent Wednesday of last week in Pendleton.

Miss Clara Corrigan left for her home in McMinnville Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wurster and Sara, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McNabb and Diana and Freddie spent Sunday visiting friends in Mabton. Lew Fromdahl of Walla Walla spent Saturday visiting here.

V. D. Bramer, who is employed in Kinzua spent Sunday and Monday with his family.

Margarie Mustard, who is employed in Pendleton spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mustard.

Bill Bennett, who has been in Canyon City, returned last week.

John Powell of Ballock Island is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Leland Smith.

Betty Mustard left last week for Longview where she will visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Al Laverder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hanson spent Monday in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullins and

THE OWL IN THE ATTIC



Shopping for low cost insurance is about as sensible as an aviator saving money buying a tissue paper parachute. If he has to use it, nothing but the best is good enough. If he knew he would never need it, he would get along without it entirely.

You don't know what is going to happen. The safe thing to do is to let the agent of your local insurance agency give you real, intelligent insurance protection in a sound stock company, fitted exactly to your own need. Then you will be safe if the unexpected happens. Capital stock company insurance is standard protection.

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BOARDMAN NEWS

By Ruth Fisher

George Beardsley committed suicide in his room at the Stout home Monday by shooting himself through the head. He had long suffered from ill health.

Daily vacation Bible school opened at the Community church Monday morning with an enrollment of 43 children and seven teachers and helpers. Officers and teachers include

Mrs. John Fisher, superintendent; Mrs. Waldpole, intermediate boys; Mrs. R. Bergen, intermediate girls; Miss Lois Messenger, song leader and junior boys, also craft work for girls; Mrs. Lay, junior girls; Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Walpole and Mrs. Sophia

son Lindsay spent Sunday and Monday here. They rented their house to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin.

ia Baker, primary department; Several C. E. members will assist. Transportation will be furnished.

Delbert Walpole left for Twin Falls, Idaho, this week to spend the summer with his uncle on a ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Paige called at the Geiss home en route to Cove this week.

Angela and Russel DeMauro and Phyllis Wilson went to The Dalles Thursday where they will visit relatives.

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