

# FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

## R.E.A. HIGHLIGHTS

BY R. L. WOOLLEY

Wednesday morning as I approached the office door I saw a note attached. One of the members informed me that he had called twice and was unable to pay his bill. He called at 5:50 P. M.

Please Note: The regular office hours are 8:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon and from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m. If you are unable to come to the office during those hours mail in your remittance or advise me of what you wish to talk about. If you call me, I will be glad to meet you by appointment at any time.

It is impossible to lengthen the office hours without increasing the personnel and the expense to the members. State regulations regarding working conditions govern these things.

We are now serving 31 new places in the City of Boardman with several more to take service in the near future.

Your board of directors met in the regular monthly meeting last Wednesday and considered the current problems of the association. At this meeting it was pointed out that the members receiving service had increased from 488 during the month of May last year to 612 in May, 1940. Our consumption of electricity has almost doubled during the same period. These figures are just indicators of how rapidly we are progressing.

We are still growing, not only in numbers but also in our ability to help ourselves by using electricity. Almost every day some member is adding some new electrical equipment to his premises.

Mr. Fiske in Umatilla Meadows seems to be having difficulty with his water pump. If some of the members near can offer a helpful constructive suggestion I am sure he would be glad to listen if it will eliminate his difficulty.

## U. OF O. GRADUATES UMATILLA STUDENTS

A record number of University of Oregon students, 771 in all, of whom nine are from Umatilla county, received diplomas and certificates at an impressive ceremony Sunday evening, when the institution held its 63rd annual commencement exercises at McArthur Court.

The list included two doctor of education degrees, three doctor of jurisprudence, and 73 master of arts of science. Among the total are 49 doctor of medicine from the University of Oregon medical school in Portland, which this year for the first time held its own ceremony in the new auditorium.

Dr. Donald M. Erb, president of the university, delivered the commencement address on "The Price of Freedom," while Dr. James R. Branton, head of the university department of religion, delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning on "Education and Social Responsibility." Dr. Frederick M. Hunter, chancellor of higher education, represented the state system of higher education, and Edgar W. Smith, Portland member of the board of higher education represented that group.

Among the students graduating Wayne K. McFaul of Echo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred K. McFaul, who received a bachelor of science degree in business administration.

## IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS

By Mrs. W. C. Isom

Mrs. Hoaglan is visiting her sister at Mt. Vernon, Ore.

Alfred Goodwin of Grants Pass, Ore., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Russell McCoy and family.

Mrs. Fred Rieks entertained members of the Ladies Aid at her home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Harris of Portland is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Farrell.

Rev. and Mrs. Harness and two daughters returned home Saturday from Camas, Wn. Rev. Harness motored to Pendleton Monday to assist in the arrangement of the camp ground where a meeting will be held June 14 to 24.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arberg were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Volle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Steward have installed a new refrigerator in their home this week.

Mrs. Alma Greaves is visiting her daughter Mrs. Cross at Chelan, Wn.

Mrs. Williamson of Junction City arrived Friday for an indefinite stay with her sister-in-law Mrs. Tom Caldwell.

Mrs. Alexander and two daughters of La Grande visited over the week end with her mother Mrs. Fred Rieks.

## CANNING SCHEDULE

From June 15 to 22

8 to 11 a. m.	12 to 3.30 p. m.
Mon.—Fruit-Berries	Beets-Beans
Tues.—Peas	Peas
Wed.—Fruit-Berries	Beets-Beans
Thurs.—Peas	Peas
Fri.—Fruit-Berries	Beets-Beans
Sat.—Peas	Peas

Other products by special arrangement.

Hermiston Co-op Cannery

## COLUMBIA GRANGE NOTES

The regular first business meeting of the month was held Tuesday evening, June 4, with only twelve members in attendance.

Since Worthy Master Corman finds it impossible to attend the state grange to be held four days next week in Salem, a motion was made and carried to authorize him to appoint an alternate, who can attend to represent Columbia Grange.

It was decided to hold one business meeting a month during June, July and August. A Sunday nearest the third Tuesday of each month will be set aside for a grange picnic, weaner roast or other social activity to be participated in by the grange members and their families. The Home Ec club is to plan for these get-togethers.

Lloyd Fix furnished the questions for the group. Mrs. Lloyd Fix will be prepared with a set of questions for the first meeting in July.

Mrs. Ott, lecturer, read a clever little poem emphasizing the importance of paying dues promptly. June ends another quarter and membership dues may be paid now.

Mrs. Ott introduced a new contest, calling for aptitude and accurate coordination of eye and arm, hand, finger known as "Flip the Cork." Lloyd Goodrich won the prize.

The Home Ec club will meet with Martha Dunham, June 14. Helen Fix will be assistant hostess.

## CAN WARS BE WON WITHOUT BUTTER?

Note: The following article was submitted for publication on this page by M. G. Hedwall, manager of the Umatilla Cooperative Creamery.

Will butter, or lack of it be a vital factor in the present war? Is butter better than bullets? Will nutrition play an important role on the battlefields of Europe? Food experts say the warring nations today know the importance of food in winning battles.

Certainly on the far northern front where a small but brave army of hardy Finns has put up an almost impregnable resistance against the Russian hordes, the butter theory seems to hold true more than ever. The Finns are among the world's largest per capita users of milk and butter and Finnish soldiers are provided with a mild ration instead of liquor.

Butter, one of the oldest of foods, was used more than two thousand years before the Christian era. It is mentioned throughout the Bible. It was used in early times as an ointment for the skin and sold in medicine shops and when fresh has been used as a salve for burns and sore eyes.

Despite its long history it was only a quarter of a century ago that scientists discovered that butter is a concentrated source of vitamin A. That is why, says the National Dairy Council, this dairy-fat is such a big factor in wartime because vitamin A is known to increase vigor and the body's ability to resist disease.

"Butter will be a big factor in the present war in Europe," says Dr. Martin Mortensen, for thirty years head of the Dairy Industry Department at Iowa State college, a Dane by birth who spent his school days in his native land.

"In the world war, Denmark learned how lack of butter produced disease. Although Denmark produced twice as much butter annually as the State of Iowa, so much was exported at one period of the war that the Danes themselves did not get enough.

As a result, the eye disease xerophthalmia, which often leads to permanent blindness, became prevalent until the government restored butter to the diet. As soon as the right amounts were again available to everyone, the disease rapidly disappeared.

"The experience of Denmark may well serve as a warning to all countries at the present time," says Dr.

Mortensen. "Authorities are convinced that continued deficiency of vitamin A may undermine the health of a people. In our own country we should be sure that everyone gets plenty of butterfat every day in such different forms as butter, whole milk, cream, ice cream and cheese." (Continued Next Week)

## DEMOCRACY AND MORE CONSUMER COOPERATION

The cooperative movement is a peaceful effort to save democracy. Democracy is suffering today mainly from economic maladjustments. I hold that this fact is self evident and needs no argument to support it.

Economic democracy and cooperation in business can right this wrong and will insure the continued successful functioning of political democracy.

The profit motive of private business has nearly wrecked our economic system because its object is to exploit mankind. Money is the God of modern private business and very often all good things including ethics, honesty, justice, truth, personal character, human happiness and even human lives are sacrificed on its altar.

The cooperative movement is aiming at the democratic ownership and control of production and distribution. Consumers in business for themselves are not operating for profit. Their aim is to distribute goods and services at cost for use. By eliminating profit in business, they eliminate the motive and the tendency to exploit.

Whatever other economic interests tend to divide people into groups or classes—WE ARE ALL CONSUMERS. The more people realize the basic importance of their function as consumers, the more consumers become aware of the fact that as consumers they are THE PRIMARY factor in our economic life, the more they are going to assert themselves to protect their interests as consumers. The more they are going to organize to OWN and CONTROL the processes of production and distribution as an effective means of protection against exploitation.

They will also gradually learn that the consumer interests of all classes and groups of people are the same. This common consumer interest will become a great unifying force causing men to work for the common good and insuring the success of the democratic system.

Consumer cooperation is growing fast because more people realize that the profit system is breaking down and that the cooperative non-profit system will contribute more to human welfare and serve human needs more adequately.

Help build a better world by joining and supporting the cooperatives. BEN GERKING, Manager Hermiston Mercantile Co-op.

## FOUR-H MEMBERS TO BROADCAST

Umatilla county 4-H club members will be among the 500 delegates over the state selected to broadcast during the 4-H club summer school in session from June 10 to 21 on the Oregon State college campus.

"The Best Tonic," is the title of the prize winning play written by Mary Margaret Kennedy of Umatilla county. This play was selected as one of the best of the 31 manuscripts submitted in the state-wide 4-H club radio playwriting contest and will be presented over the radio on the Umatilla county program from 7:00 to 7:45 Tuesday, June 18.

Talented 4-H club members chosen from the 2000 4-H club members attending summer school will participate in radio revues to be broadcast Saturday night, June 15, from 7:30 to 8:00 o'clock and Wednesday night, June 19, from 8:00 o'clock to 8:30.

Among the other interesting programs in which 4-H club members will participate is the weekly traffic safety program on June 12 and 19 from 12:15 to 12:30, noon, featuring the winning plays written for the traffic safety playwright contest sponsored by Earl Snell, Secretary of State.

Daily broadcasts of assembly programs from 2 to 3 o'clock will be presented from June 11 to 20, except Sunday.

Sunday, June 16, the entire summer school delegation will broadcast a special outdoor Sunday service held on the campus quadrangle.

## FARM BUREAU AUXILIARY

Mrs. Catherine Jendrzejewski was not present to take charge of the program at the meeting Friday, June 7, but sent a paper on the Pulitzer awards which was read by Mrs. Fern Zivney.

The mothers, fathers and children are invited to attend the field day meeting Friday, June 21, which will be held all day and a pot luck served at noon. Games will be directed by Mrs. Emma Hutchison and Mrs. Fern Zivney.

The ladies are planning an ice cream social Friday, July 19, at 8:00 P. M., in the Columbia park club house.

A quilt will be given away at the social.

## BOY SCOUTS BREAK CAMP EARLY

Hermiston Boy Scouts who camped at the forks of the Umatilla river above Bingham Springs last week were forced to return Friday morning due to a sudden and severe rainfall that descended on the camp early in the morning. The entire party of twelve, and equipment, returned in the car of Mel Follett, assistant scoutmaster.

Three very enjoyable days of camping, however, were reported by the boys, who spent the time swimming, hiking, games, horseback riding and campcraft. Mel Follett and Bill Belt were in charge of the camp.

## Altar Society Elects

The Hermiston Catholic Altar society held its election of officers at the parish house Tuesday, June 3. Mrs. Lavina Hazen was elected president, succeeding Mrs. Marie Todd, who has been an active president the past two years. Mrs. Ann Durfee was elected secretary and treasurer, succeeding Mrs. Margaret Seeliger, who held the position for the past two years.

The annual report was very favorable. Meetings have been postponed during the busy summer months to be resumed the first Monday in October.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Stearns Cushing, Pastor "Christianity, the Faith of Expanding Horizons" will be the subject of the closing sermon of this conference year at the Methodist church. As we face the crises of today we need to recount the experiences of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Many of us have not had the good fortune of extensive travel. But then we recall that Jesus went no further from His Nazareth home than a few miles. Yet within His life lay the universe of God's infinite love and grace. All services at the usual hour.

## HERMISTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Grayden D. Loree, Pastor Our topic for Sunday morning will be "The Prodigal." Much has been said about the prodigal son, but little has been said about the prodigal fathers, prodigal churches and prodigal church members.

We continue our evening series of Bible studies in the book of Genesis.

## CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

C. Warner, Pastor Mother's day and Children's day have passed and next Sunday we especially honor father, on national father's day.

We will worship Sunday morning around the theme "Father's Responsibility" and Sunday evening on "The Church's Supreme Need."

## STANFIELD NEWS

By Mrs. Rose Hedrick

Four generations visited at the Claude McCall home last week. They included Mrs. McCall's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Oatman, and two daughters, Mrs. Wesley Williams and her granddaughter Esther Williams of Bend, and Mrs. Lawrence Frizzell and son Joe. The latter was returning to her home in Lakeview after attending commencement at Eugene when her son received his degree in sociology.

Mrs. D. R. Starkweather of The Dalles visited the week end at Stanfield and on Sunday attended the wedding of Ronald Walk, her nephew of Pendleton.

Mrs. Stanley Holman of Tacoma, granddaughter of Mrs. L. Jouannault, with the operator of Edna's Beauty parlor in Tacoma, spent Sunday here.

Frank Sloan and L. Jouannault are attending Masonic grand lodge in Portland this week.

Mrs. Jim Beebe is visiting her daughter Ruby Finley near The Dalles this week.

Bob Beebe suffered injury to his knee while working in the furnace room when a piece of steel entered his knee. His brother Bill Beebe is attending to his work during his absence.

Mrs. Margaret Daughtry was hostess at a birthday dinner in the Hiway cafe honoring F. B. Stuart. Enjoying the dinner were Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. L. L. Wurtz, sister of Mr. Stuart, Mrs. Oatman and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McCall and the hostess. Guests spent the rest of the day at the Stuart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart operated the Stanfield hotel for 20 years but are now retired. When asked to what he attributed his hale and hearty old age Mr. Stuart replied: "I don't know unless it is to my good wife."

Mrs. O. M. Hoosier is convalescing at her home after a major operation performed 16 days ago at St. Anthony's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yoder and Miss Lorraine Horner visited over the week end with Mrs. Don Childs, en route to Hood River where Mr. Yoder is with a construction company.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gregory returned from a week's stay in Portland, greatly improved in health.

Mrs. James Lane and daughter Marie are taking a week's rest at Parkdale.

Mrs. Tom Moore and Miss Nellie Moore are visiting this week with Mrs. C. F. Eueber at Baker.

C. A. Ralstin of Shafter, Calif., is visiting his sister Mrs. George Sale.

The pea harvest crews have finished threshing on the Stanfield project and moved to Athena early this week.

John Bagan has returned home after three weeks visiting his daughter Mrs. Ernest Loughary and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bagan at Eugene.

Claude McCall is in charge of the Signal Service Station since Monday. Jess Gossage is mowing parking strips for the second time this year making an improvement in the appearance of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kennedy and Miss Janice Kennedy of Bremerton spent the week end with his mother Mrs. Martha Wood. They also plan to visit relatives in Idaho on their two weeks vacation.

Mrs. J. F. Eueber accompanied Mrs. C. F. Eueber the latter part of the week to Portland to enjoy the rose festival.

Mrs. Ernest Greathouse was hostess for the Monday Bridge club. Mrs. Claude McCall held high score.

## NOTICE OF LAND SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered herein by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 15th day of May, 1940, will, on the 22 day of June, 1940, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$161.24 therefor, to be paid in cash, at the time of sale, the following described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

SW 1/4 NE 1/4 & SE 1/4 NW 1/4 & N 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 27, Lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Section 28, Township 6, North Range 31, E.W.M.

R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (May 16-June 13)

## NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING UPON FINAL REPORT

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR UMATILLA COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of Russell Brownell, also known as D. R. Brownell Jr., Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Russell Brownell, also known as D. R. Brownell Jr., has filed his final report with the clerk of the above entitled court, and that the Judge of said Court has made an order herein designating Saturday, the 13th day of July, 1940, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. as the time, and the rooms of the above entitled court in the county court house in Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place when and where hearing is to be had thereon. All persons interested are hereby notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said report should not be approved, the administrator discharged, his bondsman exonerated and the estate closed.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1940. L. BROWNELL, Administrator.

W. J. Warner, Attorney for Estate. (June 13-July 11)

## WANTS

1c a Word - Minimum 20c

ROOMS FOR RENT — MRS. Floyd Knerr, or phone 3331. 43-3c

FOR SALE — REBUILT POCKET watches, Elgin, Waltham and Hamilton; \$5.00 to \$12.00. A. W. Behrman, Hermiston. 43-3c

WANTED—JOB OF ANY KIND, married man, good references. Inquire at Herald office. 43-1p

FOR SALE — CURRANTS, \$1.25 crate; bring container. Mrs. Fred Berg, 1 mi. E. Umatilla and 7 mi. N.E. Hermiston. 43-1p

FOR SALE — OVER 29 ACRES improved alfalfa and pasture; fruit, berries; crop all goes; R.R., electricity, school bus, cream route. Cheap for cash. Elijah Duvall, Hermiston, Ore. 43-3tp

FOR SALE — CHERRIES, ROYAL Anns and Lamberts, 3 1/2 lb., W. T. Bray, Umatilla, Ore. 42-2p

HERMISTON RESIDENCE Property for sale at a bargain. See F. A. Baker, Stanfield. 43-3p

FINE, JUICY BLACKCAP RASPBERRIES; fresh from the vine. By the crate \$1.60; by the gallon 45c. C. A. Lare, 1 mi. N. Hermiston, Route 2. 43-3p

FURNISHED APTS. AND ROOMS West Side Hotel, across from depot. 42-2p

FOR SALE — GUERNSEY MILK cow and purebred Guernsey bull. John Spencer, Stanfield, Ore. 42-2p

FOR SALE—PIE CHERRIES, RED currants and raspberries. A. C. Swarran. 42-3c

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