

Miss Bernadette Richmond of Winchester Bay is the house guest of Miss Helen Jendrzewski at the home of her parents in this district. The two young women arrived here after two weeks vacationing on the Oregon coast. They came via Klamath Falls where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jendrzewski and college friends. They also spent some time at Crater Lake, motoring home through Redmond and the John Day Fossil Beds. The girls suggest "seeing Oregon first." They will have covered almost the entire state after spending a few days in the Wallowa mountains and at Wallowa lake as guests of Miss Joan Bales of Baker.

Mrs. William Hulisz of Portland spent from Thursday to Sunday visiting at the Walter Maffei home. Mr. and Mrs. Maffei, Mrs. Hulisz and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marvin of Hermiston spent the 4th at Wallowa lake and Hurricane creek. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Gore and daughter, Norma, of Longview, Wn., were also guests at the Maffei home during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrnie Caldwell attended the rodeo in Kennewick Sunday afternoon.

Bert Parsons returned Monday after spending several days visiting in The Dalles and Tacoma, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Upham and baby of Portland were holiday weekend guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Upham. On Sunday they visited at the Lester Hamner home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilcox visited the Maryhill Museum on the 4th, and in Goldendale, Wn., where Mr. Wilcox enjoyed a meeting with an old friend whom he had not seen for 43 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Woodward and children returned Sunday from a short vacation spent with relatives and friends in Tacoma and Seattle.

Of interest to friends here was the picture of small Richard Mikesell appearing in the last Sunday Oregonian Farm, Home and Garden section. Richard, age 3, is the son of O. E. Mikesell of Albany, Linn County 4-H club agent, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mikesell of this district.

Eva Wilcox and Lois Cooley attended the 4th of July celebration in Baker, where Miss Wilcox rode in the parade and took part in the show presented by the Mustangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrnie Caldwell were Pendleton visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Zacharias were Sunday guests at the W. R. Struthers home.

Mark Foster and mother, Mrs. Grace Foster, drove to the Edmonds Orchards near Umatilla Monday evening and visited the Rand family near Irrigon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson and children of Pomeroy, Wn., spent the 4th at the Virgil Wilkes home.

A Townsend Youth Organization is being formed locally with Charles Kik sponsoring the movement. A series of benefit dances, starting Wednesday evening of this week at the pavilion, will be given to finance the organization.

The Leland Morehouse family spent Wednesday in town at the Walter Morehouse home to honor the birthday anniversary of the elder Mrs. Morehouse.

Mrs. Fern Millard and Mrs. Gus Lindner were callers the first of the week at the Udey home to visit Mrs. Sink, who is recovering nicely from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sisson visited Tuesday at the Virgil Wilkes home.

Mrs. Edward Shaw and small son, visiting here from Alt, Colorado, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Hutchinson, is enjoying meetings with many friends. Sunday she was a caller at the Carl Hamner home.

Mrs. Clara Shaver and son, Robert, left Tuesday for their home in Riverside California, after visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Amanda Shaver during the past three weeks.

Laurence Hunt came Thursday of last week to spend the holiday weekend at home. He returned to Portland on Sunday.

The Arthur Blinston family and Mr. and Mrs. Halliburton spent the Fourth at a picnic on Buttercreek.

Mrs. Henry Garberding returned Saturday from Minnesota where she had visited relatives for the past month. She reports a very enjoyable trip, it being 25 years since she last visited her native state.

Two of the farmers' telephone lines in this district were out of order several days the first of the week following Sunday's electrical storm.

Maxine Blinston plans to spend this weekend in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garberding and children of Sunnyside spent the 4th at the Henry Garberding home.

Mrs. J. H. Reid was visited Tuesday by her nephew, Gene Coe, of Lewiston, who came by private plane from Lewiston.

Laurence Hunt, Harold Buell, Maxine Blinston and Peggy Smith motored to Bingham Springs the 4th and spent the day.

Along the Diagonal: Mark Foster working on the telephone line. Ted and Dick Hamner earning 50 cents by standing watch at the plane which landed in Reid's pasture Tuesday. New paint on the roofs at the Reid farm.

EPWORTH LEAGUE TO PICNIC
The young people of the Methodist church are planning to hold Epworth League Sunday evening at the Columbia river. All young folks are invited to be at the Methodist church at 6:00 p. m.

HIGHER MARKET FOR WHEAT CROP IS EXPECTED HERE

FARMERS URGED TO STORE WHEAT

Foreseeing a market price higher than the loan value for wheat before the first of the year if marketing quotas are successful in keeping surplus wheat off the market, A. R. Coppock, chairman of the county AAA committee, advises wheat growers who will have excess wheat under marketing quota provisions to store the excess wheat as the most desirable method of handling it.

Pointing out the purpose of marketing quotas is to keep the surplus off the market, Mr. Coppock said that payment of penalties and subsequent marketing of the excess wheat by the grower would defeat the purpose of quotas.

Growers that store their excess wheat may obtain a loan on this wheat at 60 per cent of the regular loan rate, provided they fulfill one of four conditions, Mr. Coppock said. These conditions are given as follows:

Deposit of an acceptable bond with the treasurer of the county committee to secure payment of the penalty on the excess wheat. This bond must be in an amount equal to 49c a bushel for each bushel of excess wheat to be placed under loan.

Deposit with the treasurer of the county committee funds in payment of the penalty or to be held in escrow as the producer elects.

Name the treasurer of the United States, in care of the county committee, as payee of the loan documents for the amount of the penalty, such amount to be used in payment of the penalty or to be held in escrow as the producer elects.

Deposit with the treasurer of the county committee additional warehouse receipts covering an additional amount of wheat equal to the marketing quota excess. These receipts will be held in escrow.

Fulfillment of any one of these four conditions will allow the producer to receive the 60 per cent loan on his marketing quota excess, Mr. Coppock said. However, he warned growers that storage of the excess under loan does not take it out of the producer's hands, but rather defers payment of the penalty and gives the producer a chance to bring his operations into line with marketing quota provisions without an immediate cash outlay.

CHURCH OFFERS BASEMENT ROOM

The Central Church of Christ is cooperating with other organizations of the community by offering use of the church basement each Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon for women who wish to read, do Red Cross sewing, personal sewing or who wish to use sewing machines there.

This location offers a cool place to spend the afternoon and the invitation is open to any woman of Hermiston. The church is four blocks west of the depot.

KENNEDY BUILDING NEARS COMPLETION

The newest building on Main street will be unveiled sometime this weekend, according to Wm. E. Kennedy, builder. The new structure is 50 by 75 feet in size and constructed entirely of cement and steel. Plate glass windows were installed the first of the week and a cement floor was being poured Tuesday and Wednesday.

The building has been leased for five years to G. E. Pankey of Idaho, who plans to put in a lunch counter, beer parlor and card room.

No definite information concerning the opening has been received.

LICENSE EXAMINER SCHEDULED HERE

A Traveling Examiner of Operators and Chauffeurs is scheduled to arrive in Hermiston Thursday, July 17, and will be on duty at the city library between the hours of 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., according to a recent announcement released from the Secretary of State's office.

Quartet To Appear Here Soon



COLLEGE QUARTET SCHEDULED HERE

The male quartet of Northwest Christian college of Eugene will present a concert in the Central Church of Christ next Thursday evening, July 17. The quartet has made its annual appearance in Hermiston for the past several years. The concert next Thursday will be of particular interest due to the fact that Allan Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clarke and a graduate of Hermiston schools, is the second tenor.

Other members of the group are Jim Winn, first tenor, George Whipple, first bass, and Vernon Kullowatz, second bass. The quartet will be accompanied by Dr. K. E. Burke, president of the college.

From February 1 to June 1 the quartet had traveled 4,000 miles and had sung 500 numbers before groups of all description. The boys have been traveling since the close of the college year.

There will be no admission charge.

STANFIELD SHOW DRAWS HUNDREDS FOURTH OF JULY

A large crowd of people thronged the streets of Stanfield during the Fourth of July celebration last Friday. Leslie M. Scott, state treasurer, who delivered the patriotic address of the day, pointed out that every person is a treasurer of American independence and freedom. National unity of thought and purpose is very essential at this time. This is necessary to defend our United States from "old world conquest."

The highlight of the afternoon came with the show staged by the Portland Police motorcycle corps. These human dare-devils treated the large crowd to several hours of thrills of every description. The people in attendance voiced their approval from all corners.

The morning parade was colorful with floats, drill teams and bands.

Sammy McCracken, Hermiston fistic pride, upheld his reputation at the Fourth of July fight card in Stanfield by easily whipping Jackie Burns of Heppner in the main event. Burns, who apparently was not in first class condition, failed to win a round and McCracken hit him at will. He worked Burns over effectively with body punches and had him down for the count of nine in each of the fifth and sixth rounds.

Cy Webb, Mission Indian, won the semi-final on a foul from Jack West of The Dalles in a slap-bang battle. Referee Logan Todd of Hermiston awarded the bout to Webb when the latter was thrown from the ring by West. In a fast preliminary Popcorn Burke of Mission K.O.'d Young Morgan of The Dalles.

Al Partlow, Boardman, decisioned Young Max Baer. Roy Partlow won over H. Jensen and the Patrick brothers fought a two-round draw.

ORDNANCE DEPOT WORKER DROWNS IN RESCUE ATTEMPT

Charles Jacob Clapper was drowned while attempting to rescue a daughter Monday afternoon while she was swimming in the Umatilla river under the Echo bridge. Lois became trapped in a deep hole and called for help. Mr. Clapper was known to be an excellent swimmer and it is thought he succumbed to a heart attack.

Lois was rescued by two Echo youths, Bill Esselstyn and Kenneth Jordan, who were standing on the Echo bridge. After taking her to shore, help was summoned and Tommy Lloyd, 21, dived into the river and after 20 minutes managed to recover the body of Mr. Clapper.

Mr. Clapper was born in Red Cloud, Nebraska, March 3, 1883, and was united in marriage to Neva McCathron December 25, 1908. To this union were born ten children, nine of whom are still living. Mrs. Clapper passed away in 1934. Mr. Clapper was employed at the ordnance depot.

Relatives who live to mourn his passing are: his mother-in-law, Mrs. Dora McCathron, of near Portland; one brother, John Clapper and one sister, Mrs. Florence Holopelter, both of Ainsworth, Nebraska; nine children: Mrs. Lee (Zola) Combs, Mrs. Fred (Mary) Cowell, Clayton, 17, Lois, 15, Don, 12, and Dean, 10—all of Echo, Oregon, and Dale of Buffalo Gap, S. D., Frank of Sioux Falls, S. D., and Mrs. Lola Hilmore of Chamberlain, S. D.; five grandchildren: Robert Dale Combs, Adrienne and Marilyn Cowell—all of Echo, and Mary Lou and Sharron Clapper of Sioux Falls, S. D.

Funeral services were held in the Echo Methodist church with Rev. Malcolm B. Balinger in charge Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in Ainsworth, Nebraska.

HOME EC CLUB TO MEET

The Columbia Grange Home Economics club will meet Friday, July 11, at the home of Mrs. Elmer Dixon in the Columbia district. Members are urged to be present.

AMERICAN LEGION LAUNCHES DRIVE FOR AMBULANCE

The American Legion in Hermiston has launched a campaign to obtain an ambulance for use here. A total of \$400 was realized from the Huggins Model Shows, a carnival held here several weeks ago. This money has been placed in an "ambulance fund" at the First National Bank to be used towards this goal.

Other groups and individuals have given indication of willingness to help. Anyone wishing to contribute is asked to leave money at the bank. A dire need for this type of conveyance has been felt here for some time.

Several accidents have occurred in this vicinity in recent months where an ambulance could have been of great assistance.

YOUNGSTER IS ACCIDENT VICTIM

Carey Allen, 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allen suffered fatal injuries Monday evening when he ran into an auto being driven by Ira Gentry at the Cabin City camp grounds. Mr. Gentry was backing his car out of a parking space when the young lad suddenly appeared on the scene.

He was rushed to Pendleton but died soon after arrival at the hospital. Upon investigation, the coroner held that the death was accidental and that Gentry was blameless. The child's father is employed at the Umatilla Ordnance Depot.

MOVIE ACTOR MAKES STOP HERE

Eugene W. Pallette, portly screen star of Hollywood, was a short visitor in Hermiston one day this week. He was en route to his ranch in the Innaha river district when his car developed motor trouble here.

Mr. Pallette was quite genial and freely signed autographs of those who were fortunate enough to recognize him.

BUSINESS BOOMS AS WORK SPEEDS UP AT ORDNANCE SITE

LOCAL MERCHANTS ADD TO PERSONNEL

Work at the Umatilla Ordnance Depot is now in full swing with all departments working at top speed. A new order which went into effect last week places all employees on a seven-day work basis with two days of overtime pay. This step was deemed necessary in order to speed up construction.

Activities in the field are now divided into several departments, including road building, pouring cement igloos and fence construction. The past few weeks has seen the addition of several hundred men both in the field and in the offices.

The entire area presents a scene of activity. Men and machinery are seen in every direction and the long booms of drag lines can be seen for some distance. Three rock crushing plants are producing aggregates for concrete, road material and railroad ballast. Machine and carpentry shops are working three eight-hour shifts in order to keep equipment in shape for the huge task ahead.

In Hermiston, the merchants and businessmen are working extra hours to keep up with the increased population. Extra clerks and additional equipment can be found at every turn. One hour parking signs have been installed in an attempt to keep the traffic moving.

Hundreds of people crowded the streets over the week-end. Although no celebration of any sort was held in this city, the streets were jammed much of the day. Something new in the way of business occurred Fourth of July night when Roy Hale decided to close his confectionery at 9:00 in the evening due to the fact that he was "sold out" of cold beer.

In the numerous trailer camps about the city, preparations are already underway for more permanent settlement. In fact, some talk is heard (in spite of the 100-degree weather) of preparing for the winter blasts. Shortage of coal and wood is feared by the fuel dealers of the city. It is urged that residents order coal and fuel oil now in order to relieve the pressure when the snow begins to fall.

But the more carefree are singing, "There'll be a hot time in the old town tonight."

PROCLAMATION

We, the undersigned, hereby declare the period from July 18 to August 2 as a time to collect aluminum of any type in the cities of Hermiston and Stanfield. We urge that citizens cooperate in this aluminum drive to the fullest extent.

Signed:
Mayor F. C. McKenzie
Mayor Frank Sloan

ALUMINUM DRIVE ANNOUNCED HERE

The period of July 18 to August 2 has been proclaimed as "aluminum drive days" following a meeting of the Umatilla County Defense Council in Pendleton Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. James Todd of Hermiston attended the session. County Judge Carl Chambers presided during the evening.

In Hermiston, pots, pans, kettles, anything aluminum, will be gathered at the Rohman used car lot beginning July 18. Anyone having discarded aluminum materials is urged to deposit same at this location. Further information concerning the drive will be published next week.

The project is sponsored by the county defense council.

CHIEF OF GUARDS ARRIVES AT SITE

Orville A. Peterson, recently of Ogden, Utah, arrived this week to take over the duties of Chief of the Ordnance Guards at the Umatilla Ordnance Depot. He was formerly a member of the guards at the Ogden Ordnance Depot at Ogden, Utah.

Mr. Peterson is accompanied here by Mrs. Peterson and one daughter, Grace Anne. They have obtained living quarters at Stanfield.

The Tourist Season Is On



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