

## John Hanan Victim Of Heart Attack Wednesday Evening

### Cleaning, Dying Operator Passes Suddenly at Home

John Hanan, proprietor of the Heppner Cleaners & Dyers, died suddenly at about 5:25 p.m. Wednesday, following a heart attack which occurred earlier in the afternoon. Mr. Hanan had just returned from his physician's office where he had taken a treatment and had been advised to rest up at least two weeks in bed. He was preparing to follow the physician's advice when he began to sink and passed away before the physician could reach him.

Mr. Hanan and family had been residents of Heppner since March 1945, when they came to take over the cleaning establishment, which they purchased from John Skuzewski. Success had crowned their efforts and aside from installing much new equipment, the plant and building have been made over to give the community a completely modern cleaning and dying business.

Mr. Hanan returned October 12 from a two weeks' hunting trip in Idaho. First intimation that his heart was failing him was given when he suffered a slight attack while hunting. He returned home and resumed business activity and there was no indication that anything was wrong until Wednesday.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 p.m. Sunday from the St. Patrick's Catholic church, with Rev. Francis McCormack officiating and arrangements in charge of Phelps Funeral Home. Interment will be in Heppner Masonic cemetery. Rosary will be held Saturday evening at the church.

John Michael Hanan was born March 16, 1908 at Ackley, Minn. When he was quite young the family moved to Everett, Wash., where he grew up. He later lived at Morton, Wash., where he learned the cleaning and dying business and was engaged in the business there when the opportunity came to buy the Heppner plant. He was married to Adelle Bloomington on Nov. 8, 1937, and to this union two children were born, Bonnie June and Roberta, who with the mother survive. Other survivors include his mother, Mrs. Anna Snyder, Aberdeen, Wash., and three sisters, Mrs. Julietta Pfeifer, Portland, and Mrs. Agnes Ullman and Mrs. Helen Scure, both of Aberdeen.

**BOARDMAN**  
Paul Smith of Union was a visitor Thursday at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thorpe.  
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mallory and son Gerry of Seattle were weekend visitors at the Claud Coats home. Mallory enjoyed the days hunting pheasants and killed several birds.  
Mike Gorham of Council Bluffs, Iowa, arrived at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Ackerman, Sunday. On his way here he contracted pneumonia and has been confined in the St. Anthony's hospital at Pendleton. Later he will go on to Eugene to visit his brother, Jack Gorham.  
Claud Coats who is employed with the Telewell, Inc. and has been in Montana the past several months arrived home Friday. He will be working near Pendleton this winter.  
Week-end guest at the E. M. Soudera home was Miss Effie Bullock of Waldport. She is going on to Pendleton for a few days' visit there with relatives.  
Mrs. Ervin Ely has as her guests a few days this week her brother, George Chandler and his son Gene, and Dan Shaw, all of Lebanon.  
The Robert Miller family has moved to their new country home, and the apartments they left vacant are now being occupied by Mrs. Catherine Christensen and Mrs. Mabel Montgomery, local school teachers. Mrs. Christensen had a load of household furnishings moved from Walla Walla Saturday.  
Miss Annie Ruth Jones, home economics teacher, spent the week end in Pendleton with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lovernz.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rayback of Pendleton were Sunday evening guests at the Claud Coats home.  
Mrs. Agnes Skoubo, Mrs. Anna Moberg and Mrs. Earl Downey motored to Portland Friday. The former ladies went to Eugene to visit their daughters who are attending college and the latter will visit a sister in Portland.

**RETURNS FROM VACATION**  
Back from Ireland where he spent several months, Rev. Francis McCormack, pastor of St. Patrick's Catholic church, reports the food situation fairly good in his native land, meat being plentiful but no white bread. Steaks with black bread is the order, but anyway they have steaks. He visited relatives enroute and with his parents and brothers and sisters residing in Ireland. It was good to be back on "the old sod" but he was glad to get back to Heppner and his work.

Joe Gillose of Hermiston visited at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Frank Monahan, over the week end.

## Rhea Creek Grange Honors Couple on 60th Wedding Date

Saturday was a happy occasion for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Buschke. It not only was the 60th anniversary of their marriage, it brought together all members of their family as well. Their 11 sons and daughters and 17 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren were counted among the 70 or more people who assembled at the Rhea Creek grange hall to do honor to the venerable couple.

The women of Rhea Creek grange did themselves proud in preparing the turkey dinner for the honored guests and their family. To use a common phrase, they didn't spare the hoses. To Mrs. Buschke it was akin to something out of this world to sit down to a sumptuous feast with her family and not have a thing to do with preparation and serving of the meal. In fact, it was not their party—they were merely the honored guests.

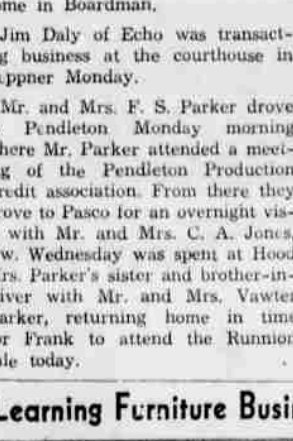
Besides the grand dinner the honored guests were the recipients of numerous gifts and remembrances. Mrs. Buschke was quite overcome with all the nice things done for her and in thanking the grange and all present for their thoughtfulness she told them that when it was time for them to observe their 60th anniversary she would do as much for them.

Mr. Buschke was a railroad back in 1886 when on October 25 he led Adeline Bartlett to the altar of a little log church at Sylvania, Kansas. The young couple remained in Kansas until 1892 when they came to Oregon and Mr. Buschke took up a homestead on the hill above the confluence of the John Day and Columbia rivers in Sherman county. Although the railroad passed nearby, living conditions were rugged and neighbors scarce, the nearest being three miles distant. The most frequent callers they had were tramps who would climb the steep hill to get a bite to eat—something Mrs. Buschke never refused to provide.

Physicians were scarce, too, and most of the 12 Buschke children were brought into the world by the aid of midwives.  
Disposing of his homestead Mr. Buschke moved his family to Morrow county where he took up wheat ranching. He related that had all most wiped him out twice but in 1916 he came in the clear and from that time on he and Mrs. Buschke prospered.

**NEWS BRIEFS AROUND TOWN**  
Mrs. Florence Dalzell of Condon was a Heppner business visitor Friday. She has extensive farm interests in the Dry Fork section of Morrow county.  
Noble B. Hampton was a business caller in Heppner Friday from Mitchell. He owns farm property in Morrow county and was here to see about his taxes.  
M. J. Fitzpatrick, lone wheat rancher, was a courthouse business visitor Friday.  
Two Hardman ranchers, M. F. Court and O. C. Stephens, obtained their tax receipts at the courthouse Monday.  
Mrs. Jasper E. Myers of Pine City was shopping and looking after business matters in Heppner Monday.  
Matt Halvorsen made one of his infrequent visits to the county seat Monday, coming up to pour a little "oil" on the county machinery.  
T. W. Rippee was a business visitor in Heppner Monday from his home in Boardman.  
Jim Dalry of Echo was transacting business at the courthouse in Heppner Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Parker drove to Pendleton Monday morning where Mr. Parker attended a meeting of the Pendleton Production Credit association. From there they drove to Pasco for an overnight visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jones, law. Wednesday was spent at Hood River with Mr. and Mrs. Vawter Parker, returning home in time for Frank to attend the Runtion sale today.

**Learning Furniture Business**  
Two American-Japanese veterans, both of whom served in the European theatre, now are learning the furniture building trade through the Veterans Administration on-the-job program.  
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## Charging Mustang Bucks Gallop Over Hermiston Bulldogs

### Heppner Eleven Wins Tough Game By Score of 12-6

Harder charging backs and a superior line spelled the reason why, as the Heppner Mustangs scored an upset victory over the Hermiston Bulldogs at Hermiston, Friday.

Glenn Coxon, Heppner's star center recovered a Hermiston fumble in the latter part of the opening canto on the Bulldogs' 20-yard line to put the Mustangs in position for their first score. On the first play Tom Hughes, Mustang left halfback, skirted around end for nine yards before he was brought down on the Bulldogs' 11-yard line. On the following play agile Clarence Greenup, Mustang quarterback, smashed over for the touchdown. Try for conversion failed.

Throughout the second quarter neither eleven penetrated to a spot close enough to score, and both squads failed to make any sort of a consistent march. The quarter consisted mostly of a punting duel between Leo Keller of Hermiston and Lowell Rippee for the Mustangs. Rippee booted the pigskin 60 yards on one occasion.

Score at half-time: Hermiston 0, Heppner 6.  
Randall Peterson, Heppner's captain and left tackle, started the second half by booting the ball to the Hermiston 10-yard line. Hermiston's Frank Myrick ran it back to the Hermiston 33-yard line. On the second down of the third period Hermiston fumbled and Jack Parrish, rangy Mustang end, recovered on the Bulldog's 30-yard line. Four plays later Tom Hughes skirted end for 12 yards and the second Heppner touchdown. The Mustangs failed to make the extra point.

It was a see-saw battle for the rest of the third quarter up till within a minute of a half of the final gun, when the Bulldogs blocked and recovered a Mustang punt on the Heppner 29-yard line. Hermiston smashed down to the Mustang's 7-yard line on the first play. On the second down Leo Keller fired a pass to Bob Phelps, Bulldog end, for the score. Frank Myrick breezed around end for the conversion. The game ended quickly following the kick-off.

**Plain Economics  
Caused Meat Lack,  
Lindgren Contends**  
Oregon livestock producers have not been creating a meat shortage by withholding fat cattle and hogs from the market in anticipation of higher prices, declares H. A. Lindgren, O. S. C. extension animal husbandman. The basic trouble with the meat situation has been a disparity between prices of feed grains and the price of livestock, the specialist states.

The controlled grain prices have been too high to encourage feeding, Lindgren explains. Grass-fat cattle have gone to market at the normal time this fall. Feedlots, however, were not filled prior to the removal of price ceilings on cattle. From three to five months will be required to finish cattle for market now going on feed.

Yearling steers require about 100 days of feeding, during which they consume about 2,400 pounds of hay and 800 pounds of grain. Weaner calves require about 150 days feeding, during which they eat about a ton of hay and a half-ton of grain. Cattle going on feed now will replenish market supplies of fat stock beginning about the first of the year if livestock prices maintain a fair relationship to feed costs, the specialist concludes.

The hog situation is similar, Lindgren adds. Oregon farmers need to sell 100 pounds of pork, live weight on the farm, for a price equivalent to 650 pounds of grain if they are to break even. This fall grain has been selling for three cents a pound, or more, meaning that an average price of 19½ cents a pound for hogs on the farm has been necessary for the feeder to avoid a loss. The hog ceiling was 172 cents.

Hogs going on feed now will be ready for market in 60 to 70 days. Reduced herds will limit the number of animals in feedlots this fall, however, and the greater share of the needed increase in fat hogs for market will have to come from next spring's pig crop, Lindgren predicts.

**Alice Lucile Peterson  
Laid to Rest Friday**  
Graveside services were held Friday afternoon in the Heppner Masonic cemetery for Alice Lucile Peterson, Rev. J. Palmer Sorlein, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated and the Phelps Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.  
Accompanying the body to the last resting place were the parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McDuffee, brother, Lt. Col. Ray McDuffee, and sisters, Mrs. Harold Buhman and Mrs. Alva Mason.

**ATTEND CHURCH MEETING**  
Three ladies from Hermiston, Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. McMickle and Mrs. Lindsay, were guests Tuesday evening at the Sunday school teachers meeting held at the Church of Christ. Mrs. Kendall is a trained Sunday school worker and demonstrated some of the methods of teaching the little folks.

## Oregon Housewives Puzzle Menu Problem!



Empty as Mother Hubbard's cupboard are many Oregon markets today. Added to other shortages, experts predict a drastic local shortage in fish for food unless the Oregon fish bill is defeated by a 313 No vote November 5.  
Loss of income to small farmers seasonally engaged in commercial fishing of coastal streams, will also result unless the bill is defeated. Keep Oregon fish on Oregon tables by voting 313 NO.  
Paid by Oregon Fisheries Committee  
Ralph Hamlin, Chairman  
300 W. First St., Tillamook, Oregon

## Vote To Save Our American Way of Life, Speaker at C. of C. Luncheon Advises

If America as we know it is to be preserved, the people will have to switch horses in Tuesday's election. That, in brief, was the advice issued by Jerry Saylor to the luncheon group of the chamber of commerce Monday noon at the Lucas Place.  
Saylor, member of the state public employment retirement board, filled in with an impromptu talk when introduced as a guest at the meeting. He stated that he is a republican and as such believes in the constitutional form of government established by the founders of this nation and that as a plain citizen he has seen the constitution badly mishandled by a group that has sought to dispense with representative government and substitute therefor a government by bureaucracy.

"We are at the brink of national disaster and the people have an opportunity next Tuesday to right many of the wrongs that have been perpetrated and to place our government on a sound economic basis once more by going to the polls and voting for the republican candidates. If the party in control of the government for the past 14 years retains the control it will not be long until we will be told how to vote," Saylor said.

Mrs. Lucy Rodgers introduced Lester Wilcox from the state department of education who with Saylor was here to assist in instructing district clerks in the method of handling the state employment retirement fund. Teachers come under the fund as well as state employees and the clerk's books have to be set up to take care of this item.

**Raymond French  
Claims Bride at  
Condon Saturday**  
The St. John's Catholic church in Condon was the scene of a wedding ceremony Saturday when Raymond French, son of Mrs. Rose Francis of Heppner, claimed as his bride Miss Norma Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Denton of Condon. Rev. John Lee, pastor of St. John's, officiated, using the double ring ceremony.

The bride, attired in a lovely white satin gown, with finger tip veil and carrying a prayer book and white spray, was given in marriage by her father, Mrs. John Maddock was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Garnet Burns and Miss Sharon Denton. Joe French, brother of the bridegroom, was best man and ushers were Joe Burns and the bride's brother, Howard Denton.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents immediately following the ceremony.  
Heppner guests at the wedding included Rev. Francis McCormack, pastor of St. Patrick's church; Rev. Peter Duignan, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard French, Jack French and daughter Sally, Miss Marguerite Glavey, Mr. and Mrs. John Brosnan, Mrs. Mary Hale and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Walton, and Mrs. Rebecca Johnson.

**Lexington Items . . .**  
By Mrs. Mary Edwards  
Mrs. Carl Breeding and son Dewey Irvine are spending a week in Portland visiting their daughter and sister, Eunice Darnell.  
Mrs. George Steagall was pleasantly surprised last Thursday afternoon when the ladies of the community gave a bridal shower in her honor at the ladies' aid room. She received many useful and beautiful gifts. Refreshments of coffee and cup cakes were served by the hostesses, Mrs. George Allyn, Lola Breeding, Marie Steagall and Mary Edwards.

The first of a series of meetings by the Morrow county extension unit was held in Lexington at the ladies' aid room last Friday afternoon. The subject discussed was the care and selection of clothing as to proper color and style for individual needs. The meeting was under the leadership of Katherine Monahan and she was assisted by Mrs. Faye Munkers and Mrs. Norman Nelson. The next meeting is scheduled for November 8 and this will be an all-day meeting with potluck dinner at noon. The subject will be remodeling of clothes and each lady may bring some garment that she may want to have made over or remodeled.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones were called to Union Monday by the serious illness of his father.

Miss Margaret Nys, daughter of J. J. Nys, and a freshman at St. Helen's Hall Junior college, was appointed by her school as delegate to the Pacific Northwest College congress. She will represent St. Helen's Hall at all the meetings of the congress.

## News From C. A. Office

The home demonstration agent reports the following extension units, with schedule of meetings for November, giving first name of committee, followed in order by date of meeting, time, place, subject, and pot luck where served.

Eight Mile & Rhea Creek, Nov. 1, 10:30-3:30, Rhea Creek grange hall, Remodeling clinic, supper.  
Ione, Nov. 4, 1:30, Congregational church rooms, "Developing Good Taste in Clothing," afternoon tea.  
Lexington, Nov. 8, 10:30-3:30, Ladies Aid room, Remodeling clinic, noon potluck.  
Hardman, Nov. 11, 10:30-3:30, school house, Remodeling clinic, noon potluck.  
Boardman, Nov. 12, 1:30, Community church, "Developing Good Taste in Clothing."  
Heppner, Nov. 14, 10:30-3:30, Mrs. Neville Blunt home, Remodeling clinic, charge luncheon Lucas Place.  
Lena, Nov. 15, 10:30-3:30, Mrs. W. E. Hughes home, Remodeling clinic, noon potluck.

A new easy method of putting in a placket zipper will be demonstrated at all the November meetings.

Some farmers and ranchers have called at the office to inquire about the relationship of feed and cattle prices and whether it is possible to profit from feeding out grass fat cattle for market. For those of you who are interested, the following information may be of some value in planning your feeding operations.

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**7 New Practices  
In 1947 AAA Guide**  
Seven new practices are included in the new Oregon handbook which lists 48 Oregon farm practices for improving the state's agricultural resources in 1947, announces E. Hart Miller, chairman of the state PMA. Another feature of the 1947 program is the granting of increased authority to county and community AAA committees for adapting the program to local needs.

Practices offered for the first time include contour farming of intertilled crops, contour furrowing of pasture land, deep subsoiling cropland, planting orchards and vineyards on the contour, and lining earthen reservoirs.

Other practices remain substantially the same as the 1946 program, except for some revisions in payment rates and specifications. In general, Miller said, payment rates will carry about half the cost of performing the practice, representing the government's interest in conservation of the nation's basic resources.

County committees will consult with community committees in selecting and modifying practices for the state handbook that will be offered in each county. In addition to the approved list of Oregon practices, each county committee may offer one practice of its own, developed to meet a specific local conservation need. Up to 10 percent of the county's practice funds may be used for the local practice.

**P-TA CALENDAR**  
Nov. 2—Carnival and Potluck Supper.  
Nov. 6—Pre-school Study Group at William F. Barratt home.  
Nov. 13—Regular P-TA meeting at Music room, school house.  
Nov. 20—Adolescent Study Group at Conley Lanham home.

## HEAD GOP TICKET



Stockman for Congress



Snell for Governor



Farrell for Secretary of State

## Fall Term Court Held Here Friday

Circuit court for Morrow county was held Friday, Oct. 25, with Judge Ralph S. Hamilton, appointed to serve during the illness of Judge Calvin L. Sweek, presiding. Civil matters claimed the attention of the court for the most part, there being but one indictment to act upon.

The grand jury, in session for three days, inspected the courthouse and brought in a recommendation that the jail be equipped with new beds and bedding. Serving on the jury were John J. Wightman, foreman; E. R. Schaffer, W. Howard Cleveland, Robert Grabbil, Edward Rice, Paul Hisler and Franklin Ely.

Three divorce cases were disposed of. Absolute divorce was granted Nina from Reese Burkenbins. Plaintiff was awarded custody of the three minor children.  
Dick McAllister was granted an absolute divorce from Marjorie McAllister.

In the case of Marjorie Hughes vs. Arthur Hughes, the defendant was found in default, and Audrey Badley of John Day was appointed special referee to take and report testimony to be reported in this cause.  
Earl S. Hotman, indicted for non-support, pleaded guilty and the court laid down rules for his future conduct.

**HUNTERS TAKE OFF TO  
BAG SOME ELK MEAT**  
Elk hunting is the order of the day and as usual the Gilliam brothers and Ray Drake are out in the John Day breaks somewhere trying to bag their winter's meat. This year, with the war being over—the shootin' war, that is—the party has been expanded to include two ex-servicemen, Louis Gilliam and Douglas Drake. If each member bags a bull elk there should be enough wild meat to last the families involved until next hunting season.

To make it possible for their crew to enjoy the opening of the elk season, the Scribner brothers closed down their sawmill Monday and Tuesday. Numerous other parties have taken to the elk pastures despite the spell of winter weather prevailing the fore part of the week.

## Campaign Drawing To Close Fails to Stir Much Interest

### More Controversy Over Measures Than Candidates

Although important issues are at stake, both statewide and nationally, little interest has been shown in the campaign now drawing to a close, other than some controversy over the several measures on the Oregon ballot. Election of Republican candidates to the district and state offices appears quite certain and the tendency over a large part of the country is in the same direction.

Of the measures on the ballot, three have claimed the most attention—two school bills and the Little Townsend plan. Some agitation has been stirred up over the fish bill, particularly in the western part of the state, but little is heard about them in this vicinity.

From all that can be ascertained locally, Governor Earl Snell will be out in the lead in the county, as well as in the state. The same is true of Robert S. Farrell for secretary of state. Nationally, the retention of Lowell Stockman as congressman from the second district is assured and word from the other districts is encouraging relative to Homer Angell, Walter Norblad and Harris Ellsworth. This follows a national trend in leaning away from the New Deal and when the votes are counted Oregon should be safely in the Republican column.

Henry Peterson and Giles French, both having combined Republican-Democrat endorsements, have a pretty fair chance of edging over the line and the same is true of county offices. L. W. Briggs, veteran treasurer, likely will poll the heaviest vote, although W. O. Dix, candidate for assessor, is popular and should draw a good vote. Ralph Thomsen hasn't conducted a household campaign for the office of county commissioner, but Tommy's good qualities are well known and he will poll a good vote.

Little interest has been shown in the city election and it is presumed that the names appearing on the ballot will constitute the new officials to take over the first of the year. Conley Lanham for mayor, LaVerne Van Marter for treasurer, E. R. Huston for recorder, and Dr. C. C. Dunham, Francis Nickerson and O. M. Yeager for councilmen. That's the ticket.

Polling places for Tuesday's election will be the same as usual, with the exception of North Heppner, which will vote at the Braden building.

## PE Workshop Held Here Wednesday

Schools of the county were dismissed Wednesday while teachers assembled at Heppner to attend a physical education workshop conducted by specialists from the state department of education.

Miss Dorothea Moore, regular state department physical education instructor and Claude Cook of the Bend school system, working under an emergency agreement with the state department, conducted the workshop which is designed to assist teachers in arranging and carrying out the physical education work in the several schools.

During the lunch hour, B. C. Forsythe, lone, president of the county teachers' association, called a business meeting at which matters of current interest were discussed and acted upon.

## ATTENDED OK MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engkrat and daughters Joan and Beverly, and Mrs. Engkrat's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fouts of Fossil, drove to Yakima Sunday to attend a convention of O.K. Rubber Wilders operators. Around 200 shops were represented and the group enjoyed a potluck dinner and dancing.

Here for some bird hunting the past week end were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mikesell and Gene's employer, Mr. Lowder, manager of the Liberty Meat market, Portland. This was Mrs. Mikesell's visit to her husband's old home town. They visited Gene's mother, Mrs. W. E. Mikesell, while here.

Mrs. Ed O'Donnell of Helena, Mont., is visiting at the L. E. Dick Sr. home. She is a sister of Mrs. Dick and will remain for some time.

Walter Luckman has returned to Heppner after spending a few weeks in Pendleton taking treatments. He is much improved in health.