

EDITORIAL



If We Had A Favorite . . .

If we had a favorite campaign fund we think it would be the current drive in behalf of the American Cancer Society. With evidences of the ravages of cancer on every hand—it is the No. 2 killer—it seems if one had to choose between the several funds for which we are solicited throughout the year it would be easier to subscribe to this particular campaign.

Somehow it doesn't seem that a house-to-house campaign should be necessary to raise the tentative quota assigned to Morrow county. If each and every family and individual were to give something there would be no need of putting pressure on those upon whom we look as "moneyed" folks. What do you say we try this plan and put this drive over without any kind of pressure selling. Send in your gift to the county chairman, Merle Becket, and help him clear up the drive before this month is gone.

Will It Be Stassen?

The manner in which Harold Stassen has captured delegates from the three states where his name has been on the preferential ballot puts him

out in front as a vote-getter and from this distance the leading contender for the Republican nomination. But there are hurdles to surmount between now and convention time and unless the big Minnesotan can negotiate them he will come up shy enough delegates to win. His free-lance campaign has demonstrated what a man can do by taking his cause directly to the people and the run he has made so far should be worthy of the consideration of party leaders in choosing a standard bearer for the fall campaign. He is a firm believer in the American tradition, has confidence in the American people to work out their destiny and has a most laudable ambition to lead them in their battle for peace throughout the world.

Those who had the privilege of hearing Mrs. Lois Beil Sandall Saturday evening deeply regret that many more of our citizens were not accorded the same privilege. It is seldom that a town the size of Heppner can command recognition from one of Mrs. Sandall's stature and those within the range of her cultivated voice Saturday evening feel decidedly fortunate, for she is one of the outstanding women of the country and one whose counsel and advice are sought in high places.

A slight error in names appeared last week in mentioning the visitation of two distinguished Masons. R. G. Saylor of Hermiton is the district deputy grand

master, not R. G. Snyder as it appeared in the G-T. He accompanied Lloyd McKee of Pendleton, deputy grand master of the state chapter.

30 YEARS AGO

From Heppner Gazette Times April 18, 1918.

Soon there will be no scales on Main street. Street improvement is bringing about changed conditions and curbing systems will not permit of weighing scales on Main street in the future.

Jeff Jones has bought a Yuba tractor which he will use in his farming operations on Heppner Flat. The tractor is capable of pulling six plows.

Miss Zelma Engelman and Miss Mabel Wilcox, lone young ladies, spent Sunday with friends in Heppner.

A new corporation now doing business in Heppner is the Peoples Hardware company, successors to Tash & Akers. H. Fred Tash and Spencer Akers will continue in active management and the other men in the concern are R. W. Turner, Ernest Meyer, W. G. McCarty, Jeff Jones, M. J. Devin and John F. Vaughn.

Mrs. Mary Long died Thursday at the family home three miles south of Heppner. She leaves her husband, Hardy Long, and six sons and daughters by a former marriage.

Boardman Future Farmers Attended K. Falls Meeting

By Flossie Coats Eleven delegates left Wednesday morning to attend the state convention of the Future Farmers at Klamath Falls, Thursday to Saturday. Those going besides the instructor, Ronald Black, were Keith Tannehill, Emsley Rogers, Tim Robinson, Bob Sicard, Leo Skoubo, Marvin Carpenter, Bill Miller, Delbert Ball, Harold Marlow, Chas. Graham and Delmar Hug.

Dr. John M. Miller, director of teachers training of La Grande was in the Boardman school Wednesday and gave a talk to the graduating class.

Dinner guests Sunday at the Earl Downey home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and family, Mrs. Herb Richey and daughters of Prosser.

Gracia Vesile and Elinor Earwood attended the young peoples meeting of Presbytery in La Grande Wednesday, returning home Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. Brune, nee Audree Wilson, of The Dalles is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wilson. Mrs. Willis Pierotti, Evelyn Pearson, spent Monday visiting with Mrs. Brune.

Mrs. Hazel Bell was taken to the St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton Wednesday where she will undergo an operation Thursday.

Chas. Nickerson was taken to Pendleton by his daughter, Mrs. Esther Knight, Tuesday and had his leg cast removed from his leg. However, he did not get along so well as expected and will return to Pendleton Thursday with the intention of having another card on.

Ladies Aid Silver Tea society met in the church basement Wednesday afternoon. A good group

Sunday. Mr. Hatch hopes to be moved to Lexington by that time.

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From where I sit . . . by Joe Marsh

Fellow in Andy Botkin's Tavern was boasting about a trick necktie he was wearing made out of a by-product of milk. "Fook 33 pounds of milk to make this tie," he says.

Bill Webster was unimpressed. "Personally," he says, "I'd rather have the milk to drink. Just as I wouldn't change one glass of good American beer for a necktie made from thirty barrels of it!"

Yes, modern science being what it is—seems like you can make "anything out of anything" these days. But in the case of milk, well

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The Troy Griffin well drillers finished the Virgil Sparks well at 82 feet with an ample supply of water, and moved to the Morgan farm Monday and are drilling there now.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mann and two sons have moved into the James Phillips house.

The Assembly of God members are going to dedicate their church next Monday, April 19, with fellowship, meetings to last all day and evening. Rev. Allen Banks of Salem and Rev. E. R. Scratch of Olympia will be speakers from the outside.

Robert Brown spent the week end in Irrigon from the EOCE at LaGrande, with former schoolmates. His mother, Mrs. Floyd Provancho now lives in Umatilla.

Mrs. James McRae is in the Pendleton hospital with pneumonia. Her daughter, Helen Maxine, has also been up there with pneumonia, but is convalescing at home now.

Mr. and Mrs. Baneuf of Plymouth has rented the Mart Abken apartment and have also leased the store.

Week-end visitors at the Irrigon homes this week were Robert Waters of Richland, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McCoy and children visiting the J. E. McCoy family; David Rand from Whitman college visiting the B. P. Rands, James C. Shoun of Walla Walla.

Rev. Banks will assist in the Sunday service at the Assembly of God church Sunday as well as Monday.

E. S. Pelton went to Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruth Murtishaw is convalescing at home after having a goiter operation in a Walla Walla hospital recently.

Arthur Edwards and Mack Graybeal are building the Benny McCoy house west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson and Mrs. Myrtle Townsend of Rockaway spent from Wednesday until Monday with the C. W. Acok family. Mr. Acok is a brother of the women. Betty Acok of Pendleton spent the week end here.

Mrs. H. H. Smunk returned from Portland Friday, where she had been visiting her son Robert and daughter-in-law and small new son.

F. D. Brinker returned Sunday night from a trip to Ogden, U. S.

Floyd Hobbs spent the week end in North Powder. He returned Sunday, bringing back his son Daryl who spent a week with his grandparents there.

Miss Lois Markham and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Markham of Richland visited Miss Markham's mother, Mrs. Harry Smith, and family Sunday.

Charles Markham of LaGrande was also a recent visitor at the Smith home.

Rev. Haslem, state Baptist evangelist, was a Sunday night speaker in the Baptist Community church.

Rev. Clyde Paul White will preach in the Baptist Community church Tuesday evening.

Curtis Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Minnick, Don Miller and Clarke Stephens attended the Rodeo across the Columbia river and on to Horse Heaven Sunday.

Howard Mohler, school coach, was among the flu victims last week. John Allen substituted for him.

Mrs. Elbert Cox announces the marriage of her daughter, Norma Scrivner, to Cecil Mullins at Long Beach, Cal., on March 29. After a short wedding trip they will be at home to their friends at 5832 North Autry Ave., Bellflower, Cal. Mr. Mullins is an officer in the merchant marine.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Parker arrived Tuesday evening from Brea, Calif., and are visiting at the homes of his brothers, Loyal and Frank E. Parker. The Parkers have recently sold their home in Brea and are looking about for a new location.

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