

Will Present Piano Class Saturday Night

Mrs. J. O. Turner will present her piano class in recital at her home Saturday evening. Participating in the event will be Nancy Adams, Kenneth Turner, Donald Blake, Nancy Ferguson, Sally Cohn, Donald DuBois, Marlene DuBois, Peggy Ployhar, Joan Corwin, Cathryn Turner, Colleen Miller, Mildred Carlson, Shirley Smouse, Marjorie Sims, Harriet Ball, Wilma Dobyns, Jean Turner and Mary Lou Ferguson.

Mrs. O. G. Crawford will be guest soloist.

A DAUGHTER IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Thompson are rejoicing over the arrival of an 8 pound daughter. The young lady made her appearance at St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton Monday evening April 26 and will answer to the name of Janet Lee.

EXPECTED HOME

Elbert M. Gibson Sr., who spent most of the winter in New Orleans and other points in the south, is expected home soon, according to his sister, Mrs. Frank Rumble.

FOR SALE—Year old white Minorca rooster, \$1.50. Mrs. Joseph Snyder. 5p1

WANTED—Someone to plow 140 acres. Frank Wilkinson. 5-6c

LOST—Black and white milk goat around Heppner. Finder please notify Martin Bauernfeind, Morgan, Oregon.

FOR SALE—5-room house, modern; lawn and garden. See Ralph Beamer, Heppner. 4--6p

STAR Reporter

SPECIAL COPPER MATINEE
Friday, April 30 4 p. m.
Cadets on Parade

Freddie Bartholomew, Jimmie Lydon Uncle Sam needs copper, brass and bronze and we're going to help him collect every scrap that's left. Search your home for non-useable yellow metals. We will admit FREE to this special matinee every person who brings one pound of this badly needed scrap metal. Just draw a file over it, if it shows yellow, it's acceptable!

This show is entirely separate from the regular Friday-Saturday evening programs previously advertised.

Friday-Saturday, April 30-May 1
Seven Miles From Alcatraz

James Craig, Bonita Granville They fled the "Rock" only to find themselves in a Nazi trap!

SOUTH OF THE BORDER
Gene Autrey, Smiley Burnette Gene's in the Air Corps but his best pictures are being re-issued; here is the first one and it has never been shown in Heppner.

Sunday-Monday, May 2-3
Palm Beach Story
Claudette Colbert, Joel McCrea, Rudy Vallee, Mary Astor

Have you heard that priceless story about the Girl who hopped a fast flyer to Florida with some fast Florida flyers? Then you won't want to miss the "Palm Beach Story!"
Superman Ina Ray Hutton and Orchestra

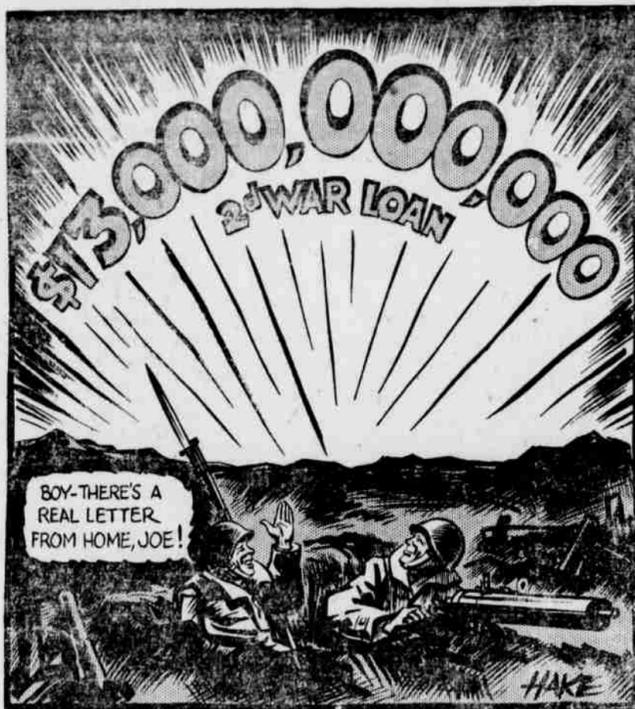
Tuesday, May 4
Junior Army
Freddie Bartholomew, Dead End Kids

Good entertainment in a stirring story of the efforts of a group of boys to help the nation in war.
Cartoon Thrills of the Deep
Three Stooges Double Talk Girl

Wednesday-Thursday, May 5-6
You Never Were Lovelier

The dansational rhythm of Fred Astaire, the glowing beauty of Rita Hayworth, the thrilling music of Jerome Kerns played by Xavier Cugat's orchestra are perfectly blended to bring you joyous entertainment.

THE MARCH OF TIME: America's Food Crisis
A topic of inevitable interest to everyone.



"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money"

U. S. Treasury Department

Heppner's First Printer Tells How Gazette Was Started

Editor's Note—The following article was received the first of the week from H. L. Keyte, old time printer who helped assemble the plant and put out the first issue of the Heppner Gazette. He might have written at greater length, but the fish are biting in the Rogue and he felt the urge to run down and see if he couldn't catch a salmon. We are grateful to him for his contribution and trust he will write again when some event of those early days comes to mind.

The moving spirit that caused the birth of the Heppner Gazette in the spring of 1883 was one J. H. Stine. He blew in from Weiser, Idaho, where he had just launched a weekly herald of the news in that section. If he had started any before that at Weiser I never heard, but I know of two he started since—one at Independence and one down here at Grants Pass,—the Courier.

His mode of operation was to get the merchants of the town to put up the cost of the plant and he reimbursed through advertising patronage. But after getting a paper started it seemed necessary for him to sell his interest in it in order to

settle his bills in the town to date and start looking for a new prospect.

"Billy" Morrow, of the merchandising firm of Morrow & Son, brought J. W. Redington back with him from one of his trips to Portland and assisted him in taking over Stine's interest and the whole works by assuming the debts of the plant.

At that time there were four large general merchandise stores in Heppner, namely: J. L. Morrow & Son, Heppner & Blackman, Dave Herren and John Maddox, the latter closing out shortly after; W. J. Leezer's hardware store; two drug stores, owned by Cass Mallory and O. H. Hallock; two hotels, Minor's and Hinton's three saloons, two livery stables, two blacksmith shops, two barber shops, and Natter's brewery. The Gazette was in a small building on the corner of the Natter property. This just about comprised the business section of Heppner at that time.

Yes, that was 60 years ago. I wonder how Heppner would look to me now. I would like to see.

Kindest regards to any old friends that may still be there.

HARRY L. KEYTE.

MAKE ROUTINE VISIT

Mr. Cherry, representing Herman Sites, district manager of the office of defense transportation, and Frederick F. Janney, district organization officer of Oregon with offices in Portland, were in Heppner Tuesday on matters pertaining to their respective duties. They checked up with the local rationing board as part of their regular work.

RETURN TO PORTLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hottman and children returned to Portland Monday after spending several days here visiting relatives. Hottman, a defense worker injured his foot and came here to recuperate. He is a nephew of the late Harry Brown. Mrs. Hottman is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mahon and a sister of Mrs. Loren Matteson.



From where I sit...

by Joe Marsh

Charlie Jenkins writes me from down at camp:

"Dear Joe: Somethin' mighty swell happened to me on my last day's leave. I'm standin' on the corner, not knowin' anybody in town, when a stranger says 'hello, soldier—how'd you like a chicken dinner at home with me and the wife?'"

"Well, it turns out they were the kind of folks who couldn't do enough to help out soldiers. They'd invited two other fellows and just as soon as we're

introduced the lady brings us a glass of beer before dinner.

"We had a fine dinner, talked till ten... Honest, Joe, I'll never forget their hospitality. Makes me feel good fighting for people like that."

Thought you might like to hear what kind o' fellows we got in this army of ours, and how they like to enjoy themselves when they get a chance to.

Joe Marsh

Price Panel Answer To Local Problems

The price panel, consisting of three members and acting in cooperation with the local rationing board, is the answer to most problems affecting business operations in Morrow county, Mrs. Edwin Dick told the business men's luncheon forum Monday at the Lucas Place.

Mrs. Dick advised business houses that notices of OPA changes or new rulings released by that body through the newspapers are authentic and that they should heed them. The price panel, comprised of herself, Mrs. Blaine Isom and Mrs. Katherine Burchell, frequently accepts the news stories and acts upon advice contained therein days before receiving notification from OPA authorities.

Following immediately after the price ceiling clinic held at the school house Monday forenoon, Mrs. Dick's talk was timely and filled with advice. Business men were urged to take their problems to the price panel and if they can not be solved here they will be submitted to the district office in Portland with assurance of prompt reply.

Blaine Isom was chairman and introduced a proposal that something be done about removing grass and weeds from the rodeo grounds. Several proposals were made but none accepted.

Mrs. O. G. Crawford's name was drawn for chairman next Monday.

GO TO BEND

Miss Catherine Peterson of Pendleton and Deaconess Riebe, returned missionary from China, left this morning for Gateway and Bend where the deaconess will lecture to groups of the Episcopal church. The diocese maintains a mission church at Gateway known as the Cross Keys mission. Deaconess Riebe spoke to a group of Heppner church people at the parish house Wednesday afternoon.

ATTEND CANTATA

Mrs. O. M. Hoosier and Everett Hoosier, mother and brother of Miss Rose Hoosier drove over from Stanfield Sunday evening to attend the Easter cantata at the Christian church directed by Miss Hoosier.

HERE FROM EUGENE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ladusiare of Eugene spent the fore part of the week in Heppner visiting the Turner families while transacting business.

Music Study Club To Omit Concert

Heppner Music Study club will not close its season with a concert this year and in its stead has invited the public to participate in another community sing at 8 p. m. Tuesday, May 4. The affair will be held in the parish house.

Press of other duties and a lack of time to prepare a program comparable to past years caused the club to make its decision, and since the community sings have proved popular the committee in charge of the closing meeting favored that type of entertainment.

A list of songs chosen for the "sing" has been made up of numbers from some of the light operas, including "Showboat", "Naughty Marietta" Roberta, "Desert Song" and others. There will be other songs you love to sing, rounding out a pleasant evening.

NEW MINISTER SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE HERE FRIDAY

Rev. Neville Blunt, new minister for All Saints Episcopal church, and Mrs. Blunt are scheduled to arrive in Heppner tomorrow (Friday), according to announcement made by Bishop W. P. Remington at the Easter service here Sunday. The Blunts are leaving their home at High River, Alberta, Canada, early this week and expected to make it to Heppner before the end of the week.

Awaiting arrival of their household goods, the Blunts will be established in the home of one of the parishioners.

SPENDS DAY ON BUSINESS

Martin Bauernfeind, Morgan merchant and postmaster, came to Heppner Monday morning to attend the price ceiling clinic and remained for the day to transact business.

DOWN FROM BAKER

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner drove over from Baker to spend Easter with relatives of Mrs. Turner at Lone. They spent a short time in Heppner enroute home.

RETURNS FROM IDAHO

Mrs. Tom Wilson returned to Heppner Wednesday evening after spending a week at Post Falls, Idaho, visiting here parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fisher.

Equipped with new American machinery, India is producing as much gun ammunition in a month as she produced in a year prior to the war.



Your Home MUST Last...

Take good care of it! You can't swap that home of yours for a new one—not during war time. Your home has to be kept in good repair for the duration!

Make needed repairs PROMPTLY with materials that ARE available. Don't wait till major replacements are necessary.

PROMPT repairs will keep your home in good running order.

See Us for Details!

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Heppner, Oregon