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SECOND SERIES FOOD MEETINGS ON TOMORROW

Planning the family food supply and the family garden are the subjects for discussion at meetings being held by the extension service throughout the county starting tomorrow (Friday, March 13).

Kathleen Ball of the state college discusses the year 'round food supply of the family, including vegetables, meats, poultry and dairy products.

C. D. Conrad, county agent, discusses the planning and planting of Victory Gardens, including preparation of the garden plot, types and varieties of vegetables and fruits, fertilizers, disease and insect control.

This is the second of a series of four meetings being conducted by the extension service in cooperation with the national Food for Victory program.

The schedule for the present group of meetings is as follows:

Hardman, 2 p. m., Friday, March 13, high school.

Heppner, 7:30 p. m., Friday, March 13, high school gym.

Lexington, 10 a. m., Saturday, Mar. 14, grange hall.

Ione, 2 p. m., Saturday, March 14, Congregational church.

Boardman, 10 a. m., Monday, Mar. 16, high school.

Irrigon, 2 p. m., Monday, March 16, high school.

Everyone, including men, women, and children, is invited to attend the meeting most convenient for them.

Special emphasis will be given to making the family as self-supporting as possible as far as food is concerned during the war period while prices are comparatively high and shipping facilities are being over-taxed.

A sound motion picture will be shown at all meetings where electric power is available.

Science Exhibition, Star Gaze Slated

On March 19, 20 and 21 Dr. Chas. W. Quaintance of the department of science at the Eastern Oregon College of Education, with three students from the college will be in the county to conduct some demonstrations in the teaching of science in the elementary school. These demonstrations will be held in Heppner, Ione, Lexington, Boardman and Irrigon.

On Thursday evening, March 19, Dr. Quaintance will lead a star gaze to study the constellations and planets. Everyone who is interested in the heavens is cordially invited to attend this trip. Meeting will be at the school house in Heppner at 8 o'clock in the evening. Come and star gaze with us, invites Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers, county school superintendent.

Three Mustangs on District All Star Team

Three members of the Heppner Mustang basketball team were named on the all-star squad at the close of the tournament at Arlington a week ago Saturday night. They are Jim Barratt, John Skuzeski and Billy Padberg.

Other all-stars were "Buster" Clough, "Dutch" Strahm, "Zeke" Ferris, Arlington; L. Porterfield, Koyichi Uyeno, Parkdale; W. Hawkins, Helix; Verne Root, Mosier. Arlington wound up in fourth place in the state B tournament at Eugene last week end with her Buster Clough named on the all-star squad of six.

ARTHUR McATEE WEDS

Announcements received by local friends this week told of the marriage of Arthur C. McAtee, son of Mrs. Lucille McAtee and former Heppner boy, who took as his bride Miss Marilyn Angell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Angell, on March 7 in the First Presbyterian church at Grand Ridge, Illinois.

GRANGE MEETS TOMORROW

Rhea Creek grange will have its birthday dinner tomorrow evening, Friday the 13th, at 6:30 p. m., for the months of January, February and March. All patrons are urged by Henry Peterson, master, to attend as important matters will come before the grange.

Robert W. Turner, Long Prominent, Finds Final Rest

Among First Sand Hollow Settlers, Was Community Leader

A tribute, effective in its simplicity was paid one of the last of the true pioneer settlers of Morrow county when Robert W. Turner was laid to rest here Sunday afternoon.

One of the first settlers in the Sand Hollow district, a leader in church and community affairs, and head of one of the county's prominent families, Mr. Turner passed away on his birthday March 5, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter LaDusire, in Eugene, being aged 81 years.

Rites were held in the church edifice, the Church of Christ, to which Mr. Turner had been a heavy contributor in securing, in which he had served as elder, and for many years had worshipped. The simple, effective tribute, was paid by the pastor, Martin B. Clark, in the presence of many friends of the family, who expressed tribute with many flowers. Interment was in Heppner Masonic cemetery beside members of the family who had preceded him in death.

Robert Willis Turner was born at Mexico City, Missouri, March 5, 1861, the only son of Christopher C. and Cyrena Boaz Turner.

At the tender age of two, in company with his parents and baby sister, Luella Turner McCarty, he crossed the plains from Missouri to California with a caravan of 48 wagons and some 200 head of horses, mules and cattle.

He received his early training and grew to manhood in and about Elmiria, California, culminating in a bachelor of science degree in agriculture at Hesperia college at Woodland, where he taught for a number of years.

On August 13, 1884, he married Mary May Sheppard and immediately came to Morrow county, where they endured the incessant hardships of the early pioneers, rearing a large family.

21 FIRST AIDERS FINISH AT LEX

Bringing to 82 the number of persons passing the initial Red Cross first aid course in Morrow county, Harold W. Buhman, instructor qualified 37 of 56 original enrollees at Lexington on March 2. They are:

Harvey Bauman, Jeanette Browning, Margaret Browning, Gladys Cutsforth, O. W. Cutsforth, Clyde Denney, Mabel Denney, Ethel Duncan, Jerrine Edwards, Mary Edwards, LaVerne Henderson, Bertha Hunt, Edna Hunt, Louise Hunt Mary Hunt, Cecil Jackson, Whittier MacDonald, Freda Majeske, Gene Majeske, Bill Marquardt, Carl Marquardt, Ruth McMillan, Lorena Miller, Faye Munkers, Leonard Munkers, Helen Nieger, Patty O'Hara, Trina Parker, Jack Miller, Emma Peck, Faye Ruhl, Sylvia Severance, Thelma Smethurst, Cora Warner Joe Way, Emma White.

Five County Offices To be Filled This Year

Five county offices will be filled at elections this year by Morrow county voters, those of treasurer, judge, assessor, surveyor and one commissioner, according to report of the clerk's office. Of incumbents L. W. Briggs, treasurer, has made announcement that he will seek re-election.

Those whose terms expire at the end of this year besides Mr. Briggs, are Bert Johnson, judge, Tom Wells, assessor, George Peck, commissioner, and Harry Tamblin, surveyor. Time for filing for the May 15 primaries ends April 1.

Jeep Performance Seen In Mountains

Two feet of snow on precipitous Matteson butte did not stop an army jeep from making the ascension easily recently, reports F. F. Wehmeyer local forest ranger. The vehicle was in use by a Coast and Geodetic Survey crew from Alaska transferred to the Blue mountains this winter that has been working between Heppner and south of Baker.

The local forester reports 39.7 inches of snow with heavy water content of 11.2 inches at Arbuckle station on north Jones, elevation 5400 feet.

A range survey has been completed covering forage resources for the south half of Umatilla forest and every type of forage has been mapped and catalogued as to area, density and value as feed to stock.

Tom Wilson, SCS man, with his wife snowshoed into Opal last Saturday and Sunday and reported two feet of snow on the level; also that the Opal station had been broken into, stores taken and the station left in a deplorable condition. No sign of elk and very few deer.

John G. Clouston, in charge of range management and wildlife for Umatilla National forest, and Harold Dobyms, chief of biological survey for eastern Oregon, made a boat trip down the north fork of the John Day river from Dale to Monument to make a survey of game animals as to number, specie, sex ratio and condition of the winter feeding.

All But Two Teachers Return Next Year

All the present teaching staff was offered new contracts for the coming year by the board of education of School District No. 1 when it met Monday evening, and barring eventualities all will accept excepting two, reports Alden H. Blankenship, superintendent.

Miss Virginia Humphreys is resigning to take defense work, and Miss Dorothy Gene Davolt declined for personal reasons. Miss Humphreys is commercial teacher, and Miss Davolt has charge of home economics and music in the high school. Because of the expected enrollment condition next year, Mr. Blankenship said the second grade would probably be split into two sections next year instead of the first, as was the case this year, and one of the primary teachers moved into the second grade work.

P. P. & L. Pays Taxes Amounting to \$2956

Real and personal property taxes amounting to \$2956.18 for the half year levy due March 15 under new state tax laws are to be paid to Morrow county this week by Pacific Power & Light company, according to Kenneth A. House, local manager. The company's total taxes for 1941 jumped 11 percent over last year, House said, to reach a new high of \$1,055,810.

In addition to state and local levies, this total included payments to the federal government of more than \$413,000, or enough money to pay a year's interest charges on \$13,600,000 of U. S. defense savings bonds.

Demo Gubernatorial Candidate Visits

"Increased war effort, slashing of state and local taxes and creation of a board of inquiry to study the acute tax problem confronting the people of Oregon," were advocated by Howard Latourette, candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, in a radio talk given at The Dalles, yesterday, reported by Mr. Latourette while in the city this afternoon in company with R. W. Kelly of Hood River. Mr. Latourette will broadcast a similar speech from Pendleton this evening.

He recommended emergency legislation that will coordinate tax laws and reduce taxes to the lowest possible level.

As to war effort, Latourette said Oregon is in the forefront of all states in the union in its support of the administration. He traveled throughout most of the state as chairman of the governmental committee of the Defense Savings staff.

On the present trip Mr. Latourette is on his way to LaGrande, Baker, Ontario, Burns and other eastern Oregon points.

OUT FOR TREASURER

Leon W. Briggs, incumbent, is the first announced candidate for local office to present his name before the May 15 primaries. He seeks to succeed himself as a Republican candidate to the office of county treasurer.

Many Workers Named To Ration Sugar In County

School Teachers and Clerks Selected; Procedure Outlined

Individual civilian consumers of sugar will register in the elementary schools in the impending rationing program, reports Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers, county school superintendent. In suspended school districts consumers will register with the school district clerk.

Those having charge of the work in the various districts were named as follows, number indicating school district:

1 Heppner, Alden Blankenship; 2 Lena, Mrs. Kathleen Hisler; 3 Heppner, Mrs. A. T. Harris; 5J Morgan, Mrs. Echo Palmateer; 6 Heppner, Mrs. Pearl Wright; 8 Cecil, Mrs. Beth Hynd; 10 Irrigon, Ladd Sherman; 11 Heppner, Miss Marguerite Glavey; 12 Lexington, Ted R. Burton; 15 Lexington, Mrs. Irene Padberg; 18 Lexington, Mrs. Irene Rauch; 19 Hardman, Mrs. Floyd Adams; 23, Lexington, Mrs. Chas. Marquardt; 24 Lena, Charles Hirl; 25 Boardman George Corwin; 26J Echo, Mrs. Faye Finch; 27 Lexington, Mrs. Pearl R. Lindsay; 31 Heppner, Mrs. Oleta Farrens; 34 Heppner, L. A. Florence; 35 Ione, Erret Hummel; 36 Ione, Raymond Lundell; 38 Heppner, Mrs. Alta Brown; 40 Hardman, Mrs. Lurline McDaniel; 41 Heppner, Mrs. Nora Turner; 42 Heppner, Mrs. Betty Estberg; 49 Heppner, Mrs. Jessie Lovgren; 50 Lexington, R. B. Rice; 53 Lexington, Mrs. Faye Ruhl; 59 Heppner, Mrs. Margaret O. Cason.

Registration will cover a period of four days, but the dates have not yet been set. In general the places for registration will be open from 4 to 6 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m., however, by mutual consent between the school, or the school clerk and the rationing board these hours may be changed to fit the local situation.

At the school registration site all civilian consumers will be required to file a standard application form. Applications may be made on a family basis; that is one member of the immediate family (father, mother, husband, wife, son, daughter, sister or brother) may apply for all family members provided they are residents under one roof and share a common table. All other family members (aunts, uncles, grandparents, resident domestics, etc.) must apply individually with certain exceptions yet to be defined. Other members of the family unit not resident under a common family roof must apply individually. Applicants for family units must file a separate application for each member of the family unit, since ration books will be issued on a per capita basis. The serial number of each ration book issued must be posted on the individual application.

In the organization set up, city superintendents in districts of the first class will be responsible for putting the instructions into effect in their school systems; superintendents and principals in districts of the second class will likewise be responsible in their school systems; while county superintendents will be responsible in all districts of the third class.

A program of this scope, involving every person in the state, calls for the utmost cooperation of everyone, said Mrs. Rodgers.

LEGAL TROUT COMING

Morrow county will receive a shipment of legal (six-inch or over) trout Saturday, according to long distance telephone information received this morning by Logie Richardson, chairman Morrow County Hunters and Anglers club, from the state game commission.

O. E. S. Officers club food sale Hughes store, Sat., 14th, beginning at 1:30 p. m.

JUNIORS IN PLAY FRIDAY, MAR. 20

The junior class of Heppner high school will present "Incubator Husband," hilarious three-act comedy, directed by Norbert Peavy, in the gym-auditorium on Friday evening, March 20, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The cast follows: Mrs. Ellis, a widow, Helen Fortner; Elaine, her daughter, Vera McDaniel; Patsy Dare, Elaine's chum, Dorotha Wilson; Mrs. Honeywell, a distracted wife, Patty O'Hara; Mrs. Updike, her friend, Colleen Kilkenny; Mrs. Mudge, a bewildered mother, Eunice Hiatt; Anna, a Dutch servant-girl, Kingsley Chapin; Felix Mudge, beset with a love problem, Phil Cohn; Roy Honeywell, who helps him out, Jim Barratt; Reverend Hooper, who ties the knot, Hugh McLaughlin; Detective Synder, Jim Kenny.

Action of the play centers around the activities of a boy and a girl literally married before they were born by their parents and the complications resulting when the boy changes identity with a friend of his. Many amusing situations ensue before affairs are finally untangled.

Prices (including tax), are 35 cents for adults, 25 cents for students, 15 cents for children.

Three Generations Honored by Rebekahs

Three generations of Rebekahs were honored here Friday evening at a joint meeting of Rebekah lodge of the county, at which Mrs. Myrtle McAlpin, state president, was guest of honor. Mrs. Lucy Rodgers made recognition of the generations headed by Elizabeth Campbell, charter member of Holly lodge who joined in 1904, Mrs. Annie Keene, member of Holly for 35 years and Ruth McCabe, member of Ione lodge who joined in 1941.

Heppner degree team conferred degree work on three candidates, one each from Hardman, Lexington and Ione. Heppner, Ione, Lexington and Hardman lodges were represented.

SIX SELECTEES REPORT

A group of Morrow county men recently reporting for service in the United States army included Peter Lennon, Tilden H. Williams, Jr., James Patrick McNamee, Patrick Lennon, David Wendell Ely, Marvin Virgil Casebeer from Morrow county local board, and John Hamilton Ray of the Gilliam county local board. Patrick Lenon was the group leader.

CHAPTER MEETS TOMORROW

Ruth Chapter No. 32, O. E. S., will meet Friday, March 13, at the temple. Balloting will be held and all members are urged to be present, announces Ella Bengel, worthy matron.

For sale, two 5-gal. fresh Jersey cows, double tested; one purebred Aberdeen Angus bull; purebred OIC gilts, old enough to breed. Ralph Butler, Willows, Ore.