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Travelers Speak Of Places Visited On Recent Trips

Impressions of East And So. Cal. Told To Luncheon Group

Impressions of points visited were told to members of the chamber of commerce luncheon group Monday noon by Mrs. O. G. Crawford and P. W. Mahoney. Mrs. Crawford returned Sunday evening from a four week trip to the eastern coast and Mahoney and family recently returned from a visit to southern California.

Mrs. Crawford told of some of the things she saw in New York City in a crowded two-day visit there enroute to Philadelphia. Attending services in the great cathedral of St. John the Divine—a building not yet completed although started 54 years ago; of an afternoon spent in Rockefeller Center and the ride through Central Park enroute to the center; of a glimpse of the Statue of Liberty as the ferry plied its way to the Jersey shore. Then there were the interesting historical features in Philadelphia, with a trip to Valley Forge, a glimpse of the Liberty bell, and visits to some of the oldest churches in the country, as well as a jaunt to Atlantic City.

All of this was crowded in between sessions of the General Convention of the Episcopal church. Enroute home she visited Washington, D. C. four days where her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Crawford, and Dr. C. C. Dunham's sister, Mrs. Ruth Gillmore, put themselves out to make it possible for her to cover as much historic ground as the brief time would allow. Altogether a grand time was had but home looked mighty good.

Mahoney gave some good arguing his impressions of the difference between the school systems of California and this state. From what he observed and could learn from informed sources the sales tax has helped solve the California school problem as well as providing funds for other state supported activities. A better salary scale for teachers, better buildings and better equipment have been provided through this tax, a considerable part of which is paid by visitors.

P-TA MEETING

Regular meeting of the Heppner Parent-Teacher association will be held in the music room at the school house Wednesday evening, Oct. 9. Topic for the evening will be "Appreciation of Neighbors." Mrs. Merle Miller will be the program chairman.

FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY

Funeral services for George Stevenson will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the chapel at Phelps Funeral Home. The American Legion will have charge of the service at the grave.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS FOR SUBSTITUTE CLERKS

The United States Civil Service commission announces an open competitive examination for probationary appointments to the position of substitute clerk at the post office at Heppner. Applicants must actually reside within the delivery of the post office named or be bona fide patrons of such office. Applications must be on file with the Director, Eleventh U. S. Civil Service Region, 457 Central Building, Seattle 4, Washington, not later than the close of business October 21, 1946.

News Briefs Around Town

Mrs. Michael Healy returned to her home in Boardman Tuesday after spending two weeks in Heppner visiting relatives and friends. She accompanied Mrs. Clara B. Gertson who was on a routine trip in connection with the county welfare office.

Business visitors in Heppner Tuesday from Boardman were Mr. and Mrs. Vet Conyers who were completing payment on some property bought from the county.

Philip Matross of Boardman was a business caller at the court house in Heppner Monday.

Miss C. J. D. Bauman drove to Astoria Wednesday to take Jim Stotts to the springs for treatments. Stotts' health has been failing since returning from Alaska and it was thought the baths might bring him relief.

George McDuffee, former Morrow county sheriff, was in Heppner Monday looking after business in connection with the estate of his brother who died last winter. He was enroute to Pendleton where most of the legal formalities have to be attended to, his brother having been a resident of Umatilla county.

Mrs. Mary Hadd from Lake Andes, S. D. is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hamlin. She has been visiting in southwestern states and is enroute home from here.

Miss Mary Jane Green of Portland director of x-ray survey under the Oregon Tuberculosis asso-

Rumble's Spuds Rival Neill's Onions For Size and Quality

Onions or potatoes, it makes no difference, they raise good ones in Heppner gardens. We're not saying the best in the world, for there are too many people to contest such a statement, but it can be said with a large measure of security that few sections produce better.

Earlier in the season Commissioner L. D. Neill brought this office a few samples from his onion patch. They were of superior quality—big, too. Monday of this week, Frank Rumble stopped by and deposited three average white rose potatoes from his garden, raised a few lots from Neill's onion patch. The spuds are not above average size for that variety but are healthy specimens weighing close to one pound each. They remained on the desk for a few days and then he scribble and his family had a real baked potato treat along with some very succulent venison steaks which found their way to the editorial desk through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson.

News From C. A. Office

Morrow county 4-H beef club members are leaving Friday for the Pacific International Livestock Exposition with 13 fat steers fed, fitted by these members: Orville Cutsforth Jr., Dean Graves, Betty Graves, Ida Lee Chapel, Ingrid Bergman, Ronald Baker, Duane Baker, Pat Cutsforth, Faye Cutsforth, Kenneth Cutsforth, Jo Anne Graves and Reita Graves will exhibit their projects at Heppner Friday, Oct. 4. The animals will be taken to Portland after the show where they will be exhibited, judged and sold at auction.

Morrow county people are invited to attend the county show judging and exhibit Friday, Oct. 4. 4-H club members, Ronald Baker and Orville Cutsforth Jr. will participate in a new event to be held at the P. I. this year. The new event is a "calf scramble" which will be held at each of the 12 rodeo performances. Members will compete for untamed beef calves weighing 350 to 400 pounds. Equipped with a rope halter, each contestant will endeavor to catch a calf, halter it, and lead it across the finish line within a time limit. Calves become the property of the catchers to be fattened and shown at the 1947 P. I. T. B. Wilcox and Portland business men are providing the 194 calves to be given away.

Church Honors Boys With Dinner, Program

The "99" men's club and the women of the Church of Christ honored boys of the church Monday evening with a banquet and program. The boys were accompanied by their fathers or a borrowed dad and plates were served to \$8. Lee Howell served as chairman and Everett Smith led the music. A film "City Streets" and a reel of views in Yellowstone Park provided part of the program. The message of the evening was brought by Carol McKie, pastor of the Hermiston Church of Christ.

Frank Rumble left for Montana early in the week to spend several days on business. He spent the past month in the mountains getting out wood and reports that woodcutting was handicapped by numerous heavy rains.

Chuck Daniels, grandson of Mrs. Walter Rood, flew to Portland Saturday for optical treatment. He returned Tuesday evening by the air route.

Mr. and Mrs. John Proudfoot, recent arrivals from Moro who are farming the Leo Gorge place north of Lexington, were Heppner business visitors Tuesday morning. This office acknowledges a pleasant call.

Miss Minnie Case, sister of M. L. Case of Heppner, suffered a mild stroke last week at her home at Gladstone. Mr. Case and daughter, Mrs. G. E. Nikander, went down to see her.

Mrs. Madge Bryant and Mrs. Sophrona Thompson drove to Lexington Saturday to spend the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryant.

Mrs. Tress McClintock took her boys to Portland this morning where the younger boy will undergo a checking up by a physician. They were accompanied by Mrs. B. B. Rice and granddaughter, Eleanor Rice, and Mrs. Grace Nickerson.

Vester Parker and daughter Cecilia came from Hood River Friday evening and spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Parler.

The Social Club of the Order of Eastern Star will meet at 1:45 p.m. Saturday in the Masonic hall.

Mobile X-Ray Unit Due October 24-28

Arrangements have been completed by the Morrow County Public Health association to bring the Oregon Tuberculosis association's mobile x-ray unit to the county the latter part of this month. This will be the second visit of the unit to the county.

The schedule calls for the unit to be at Boardman Oct. 24; Heppner, Oct. 25 and 26, and Ione, Oct. 28. This examination is for the adult population of the county and it is desired that every person of that age will take advantage of this opportunity to get this health information. There will be no cost as expense of operating the unit is borne by the tuberculosis association with funds obtained through the sale of Christmas seals. It requires about a minute of a well person's time to be x-rayed.

Homemakers Plan Year's Work During Meeting at Ione

Morrow county program planning day was held Friday, Sept. 27 in the grange hall at Ione. Sixteen women representing four of the eight units were present. Mrs. Mabel Mack, assistant state home demonstration leader was present. Mrs. Vernon Munkers, chairman of the county committee, presided.

A luncheon was served by the ladies of the Ione Home Economics club.

Music for the program was provided by Mrs. Norman Nelson of Lexington by Mrs. C. C. Carmichael.

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND BENEFIT AT PENDLETON

Several Morrow county people attended the Shrine benefit dance at Vert Memorial in Pendleton Saturday evening. An officers' banquet preceded the dance.

A number of Portland Shriners and their wives were present, including Potentate and Mrs. Fred L. Peterson, Mrs. Tom Luke, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGuire and Mrs. L. A. Duckworth. Attending from Morrow county were Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Rannison, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grabbill, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Pinckney, Mr. and Mrs. Conley Lanham, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Graham, Eugene Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Isom.

IRRIGATOR NEWS

By Mrs. J. A. Shoun
The Irrigator football team won over the Lexington team Thursday evening 14 to 6.

Don Kenny and Lyle Mulkey are hunting in the Arbuckle region.

Mrs. Fred Davis went to Pulman by bus Saturday. Mr. Davis is working on the new college building there. He brought Mrs. Davis home Sunday returning to Pullman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hobbs and three small sons returned to North Powder Sunday after spending 10 days with her parents the W. B. Dexters, and other relatives.

The J. E. McCoy's have as their guests the Jay Berry's daughter and Russell McCoy's son and Clifford Goodwin of Seattle. They and Mr. McCoy are hunting up near Enterprise.

Miss Marjell Breda and Margery Hanson of Seattle spent several days with the Marshall Markhams, leaving Thursday morning for Seattle. Mary Barnett of Ione also visited the Markhams. She and Lavelle and Delpha Markham left for Seattle where they attend the Northwest Bible school.

J. A. Shoun was a Heppner visitor Wednesday.

Ida Slaughter is working at Umatilla as bookkeeper for the Tum-alum company.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haddox and baby Sara are spending their vacation in California.

Charles McFall and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Graybeal went to La Grande Wednesday.

Tom Caldwell went to Portland and Bandon Tuesday. He accompanied Rev. McDonald.

The Umatilla Chief's man has after subscribers for his paper. He has Mrs. Ida Slaughter and Virgil Sparks as new subscribers.

Billy Allen from the Holub's Spring Hollow place at Heppner was a Sunday visitor at the H. W. Grim home.

A 4-H demonstration team consists of two members who pass on to the people practices and methods they have learned. June and Vesta placed first as a demonstration team at the Morrow county 4-H home economics achievement day held in Heppner June 1.

Competition was keen at the state fair where nearly every county in Oregon had one or more demonstration teams. Miss Monahan said, and added that the local girls performed in an efficient manner. During the past few days they have accepted invitations to appear on programs of several organized groups in the county. Both

Deer Kill Here Light Compared With Army Of Hunters in Woods

There is no correct figure of the number of deer being taken out of the mountains in this vicinity but estimates indicate that the kill has been light compared with the army of hunters scouring the woods during the first week of open season. Reports are to be heard from some of the local groups who went into camp late last week and who generally do not come out until most of them have their buck and the story may change as these reports come in.

Hunters who do not have time to establish camp complain that the deer remain in the brush to do their grazing, this in spite of the fact that the weather is cool which normally causes the wily animals to graze the open spots. That the deer are in the low country is evidenced in the earlier kills reported, several of them having been brought in from the foothills not many miles from Heppner.

To date, the only kills reported are of deer. Officer Edgar Albert was running down a rumor Wednesday morning that someone had been shot up Willow creek but after several hours of investigation the officer concluded that it was nothing but a rumor or "quote" "some guy onup half shot."

As usual there have been some violations and the local justice court is all set for a busy season. Herbert McDonald appeared before Justice J. O. Hager on a count charging illegal possession of a

game animal. It appears McDonald couldn't wait for the open season—what with the meat shortage, and all that—and went out and bagged a buck. The judge felt the experience would be worth 30 days in jail and a fine of \$30 and costs. McDonald paid the fine and costs and the judge suspended the jail sentence, but the meat supply will have to be replenished as the state game commission took over the illegal meat.

A hunter from Portland was in trying to fix things up with Justice Hager Wednesday morning after Officer Edgar found the man in possession of a buck with the wrong tag on it. The Portlander claimed his wife had killed the animal and after tagging it had returned home. After a little questioning the officer decided there were too many holes in the story and cited him to appear at the justice's office.

Word comes from over Ukiah way that a group of Portland hunters visited that area by plane shortly before season opening and located the habitats of the deer. Returning for opening day the party went out and bagged five bucks. (We're not trying to put ideas into local hunters' heads.)

In the meantime local meat shops have been reasonably busy cutting and wrapping deer carcasses and by the end of this week there should be a general rush for this type of service.

Boardman Folks Attend Ayrshire Cattle Association Meeting in Portland

Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels motored to Portland Sunday returning home Tuesday. They went to attend a meeting of the Old Oregon Ayrshire association at the Multnomah hotel Monday, C. T. Conklin, national secretary of Brandon, Vt. was the presiding officer. The old association was revised and a new name chosen, Oregon Columbia Valley Ayrshire association. This includes breeders of southwest Washington also. Newly elected officers are Charles Jessford, Corvallis, president; J. H. Shinn, La Center, Wash. vice president and L. Beatrice Daniels of Boardman secretary. The next meeting will be held at the Portland Pacific International Stock Show at 9 a.m. Oct. 7.

Mrs. May VanDeusen, state itinerant adult teacher from Salem, held a meeting Wednesday, Sept. 25 for the purpose of organizing an adult school class unit. There were 19 ladies present. The class was organized and officers elected, Mrs. Claud Coats, president; Mrs. I. T. Pearson, secretary. Sewing was chosen for the first unit which will run eight weeks. Mrs. Winifred Leverenz of Pendleton, food preservation specialist and home economic demonstrator will conduct the class. Time and place of next meeting will be announced later.

Pendleton shoppers last Thursday were Mrs. Z. J. Gillespie, Mrs. F. Craner, Crystal Barlow, Mrs. S. C. Russell and daughter, Mrs. Mervyl Anderson, Roy Ball and son Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thorpe and family left Friday for Union to visit with Mrs. Thorpe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, and to enjoy a few days hunting deer.

A bridal shower in honor of Mrs. Ralph Skoubo, Myra Getchell, was given at the home of Mrs. Roy Partlow Friday. Several ladies were present and the bride received many useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Earwood and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Rippee motored to Pendleton Saturday.

Mrs. James Dickman and daughter Lela of ElMonte, Calif., visited for a short time Saturday with Mrs. Eva Warner and sister, Mrs. Adeline Dart.

Friends were glad to hear of the arrival Sept. 23, of Ronald Ellwyn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Potts of Monroe Wis. Donald is the brother of Leo Potts and former resident of Boardman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barlow and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker were visitors on the project Sunday.

Lexington Girls Place Second In 4-H Clothing Demonstration

Two Lexington 4-H club girls, June Van Winkle and Vesta Cutsforth, brought honors to their county and credit to themselves when they placed second in home demonstration work at the Oregon state fair last month. Word of their award was received by Miss Katherine Monahan, home demonstration agent for Morrow county, Tuesday from H. C. Seymour, county 4-H club leader, at Corvallis.

The girls demonstrated the laundering of a wool sweater, selecting this because wool growing is one of the leading industries of their county.

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Week's News From Ione and Vicinity

By Mrs. Echo Palmateer

A program planning day was held at the grange hall Friday.

A potluck supper will be held at the Congregational church parlor Oct. 10 at 6:30 p. m.

Mrs. Algott Lundell visited her father in Portland one day last week.

Ione defeated Weston in a football game here Friday 48 to 6.

Supt. B. C. Forsythe and Mrs. Franklin Ely attended the O.S.T. A. meeting at Pendleton last week. Mr. Forsythe is president and Mrs. Ely is secretary of the Morrow county division of the Oregon State Teachers association.

The bridge gang on the railroad has left here for a couple of weeks.

Bert Mason Jr. left by plane last week for Syracuse N. Y. where he will enter Syracuse university.

Several from here attended the Drake-Gadcken wedding in Heppner Sunday.

The Misses June Griffith, Alice Nicholson, and Eunice Peterson left the first of the week to enter Oregon State college.

The Topic club's social meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Bert Mason with three tables of bridge at play. High score was won by Mrs. Victor Rietmann, low by Mrs. Victor Rietmann and Jack high by Mrs. Gordon White.

Pumpkin pie and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Swanson, Mrs. Jack Ransier and Mrs. Mason.

Melvin Brady returned to Ione after visiting in Portland and at the home of his sister Mrs. Vernon Christoffersen at Donald.

Donald Eubanks, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Eubanks had the misfortune to fall and hurt his leg so that it was necessary to take several stitches.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lindquist returned from Elk River, Minn. and are visiting Mrs. Lindquist's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aldrich.

Twenty-five adult books from the state library have been received by the Ione public library. Quite a number of people from this vicinity went deer hunting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Emert who live near Hoquiam, Wash. are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Robert DeSpain, Aloha Painter, of Pendleton is visiting here this week.

Week-end guests at the John Ransier home were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Zumwalt of Junction City.

Miss Mary Barnett left Friday for Seattle where she will attend the Northwest Bible Institute.

Miss Leveda Hurd is visiting her grandmother Mrs. Adie Satter.

Norman and Roland Bergstrom students at Pacific university, were with Mrs. Dorothy, went as far as Portland with them. She is employed there with the telephone company.

Mrs. Roy Lindstrom taught for Mrs. Franklin Ely and Mrs. Algott Lundell last week during their absence.

The study meeting of the Topic club will be held Thursday afternoon, Oct. 10 at the home of Mrs. Milton Morgan.

Mrs. B. C. Forsythe returned to Ione Saturday night from Wyoming where she spent the past month visiting relatives.

The regular meeting of the PTA was held Wednesday, Sept. 25 at the school house with Mrs. Victor Rietmann presiding. Mrs. B. C. Forsythe was elected president in place of Mrs. D. Libert Emert who had resigned. The following program was given: Talk on PTA by Mrs. Noel Dobyns; piano solo, Mrs. E. M. Baker; talk on new school support bill by B. C. Forsythe and group singing led by Melvin Nelson. Pie and coffee were served in the lunch room by Mrs. Victor Rietmann, Mrs. Earl McCabe and Mrs. David Rietmann.

The 4-H club girls met Saturday with three members present. They discussed plans for achievement day.

The Maranatha society will meet at the Congregational church parlor Oct. 12.

Nellie Shaffer of Seattle has been hired as first and second grade teacher and started teaching here this week. Mrs. Margaret Cason from near Heppner has been teaching until a regular teacher was available. The school board, patrons and Supt. Forsythe greatly appreciate the work and the time that Mrs. Cason has devoted to the school.

Mrs. Ida Coleman and family are moving into their new home.

Mrs. John Garvey who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bergevin, left to join her husband in the New England states.

The Past Noble Grand club will meet at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday Oct. 4 with a pot luck dinner at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson of Prosser, Wash. are guests at the Tom and Gordon White homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon White received word that their son Charles who is in the navy, has been transferred to Whiting Field, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis were in Freewater Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Viola Davis.

You'll Have To Hurry If You Want to Vote On November 5

If you are not registered or have lost your registration through failure to vote and now wish to cast your ballot at the forthcoming election on Nov. 5, you'd better hustle to the court house and get fixed up before this coming Saturday evening. That's the warning sounded by County Clerk C. W. Barlow, who states that Saturday is the closing day for registration.

To make it convenient for late comers, Mr. Barlow will devote Saturday to registration, from the opening at 8 a. m. until 8 p. m. The office is not open Saturday afternoon ordinarily but the clerk is making this concession to the voters in order to bring the registration up. The clerk's office will be open until 8 p. m. Friday evening, also.

Forest and Range

Logging operations are in full swing in Wilson creek. Kinzua Pine Mills are logging in the vicinity of 100 M feet a day. The company has been plagued with a shortage of labor all year, but somehow rustled up 20 log buckers, Kenneth Keeling is on the jump trying to scale their cut.

The Kinzua Pine Mills closed down on Sept. 28 for a period of two weeks to repair the mill.

The majority of hunters are asking "where are all the deer? We don't see any does." This is a difficult question to answer. It is a very controversial subject but the writer would like to take the opportunity to express his personal opinion. Last winter a wildlife study made in the north fork area indicated that the mortality in the deer herd amounted to approximately 300 head. The grass was milled 90-100 percent on the key area Mountain mahogany. Bitter brush, and when found, Willow and Service berry were high skirted and hedged. It was apparent that the loss of deer on this winter range was due to a shortage of feed. It is believed that the increasing elk herd is aggravating the already serious shortage of winter deer feed. Elk being larger and stronger animals can out-reach and out feed the deer; with the result that deer are forced farther out into the open country, or are forced to concentrate in areas that are already overgrazed. The study of facts indicates that you can not have both large elk population and a large deer population on a given area. The choice will have to be made as to which species of game animals is desired.

Morrow county sportsmen were given this choice in the form of an offer of a cow season on elk in this area, with the idea of controlling the elk population to allow for a larger deer population. A local representative of Morrow county sportsmen protested the offer of this season at a game commission hearing early this fall. As the writer sees it the meaning of this protest is that the local sportsmen prefer to have elk and are willing to sacrifice the formerly abundant deer herd. We can expect to have a progressive decrease in the deer herd each year with this type of game management.

Harry Parker from Vancouver is contracting the work of clearing right of way on the new road in the vicinity of Opal for Kinzua Pine Mills. Parker has a large cable-truss tractor equipped with a brush blade that he uses to clear the brush and pile it into windrows. Formerly right of way clearing was done by hand work.

Boyd Rasmussen from Pendleton was a business caller at the forest office Tuesday.

A few of the local nimrods were successful the first few days of deer season. The lucky hunters include Frank Gentry, Lowell or Dan Rippee (ask the boys who killed it), Sylvia McDaniel, Mike Saling, Kenneth Orwick, Betty Orwick, Ray Wright, Dick Wilkinson, Chance Davis, Tom Wilson, Art Hughes Allen Hughes, Pop Chandler and Victor Lovgren.

Those procuring post, pole and wood permits the past week are Howard Cleveland, Harold Wright, Charles Bloodsworth, Blaine Chapel and N. G. Florence. For free use permit, Bryce Keene.

Membership Drive Primary Activity of Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. Richard Wells was hostess to the American Legion auxiliary at her home Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Lucy Rodgers assisting. Matters of business discussed included membership, ordering of veteran-made poppies, and arrangements for attending the District No. 6 conference to be held Oct. 11 in Hermiston.

As membership is the first in the over-all planning of any service organization, it will be one of the first activities for the year, and in that connection eligibility rules are submitted herewith for the benefit of former service men and women:

"Membership in the auxiliary shall be limited to the mothers, wives, daughters and sisters of members of the American Legion, and to the mothers, wives, daughters and sisters of all men and women who were in the armed services of the United States between April 1, 1917 and Nov. 11, 1918, or between Dec. 7, 1941 and the date of cessation of hostilities as fixed by the United States government, all dates inclusive, or who being citizens of the United States at the time of the entry therein, served on active duty in the armed forces of any of the governments associated with the United States during either of said World Wars, and died in line of duty or after honorable discharge; and to those women who of their own are eligible to membership in the American Legion."

Those members wishing to attend the Hermiston conference are requested to telephone 1132 or 774 for information on transportation.

Pendleton Host To Teachers' Institute

Morrow county teachers concentrated on Pendleton this morning where at 8:30 o'clock they registered for the annual institute. Counties represented include Malheur, Baker, Wallowa, Union, Umatilla and Morrow.

Speakers for the institute include Claire W. Churchill, director of the Blue Cross hospital plan; Miss Anne Isaksen, field representative of the American Red Cross; Dr. Helen Davis, director Horn Elementary School, Greeley, Colo.; Dr. Robert M. Griffin, associate editor of Readers Digest; Dr. Rex Putnam, state department of education; Dr. Frank Parr, executive secretary O. A. A.; William Winter, news analyst and war correspondent.

Streets Patched By State Highway Crew

Heppner's streets have been receiving a much-needed patching job this week at the hands of the highway maintenance crew from Lexington. Erosion and heavy traffic have broken the paved surface and in some instances travel was getting rough.

NEW PASTOR DUE SUNDAY

Services will be resumed Sunday morning at the Methodist church, with the new pastor, Rev. Sorlein, occupying the pulpit. The services will be followed by a reception and potluck dinner in the church parlors.

Drive to Raise \$1500 Chest Fund To Open Monday Local, National Agencies to Benefit From Campaign

Opening of the campaign to \$1500 as Morrow county's quota of the Oregon community chest has been scheduled for the morning of Oct. 7, Blaine E. Isom, chairman, announced early this week. Arrangements for the local drive were made last week-end when Irl McSherry, executive secretary of the state campaign, visited Heppner and prevailed upon Isom to again take the county chairmanship.

The sum sought here this year is considerably less than that asked in previous years and it is not anticipated that there will be much difficulty in attaining the quota and perhaps exceeding it. There are fewer agencies to be sustained although some of those still active require sizable funds to carry on their work.

Included in the forthcoming campaign is an allowance for Boy Scout activities, thus eliminating one fund drive. It does not include the Salvation Army due to the fact that the army's scope of work requires separate funding.

Solicitations for funds will be made in Heppner only. The rest of the county has been placed on a voluntary basis, Isom stated. People wishing to make subscriptions to the campaign may turn them in at the First National Bank of Portland, Heppner branch, the Star Theater, or other places of business.

This drive is separate from the Red Cross membership campaign, Isom pointed out. He urges donors to turn in funds at an early date so that the campaign can be closed at the earliest possible date.

COUNTY'S SCHOOLS STILL NEED GRADE TEACHERS

High school teaching staffs of the county have been filled, according to Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, county superintendent, but grade school vacancies still exist at Lexington and Boardman.

The Lexington high school staff was completed last week with the hiring of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Up to the present, there has been Haycraft of College place, Wash. no substitute grade teacher and the other teachers were absorbing the extra work. Mrs. Vern Partlow has been the substitute grade teacher at Boardman.

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