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Three Items of Interest

One week from next Tuesday is election day. State, district, county and city residents will vote on a long list of nominees and some measures. If you have gas, rubber and time you will go to the polls. If not, the pedestrians nearby will cast the largest vote. For this reason it is likely that the towns and particularly the large centers will control the election—unless more interest is suddenly aroused. The candidates are campaigning in the usual way but have failed to arouse the voting public.

With the war and all its attendant circumstances absorbing the public mind, the citizen voter is likely to be asleep at the switch at a time when it is just as important to exercise the rights of democracy, for which we are fighting, as it is to buy bonds and collect scrap iron. It is no time to forget the great privilege we have of controlling our economic and governmental affairs, and maintaining a country free from dictatorship or tyrant control.

Hunters are in the field and in the mountains and getting the usual bag of game. The police officers are also getting their usual bag of hunters. Some sportsmen play with the law through ignorance, some carelessly, some with trickery or total disregard of the game laws. The game laws are strict and penalties are severe, made to protect the game of the state and true sportsmanship is to obey and set good example. The police and courts would not be necessary if all hunters adhered to the spirit of the law that seeks to provide them the sport they so desire.

It is reported that Hermiston is the most cooperative community in the Pacific Northwest in dealing with the problems brought to it by a large defense project. This is only part of the story. We have been known for many years as the most cooperative locality in the United States. We got together in the early days to meet problems in irrigation, farming and development, and we stuck together to further the interests of our region through the years that followed. In the same way we have met the newer problems with general welfare spirit so well cultivated in by-gone days.

UMATILLA NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Ostrom

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper and son Ronald returned to Portland Friday from a week's visit here with friends. While here Cooper acted as agent at the U. P. depot for O. T. Pound.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Byrnes and daughter Joan spent Friday in Pendleton on business.

Mrs. Harry Rodenbough and daughter Doris spent Wednesday in Pendleton.

Buster Rice spent the week end here visiting with his parents. Les. Blakely went to Portland last week where he spent a few days. Mrs. Blakely returned with him and plans on making their home here while he is employed here as switchman.

Mrs. Elmore McKenzie returned last week from Portland where she has been employed.

Mary Shannon, who is attending school in Spokane spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shannon.

Mrs. M. O. Tucker of Portland who has been visiting her daughter in Hermiston is spending a few days with her son, Tom Tucker and family.

Marvin Moe of Portland spent a week here visiting at the Frank Clark home and enjoying a few days hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Trout and children of Walla Walla spent the week end visiting at the Frank Clark home. Mrs. Clark returned home with them and spent until Monday there.

Mrs. John Quick and daughter Joan of California is here visiting a few days with old friends.

Ernest Whisman and Perry Pike returned home Saturday from the mountains with two 3-point bucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ford visited the first of the week here with friends. Mrs. Ford is living with her parents in Pendleton and Mr. Ford is stationed with the army in California and is home on a ten day furlough.

Mrs. Paul Donavon who spent a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Bousquet, returned to her home in Los Angeles last week. Mrs. Bousquet and grandson Billy went as far as Portland with her and stayed a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Stephens returned the last of the week from Seattle where they had gone to see their son, Francis, who is in the navy and was being sent from Virginia to Seattle for parts unknown, but were unable to find him.

Penny Reeves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reeves of Hermiston, spent the week end at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Joder of Donald spent Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. Ervin Chapman of Walla Walla visited here Tuesday.

A committee from five different organizations met at the home of Mrs. Harry Lewis, chairman, and plans are underway for a teachers reception for Friday night, October 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gahn and daughter Brenda and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gripp of Portland are here visiting friends.

ECHO NEWS ITEMS

Limit bags of ducks and pheasants were reported by local hunters Thursday. More ducks are in evidence in this valley than for many years, the hunters report, and pheasants are numerous but exceedingly wild.

Mrs. Joe Middleton went to Portland Saturday, returning the first of the week with her husband who has been in a hospital there recovering from a major operation.

Supt. M. E. Larive and Mrs. Larive left for Baker Thursday afternoon to attend the district teachers' institute. Mr. Larive planned to get in a brief deer hunt after the institute, which is in session Thursday and Friday.

Ensign Daryl Wigle of the U. S. navy, Mrs. Wigle and two sons stopped in Echo Thursday and called on Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Spinning. Mr. Wigle is a son of Lee Wigle, who was an Echo resident more than 30 years ago. He was en route from New York to Portland to visit his stepmother, Agnes Boyd Wigle.

Harry Wheeler and Walter Gadsby of Portland were week end guests at the Otis McCarty home on Butter Creek to take in the pheasant shooting.

A girls' gospel team consisting of

Ione Widing, Beatrice Reimer and Ardenia Boydsum, from the Christian Business Women's league of Portland, are holding evangelistic services in the local Methodist church every evening except Saturday at 7:45. The meetings will continue through next week.

William Price, who was ditch rider and school bus driver here ten years ago, arrived Thursday with his son Wayne to spend the week end hunting pheasants. They are stopping at the Joseph Ramos Jr. home. Price and his son are employed in the shipyards and reside at Sherwood.

Mrs. Marian K. George, who has been in Portland several weeks receiving medical treatment, returned to Echo Monday.

Mrs. Charles Lisle of Portland, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scheer in Pendleton, spent the week end in Echo. She left for Portland Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Prudence Young, who will visit at the Lisle home.

Mrs. J. L. Hoffnagle was given a surprise birthday party at her home Monday. Ten of her friends spent the afternoon with Mrs. Hoffnagle and she was remembered with gifts and cards from many who were unable to attend.

A party of hunters consisting of Homer Coppinger, Wm. Helmick, Carl Weltzin, Ben Gaskill and Ted Laughlin, and their wives, who went into the Medical Springs district Saturday, returned home Thursday morning. They brought out four deer.

The Blue Mountain regional convention of Garden clubs met in Echo Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. G. Cooper. Twenty ladies were present and enjoyed a talk and demonstration of flower arrangement by the state president, Mrs. E. D. Lamb of Klamath Falls. Mrs. Ralph Fowler of Pendleton, vice president of the Blue Mountain district, presided at the meeting.

PINE CITY NEWS

By Mrs. Bernice Wattenburger

Henry Vogler underwent an operation for appendicitis Thursday in Pasco, Wn. Mrs. Pearl Vogler and daughter Helen spent the week end with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Ried J. Busieck and son Johnny and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger left Thursday for Portland to take Mrs. Wattenburger to the Portland clinic. Mr. Wattenburger returned home Monday evening, stating they kept Mrs. Wattenburger there and put her in the Portland

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All Milking but 3 - Some Guernsey and Shorthorns.

- 7 CALVES, from three weeks to three months old.
- 1 STAG HOG, weight about 400 pounds.
- 1 WORK HORSE, smooth mouth, 1300 pounds.
- 1 14-INCH GANG PLOW.
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- 1 JAXON FORK.
- 1 U. S. SEPARATOR.
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