

# Neighborhood NEWS

## BLACK RIVER VALLEY.

Mrs. Davies was calling on friends in Black River Valley Wednesday afternoon.

Tuesday, March 8, several ladies met at the home of Mrs. Ed Cross and worked on a quilt to be sold for the benefit of the S. D. A. church school.

Lillian Spinner was in Gate one day last week, calling on Mrs. Davies.

Harry Allen, of Yakima, is expected to arrive in Gate the latter part of next week. He will occupy the Spinner building as a residence and also run a lunch counter.

Mrs. Floyd Parish and the Thomas Neeley family motored to Olympia last Thursday to visit and look after paying taxes.

Saturday, March 5, school meeting and election of a complete board of three directors in Gate, was the order of the day. The election board composed of Mrs. McClery of Poverty Flat, Mrs. Sereals of Prosperity, and Verne Theck of Grays Harbor county for the past 13 months. There were two factions in Gate, one with the idea of taking it to Rochester. To say that every one was somewhat excited, and every one worked with a vim, would be describing the way they worked, mildly. As a result, Earl Hunter of Gate, was elected for two years; Mr. Austin of Gate, one year, and a stranger from Oregon, by the name of Harn, for three years. Mr. Horn lives on the Harry Smith place since November 11, 1920.

Ed Cross has a very sick cow, valued at several hundred dollars.

## HAYS DISTRICT.

Mr. A. W. Clark has just purchased the ft. S. Horton place on Wards Lake, and is going to erect a new residence on the same.

The card party given by the members of Chambers Prairie Grange last Saturday evening was well attended. Supper being served by the Ladies of the Grange.

At the annual school election of Hays District, held Saturday after-

noon, Fred A. Schlosser was chosen Trustee.

Hays District Telephone company held a meeting Monday evening at Chambers Prairie Grange hall, attended to a number of minor details pertaining to the incorporation and extension of its lines.

Mrs. John Begg, who has been very ill for some time, is improving rapidly.

County Agent E. B. Stookey and Professor Hegnauer, extension specialist in soils and crops, was at the farm of Huston Brothers situated on the Boulevard road, Tuesday, March 8, laying out fertilizer demonstration plots for commercial fertilizers.

It seems as though this is bad weather for colds as quite a few of the people of this district have had colds and Lagrippe.

## JAMESTOWN

Mrs. A. W. Parish returned from an extended visit at Seattle Thursday.

H. J. Gaisell, who has charge of the telephone exchange, returned from a trip to California. His many friends here are glad to see him and to welcome him home looking so well.

H. R. Welch and wife of Centralia have bought a home at Rochester.

S. D. James, A. Thompson, C. H. Myrtle and Grace Parish were Centralia visitors Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Llewellyn of Rochester was in Centralia on business Saturday.

Allen James and Sherman French of Grand Mound attended the funeral of Ernest French at Olympia. Mr. French, a former real estate man and at the time of his death a merchant at Kelso, passed away Thursday of typhoid fever. He was a pioneer of Thurston county.

Allen James, S. D. James and Arthur Hillis went to Olympia on business Monday.

George L. Smith, who traded his farm here for a farm in Kansas, left last week for his future home.

**CHew Chew says to go to bed**  
At eight o'clock at night,  
So that in the morning  
We'll all be fresh and bright.

A glass of milk for every meal  
Will make us strong and gay;  
A soft-boiled egg, a little fruit  
And lots of outdoor play.  
At morning for our breakfast  
Our food we well should chew,  
And not drink tea or coffee;  
Oh, that would never do.

So just observe these health rules  
That Chew Chew tells about,  
Or Chew Chew's pup will get you  
If you don't watch out.

And having given this advice,  
Our health clown turns away,  
To give his thirsty pup some milk,  
But he'll come back some day.

## BIGGEST SPORTING EVENT OF SEASON

**Basketball Game Between Montesano Hi and Chehalis Hi on Olympia Floor Friday Night.**

The tie between the high school teams of Montesano and Chehalis will be played off on the Olympia High School floor Friday night. This undoubtedly will be the biggest sporting event for Olympia during the entire year.

Both teams have won seven games and lost one, and both are in fine trim for the deciding contest. The team that wins this game will win the championship of the Southwest Washington League and the basketball cup.

In addition to this the winning team will have the honor of going to Walla Walla to the state basketball tournament which occurs next week.

Hoquiam high school, which had also tied the record of the Montesano and Chehalis teams, dropped out voluntarily from this contest, supposedly on account of an adverse decision which the state board of eligibility gave on one of their players.

"The Olympia floor," said Principal Brown to a Standard man, "was chosen without solicitation on our part, but, according to Coach Scott of Montesano and Coach Bacher of Chehalis, solely on account of the fine spirit of sportsmanship displayed by the Olympia rooters toward visiting teams."

This spirit speaks volumes for Olympia High, and should be a matter of pride to every citizen of our city.

Woodward, of Tacoma, the man who has refereed all the University of Washington games this year will be here and handle this game.

Among the Montesano players will be the well-known Fred Abel, brother of Bob Abel, the University of Washington football player; the Wheeler boys and Trask, all of whom have high reputations.

## COUNTY GAME COMMISSIONS GET CONTROL.

**New Game Code Invests Them With Supervision of Upland Birds**

## NEW LAW PROVIDES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**Get Funds As Well As Authority to Increase the Game Supply in Respective Counties**

"The predominating idea in the new game code, which became effective March 2, when Governor Hart signed it, by reason of an attached emergency clause, is the vesting of almost unlimited control of the upland game birds, game animals and game fish in the game commissions of the respective counties, and to give the game commissions not only authority but the funds wherewith to protect and augment the supply of game in their respective counties, the license fees were raised 50 per cent," says State Game Warden L. H. Darwin, in summarizing the new game code.

**Licenses Expire March 1**  
As all game licenses expire on March 1st, it was necessary to attach an emergency clause in order that the licenses for the coming year might be issued at the increased rate.

While county game commissions are given practically a free hand to fix the seasons in which game fish and game birds may be taken in their respective counties, and to fix the bag limit, this action must first be sanctioned by the state game and game fish department.

All action looking toward the closing or shortening of seasons providing the bag limit must be unanimous on the part of the county game commission, and requires three weeks' advance publication before becoming effective.

In the matter of game fish, the season is left open the year around, so it is incumbent upon the county game commissions in the respective counties to agree upon the season they desire and submit it to the director of fisheries and game for his approval. The new statute provides the same catch limit as the old statute, but it can apparently be changed by the county game commissions in their respective counties.

**Importation Regulated**  
The importation and sale of game animals, game birds and game fish into the state is permitted under regulations to be promulgated by the director of fisheries and game, and an annual license fee of \$25 is provided for importers and of \$5 for the retail dealers handling the same.

The new law provides for an advisory committee, which shall sit with the director of fisheries and game, and have an equal voice with him in apportioning to those counties of the state who need the same any moneys which may be appropriated from the state game fund for the assistance of those counties that derive insufficient game revenues themselves for properly protecting their game. The advisory committee consists of five county game commissioners, and is to be chosen at the annual meeting of the State Association of County Game Commissioners and Game Wardens. It is also authorized to advise with the director of fisheries and game relative to the conduct of the state game farm.

**Chose Committee of Five**  
In anticipation of the enactment of this provision of the law, the State Association of County Game Commissioners and Game Wardens, at their annual meeting in December last, chose a committee of five, which will commence to function on April 1.

The state law was made to conform to the federal law in permitting duck shooting one-half hour before sunrise. Duck shooting will still cease at sunset.

The open season for the shooting of ruffed grouse, Hungarian partridge, prairie chicken, sage hen, Chinese and other pheasants, the various kinds of grouse and quail, and all other species of upland game birds is fixed between September 1 and December 1. This long open interval is provided with the idea that the game commissions in the several counties will shorten the interval to suit the needs of their respective counties. The closed season on pheasants which has obtained in most Eastern Washington counties is repealed by the above provision.

The open season for migratory birds (ducks, geese, etc.) is fixed between October 1 and January 16. Authority is not given to the county game commissions to change this season.

A provision in the new law prevents a person fishing in any stream or lake above any natural barrier or waterfall, where salmon do not run, with fresh salmon eggs.

**Prohibit Killing Mountain Sheep**  
The killing of mountain sheep or goat is entirely prohibited.

In Eastern Washington the new law provides that only one deer, and that a male, may be killed annually, and the open deer season is between October 1 and November 15; and in

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## MOTTMAN'S

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Eastern Washington, having in possession, either dead or alive, any female deer at any time is unlawful.

In Western Washington two deer of either sex, may be killed each year between October 1 and November 1. save that in Whatcom, Skagit, Clallam and Snohomish counties only one deer may be killed each year, and that a male, and in these four counties it is made unlawful to have a female deer in possession, either dead or alive.

A new provision in the license section of the law permits the auditor of any county to issue a license for any other county, and it is expected that this will operate to reduce the number of state licenses issued. To illustrate, a resident of Seattle may go to the county auditor and buy a fishing license for Yakima, Stevens or any other county in the state.

County and state hunting and fishing licenses at \$1.50 and \$7.50 respectively, can only be issued to resident citizens. A non-resident citizen may buy a fishing license, good only in the county for which issued, for \$2.50, or a state hunting and fishing license for \$10. Aliens may only purchase a state hunting and fishing license at a cost of \$10, and before this can be issued by the county auditor they must exhibit their permit to carry firearms. Women and children under the age of 16 are still permitted to fish without a license.

**Bear Carcasses May Be Sold**  
While bear are recognized as game animals and protected, their pelts and carcasses may be sold.

An important provision of the new law permits the game commissions of the county to destroy game birds, or game or fur bearing animals when they become predatory and destructive to property. It permits the destruction of predatory animals and birds at any time.

It is made unlawful at any time to shoot from any aircraft, or from across or along any public highway or railway, or from any motor or steam driven or horse driven vehicle, or railroad speeder propelled by motor or man power, at any game bird or game animal.

**Prohibits Hunting With Dogs**  
In Western Washington, during the open deer season, it is made unlawful for any person to have with him, either loose or in leash, any dog in any wooded section, unless such person first obtains a written permit, issued by the unanimous vote of the game commissioners of such county.

It is also made unlawful for any person to hunt any of the protected game birds, game animals or game fish with a jack light or other artificial light of any class, kind or description, or to be found after sunset in any wooded section, or other place where deer may reasonably be expected, with any torch, lamp, lantern, electric, acetylene gas, or any other artificial light, unless he can show to the satisfaction of the court that he is using the same for lawful purposes.

A \$5 trapping fee is provided for each county. Land owners and lease holders are exempt on their own premises from this fee, and muskrats and moles may be trapped at any time when doing injury, under a permit from the county game warden.

It is also made unlawful for any person to shoot at any migratory

bird with a rifle which such bird is in any lake, river or stream, or while such bird is upon any island or bar in any river or stream.

Hereafter, the minimum fine which may be imposed for any violation of the game laws of this state is \$10 and the maximum fine \$100, together with the costs of the prosecution. In addition, a jail sentence of not more than 30 days may be imposed, and the unlawful killing or taking of each bird, animal or fish constitutes a separate offense.

## CLARA SMITH HAMON STROLLS DOWN MAIN STREET OF ARDMORE

**Attracts No More Attention Than Cowboy Cop Patrolling Beat in Frontier Town**

By CARL VICTOR LITTLE, United Press Staff Correspondent.  
ARDMORE, Okla., Mar. 9.—Clara Smith Hamon strolled down Main street today and didn't attract any more attention than the cowboy cop tramping his beat.

On any of the hundreds of other main streets in the country, crowds would have gazed and fingers would be pointed at Jake Hamon's chic girl who stands trial for his murder tomorrow.

But Main street in Ardmore is Main street in Ardmore and not comparable to any other in the country.

**South Meets West.**  
The south meets the west and forms Ardmore. This town of 20,000 is typically southern in its aspect with a dash of cowboys and Indians thrown in to give a wild and woolly western effect.

Public opinion has acquitted Clara Hamon—she is not guilty of the charge of slaying Jake Hamon, picturesque millionaire promoter and politician, in the eyes of the Ardmoreites.

However, the offspring of the union of the south and west are not all wrought up over the case. A conviction perhaps would cause a slight ripple, then Ardmore would go back to work coaxing oil out of the ground and raising turbulent crops of politics.

Nine years ago Jake Hamon moved into the Randol hotel on Main street with a woman who was not his wife—Clara Smith Hamon.

Tongues did not wag them out of town; the morals commission did not call on them. Ardmore figured that was Jake's and Clara's business and then went about its own affairs. Of course, Jake Hamon and Clara Hamon were counted in on the coal affairs of the frontier community.

## JIMMIE O'BRIEN AND RED NECKTIE COME TO ARDMORE

**Accompanies Mrs. Jake L. Hamon Who Demands Vengeance for Killing of Husband**

ARDMORE, Okla., Mar. 9.—Jimmie O'Brien pulled into Ardmore today wearing a red necktie and carrying a noose under his arm.

With him was Mrs. Jake L. Ha-

mon, who came here to demand death for the woman she claims broke up her home and killed her husband.

"O'Brien, a former assistant states attorney in Chicago, is Mrs. Hamon's attorney.

"I'm going to do all in my power to avenge my husband's death," said Mrs. Hamon. "I brought Mr. O'Brien because he has reputation for getting convictions.

"I'm going the limit to get Clara Smith Hamon fully punished for the home she wrecked, and the life she took."

Mrs. Hamon will be the star witness of the state when Clara Smith Hamon, charged with slaying Jake L. Hamon goes on trial tomorrow.

"She stole Jake from me, the mother of his two children and sent me into exile," continued Mrs. Hamon. "Then she shot him down. Before the bars of justice I'll demand the limit for this woman."

O'Brien avowed business in life is to convict those charged with murder.

He came here hired by Mrs. Hamon for the purpose of "getting" Clara Smith Hamon.

O'Brien earned the name of "Ropes" O'Brien because of the skillful way he slipped the noose around men's necks during his argument before juries. He always wears a red necktie at a murder trial—that's the reason he came into Ardmore with one on.

When Mrs. Jake Hamon hired "Ropes" O'Brien, it meant that she was going through with the case—that she had resolved—"vengeance is mine!"

"Ropes" O'Brien technically has been hired to represent the estate of Jake L. Hamon.

O'Brien at the request of Mrs. Hamon immediately sought S. P. Freeling, attorney general of Oklahoma and chief prosecutor, to see if he can join the prosecution.

It will be up to Freeling whether O'Brien will take a leading role.

Even though O'Brien is not taken into the fold of the prosecution, it is understood that he, as counsel for Mrs. Hamon, will have the right to cross-examine witnesses when the estate is involved.

Most of the witnesses will involve the estate O'Brien believes.

## JOE FISHER EASY VICTOR OVER DUNDEE

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 9.—Sailor Joe Fisher, featherweight and lightweight champion of the Pacific Fleet, scored an easy victory over Jimmy Dundee, of Oakland, last night in the main event of the Vernon fights. The deep sea scrapper knocked Dundee down four times during the four rounds.

## DONOVAN STARTS DRIVE

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Mar. 9.—"Wild Bill" Donovan's drive to get the Phils out of the National League cellar will start here tomorrow, when the new Quaker manager gets his squad to work. The battery candidates worked out today while the main body of the squad, infielders and outfielders, were arriving.

## HO, HO, FELLERS— CHEW CHEW WILL BE IN TOWN NEXT WEEK

When a funny little clown comes trotting in the schoolroom with his talented pup "Creamo" the children will witness for the first time the performance of Chew Chew the Health Clown who has been touring the country amusing and entertaining with sleight-of-hand tricks, while he instructs the kiddies in health habits.

What more pleasant memories have we of our childhood than the clowns with the circus? But they are only a memory of ludicrous feats, stunts of contortion and laughable antics.

The evolution of modern entertainment has reached a pinnacle of instruction combined with real entertainment.

As an example of the modern method of appealing to child psychology in the teaching of health habits, take Chew Chew the Health Clown, the character who has introduced this instructive as well as entertaining feature to the school children. Time was when children were solemnly admonished to brush their teeth, chew their food properly and eat only things that were "good" for them, which admonitions were listened to only as "some more grown-up preaching" to be avoided or disregarded if possible.

But now a more sympathetic attempt is made to reach the child through some medium which in itself arouses his curiosity. Chew Chew, with his funny antics and droll sayings, first draws the children's interest, thus creating in them a desire to emulate him in the way he brushes his teeth, chews his food and washes his face and hands.

The unanimous approval of the thousands of children throughout the various cities that Chew Chew has visited, clearly demonstrates and affixes his work as a permanent fixture in health instruction in our schools.

The Health Clown's activities inspired the following poem by a Seattle school boy:

Chew Chew is a health clown  
Who fills us all with joys;  
He shows us many funny tricks,  
To fool the girls and boys.

He wears a pair of trousers,  
White with spots of black;  
His costume is most perfect;  
No feature does it lack.

His face is painted gayly;  
He's a wig of fluffy hair;  
He has a little puppy,  
Which he treats with loving care.

He shows two paper handkerchiefs,  
I'm sure that they were blue,  
Then all at once they turned to red,  
And I don't know why they do.