

Irrigon Girl Wins Spelling Contest

An old fashioned spelling bee was held at Ione school the afternoon of Friday, May 4, with most of the schools in Morrow county participating.

Each school entered one contestant from grades six, seven and eight. The winners in each grade entered a grand contest to determine the best oral speller in the county.

The following pupils entered the contests:

Grade six—Patty Healy, Heppner, winner; George Russell, Irrigon; Carol Jackson, Lexington and De-light Biddle, Ione.

Grade Seven — Nellie Howell, Heppner, winner; Joan Clate, Irrigon; June Steagall, Lexington and Lola Ann McCabe, Ione.

Eighth Grade— Ester Warner, Irrigon, winner; Gary Couture, Heppner; Diane Burrell, Lexington and Fayne Ely, Ione.

Ester Warner of Irrigon, winner of the eighth grade contest, was also the winner of the grand final contest.

Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, county school superintendent, pronounced the words and the teachers from the various schools acted as judges. A good time was had by all and many expressed the desire to have more such get-to-gethers in the future.

MOVES TO LAKEVIEW

According to the Sherman County Journal Merle Becket has been transferred from the Sherman county branch of the First National bank of Portland to the Lakeview branch where he will be assistant manager. Becket, native Heppner boy, got his first bank training in the First National bank here, later going to Wallowa where he was manager for several years. He has been manager of the Moro bank for two years. He will take up his duties at Lakeview at the end of his vacation.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone for the beautiful flowers and cards sent me during my illness.
Hazel Bengé.

Dance

Willows Grange Hall
IONE OREGON

Saturday Evening

May 14

GOOD MUSIC

by

Ione Cardinals

Supper Served

Admission 50c, Tax 10c, Total 60c

Everybody Welcome

I've Reformed My Eating Habits

I've been a man eating life, but the other day I stopped in at the Victory Cafe and now I've reformed. I didn't figure food could taste so good or look so temptin' — those Sunday Dinners, special-ly. Y-mmm.



Roy and Betty Llieuallen Proprietors Ione, Ore.

The Victory Cafe

"PP&L keeps on giving us more and more for our money"

says J. A. Shupe, Northern Pacific Locomotive Engineer of Pasco, Wash.



"Nearly 30 years ago, we bought one of the very first electric ranges in Pasco. It was so marvelous that the man who sold it to us asked for a picture of our kitchen. Of course, it was nothing like the modern electric kitchen we have today—but eight of our friends went out and bought electric ranges when they learned from us how easy it was to cook with electricity.

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amount we once paid to use our electric range and a few lights."

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J. A. Shupe, veteran railroad engineer, came to Pasco from Kansas in 1904 to take a job as a fire-cleaner in the Pasco Northern Pacific roundhouse. He became successively a fireman on a switch-yard engine, freight engineer, and passenger engineer—and now pilots one of the big Class A-3 passenger locomotives between Pasco and Spokane.

Mr. Shupe recalls the many advances in railroading since he first went to work for Northern Pacific. Trains are bigger, faster, safer; tracks are twice as heavy; and steel construction has replaced wood to make the cars bigger and stronger.

The first locomotive Mr. Shupe drove had an oil head lamp and oil lamps in the cars. Now electricity not only lights the trains, but operates the block signals and handles many a difficult job that used to be done manually.

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1930 Whole electric industry promotes food saving, health protection, with electrical refrigeration.



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1945 Television ready for postwar homes. Great advances in science of electronics await peacetime use.

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