

**BOARDMAN NEWS**

By MARGARET THORPE

Mrs. Briggs and Mrs. Martin were in the Hermiston hospital the past week being treated for pneumonia.

Sgt Charles Smith left Thursday for Salt Lake City, Utah after enjoying a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and family. He expects to go over seas in the near future.

I. Skoubo returned home from the Pendleton hospital Saturday.

The cannery opened for business Saturday. Mr. Black and Mrs. Flossie Coats are in charge. It will operate Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Black returned from Utah Wednesday where they spent their vacation visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen spent the week-end visiting friends on the project. Mrs. Allen has just returned from a six weeks visit with her mother in Los Angeles.

The grange fair will be held Saturday. All exhibits to be in by 6:30 in the evening. The exhibits are donated to the grange and will be auctioned off with the proceeds going to the grange. Dinner will also be served in the evening for which tickets are being sold. Games and dancing will be enjoyed in the evening.

Mrs. Jerry Gronquist and new baby have returned from the Pendleton hospital.

School opened Tuesday with the following faculty in charge: George Linn, superintendent; Mrs. George Linn, english; Ronald Black, FFA; Zoe Billings, first and second; Floy Washburn third and fourth; Mrs. Scott, fifth and sixth; and Mrs. La Vern Partlow, seventh and eighth grades. Bus drivers, Leland McLouth and Daisy Gillespie, cafeteria cooks, Mrs. Ball and Flossie Coates complete the school set-up.

Pic and Mrs. Gilbert Petrys and children spent several days visiting Mr. Petry's mother near Walla Walla.

Capt. and Mrs. Hervey Ide and children stopped for a few minutes enroute to Portland. Capt. Ide will go on to Camp Beal, Calif. for overseas assignment.

Mrs. Ed Barlow and daughters returned to Renton Thursday night.

The Community church is getting a new coat of paint this week.

Miss McComb and Miss Osburn are holding missionary meetings at the church this week.

The Sunday school council dinner will be held at the Community church Sunday.

**A SON IS BORN**

A seven pound seven ounce baby boy was born to Sgt. and Mrs. Vester Hams, Aug. 28 at the St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton. The mother is the former Loraine Bothwell.

**Build Hospital Now Says Ione Citizen**

Urging earliest possible construction of the proposed Morrow county hospital, Laxton McMurray of Ione writes the Gazette Times as follows:

Ione, Oregon Sept. 3, 1944. To the Heppner Gazette Times, Heppner, Oregon.

Dear Sir: I have been reading in your paper in regard to Morrow county building a hospital, which I think is the finest thing ever thought of but as I see it we need it now before our loved ones start coming home all maimed and crippled up, with no place to care for them. Why not vote the tax then float a bond issue at a small interest rate and build the hospital at once? There is no priority on tile brick—the best building material there is—and as for transportation the material there is not a red

blooded American in the county Monday. who has one that would not donate his truck to haul a load. Also, I feel he would buy a hospital bond.

Now is the time to build as we need it NOW! Why wait? I have always wanted to see a good hospital in Heppner and have always been ready to help, and if it can be arranged to build one in the near future Mrs. McMurray and myself will donate an up-to-date iron lung, freight paid to Heppner for the use of all creeds or clans—the hospital to be known as Morrow County hospital.

Yours truly,  
LAXTON McMURRAY.

**MOVE TO NEW HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Troedson have moved to their new home, the former Snyder residence, in south Heppner. Mr. Troedson disosed of his farming equipment in a public sale held at the ranch near Morgan Saturday and they moved



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**HE SHARES—YOU CAN TOO—** All reports from combat zones tell of generosity of American fighting men, towards people of liberated areas. This example set by "G. I. Joe," can be followed by people on the home front supporting their community war fund, representing National War Fund's war philanthropies for our own and for our Allies.

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