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Looks Like It's A Must

Construction of a sewer system in Heppner in the near future seems a certainty. As a matter of fact, there appears to be little else the city government can do about it as the state sanitary board insists it must be done. The council has taken preliminary steps and will press the working out of details in ensuing weeks.

It is to be hoped that wrong impressions will not be gained and spread relative to this improvement. Up to the present the council is not prepared to give out definite information. As soon as plans are completed for construction and financing, proper information will be released. There will be difficulties to iron out and it is reasonable to expect that there will be misunderstandings,

but we must bear in mind that the improvement is a MUST and it will require understanding and cooperation to make an undertaking of this magnitude a success.

Congratulations, Post 87

The compliments of the community are due Heppner Post No. 87, American Legion, and the Legion auxiliary, for the fine addition to civic and social life made possible through the completion of the Legion hall. The enterprise of these people in undertaking the project and in carrying it through to completion is worthy of all the nice things said Saturday evening when hundreds of people visited the hall for the first time. May many happy occasions and long years of prosperity attend the post and auxiliary.

30 YEARS AGO

From Heppner Gazette Times
April 11, 1918
Miss Etta Barlow and Lee Howell were married at the Christian church of Lone Sunday, April 7.

Morrow county has passed the hundred thousand dollar mark in its campaign to raise \$142,000 in the Third Liberty Loan.

Nine Morrow county boys have been called by the local draft board to report for military duty. The men are Royal Bebb, Central Point; Frank Otto, Boardman; Walter G. Hayes, Heppner; Ben Moore, Greensboro, N. C.; George Thomas Cook, Heppner; Harry Snyder, Heppner; Robert C. Buschke, Heppner; Jacob Dexter, Heppner; Albert Lee Crewdson, Condon; Elmer Lee Mattonson, Heppner; and Ray Scott, Heppner.

Roy W. Ritter, well known in Heppner, left Saturday from Pendleton for the east where he will sail in a month for service in France in the Red Cross work.

Hugh Stanfield, member of the Stanfield Brothers firm, was in Heppner the last of the week on business. The Stanfields shipped 10 cars of sheep to Heppner and they will be taken to Monument from here to be placed on summer range.

Frank Turner has been busy the past week with his big motor truck hauling supplies to his shearing plant at the Jas. Carty

place. Shearing will soon be underway.

William Hendrix is plowing up several hundred acres of sod on his Heppner Flat ranch. This is one of the finest pieces of bunch grass land in Morrow county and it will be put into wheat later.

There will be a meeting of the Heppner Home Guards at the fair pavilion Monday evening following the hour of drill.

Serviner Blacksmith & Machine shop has installed a new oxy-acetylene welding machine which is already proving to be a great success.

Jerm O'Connor has gone into the sheep business for himself after working a long number of years for C. A. Minor. O'Connor has purchased 2500 head of fine yearling De Laine ewes. He has taken the sheep to range in the Potamus country.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindnesses and sympathy and for the beautiful floral tributes to our beloved wife and mother. J. W. Harrison and family, Robert Briggs and family, Mrs. Jess Orwick and family.

Marvin Wightman and children returned Sunday evening from a week-end trip to Portland.

Officers Elected For North Morrow Fair At Boardman

By Flossie Coats

The annual North Morrow County Fair board meeting was held here and the following were elected: President, Ralph Skoubo; treasurer, Robert Parker, and Mrs. Mabel Allen as secretary. Calvin Allen and Don Kenney of Irrigon were elected directors for the three year term. The two directors holding over are R. B. Rands, two year term, and Clyde Tannehill for the one year term. Dates for the fair will be announced in the near future.

Bud Chaffee and Esther Knight motored to Elgin this week to move John Beddas to Boardman. Mr. Beddas is helping his brother-in-law, Chas. Nickerson, with his farm work this summer, due to Mr. Nickerson being unable to get around for work.

Claudia Risley of Gopher Valley is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Worden.

Mrs. Clifford Poole has moved to her farm from the Root apartment where she has lived this winter. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Montague have moved into the apartment from the living quarters they have been occupying.

Dinner guests at the Claude Worden home Saturday evening were Mrs. Zura Whipple and son of Yakima.

Mr. and Mrs. Nite Macomber motored to Pendleton Saturday to do shopping, and to visit their son-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pettes.

The annual FFA banquet was held at the school Friday evening and was a grand success. Besides the instructor, Mr. Ronald Black and Mrs. Black, and the class, were the parents and invited guests, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Ely, Rev. Chas. Eble, Albert Ball, and honorary members, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harwood, Coach and Mrs. Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Nate Thorpe, and Supt. Fahey. Bill Miller is the president for this year.

Mrs. Katie Bickford of La Grande is visiting this week with her daughter, Mrs. Armin Hug, and family.

The local Scout troop and their leader, Leroy Fussell, went on an overnight camping trip Saturday, going down west of town to the old greenhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Root and son Curtis of Athena spent the week end with Root's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Root.

Local chairman for the Red Cross, Chas. Eble, reported a sum of \$18.60 from this community. Those helping him were Mrs. Art Allen, Mrs. Norman Bergstrom and E. T. Messenger.

Chas. Nickerson was taken to Pendleton by his daughter, Esther Knight, Monday, where the doctor removed the cast from his leg. It will be some time yet, however, before he can throw the crutches away. Mr. Nickerson slipped on the ice and fell some two months ago, breaking his leg.

Rev. Chas. Eble and Mrs. Leo Root left Tuesday for La Grande where they will attend the district Presbytery for three days. Mrs. Root goes as delegate from the Ladies Aid.

Lone School Progressing Nicely Say State Officials

A representative of the state department of education visited the lone high school on Monday, February 2, 1948, and spent most of the day in examination of the building, equipment, classroom instruction, and in conference with the principal. The following comments and recommendations are made as a result of this visit:

The lone high school is centrally located on a site which seems adequate for both elementary and high school purposes. During the visit of the state department representative, snow obscured the view of any landscaping, shrubbery, or turf which might exist, but the situation seemed quite satisfactory.

The school at Lone has been fortunate in having a continuity of administration. This has been reflected in the courteous attitude and conduct of the students. The cooperation and industry of

the students is a highly important factor in the learning situation of a school.

The plan for a complete testing program in Morrow county should be most helpful to the school staffs in diagnosing individual difficulties of the students and in the discovery and correction of departmental weaknesses.

Another commendable aspect of the school is the high percentage of students who are enrolled in the sciences. Modern living makes a basic understanding of science almost a necessity.

It is the feeling of the state department's representative that the school at Lone is progressing nicely.

Sincerely yours,
REX PUTNAM,
Supt. Public Instruction,
By CARROL B. HOWE,
Supervisor of Secondary Education.

News From C. A. Office

The county agent is attending this Wednesday a fat steer grading day at the Eastern Oregon Livestock Experiment station at Union. These steers will be graded by all Eastern Oregon county agents in comparing grades of the fat steers with grades given them as feeder steers last fall. This comparison will be helpful to see actual grades and is beneficial especially to agents who make a great number of selections of feeder steers for fat beef 4-H projects.

W. A. Sawyer, superintendent Squaw Butte-Harney Range Experiment station at Burns, appearing before the Morrow County Farm Bureau Monday evening, April 5, gave an interesting history and function of that experiment station. Perhaps the most interesting part of his talk before 52 farm bureau members and others attending was the relationship of age of breeding heifers at that station compared to calf crop from the heifers and in years following. Mr. Sawyer brot out that heifers bred to calve at two years old calved at the rate of 62 percent regular calving (year after year) with 38 percent of these skipping calving during the period the experiment has been carried out. Sixty-eight percent of these cows (calved at two year olds) calved early each year while 32 percent of this group were late calvers.

The insecticides, benzene hexachloride, is not being recommended for general use in Oregon.

Robert Every, extension entomologist at Oregon State college, says the insecticide has been used

in the past to control wire worms and other insects. Here is Every's reason for not recommending benzene hexachloride.

Rather than use this insecticide, Every says ethylene dibromide or DDT will do the control job without affecting the taste of the market product.

And to farmers who used benzene hexachloride during 1947, Every says—look out. There are indications that this insecticide will continue to give potatoes and other root crops a bad flavor for two seasons. That is, even if the insecticide is not used again this year.

CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH
J. Palmer Sorlien, Minister
Sunday, April 11: Morning worship and sermon at 11 a.m. Sunday church school at 9:45 a.m. Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, supt.; Mr. Robert Owens, asst. supt.; Mrs. J. Palmer Sorlien, supt. primary dept.
Wednesday: Mid-week devotional service, 7:30 p.m.; senior youth fellowship, 6:30 p.m.; junior youth fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Thursday: Choir practice at 7 p.m.
Young adult fellowship second Thursday of each month.
The Women's Society of Christian Service meets the first Wednesday of each month.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH
Holy Communion, 8 a.m.
Church school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning prayer, 11 a.m.
Junior Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Holy communion, 10 a.m. Children's instruction, 3:30 p.m. Adult instruction, 8 p.m. Bishop Barton will be with us for the parish supper at 6 p.m., Saturday, April 17, and for confirmation at 11 a.m., Sunday, April 18.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Shelby E. Graves, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m., Mrs. Ora Wyland, superintendent, will give the scripture for "The Knot in the devil's tail."
Worship hour, 11 a.m.
Christ's Ambassadors service at 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service, 7:45 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, 7:45 p.m., bible study and prayer meeting. Bring your questions, problems and burdens and let us help you.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible school, 9:45. C. W. Barlow, supt.; Beverly Yocom, junior supt.; Mrs. Joe Jewett, primary supt.
Morning worship, 11; communion and preaching; sermon topic, "The Call to Carry On."
Evening evangelistic service, 7:30. Sermon topic, "Life Or Death—Which?"
This will be the last Sunday for Mr. Jewett in Heppner. On April 18 John Runyan, Prosser, Wash., will be here to bring the messages of the day.

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