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**SCOTLAND LETTER TELLS OF WAR**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor were recipients of an interesting letter this week from relatives of Mr. Taylor who reside in Glasgow, Scotland. Following are excerpts of the letter:

"You are wondering how we are all doing in your home city, Glasgow. Well, as a matter of fact, we had two nights of Blitz. It was considered bad judging by the death toll. The official figures given were 1500 killed and over 1000 severely wounded. The first night was Thursday, March 13; nine hours of it that night and on Friday, seven hours. The moon was giving the enemy assistance. After that period a great many here left the city for peace and safety. We went to Ayr for a while and I travelled night and morning to

business in Glasgow, about 40 miles. The night we returned to Glasgow we had four hours of air raid warnings. It was raining too and it was strange that they should visit us in such weather. While we were away our own district was badly bombed. Two large bombs were dropped about 300 yards away, smashing all the windows in our vicinity, but our property escaped. Like London, we can take it!

"Your nephew Charlie is well, away up North. I would mention where he is but Mr. Censor might object. It is famous for shawls and ponies. He is well and likes it but is desperate to get a crack at Hitler. In fact it is going to be a hard business for our boys but when we get the goods from the U. S. A. we will show Hitler and give him a good dose of his own poison.

"All friends are well, and doing

well, but we hate the air raids. Those sirens give you a pain. The night is settled by 8 p. m., with the balloons ever so high. I am still doing fire watching and A. R. P. duties, and as luck would have it our services have not been required so far. The office force takes shifts at the warehouse, as roof watchers. I shall be on duty Saturday night from 10 p. m. to Sunday at 10 a. m. We stand by when the Alert goes, and when there is no alert we just pass the time listening to the wireless, some play cards, others read or lie down. Beds are furnished but you provide your own food. We make tea or go out and get a fish supper, if we wish. "We will come through all right. We must take the rough with the smooth. Daffodils are blooming here and Spring is beginning to cheer us up. Then Summer, then Victory."

**JUSTICE H. J. BEAN PASSES AT SALEM**

Supreme Court Justice Henry J. Bean, 87, who served longer on Oregon's highest tribunal than any other justice in the state's history, died in a Salem hospital last Thursday evening after an illness of several months. Justice Bean, first elected to the court in 1910 and re-elected six times, underwent an operation December 26. He has been in the hospital since that time. He had been in failing health for about a year.

Justice Bean was born in Bethel, Maine, November 13, 1853, where he attended public schools. He later attended Hebron and Gould academies. He came to eastern Oregon in 1881 and practiced law in Pendleton. He was appointed supreme court clerk in Pendleton in 1895 and also served as district attorney and county judge. Justice Bean served as circuit judge for the sixth judicial district from 1906 to 1910, when he was elected to the state supreme court. His continuous service on the supreme court began in 1911. His present court term began four years ago and expires in 1943. Judge J. T. Brand of Marshfield has been appointed by Governor Chas. A. Sprague to succeed Justice Bean.

The latter was married June 8, 1886, to Mattie E. Magahay of Pendleton who died in February, 1939. Two children, Mrs. Harold J. Larson of Beaverton, and Hawley J. Bean, Echo, survive.

Funeral services were held in Pendleton Saturday afternoon. W. J. Warner of Hermiston acted as one of the pall bearers.

**MAYOR PROCLAIMS 1941 POPPY DAY**

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pies throughout the city on Saturday, May 24.

"Now, therefore, I, F. C. McKenzie, mayor of the City of Hermiston, do proclaim, Saturday, May 24, to be Poppy Day in the City of Hermiston, and urge all citizens to observe the day by wearing the memorial poppy of the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary in honor of the men who died for America in the war of 1917 and 1918."

The custom of wearing poppies in memory of the World War dead sprang up spontaneously in many parts of the world soon after the close of the war, inspired by the poem, "In Flanders Fields", by Colonel John McCrae. First wearing of the poppies in America took place in New York City two days before the signing of the Armistice. The poppy was adopted as the memorial flower of the American Legion in 1920, and similar action was taken at the American Legion Auxiliary's first national convention in 1921.

**NEW SCHEDULE FOR STAGES ANNOUNCED**

Effective Thursday, May 15, a round trip schedule for Union Pacific Stages became effective between Hermiston and Pendleton. The run will leave Pendleton at 11:00 p. m. and arrive in Hermiston at 11:46. The new return will leave Hermiston at 6:12 a. m. and arrive in Pendleton at 6:56 a. m.

The new schedule will not effect other trips made by Union Pacific Stages between these points.

**Siamese Turkeys Create Interest**

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Todd attempted to crash Ripley's column last week when they discovered a set of Siamese turkeys among their brood. The two birds were joined together quite firmly and seemed in perfect health. However, Mrs. Todd did not wish to lose two perfectly good Bronze poulters so performed the operation of severing the connection. Latest reports were that all concerned were doing nicely.

**LONG DISTANCE BROADCAST HEARD**

L. M. "Radio Louie" White, somewhat of a wizard in radio work, recently received a broadcast from Quito, Ecuador, S. A. The broadcast came in while Mr. White was repairing a radio set and came in quite clearly. The call was received over short wave.

Mr. White wrote a letter to the station and last week received a return message. Apparently Station HCJB, "The Voice of the Andes", is a religious concern because the envelope contained various pamphlets dealing with Biblical matters. Quito, Ecuador, lies astride the equator and is half in the northern and half in the southern hemisphere. Quito is 10,000 feet above sea level.

Naturally Mr. White is quite pleased and the stamps on the envelope have been eyed with considerable envy by stamp collectors.

**WEATHER MAN IS POPULAR HERO**

The past week has proved a blessing to wheat ranchers, garden enthusiasts and anyone generally interested in seeing things grow. The week end rains, especially, proved a great boon to the wheat south and east of Hermiston and prospects for a bumper crop are excellent.

The report for the week, according to

Date	Max.	Min.
May 7	64	50
May 8	71	43
May 9	79	33
May 10	85	44
May 11	91	50
May 12	81	58
May 13	76	53

A total of .22 inch rainfall was recorded during the seven days.

The report for previous week was as follows:

Date	Max.	Min.
April 30	78	54
May 1	71	54
May 2	70	38
May 3	66	48
May 4	71	45
May 5	67	44
May 6	69	40

A total of .20 precipitation was recorded.

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**EMPLOYMENT HALL IN CRONK BUILDING**

The Oregon State Employment office is moving to the Guy Cronk building west of the tracts today (Thursday). This is the second move for this office since coming to Hermiston several months ago. Temporary quarters were first obtained in the Legion hall and later moved to the Wm. Shaar building on Main street.

The state of Oregon has taken a year's lease of the Cronk quarters with an option for renewal. The new setup will relieve considerable congestion on Main street as many of the men wait near the office for a call to work at the munitions depot.

**Four-H Club Meeting Held**  
A Four-H club meeting was held May 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Picanso in the Stanfield district. "Judging" was the topic of discussion during the meeting. Members of the club are: Billy Gilbert, president; Jim Hogg, secretary; Virginia Picanso, vice president; Junior Brown, reporter; Wendell Hogg, Elaine Hogg, Frances Stephens, James Quinn and Alida Picanso, and Mrs. Hogg is club leader.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown, and the floral offerings given at the death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. P. E. Hall and family.

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Van Camps Hominy No 2½ tin	9¢	ROYAL SATIN Shortening	3-lb. can 43¢	White King Toilet Soap 3-bar	14¢
Butter Kernel Whl Corn No 2	11¢	Wesson Oil qt. can	39¢	BORAXO	10 oz. can 12¢
Gardenside Tomatoes 3 cans	25¢	May Day Salad Oil	Qt. can 35¢	Scott Kitchen Towels	3 rolls 25¢
Anglo Corned Beef 12-oz can	16¢			SNOWFLAKE SODAS 2 lbs.	27¢
Nestles Chocolates, 8 oz. bar	10¢			BILTMORE TUNA 7 oz. tin	15¢
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