# Roaring Chinook wind wrecked buildings, blew down trees

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

## **OUT OF THE PAST**

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## 100 years ago –

January 16, 1919 Skating on Wallowa lake was perfect last week. The whole lake was frozen over with ice about two inches thick and clear as crystal. Large crowds of skaters were on the ice, continuing their sport in the moonlight far into the night.

Sulfur spread on alfalfa land has been proved to increase the yield very largely, in tests made in other parts of Oregon. It will be tried out this season on Wallowa county fields on a large enough scale to give an idea of whether it will be as valuable here as elsewhere.

Bounties on 752 coyotes and 59 bobcats and lynxes were paid by the county in 1918. The aggregate amount paid was \$2,598.

A roaring Chinook yesterday morning wrecked buildings and blew down trees in a wide stretch of country around Joseph and Enterprise. The most serious damage was done to the Joseph school building, the south part of which was half demolished. The railroad



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roundhouse was quite demolished, and left a wreck. Several barns were overturned.

#### 70 years ago – **January 13, 1949**

Logging and sawmill operations were at a virtual standstill this week due to a combination of market conditions and the severe cold and deep snow. With

temperatures ranging to 35 below zero in some sections and snow in the timber five and six feet deep, logging crews have found it impossible to operate with anything approaching efficiency.

The Enterprise fire department answered 14 fire alarms in 1948 and held fire losses down to \$5,355 for the year.

Fire at the A.J. Oliver ranch destroyed the barn and ten head of registered Brown Swiss cattle, including Nellie's Pete, grand champion bull at the Pacific International last year.

#### 50 years ago -January 16, 1969

With the progress that is apparent in the planning for the gondola lift from Wallowa lake to the summit of Mt. Howard, it now appears that bids for the construction of the upper and lower terminal buildings and the erection of the towers for the gondola may be called for by the end of January.

The newly elected officials of the City of Enterprise took the oath of office Monday evening. Those who were elected to the various positions are Lorin Ricker, city attorney; Jack McClaran, Dick Halverson and Harry Voss, city councilmen; Dr. Bryce Moffit, mayor; and Clair Humphreys, city recorder.

### 25 years ago – January 13, 1994

The Riverside Café at Imnaha, owned and operated for the past 24 years by Phyllis White, has been sold to Short and Rhonda Gould, who plan to offer a variety of services at the longtime Wallowa County business.

The snowpack of the Wallowa Mountains is probably the best in the state, with the snow water equivalent listed as 100 percent of average at the three sites surveyed.

Marc McFetridge, 15, a member of Wallowa County's Boy Scout Troop 565, has earned the Eagle Scout Award, Boy Scouting's highest rank.

As many as 100 employees of the Wallowa-Whitman National Forest are expected to lose their jobs on May 1 when Forest Supervisor Bob Richmond receives his fiscal '94 budget.

### **OBITUARIES**

Charles A. "Bill" Bloodsworth Aug. 7, 1932 — Jan. 9, 2019

Charles A. "Bill" Bloodsworth was born on August 7, 1932 in Wallowa, Oregon to parents, Charles and Eula Crossler Bloodsworth. He died on Jan. 9, 2019 at his home in Hermiston, Oregon at the age of 86 years.

Bill was raised and attended schools in Wallowa and later Lexington, Oregon until his senior year. He graduated from Heppner High School in 1950 he where played basketball. Bill started his lifelong career of farming right out of high school with a brief interruption when he served in the United States Army in Korea.

After his honorable discharge he moved to Hermiston, Oregon to continue farming as well as raising cattle for many years. Bill was united in marriage to Jeanie Williams on August 17, 1958 in Hermiston, Oregon. They had a son Billy, who like his father had a passion for farming and ranching and worked together for many years. Bill enjoyed working and hunting. He was a member of the Heppner Elks Lodge #358.

He is survived by his wife: Jeanie Bloodsworth, Hermiston. OR as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, son: Billy Bloodsworth, brother: Jim Bloodsworth and sister: Iris

Special thank you to Jose Salas, Bill's right hand man

and to Virginia Blade his caregivei.

A funeral service was held Tuesday, January 15 at Burns Mortuary Chapel, Hermiston, Oregon.

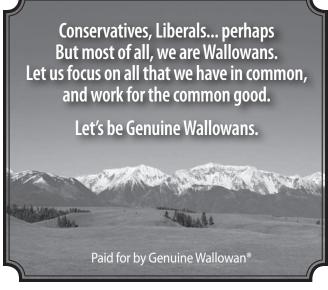
Burial will follow at 3:00 P.M. at Lexington Cemetery,

Lexington, Oregon. Those who wish may make contributions in Bills

memory to Vange John Memorial Hospice Education Fund c/o Burns Mortuary of Hermiston, P.O. Box 289, Hermiston, OR 97838 Please leave online condolences for Bill's family at

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## Sexual assault film supports FCCLA project

A free showing of the movie "Audrie & Daisy" will help support Enterprise High School student's FCCLA project.

The film will be screened on Friday, Jan. 18, at 6 p.m. at The "Open Space", formerly the county Health Department, 758 NW 1st St., Enterprise.

Enterprise High School

Mov-Tishrei juniors ich-Fields and Deedee Duncan invite the community to join them at a showing of the film as part of their FCCLA project. Their goal is to raise awareness about the effect of sexual assault on victims and communities. Free pizza, drinks and door prizes provided by Winding Waters Health Center. The event is

presented in collaboration with Winding Waters Health Center and Safe Harbor.

'Audrie & Daisy" a 2016 documentary that examines the effects on families, friends, schools and communities when two underage young women find that sexual assault crimes against them have been caught on camera.



JAN.7

8:14 a.m. - Single vehicle traffic crash, non injury

11:49 a.m. - 911 call vehicle slide off Hwy 82, mile post 57

1:01 p.m. - Report of attempted break-in, storage units in Wallowa

1:09 p.m. Christopher Irvin Thacker, 33, was arrested by Baker County on a Wal-Iowa County warrant for Felon in Possession of Restricted Weapon and also Parole and Probation Detainer for Parole Violation, original charge Delivery of a Controlled Substance Meth. Subject was



lodged at Baker County jail. 1:52 p.m. – Traffic crash reported Hwy 82, mile post 57

JAN. 9

5:26 p.m. - Wallowa County Sheriff's Office Community Corrections issued a warrant for Hunter G. Beaudett, 21, of Wallowa for Probation Violation. Original charge Menac-

JAN. 10

4:16 a.m. Boulders on Hwy 82, approximately mile

2:36 p.m. - Toni M. Shirley, 37, of Enterprise was arrested and charged with Trespassing I. She was cited and released

on scene.

3:50 p.m. - Report of a hit and run in Enterprise.

**JAN. 11** 

12:56 p.m. - Possible animal neglect reported in Enterprise.

6:07 p.m. - 911 reporting a fire in vegetation in rural

JAN. 12

12:07 p.m. - 911 reporting a verbal domestic in Wallowa. 3:41 p.m. – Commercial

alarm reported in Enterprise. 11:15 p.m. - 911 call for a disturbance in Enterprise. **JAN. 13** 

1:00 p.m. - Animal cruelty

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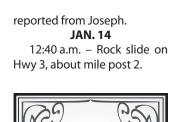
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