

County, City Submit Terms for Exchange of Property Located Here

During the week the county court and the city council have submitted terms relative to exchange of properties affecting the Rodeo grounds and CCC camp owned by the city and the block owned by the county known as the fair grounds and machine sheds on lower Main street in Heppner. Up to the time of going to press nothing definite had been reported and the last information obtainable was to the effect that a matter of \$1000 difference was holding up a deal.

News From C. A. Office

The farm labor office, with R. B. Rice in charge, reports an oversupply of workers the fore part of this week. All orders for harvest and hay hands have been filled. If you will need any labor for harvest, get your order in now so that Mr. Rice can fill it when needed. The office is located in the Heppner Hotel lobby and the phone is 303 if you wish to call. Twenty-two farm laborers have been placed on farms since the opening of the office.

Have you too been puzzled over the meaning of the scores and scores of DDT concoctions now on the market to buy for garden, household or livestock use? The two experiment station circulars of information just issued by the Oregon State college will help straighten out the matter. One is "DDT Products and Precautions in their Use" while the other is "Suggestions on the Use of DDT for Garden Pest Control." DDT products are sold as wettable powders for sprays, dust, and granules. All of these have their special uses and some may be used more or less interchangeably while others cannot. These DDT products are not in the category of deadly poisons but simple precautions must be taken when they are used.

The circular, "Suggestions on the Use of DDT for Vegetable Garden Pest Control" lists all common garden vegetables with their principal pests and tells whether DDT will control them or not. DDT powder of 3 percent strength is the most useful in the garden but a 5 percent strength is used for squash bugs and similar plant bugs.

With more than 150 different brands of DDT on the Oregon market it is quite difficult for the average person to select the proper kind to be used for each individual purpose. These two circulars, which are available at the county agent's office, will give the information needed in most cases.

Campbell Family Holds Reunion

The approaching 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Campbell was the occasion for drawing together numerous relatives at their home on North Court street last Sunday. Their children and present guests included Mrs. Arthur Keene of Ione, Mrs. Effie Crow of Osoyoos, B. C. Canada, Roy Campbell of Lexington and Arthur Campbell of Terre Haute, Ind.

Besides these were Mr. Keene and Mrs. Roy Campbell and the following grandchildren: Ruth and Lonnie Keene, and Bryce and Louise Keene of Ione; Bob, Don and Marjorie Campbell of Lexington; and Grandchildren were Lola Ann, Alvin and Grace McCabe and Loy Keene. Nephews included: Mary Woodell, Annie Parks and husband, Dave Sanderson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanderson all of Summerville; Elbert Hanson and wife and five children of Freewater. Friends attending were Mrs. Maggie Hunt, Mrs. Sara McMamner and Mrs. Agnes Wilcox.

V F W Dance to Feature Girl Band

Heppner post Veterans of Foreign Wars announces a dance at the fair pavilion in Heppner Saturday evening, July 13. There will be dancing, music and a girl band at the fair pavilion, only that the vets have gone all out for this particular event and hired a big-name orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ellis and son of Astoria, Wash. have been visiting at the R. K. Drake home the last week. Miss Florence Bergstrom went to La Grande today to attend a two-day conference of extension service secretaries. Ed Grant's service station at Lexington has been undergoing a complete paint job this week. A crew from the Standard Oil company did the work and the plant now has the color prevailing among affiliated stations. Mrs. Josephine Mahoney is having a small building on the east side of her property converted into a residence which she will occupy. The west half of the property, with the main residence was recently purchased by Everett Keithley. Mrs. Harlan McCurdy Jr. and little daughter Dianne are due to arrive at Pasco tonight at midnight. They have been visiting relatives in Minnesota for several weeks. Mr. McCurdy will meet his family and bring them on to Heppner.

Courthouse "Gang" Fetes L. W. Briggs On 87th Birthday

Officials and office employees at the court house took a little extra time on Wednesday noon to pay tribute to the county's oldest official, L. W. Briggs. A picnic lunch was spread on the lawn on the east side of the court house and the group gathered there to honor their fellow worker on his 87th birthday. When representative of this newspaper stepped into the treasurer's office to felicitate him he remarked that he didn't know why the Lord has let him live so long but he believed it was for some good purpose and that he would carry on as long as he is able to get to and from his office. It has been the belief of this writer that Mr. Briggs is the oldest elected officer in the state. He is a candidate to succeed himself in the fourth coming state election.

New Demonstration Agent Appointed

Miss Kathleen Monahan of Condon has been appointed home demonstration agent or Morrow county as of July 1. Miss Monahan is the first full-time demonstration agent to be named here as the office was recently authorized by cooperation of the county with the extension division of Oregon State college. Home demonstration work was set up here by Mrs. Cecelia VanWinkle under an emergency war time program. She served several months and was succeeded by Miss Grace Gadeken who served the past year and did much of the permanent program in the ground work for establishment of county.

Bobby Buschke Wins Rifle in Crow-Magpie Contest

Bobby Buschke is the proud possessor of the price of a new 22 rifle, a check for \$18.50 from Blaine E. Isom, first prize in the recent crow-magpie contest which he received this week in lieu of a rifle which was not obtainable. Bobby Buschke rolled up 732 points, being preceded closely for top honors by Noel Rill with 730, who claims the \$5.00 offered by W. Claude Cox for the most predator bird eggs turned in.

Other contestants with points are Freddie Lynch 532, Grace Hughes 214, Clyde Meek 190, Lane Tibbings 89, Allen Hughes 70, Dean Graves 20, Mary Jean Dykstra 65, Neil Beamer 29, Michael Wallace 35, Francis Ross 15.

NEW WAREHOUSE MANAGER

Clifford Carlson has been named manager of the Archer Daniels at Ione. He succeeds Gar Swanson, Midland company storage interests former owner who remained as manager. Swanson found his personal interests needed more of his time and decided to turn the warehousing job over to another Carlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carlson of Gooseberry, is a former service man.

INSTRUCTOR AT AIRPORT

Jay Landis of Portland has been employed as flight instructor at the Lexington airport, assisting Jack Forsythe, port manager. Much of Forsythe's time is taken up with passenger flights and he also has flight instruction classes at Arlington and Condon which take him away from the local port two or three days each week.

CALIFORNIANS HERE

Mrs. and Mrs. C. L. Gilliam arrived Tuesday from their home in San Jose, Calif. to visit a few days with relatives. They are guests at the home of Mr. Gilliam's sister, Mrs. Charles Vaughn. They will go from here to Seattle to visit Mrs. Gilliam's relatives.

NEWSPAPER EDITOR NAMED TO HEAD 800,000 ELKS

Charles E. Broughton, newspaper editor and publisher of the Heppner Gazette, has been elected grand Exalted Ruler of the 800,000 members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at the 2nd convention of the order held in New York City and attended by almost 20,000 delegates.

"Guardians of Victory" Tour the Riviera



These soldiers in France are about to enjoy a trip that they formerly were content to view from a seat at the local movie. Army Regulars are given the opportunity to travel while they earn. Qualified civilians, 17 to 34 years of age, inclusive, may join the Regular Army.

Hardware-Electric Moves Stock Today

Today is moving day for the Heppner Hardware and Electric company and stock is being transferred from the former location in the Oddfellows building to the new building adjoining the Heppner hotel building. Special lighting arrangement has been installed, with numerous outlets for displaying the several household lines the firm carries. Ample room has been retained for the displays in the front of the building, and convenient display counters for regular stock are placed toward the rear of the sales room.

Hardware-Electric Moves Stock Today

The all-over dimensions of the building are 20 by 134 feet. The space has been divided to give a spacious retail department, a good sized work room and ample warehouse room for new stock. Harold Hill and Loyal Parker opened the Heppner Hardware and Electric company store about a year ago. Pending the erection of a new building they took a lease on the room in the Oddfellows building formerly occupied by the Hughes grocery store. The business has grown steadily, fully justifying the new quarters.

V A REPRESENTATIVE COMING EACH WEEK

Charles Cox, contact representative of the Veterans Administration, with offices in Pendleton, announced Tuesday that he will be at the courthouse in Heppner between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

COMPANY MAKES PENICILLIN

Arthur Campbell, who left today for Portland after spending the last week or more at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Campbell, is employed by the Commercial Solvents Corporation at Terre Haute, Ind. This company has one division which is engaged in the production of penicillin and recently has turned out another promising drug—streptomycin. This latter is in the experimental stage and as yet has not been released to the drug markets.

SIXTY YEARS OF WEDDED LIFE TO BE OBSERVED BY HEPPNER COUPLE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Sixty years ago the 13th of July a young couple stood before a minister in Walla Walla and heard pronounced the words making them man and wife. How well the meaning of those words was taken is seen in the planned observance of that event at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Campbell this coming Sunday. The actual anniversary will be on Saturday but for reasons of convenience the observance will be held Sunday afternoon, at which time there will be open house to relatives and friends extending from 2 o'clock p.m. well into the evening. Natives of Ontario, Canada, the young people decided they would seek home and fortune in the States. Mr. Campbell came to Oregon and obtained work a little later his bride-to-be followed and the ceremony took place at Walla Walla, as mentioned. They both worked at the Hudson Bay ranch west of Walla Walla for a year and then came to Morrow county. Mr. Campbell homesteaded 160 acres on Social Ridge. As conditions improved, more acres were added until the Campbell farm became one of the substantial places of that section. They reared their family of two daughters and two sons there and in later years, when the evening of life was just around the corner they turned over the opera-

Services Held For Milton R. Morgan, Early Ione Settler

Funeral services were held Sunday at 2:00 p.m. for M. R. Morgan Sr. at the Cooperative church with Rev. R. L. Caselman officiating assisted by Rev. John F. Merrill. Interment was in the Kings cemetery. Milton Riley Morgan was born in Henry county, Ky. July 18, 1858 and died at his home in Ione, July 4, 1946, being almost 88 years old. He was the son of Thomas and Elizabeth Morgan, natives respectively of Kentucky and Indiana. When he was 12 years old the family moved to Kansas and resided there until he was a young man. They then came west by wagon train by way of Denver and the Old Oregon Trail. They settled at Helix for two years. In 1882 located in the Fairview district and he and his parents took up homesteads timber, cultures and pre-emptions in that locality. In 1898 Mr. Morgan was united in marriage to Elizabeth Christian and to this union were born three children, Ira, deceased, Bertha, now Mrs. Alfred H. Nelson of Lexington, and the other daughter who died in infancy. Mrs. Morgan died in 1892. In 1908 Mr. Morgan married Dora Baker and to them were born three children, James Edison and Milton Bartlemay of Salem and Mrs. Mary Logan of Portland. Mr. Morgan was a charter member of the I. O. O. F. lodge and retained his membership more than 50 years. He was a member of the Christian church of Ione for many years and helped to erect the building.

New Type Wheat To Be Tried Here

Promise of a smooth, practically drought proof wheat is seen in a new type developed by an Okla. Wash. farmer. Samples of the grain have been received here and it is creating interest among farmers who are seeking to stabilize their yield on a higher yearly average. The new wheat is called "Victory" and its developer claims that no sign of smut has shown up in his test plots. He also states that the taproots reach a depth of 26 inches. Roy Campbell, Lexington wheat rancher, has bought 20 sacks of Victory wheat for seeding a tract on his place. He believes that a wheat free from smut and practically drought proof as well will do well in this vicinity where the average rainfall is about 12 inches.

Newlyweds Guests Of Local Relatives

Guests of relatives here over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin of Eugene. This is John's first visit to the old home town since being released from the navy and it was the first time Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Crawford had been here since their wedding on June 9 at Salem. The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock p.m. in St. Paul's Episcopal church, the pastor, Rev. George Swait, using the double ring ceremony. Miss Shirley Parker of Salem was maid of honor. Hugh Crawford, best man, and James Gammell and John Crawford were ushers. Miss Grace Ashford sang "Because and Always."

Anderson-Van Horn Vows Spoken Today

The O. M. Yeager home was the scene of a wedding ceremony at 11 o'clock a.m. today when their daughter Mrs. Grace Anderson and Mr. Carl Van Horn were married. Rev. Fletcher Forster officiated, using the double ring ceremony. Following a dinner for the immediate relatives of the bride and groom, the couple left for Yakima for a few days. Upon their return they will live at the Scribner mill where Mr. Van Horn will be employed as cook.

Infant-Pre-School Conference Slated

Miss Margaret Gillis, Morrow county public health nurse, announces that arrangements have been completed for an infant and pre-school well-child conference at the Heppner school between the hours of 9 a.m. and noon and 1 to 3 p.m., Friday July 19.

CLAUDINE DRAKE MARRIED AT BOISE JULY 6

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Drake announce the marriage of their daughter Claudine to Mr. Eugene Carlwood of Salem, they were married July 6 in Boise, Idaho, at the Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Drake of Boise attended the couple.

HERE FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tolleson are enjoying a visit with their nephew, Billy Long, of Tulsa, Okla. With Mrs. Tolleson, he went to Walla Walla Tuesday to visit Miss Lela Tolleson who went to work at the Veterans hospital about a week ago. Billy was recently discharged at Shoemaker, Calif. He was in camp at the same time Calvin Crawford was stationed there when Billy saw service in the Pacific area.

HERE FROM OKLAHOMA

Rita Dell Johnson went to Boise, Idaho, Tuesday last week to visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Gertrude Booher. She also will visit at the Harvey Bauman home in Nampa during her month's stay in Idaho.

Wheat Harvest Starts In Some Sections; Yield Appears Up to Average

While cutting has not gotten under way to any extent, several machines have been put to work during the past week and it can be said the 1946 wheat harvest has begun. Such cutting as has been done is in the territory north of Lexington and here Crops are that way generally are from one to two weeks ahead of other sections in the county.

Forest and Range

The guard stations are all manned now on the Heppner district. With Roland Farrent on Wheeler Point lookout, acting in the capacity of a lookout-fireman; Bert Bleakman's suppression crew is at Bull Prairie. Mrs. Bleakman is the cook and the crew consists of Lauri Corwin and Bob Scott. They will dispose of slash and suppress fires, etc. over the district. Leonard Fate is on Tamarack lookout; Bill Ward on Madison Butte lookout; Orville Corley at Ditch Creek guard station, acting as a guard there but actually is a part of Bleakman's suppression crew; Harold Sanders at Arbuckle lookout; and Beatrice Keeling at Tupper operating the telephone switch there for the district. Kenneth Keeling and Bert Mason Jr. our cruisers are now at Fairview camp, cruising in that area at present.

Vernon Church and Boyd Rasmussen were here on the District from Portland and Pendleton, respectively. They accompanied Ranger Jorgensen in surveying and examining Kinzua's road building program. Kinzua plans to build a road down Wilson creek as far as Heli Hole this season. Then if they can get contractors they plan to build a road from the French Pass to Tupper.

Chuck Waldron was through here last week to set up study enclosures for game and sheep on the east side of the John Day river which is under state protection. Post and pole permits the last week were issued for George Capon, Kimberly, Harvey White, Ione and Burnett Bros., Condon.

Mrs. Vernon Cecil was a visitor in this office last week. She had a lookout on Tamarack mountain two years ago. We had 16 of an inch of rainfall in the mountains this last Monday.

Lex Celebration Financial Success

The Fourth of July celebration and air show at Lexington not only provided people of the county with some mid-summer relaxation it paid out the heavy expense of the fund as well. The dances were well attended, the baseball game on the Fourth drew a large crowd, and the air show the afternoon of the Fourth was patronized by more than 700 people.

One of the disappointing factors of the celebration was the absence of the carnival. Up to Tuesday no word had been received from the outfit and there is no explanation to offer why they did not put in an appearance. The celebration sponsors were well pleased that the carnival would be in town and ready to go by Wednesday afternoon.

There were many entries in the parade worthy of comment, but one of the most interesting was an old Michigan car driven by Mayor Alton Henderson. The car, a 1913 model, was the first piloted by the late W. F. Barnett, and his daughter, Mrs. Trina Parker, rode in the front seat with the driver garbed in those earlier days when motorizing was an event. Henderson stated that he believed the battery in the car was the last one used by Mr. Barnett before setting the old car aside for a later model.

Ralph Ledbetter Weds at Vancouver

Ralph Ledbetter of Lexington was married July 3 to Juanita Atkins of Portland. The wedding took place at 4 o'clock p.m. at the home of Rev. Roy in Vancouver, Wash., and the couple left for a short wedding trip to the beach. Mrs. Ledbetter has been employed in a government office in Seattle. Her parents reside in Portland.

COURTHOUSE BOOKS BEING AUDITED THIS WEEK

Auditors from the office of the secretary of state are checking over the records of Morrow county at the court house this week. Comprising the group are B. C. Davis, James Jellison, Leonard Stark and Kermit Benson.

Kenneth and Marcella Jackson are home now, having arrived from Eugene where they are students at the University of Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stegall and family spent last week visiting a brother in Eagle Creek, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Whitlock and family are spending their vacation in southern Oregon. Alice and Frances Griffin of Sacramento, Calif. are spending a month at the home of their aunt, Mrs. A. M. Edwards.