

### Riverview

Mrs. Virgil Powell entertained with a picnic dinner at Big Eddy Sunday. Those enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hannah of Beaverton, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Allen of Gaston, Miss Margaret Nelson of Vernonia and DeLoss and Melvin Powell.

Mrs. E. Fonda spent the week end at the home of her son Chas. Biggs.

Juanita Parker of Riverview was a guest of Esther Williams of Vernonia Sunday.

Mrs. Beulah Gill entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Elder Sunday.

I. A. Diemert of Portland spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Andrews of O.-A. hill were guests of Mrs. Frank Hankle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson visited relatives at Cornelius Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Crawford, who has been visiting relatives at Sunny-side, Wash., returned home Friday.

Mrs. Francis Piercy spent Saturday with Mrs. Stanley Olson at Treharne.

Mrs. Dan May and daughter Goldie and Mrs. Edith Varley visited Mrs. Gus Olson at Buxton Monday. While there they also visited Mr. and Mrs. Levi White, who were former residents of Riverview.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan May spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. George Ederer at Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Christensen and son were visiting in Cornelius Sunday.

Laverne Parker and sons left Saturday for Oregon City, where she will visit her sister for an indefinite time.

Jess Forquer of Tulare, Calif., spent Monday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Short of Prineville, and Mrs. C. L. Maddeau of Cottage Grove, brother and sister of Mrs. J. M. Peachey, spent Sunday at Mrs. Peachey's home in Riverview.

Doris Lindgren and Hazel Tomlin of Vernonia were guests of Ada Mills Saturday.

Clyde Jenkins returned from Portland over the week end and is visiting at the home of E. L. Lloyd.

Clarence Fowler spent a few days at the home of his brother-in-law at Pleasant Grove this week.

Mrs. Amy Beach of Pittsburg was a guest of Mrs. B. B. Hawkins Tuesday.

Friends of Mrs. T. C. Miller of Huntington, Ark., will be sorry to learn that she is very sick and is confined to her bed.

Mrs. Bill Mason entertained Monday with a supper given in honor of her husband's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Robbins and family, Albert Shalock, Mrs. Elsie Parker and daughter Juanita and Mrs. Nels Westland.

Mrs. Merle Cline and sons and Mrs. Delbert Glen spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Cline's mother in Clatskanie.

Betty Jean Olson and Jonnibel Hatfield spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Dan May.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graves, who has been visiting in California, returned home last week.

### ONE FAMILY IN TEN ON THE RELIEF ROLLS

(Clatskanie Chief)

One family in every ten in Columbia county is on relief, according to figures from the county office.

During July, 544 men worked on relief projects in the county and they represented 2081 individuals, the figures show. The population of Columbia county is a little over 20,000 people.

Since SERA started the first of May, \$30,926 has been spent in the county. May took \$8560; June \$7160; July \$8206 and \$7000 has been appropriated for August. Less money was given for this month.

A shipment of fresh meat is expected the last of the month from Kansas City for relief purposes. It will be given in three pound packages.

### Treharne

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Landess of Folsom City, Calif., were Wednesday visitors at the D. C. Merrill and C. Wienecke homes.

John Lund went to Portland over the week end.

S. Parson from Forest Grove is visiting at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wulf entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stanton and Louis, Jr.

Mrs. Nellie Staley of Battle Ground, Wash., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Merrill.

Bob Barnes, Harry Thornbreaue and son Bill called at the home of Sidney Baker on Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Britton and children and Mrs. June Engen visited at Manning on Friday.

Clifford Bergerson threshed at the Treharne place on Saturday.

Russell Ellis Beals, concert pianist teacher of Portland, was a Treharne visitor Saturday.

Mildred Morris visited with Ilene Uhlin over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Schram and family visited friends around Banks Sunday.

The Treharne ball team played the Vernonia team Sunday at the ball park. The score was 2 to 0 in favor of Vernonia.

Mrs. Lee Johnson and son Mervin spent the week end in Portland visiting with her mother in St. Vincents hospital. She reports her mother to be improving.

Mrs. Clell Carsten visited at the J. E. Britton home Sunday evening.

D. H. Staley and family, D. L. Merrill and Carl Wienecke left Sunday for California, where they have work.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton entertained at breakfast Monday

### DANGERS OF BANKRUPTCY ACT FOR FARMS EXPLAINED

Recent additional information regarding the Frazier - Lemke amendment to the Federal Bankruptcy laws designed to enable a farmer to go into bankruptcy as a means of retaining possession of a debt-ridden farm, tends to confirm the early opinion that this is in nature of a "club behind the door" and is something which will not be used to advantage by many farmers. This is the opinion of L. R. Breithaupt, extension agricultural economist at Oregon State college, who is also secretary of the Oregon Agricultural Advisory council.

Mr. Breithaupt recently supplied all county farm debt adjustment committeemen with a complete analysis of the farm bankruptcy act recently appearing in the National Grange Monthly. "It is noteworthy that county farm debt adjustment committees are still regarded as the best bet for farm debtors who need help in adjusting and refinancing their indebtedness," says Mr. Breithaupt. "Their work is expected to increase rather than decrease as a result of this amendment."

The article in the National Grange Monthly points out that in the overwhelming majority of cases voluntary conciliation by a local farm debt adjustment committee still offers the foreclosure-threatened farmer the easiest and

morning Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Ladd and children Beth, Alice, Lillian and Ruth, also Miss Glenna Stephens and Mrs. Lola Thompson.

surest means of holding onto his farm and home. During the past year these debt adjustment committees have provided solutions for more debtor-creditor conflicts than any other means of settlement.

Although there are some attractive prospects indicated by a casual perusal of the bankruptcy amendment, it holds many serious dangers for any farmer, the article continues. A six year purchase plan is one provision and a rental plan of settlement is another, but the prospects are that any farmer taking the bankruptcy route may find himself farming under the jurisdiction of a court.

Either way out under bankruptcy the farmer will have good sized payments to meet, he must pay interest and principal or annual rental and all taxes. The court probably may also require the farmer to keep up full insurance on all buildings and will hold him responsible for any deterioration of the property.

Certainly, it will not pay the farmer to flirt with bankruptcy where he has any equity at all left in his property. Meanwhile, the county farm debt adjustment committees are adjusting the debts of an increasing number of farmers, even those whose equity in their property is near the vanishing point, the article concludes.

J. Henry Frick, resident of Rainier for 20 years, died Aug. 4.

Foreclosure proceedings against owners of property in Washington county on which taxes are delinquent for the years 1930 and

prior and who have not taken advantage of the installment payment plan will be started about August 20, according to G. Russell Morgan, district attorney.

### SPECIALS

For Friday & Saturday

- PEP Kellogg's— 3 Packages ..... 29<sup>c</sup>
- WHEATIES 2 Packages ..... 25<sup>c</sup>
- P. & G. SOAP 5 Large Bars ..... 23<sup>c</sup>
- OXYDOL Large Package ..... 23<sup>c</sup>

### VEGETABLES

- Fresh Dates 2 lbs. 39<sup>c</sup>
- POTATOES U. S. No. 1 Netted Gems POUND SACK ..... 80<sup>c</sup>
- Green Onions 2 bunches 5<sup>c</sup>
- Lettuce Head ..... 5<sup>c</sup>

- BRAN FLAKES Post's— 2 Packages ..... 19<sup>c</sup>
- Mayonnaise Mixer ..... 49<sup>c</sup>
- COFFEE M. J. B. 1-Lb. Tin ..... 33<sup>c</sup>

- BEEF ROAST lb. 14<sup>c</sup>
- Beef Cubes lb. 15<sup>c</sup>
- SIRLOIN STEAKS lb. 17<sup>c</sup>
- Hamburger 2-lbs. . . 25<sup>c</sup>
- Ground Veal 2 lbs. 25<sup>c</sup>

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