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SCHOOL TRAFFIC HAZARD SHOULD BE ELIMINATED

Every day scores of little boys and girls are walking into the face of death and the only reason they are not killed is because they are spared by the God of Luck and their own good judgment.

As the grade school youngsters cross the highway at the schoolhouse, cars and trucks bear down upon them, but they seem somehow to avoid accident, partly because they have been warned repeatedly by their anxious parents. Everyone has realized the terrific hazard, but no one has done anything about it.

The Lions club and the Parent-Teachers association, through the prompting of school officials and others, have decided that now is the time to take action. A Lions club committee has requested a session with the city council to discuss the hazard and arrange for some definite program to eliminate the hazard.

Stop signs can be erected, walk ways designated and a more rigid patrol system established as a temporary means of reducing the danger, but by next fall, construction conditions permitting, we should have an underpass all completed for the youngsters. The underpass is the only certain and permanent solution. Who is going to pay for the underpass? We don't know, but any community that builds school houses at a busy highway junction or builds highways in such a position that they are extremely dangerous to children can afford to provide protection for the youngsters. If the community does not pay in money, some family is going to pay by loss of a youngster. Let's not just agree that the danger is there; let's give the school officials and the Lions club and PTA active support in this worthwhile effort.

This rich community can't afford to lose even one youngster through a needless traffic accident.

Kingman Kolony

Rev. and Mrs. Moore and son, Harry, were Sunday dinner guests in the Lane home.

Mrs. Meisner, national executive of the national W. C. T. U. has been a house guest of Mrs. Walter Pinkston. Mrs. Meisner has been speaking throughout the community in the interest of the organization which she represents.

A surprise birthday dinner was given Thursday evening at the Wesley Percy home in honor of Mrs. Percy. Those in attendance were besides the honoree W. E. Percy, Arlene and Thurman Percy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Percy, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Percy, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kreigh and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Gra-

ham and son and Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb and family.

Thurman Percy returned to his home Tuesday after a stay at the hospital, where he underwent an appendectomy.

Mrs. Lynn Hurst returned home Wednesday after a trip to the Willmette valley. She placed her daughter, Delora, in Linfield college at McMinnville. Kenneth Elliott of Adrian accompanied them as far as Eugene. They visited a short time with Nadeen Wilson in Eugene. Before returning home Mrs. Hurst visited in southern Oregon with relatives and friends.

L. Kreager, Willard Hall, Virgil Corley, Edward Hall, Buster Pierce and Lynn Hurst went on a deer hunting trip the past week-end. Only Hall and Pierce killed daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Gra-

Register Now For The General Election

Registration Books Close Saturday, October 5

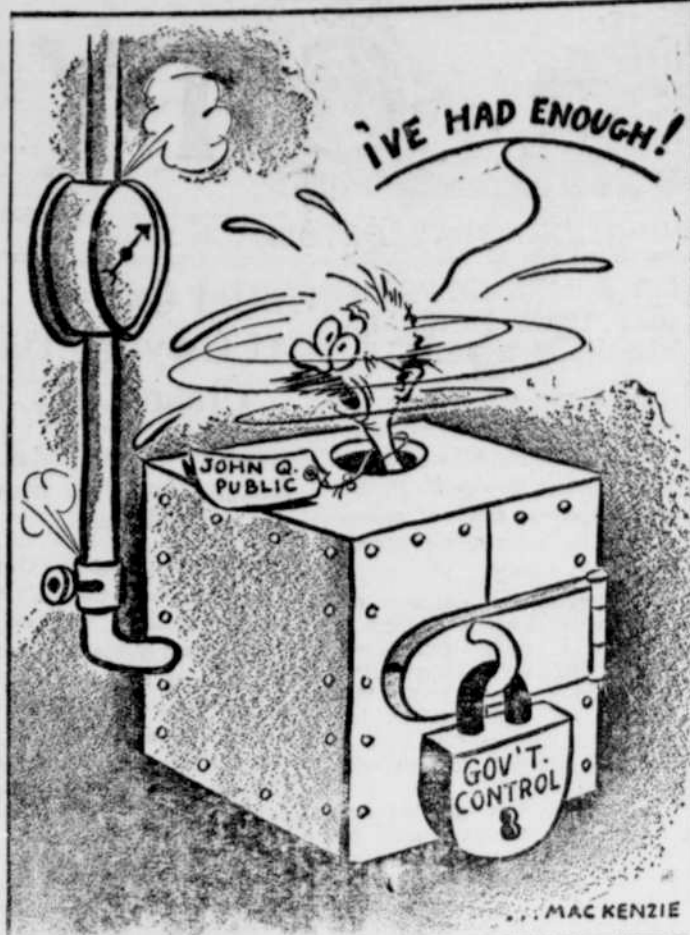
If you did not vote in the last General Election, or if you have moved to a different precinct be sure to register so you can vote in the General Election November 5.

Issues to be decided in this election affect you.

MALHEUR COUNTY REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Frank Morgan, Committeeman

LET HIM OUT!



Buena Vista

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pomplun of Nebraska are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Pomplun and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hoffman. Mr. and Mrs. Pomplun are parents of Alvie Pomplun and Mrs. Glen Hoffman.

Among those who attended the Y. G. A. roller skating party at Weiser Saturday evening from this district were Mr. and Mrs. George Cleaver and Alvin and Donna and Alva Goodell, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gurs of Laird, Colorado are visiting at the Alva Goodell home. Mr. and Mrs. Gurs are parents of Mrs. Goodell.

Mrs. Loyd Cloward and Elaine visited at Fruitland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bertram and Loyd Cloward went to the hills after poles last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Estrick and Vaughn of Meridian and Mr. and Mrs. E. Gurs of Laird, Colorado were dinner guests at the Alva Goodell home Sunday.

COLUMBIA AVENUE

Visitors at the Dick Groot home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Niss Hatt and son of the Owyhee and Pete Tensen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bues and infant daughter of Ogden were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Larsson Tuesday. They are looking for a farm here. Mrs. Bues and Mrs. E. C. Larsson are cousins.

Mrs. Charles McConnel of Nyssa called on Mrs. Dick Groot Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. M. Tensen was in Adrian Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groot called on Mr. and Mrs. George Groot at Nu-Acres Friday afternoon.

Jake van Twisk was a visitor at the home of his brother, Rikus van Twisk, at Valley View Sunday.

POST OFFICE AIR ROUTES INCREASING

Since the end of the war the post office department has been taking huge strides toward its ultimate goal of handling all mails in the most expeditious manner possible, according to Lloyd W. Lewis, Nyssa postmaster. On October 1, experimental helicopter service was inaugurated to operate out of the air mail field, Chicago to branch post offices in the area. On September 25, a demonstration flight by a "flying post office" was made from Washington via Dayton, Ohio to Chicago, Illinois by a cargo liner operated by Transcontinental and Western Air, Inc. The plane was equipped with postal facilities and distribution of mail en route was made by postal personnel. This is a vast improvement over the present system of sorting and distributing air mail at stations and post offices only, Lewis said. It is thought that the huge increase in air mail volume due to the reduced air rate of 5 cents per ounce will materially shorten the days until these "flying post offices" are in common use as part of the postal system.

In line with this policy of air mail service expansion, the post office department is daily establishing new air routes. The local area will be directly effected by the establishment of route 78, on which service was established about September 28 to Idaho Falls, Pocatello, Burley, Twin Falls, Gooding, Boise, Lewiston - Clarkston, Pullman-Moscow and Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; Ontario, Baker, La Grande and Pendleton, Oregon and Walla Walla and Spokane, Washington. It is thought that if enough air mail is handled through the

ows and annual weeds and are well pleased with the results obtained with 2-4-D spray.

Weed Program in County is Aired

Noxious weed infestations and their control was discussed at a meeting of the county weed committee in Ontario Monday night, according to George Bain, assistant county agent.

One of the most urgent matters taken up was the seriousness of the infestations on the county roads and state highways. It was urged that anyone knowing of an area infested with noxious weeds send notice of the location of the infestation to the county agent's office. Bain stated that all infestations located will be treated with sodium chlorate this fall.

The seriousness of the spread of noxious weeds by dumping dirt and waste from beet and potato trucks as well as other means was discussed by Harry Sandquist. He urged that all produce haulers carry their waste back to their home farms for disposal. Many farms have no infestations now but soon will have if discretion isn't used as to where these dumps are made.

Another rapid means of infesting clean areas was disclosed when it was mentioned that many farmers are using screenings from clover and alfalfa threshings to seed pasture and hay fields. The cheapness of this method of obtaining seed backfires when a few weed seeds such as dodder, morning glory, white top, Russian knapweed, or Canadian thistle are distributed over a field.

All county weed control equipment available will be used this fall to help farmers combat their infestation, states Bain, "but it is up to the farmers to prevent the spreading of noxious weeds by checking their seed, the equipment used on their property, and other sources of weed seed distribution."

Going on Business

Fred Bracken of Bracken's store will leave Saturday by train for St. Louis, Missouri on a business trip. He expects to return home by plane in a few days.

Go To Canada

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Beus and Mr. and Mrs. Ersel Beus spent the week-end in Canada.

SALE CALENDAR

PUBLIC FARM SALE—Thursday, Oct. 10. Located 4 miles W. of Vale on Graham Blvd., then 2 miles S. on old Bill McFall place. Or 6 mi. W. on Burns highway and 1 mi. N. Starts at 1 p.m. Lunch served on grounds. Cattle, horses, mules and machinery. Joe Nester, owner. Cols. Bert Anderson and Joe Churchill, aucts.

BUILDING PERMITS
Parolee Hiatt, alteration, First street, lot 10, block 82, Green's addition, \$200.
Percy Keich, construction, north First streets, lots 3 and 4, block 78, Green's addition, \$500, 26 by 26, cinderblocks.
A. C. Newsom, alteration, Fifth street, block 25, Teutsch addition, \$300.
Ed Steinke, block 59, Green's addition, \$400, garage, 12 by 22.

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- Simmons Company
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- Sealy Mattress Company
- Murphy Chair Co.
- Bendix Aviation Corporation
- Superbilt
- Majestic Radio Corporation
- Westwood Furniture
- B. P. John Furniture Corp.
- D. N. & E. Walters
- Monte's Furniture Co.
- William Volker & Co.
- Carman Furniture Co.
- Coleman Company, Inc.
- Northwest Chair Co.
- West Coast Chair Co.

(Many Others)

In the Newsom Record Shop will be found the latest recordings from Decca, Columbia, Majestic, Coast, and, Victor will be added in the near future.

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