

# Auction Benefit Nets Band \$370; Public Much Fun

## Concert Last Evening Winds Up Year; Good Record Cited

Ask anyone who attended, and he'll say the big community auction benefitting the band last Saturday was "more fun than a barrel of monkeys." The generous contribution of articles, hard work on the part of solicitors, auctioneer and helpers, as well as the generous bidding—all of which resulted in a net profit of \$370 to the band—brings a hearty appreciation from Harold Buhman and members of the band. They say the money will be used for purchase of instruments needed to improve the organization, rather than purchase of new uniforms.

V. R. (Bob) Runnion hesitated but little in turning over the stock of merchandise, including everything from babies' diapers to electric razors, and several surprised customers found themselves paying for something on which they had not bid. A latter example was Judge Bert Johnson who no more than got within earshot than he heard a kid's wagon knocked down to him at 25 cents. He divvied up and sat in the vehicle. Assisted by Harvey Miller as clerk and Mayor J. O. Turner as collector, "Bob" went on for several hours while the changing crowd was pleasantly entertained and what seemed an unlimited number of articles was finally all carried away.

At its annual free concert last evening, the band proved its worthiness of support and expressed its gratitude for the public help, as it did also before and during Saturday's sale, giving its all to help the cause along. Last night's program was a review of the year's work and drew appreciative response from the large audience.

Mention of the effort extended at the auction would not be complete without also acknowledging assistance of the Boy Scouts, who aided in assembling the articles for sale and in delivering them to the bidders.

As the band year now comes to a close, its president, Lowell Ashbaugh presents the following review of its history, entitled "The Band Takes It":

In 1930, just 10 years ago, shortly after Harold Buhman came to Heppner, Mr. Buhman asked for a turn-out of all persons in school who were interested in band work. A turn-out of 17 members comprised the first Heppner school band.

Since that start, the band has made a real record for itself. In 1936 they took first place in the "D" division of the state contest at Corvallis. In 1937 the band journeyed to Corvallis to rate the only superior rating given in their class. In 1938 the band again outclassed the other bands to gain the only superior rating. Nineteen-thirty-nine brought a change in the contest rules. In the district contest held at La Grande, Heppner took a superior rating which entitled them to attend the national contest at Portland, for which they were entitled to the plaque now hanging in the assembly hall. The Heppner band again took the honors in 1941 with a superior rating at La Grande.

The band has continued to grow, until today it is many times its original size. It's still taking the high honors, and we are sure it will continue to do so.

No matter where we may go, in Oregon, or in the neighboring states, the people know where the little town of Heppner is, because they have heard so much about the Heppner school band. The band has put Heppner on the map.

The annual band concert on May 28 wound up the band program until it comes time for the annual Heppner Rodeo.

Next year, the band will have a much better instrumentation, which was made possible by the white elephant sale.

## At Heppner ♦ ♦ CHURCHES

### METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30. Evening services at 8:00 p. m. Society of Christian service meets the first Wednesday of each month at 2 p. m. Society of Mission study meets the third Wednesday of each month at 2 p. m. Bible study and prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

James Wilkins, Pastor.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Martin B. Clark, Pastor  
Bible School at 9:45.  
Communion and preaching, 11:00.  
Christian Endeavor, 6:30.  
Evening service, 7:30.  
7:15 p. m. Wednesday, choir practice.  
7:00 p. m. Thursday, prayer meeting.  
7:30 p. m. Tuesday, Bible study.

### PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Sterl D. Spiesz, Pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Worship, 11 a. m.  
Evangelistic services, Sunday, 7:30 p. m.  
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., cottage prayer meeting.  
Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Bible study at church.

### REDEDICATION SERVICE AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

In connection with the "Forward in Service" movement and in response to the Presiding Bishop's request, parishes and mission of the Episcopal church throughout the U. S. A. have recently been observing "Roll Call Sunday." Whitsunday, June 1st, has been set aside as this Sunday for All Saints Mission when a service of Rededication will be held followed by a celebration of Holy Communion, at 11 a. m. Archdeacon Eric O. Robathan will officiate and preach. Invitations have been sent to all members of the congregation and it is expected that a large number of communicants as well as those interested in the work of the Episcopal church will attend.

Coincident with "Roll Call Sunday" Whitsunday is also observed as the birthday of the Church at Pentecost.

On this day all the young people of the church will join in the corporate communion of the church's youth. It is estimated that 500,000 young people will unite in such services from coast to coast.

In connection with "Roll Call Sunday" and the first steps in the "Forward in Service" movement the Presiding Bishop has said:

"Having rededicated ourselves to the cause of Christ, we must set out to bring forth the full capacity of all members of the church. With God's help we can succeed in making this church of ours what a Christian church ought to be; a body of men, women and young people who like the first apostles found that Christ is the Saviour; a body who because of what Christ has done for them, will face the world with the conviction that there is no other name by which the world can be saved."

### RESIGNS POSTOFFICE JOB

Walter Carlson, clerk at the post-office for several years, and local distributor for the Portland Oregonian, resigned his position at the postoffice this week and departed for Hermiston to accept a position. He has been succeeded at the post-office by John Fuiten, while Jack Cantwell has taken charge of the Oregonian distribution. Mr. Carlson's family is remaining at Heppner for the present.

### MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

The recent marriage of Denward Bergevin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bergevin of Lone, and Miss Roberta Lewis of Pendleton, at Lewiston, Idaho, was announced here this week. Denward, with the U. S. engineers, is stationed at Pendleton.

Miss Marguerite Louney of Seattle accompanied her sister, Mrs. W. E. Moore, from Pendleton Tuesday to attend rites for the late R. A. Thompson.

## SOCIETY CHIT-CHAT

By JUNE SMITH

New officers elected last Tuesday at the meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary are Mrs. Earl Evans, president; Mrs. Gene Ferguson, vice president; Mrs. Anna Bayless, second vice president; Mrs. L. E. Dick, secretary, and Mrs. Harold Cohn, historian. They will be installed at the next meeting to be held June 9.

At the Tuesday meeting, held at Mrs. Bayless' home, plans were made for a benefit card party to be held the evening of June 6 at the Harvey Miller home. Both men and women are invited for an evening of pinocle and bridge, and reservations may be made with either Mrs. Miller or Mrs. Dick Wells.

Decorations for the veterans' graves were made, and Dorothy Warden was selected to be sent by the Auxiliary to the girls' state school for six weeks at Silver Creek Falls, Silverton, Oregon. She will leave June 27.

Mrs. Louis Morris, sister of Mrs. Anna Bayless, of John Day, spent Tuesday in Heppner, where she came to attend the funeral of Robert Thompson, and visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester William Bell and children Donald and Beverly of Kelso, Wash., were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Pinckney. Mr. Bell is Mrs. Pinckney's brother.

At the bridge party held for the

ladies at the Elks club last Thursday night, Mrs. William Bennett won high score for bridge, Mrs. Harold Cohn second, Miss Helen Doherty high for pinocle and Miss Elaine Sigsbee won the door prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gragg and daughter Carol of Salem, spent last week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aiken. Mrs. Gragg is Mr. Aiken's sister, and the family came up to attend the graduation of Henry, Jr. His brother, Joe Aiken, Jr., who is attending the Central Washington College of Education at Ellensburg, was also home for the event, accompanied by his room mate, Herbert Everson.

Mrs. D. M. Ward is planning to return to her home today, after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Karl Farnsworth at The Dalles, and another sister, Mrs. J. T. Knappenburg, at Lyle, Wash.

Lt. Theodore Thomson of Pensacola, Florida, has been visiting with his mother, Mrs. George Thomson, and other relatives here the past week. He and Mrs. Thomson left Monday for Portland, from where he will return to Pensacola. He has just been awarded his wings, and is to be an instructor at the field there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Maura of Portland were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Grimes. Mrs. Maura is Lt. Grimes' sister. Another recent guest at the Grimes' home

was his brother, Randall of Harrisburg, who was here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Billy Bennett left Monday for the Methow Valley ranch near Lake Chelan where he will spend the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. J. F. Davidson.

The marriage of Miss Ellen Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Morgan of Heppner, to Robert Campbell, Pendleton, was solemnized Saturday at 9:30 at the home of the bride's parents. Martin Clark read the service and the couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Al Massey. The home was beautifully decorated with roses and the bride wore a corsage of rosebuds. The ceremony was attended by relatives and refreshments were served following the service. The young couple will be at home in Pendleton in a few weeks.

### CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks and appreciation are extended to the many friends and neighbors for their kind and helpful expressions of sympathy, assistance, and floral tribute at the time of our bereavement.

Mrs. R. A. Thompson and family.

### NEW HOURS SLATED

Effective June 1, the telephone office will be open to the public from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. Local and long distance calls may be placed at the Heppner hotel after the local phone office closes at 7 p. m.

# SAFEWAY

## RELAX!

and enjoy the weekend free of shopping worries. Just make out your list and take it to your neighborhood Safeway where you will find everything you need to carry you through the holidays.

**Picnic Needs**

- EBONY RIPE OLIVES Medium No. 1 can 12c
- PARADISE DILL PICKLES Qt jar 15c
- SHOESTRING POTATOES Blue Bell 5 oz can 10c
- LUNCH BOX SAND. SPREAD Qt jar 37c
- BEVERLY PEANUT BUTTER 2 lb. jar 28c
- KRAFT CHEESE American Brick, 2 lb 53c
- SEA LION SARDINES No 1/4 key tin 5c
- BILTMORE SOLID TUNA 2 No 1/4 tins 29c
- SUNNY DAWN TOM. JUICE 46-oz. Can 17c
- CANADA DRY BEVERAGES 28-oz. Bot. 14c

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- FLUFFIEST MARSHMALLOWS Lb. Box 11c
- JELL WELL DESSERTS 3 PKGS. 11c
- PLAYFAIR DOG FOOD 3 TALL CANS 13c
- ARGO STARCH 2 PKGS. 15c
- KINGSFORD STARCH 3 PKGS. 25c
- SCOTTISSUE PAPER 3 ROLLS 20c
- COMFORT TISSUE 4 ROLLS 23c
- SU-PURB SOAP 2 8-oz pkgs 15c
- GAMAY SOAP 4 BARS 21c
- PALMOLIVE SOAP 4 BARS 21c
- JELLS-RITE PECTIN—Special 3 bot. 35c
- NEW LEADER SALTED SODAS 2 lb. box 16c

Prices Thurs, May 29, Sat, May 31, Mon. June 1

- Grapefruit Ice. Town House 8c
- Catsup Stokely Fancy Piquant, Tasty 12-oz bottle 10c
- Peaches Crown Point Elbertas No 2 1/2 cans 27c
- CORN Del Monte Golden Bantam No. 2 can 10c
- JULIA LEE WRIGHT'S ENRICHED Sandwich BREAD Canterbury Iced TEA is delicious 1/2 lb. pkg. 27c
- Kitchen Craft Flour 49-lb. sack \$1.59
- Harvest Blossom 49-lb. sack \$1.19
- Royal Satin Shortening "Speedy-Mix" 3-lb. can 43c
- CRISCO Shortening Sure Mix 3-lb. can 54c
- AIRWAY COFFEE Lb. bag 14c 3-lb. bag 39c

**STRAWBERRIES**  
Big red ripe locals—can now!

- WATERMELONS lb. 3 1/2c
- ORANGES Valencias. lb. 5 1/2c
- LETTUCE Crisp. lb. 4c
- CANTAL'PES Yellow-meated 7 1/2c lb.
- U. S. No. 1 White Shaftefs 2 1/2c lb.

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