

SPIKE GREEN - Junior Forester



UMATILLA NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Ostrom

Many hunters left for the mountains the last of the week for their buck. Those going and some that have come back are Mr. and Mrs. R. Odell, Milo McFarland, Otis Willis, Glenn Ostrom, Herb Thompson, Gene McFarland, Russell Morris, Harry Rodenbough, Ursel Hiatt, Jess Connell, Art Bousquet, Alec Rau, John Mustard, Vane Hiatt, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gorham, Perry Pike and John Butson. Rodenbough, Willis and

Thompson returned with one buck each averaging around 170 pounds, and Ostrom, McFarland and Morris each one, weighing 100 pounds.

Mrs. James Byrnes left last Tuesday for Portland and Salem where she will be for some time because of her health. Louise Jackson accompanied her as far as Portland, and returned the same day.

Delbert Van Schoiack, Charles Kik, Gene Hiatt and Lewis Dexter left Friday for Corvallis where Van Schoiack and Gene Hiatt will enter Oregon State college for their first year, and Charles Kik as his second while Lewis Dexter will enter as his

last year. Mrs. Del Jackson and Louise left Friday for San Francisco where they will see the fair and visit his sister in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hull, Miss Clara Corrigan and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Moses and sons spent Sunday on a fishing trip up the Umatilla river. Lyle Brown, who is a fireman in La Grande, visited at his home from Friday till Monday while being temporarily employed at Reith.

James Byrnes, Mrs. Don Harryman and children, Mrs. V. D. Bramer and Stella Rae spent Friday in Walla Walla. They took Mrs. Harryman to

her home in Pasco after visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes, since the first of the week. Gordon Harryman returned with them after visiting his grandparents for a month.

Pete Peterson, who has been visiting in Portland and The Dalles with his sister, Mrs. Clinton Harvey and Mrs. Henry Cramer, returned the last of the week to the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Van Schoiack for an indefinite stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles De Harte and son Alfred of Sunnyside, spent the week end visiting at the home of

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Stephens.

Miss Naomi Brownell spent the week end in Rieth visiting at the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Steaver. She accompanied her sister home Saturday.

Miss Elva Twid will spend the week end visiting in La Grande. Ervin Chapman, who is employed in Walla Walla by Jones-Scott, spent Sunday here with his family.

Margie Mustard, who is employed in Pendleton, spent Sunday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mustard.

Oliver McNabb and Maurice Priddy spent Friday and Saturday in Pendleton at the armory. The boys have been discharged because of illness. Ray Moses and Darwin Shaw spent Saturday evening and Sunday here before going to camp Murray at Fort Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall and Mrs. Leland Smith spent Sunday evening in Pendleton visiting Smith, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fitzpatrick spent Sunday in the mountains deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tucker and son Joe spent Sunday in the mountains near Heppner.

Margaret Brown, who has been away from her work in the Red &

wante store because of the flu, returned Monday.

Jerry Morrison, who has been in The Dalles hospital recovering from an accident on his motorcycle when he was returning from Portland early in August, is at the home of his mother, Mrs. Hansen here.

Mrs. Calla Tonies and Mrs. Dale Montgomery and son Larry spent Tuesday afternoon visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal. Horsely and daughters of Arizona are visiting at the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete McNabb.

The student body of the local high school put out its first edition of the school paper Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Rix who have been visiting Miss Sara Rix for several days, returned last week to their home in Portland.

Patsy Cooney has returned to Marylhurst college after spending some months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cooney.

Mrs. Loran Montgomery and infant daughter Sandra Louise returned Sunday from the Pendleton hospital and are staying at the home of his mother, Mrs. George Montgomery.

SCS CHIEF PRAISES WORK ON PROJECTS

Sand dune control along the Oregon coast, development of trashy fallow in eastern Oregon, and the steps toward revegetating with usable grasses logged-off areas in western Oregon, are outstanding accomplishments in soil conservation in this state, believes Dr. Hugh H. Bennett, chief of the Soil Conservation service at Washington, D. C., after a tour of investigation made of far western projects extending from Montana to southern California.

Dr. Bennett and two assistant chiefs who accompanied him from Washington, Dr. Dillon S. Myer, and Dr. M. L. Nichols, conferred with agricultural officials at Oregon State college on the progress of these and other projects. So far, the logged-off land work has been done almost entirely by the experiment station, but tentative arrangements were made for cooperative demonstrations with the SCS.

POWER COMPANY TRANSFER MADE

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tailed survey of all lines and properties, checking voltages, straightening poles, tightening guys and doing other rehabilitation work.

Voltage tests in the growing industrial center at Umatilla have been under way by the company's division engineer for some time in preparation for corrective work as soon as acquisition of the system was completed. Similar tests are to be made throughout the new territory.

The company's radio serviceman also will cover the entire territory to locate sources of radio interference for correction. All service meters also are to be tested for accuracy.

New services which become available to customers in the Hermiston territory include the district rural service agent, trained in farm electric problems, and the district home service supervisor, an experienced home economist and home lighting advisor.

The Pacific company plans to continue operation of the Hermiston company's hydroelectric plant on the Umatilla river. For a number of years supplementary power has been delivered to the Hermiston company through an interconnection near Hermiston with the Pacific company's 66,000-volt transmission line from Pasco to Pendleton.

It is pointed out that the Hermiston territory is advantageously situated with regard to abundant power resources to insure continuity of service.

The Pasco-Pendleton line is part of a big transmission loop of the Pacific system through Walla Walla, with four lines feeding power into the Pasco substation and two system inter-connections feeding into Walla Walla. In addition, Pendleton is directly supplied by the company's Walla Walla river hydroelectric plant.



WELCOME...

to our 850 new customers, who until September 21 were served by Hermiston Light & Power Company

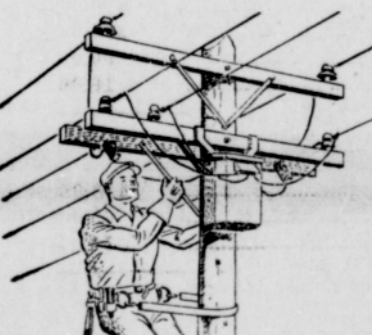
We appreciate the opportunity of serving you . . . and shall do our best to give you better and better electric service at lowest possible rates . . . a policy we have consistently followed during our 30 years of public service.

The skilled engineering staff, the power plants and transmission lines, the trained operating and maintenance crews, the ample capital and successful experience of Pacific Power & Light Company are at your service.

And here is what we are doing right now as we start to serve you:

TO IMPROVE SERVICE TO ALL CUSTOMERS...

1. Construction crews are examining and testing every inch of the newly acquired power system, making adjustments, repairs and additions where necessary to assure each customer the high quality of Pacific Power service.
2. Bills for the first month's service will be delivered by a representative of the company who will answer any questions you may have on your new electric service.



TO IMPROVE SERVICE TO RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS (including rural homes)

1. A graduate home economist will demonstrate the most efficient way to operate your electrical appliances, or solve any problem that you may have with your electric servants. Just notify your local Pacific Power & Light office and the home economist will call . . . there is no charge for her services.
2. A lighting expert will call, on request, to measure the lighting in your home. She will make suggestions for I.E.S. lamps or for adapting your present fixtures so that the eyes of your family are guarded against strain by enough of the right kind of light.



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TO IMPROVE SERVICE TO COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS...

1. Adequate line and transformer capacity is being installed to insure a plentiful supply of low-cost Pacific Power & Light Company electricity at all times, at constant voltage.
2. Engineers will call to help each businessman get the most out of the electricity he buys. Suggestions will be made on how best to light-condition your place of business, or how restaurants can utilize cheap electricity to cook and refrigerate foods. You'll be informed of new electrical equipment . . . all with a view to increasing your income and your service to customers.



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THE STAFF OF HERMISTON LIGHT & POWER COMPANY IS BEING RETAINED, AND WILL BE AUGMENTED BY THE PENDLETON DISTRICT STAFF OF PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT

We hope that you will like your new electric service! Please feel free to offer your comments and suggestions.

PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

30 Years of Public Service

TO IMPROVE SERVICE TO FARM CUSTOMERS...

1. A rural service agent is being stationed here to call regularly at farms using Pacific Power & Light service and help with any electrical problem, such as installing irrigation systems, pumps, feed grinders, brooders, etc. This agent is well versed in all the modern uses of electricity that increase income and lessen work on the farm.



2. A survey is under way to determine where line extensions to serve additional farms can logically be made.
3. Each rural customer is being given a year's free subscription to ELECTRICITY ON THE FARM, a national monthly magazine filled with useful information about handy ways of using electricity.

6 FACTS
about Pacific Power & Light Co.

1. It provides employment for 850 persons and supports a total payroll of approximately \$1,648,788.
2. Taxes paid by Pacific Power & Light Company in 1939 amounted to \$887,690. Since 1910 the company has paid more than \$10,000,000 in taxes.
3. In 1939 it disbursed \$4,744,472 for wages, materials, supplies, and taxes, expending practically all of this amount in the territory served.
4. Pacific Power & Light Company rates are 37% below national average.
5. It has an average annual use of electricity by residential customers of 1656 kilowatt-hours, or 81% more than the national average.
6. It has long been a national leader in extending its lines to serve rural customers. Today it delivers its low-cost electricity to more than 12,505 farms in Washington and Oregon.

Hotel MULTNOMAH
PORTLAND, OREGON

Nationally Famous

- Convenient Location
- Coffee Shop—Buffet Tavern
- Dining and Banquet Rooms
- Famously Fine Food
- Modern Appointments
- Luxurious Outside Rooms
- Garage Opposite

600 ROOMS
SENSIBLE RATES