

Briefs of Community

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson will be among the Eastern Oregon folk attending the traditional "civil war" at Corvallis Saturday, when Jim Aiken's conference leading aggregation will face Lon Stiner's not-so-leading Beavers.

Mrs. Harry Tamblin returned home Tuesday evening from Norwood, Pa., where she spent the past two and one-half months with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Franks Jr. Mr. Tamblin accompanied her east and spent a month at Philadelphia, returning home the first of October.

Mrs. S. H. Shannon returned home Wednesday, November 10, from a visit with relatives and friends in Utah, Iowa and Missouri. She reports good weather and an enjoyable trip and visit. Mrs. Shannon accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Tom Wells, east; the latter part of August, Mrs. Wells going to Elkhart, Ind., where her husband is taking a course in the band instrument factory of C. G. Conn & Co.

J. J. O'Connor, manager of the Hepner J. C. Penney Co. store spent several days in Kellogg, Idaho where he assisted in the opening of a Penney store in a new building. O'Connor spent seven years with the Kellogg

SHERIFF LUCKY BIDDER ON THANKSGIVING DINNER
Sheriff C. J. Bauman and family will fare sumptuously on Thanksgiving day (not that they wouldn't, anyway) because the minion of the law was the successful bidder Saturday night in the "dutch" auction at the annual dinner and bazaar given by the Home Economics club of the Lexington grange. A clothes basket full of goodies, including a big turkey and all the accessories for a good old fashioned Thanksgiving dinner, was the reward for his bidding.

The dinner and bazaar was one of the most successful events of the kind ever given by the grange women. A regular Thanksgiving feast graced the tables at which more than 250 people were served. Many items of fancy work were disposed of during the evening and there was a candy table also doing a thriving business. Cards were enjoyed by many of the guests, all of whom felt it an evening well spent.

from home again this winter. He reported seeing several car wrecks en route home, one of them taking place below Lexington Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. L. Hall is housed as the result of falling Sunday morning while she and her husband were on their way to open up Scotty's for the day's work. Mrs. Hall's right ankle is badly sprained and she experiences severe pain as the result.



4-H Club News

June 4-H Livestock Club News
There was a county-wide 4-H club meeting at Heppner November 7. The meeting was to organize the club and elect leaders and officers for the coming year. It was decided to have three clubs in the county.

Our group was named "The Lone 4-H Livestock Club." We chose E. Markham Baker as our leader and elected Ingrid Hermann president; Ronald Baker, vice president; Joan Coleman, secretary-treasurer, and Malcolm McKinney, news reporter. There were seven members present at the meeting.

The next meeting will be December 5 at Earl McKinney's at 2 o'clock.

—Malcolm McKinney, reporter.

Morrow County Report by Rieta Graves

The first meeting of the Morrow county agriculture 4-H club for the year 1948-1949 was November 6, 1948 at the civic center in Heppner. All the new and old members were asked to come. There was a big turn out. The meeting was called to order by the vice president of the 1947-48 senior beef club, Ingrid Hermann.

Since there were so many new club members they decided to divide the members into three clubs according to the community in which they lived. One club was Lone, one Heppner, and one Sand Hollow and Butter creek club chose their leader and officers:

Leader, John Graves; assistant leader, L. L. Howton; president, Betty Graves; vice president, Allen Hughes; secretary, Barbara Sherman; reporter, Rieta Graves. Members present were Allen Hughes, Johnny, Eddie and Jo Ann Bronsian, Ronald Curran, Betty, Rieta and Dean Graves, Barbara Sherman, Judy and Janet Howton. The club members who have started their projects are Janet Howton, Judy Howton, Allen Hughes, Rieta Graves, Betty Graves, Dean Graves has two Hereford calves on feed, Johnny Bronsian is going to have a Short-horn breeding project, JoAnn and Eddy Bronsian and Ronald Curran have sheep projects, Barbara Sherman has a Short-horn breeding project.

The next meeting is November 21 at the Graves ranch.

—Rieta Graves, reporter.

County Agent News

What Is Glass Wax?
Within the last few weeks, every homemaker has seen a new product advertised called "glass wax." It is recommended for cleaning glass, porcelain, tile, enamel and various metals. Just what is it?

Actually, "glass wax" does not contain wax. On the other hand, it contains a combination of some of our old-time cleaning agents in a water base. These cleaning agents are a petroleum product similar to kerosene, a very fine abrasive and ammonia. We have used them all before—now they are mixed for us.

The "waxy" or lustrous effect you get from glass wax comes from the petroleum product; it is the same effect you get from washing your bathtub with kerosene. The petroleum product also cuts the grease and oils and keeps the abrasive from sticking to the glass.

The abrasive acts as a polishing agent and will help remove dried particles. Ammonia aids in any cleaning action.

Thus, we have mixed for us some old-time cleansers with some other chemicals and a color added to make a new commercial cleanser.

Wool for Your Winter Dress

You are going to make a woolen dress and you are undecided what weave or kind of wool to buy. The sheer wool crepes are for the dressier styles, as are the broadcloths and velours, while the twills, such as serges and gabardines are strong, seldom sag, will hold pleats, and are for more all-purpose use.

However, the serges and the twills have two qualities that sometimes cause difficulty for those who do home sewing. Ev-

MARIE AUGUSTE LENZ
Funeral services were held Tuesday in Hermiston for Mrs. Fred Lenz of Heppner, whose death occurred suddenly Saturday morning at the home of her son, George Liebe, in Hermiston where she was visiting.

Mrs. Lenz was born in Machilburg, Germany. She came to America with her parents in 1881 and settled in Milwaukee, Wis. Later, at Wisconsin Rapids, she married William Liebe, who died in 1896 and two years later, Feb. 14, 1898, she married Fred Lenz. The Lenzes moved to Oregon in 1913 and settled first at Albany, and in 1922 the family moved to Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenz had made their home in Heppner the past year or so. She was mother of two sons and a daughter by her first marriage and eight children by her second marriage.

Among those attending the funeral were Charles Hodge and Charles Hodge Jr. of Heppner who acted as pallbearers.

ELECTION, DEGREE WORK SCHEDULED BY MASONS

A meeting of importance to Masons will be held Tuesday evening, December 7, announces Noel Dohy, worshipful master of Heppner Lodge No. 69. Election of officers is on the slate for that evening and there will also be work in the MM degree.

It is expected that Andy Staig, district deputy grand master, will be in attendance at the meeting.

Every stitch shows, so you may wish to choose a fabric that your stitches will sink into. Too, twills are hard to press without getting shiny streaks on seams, pockets and other places of several thicknesses.

Napped fabrics (flannels and broadcloths) catch dust and dirt easily.

Wool sharkskins, wool frailles, wool alpaca, tweeds and some flannels and crepes are nice for home sewing. The less crepe the weave has the better it will hold its shape and not bag.

Jerseys are difficult to handle unless you have had experience in working with them. It is particularly impossible to press velvet satisfactorily at home unless you have a velvet pressing board.

Mixtures are not difficult to handle if there is enough wool to give the qualities of warmth and resiliency. Resiliency is the springy quality that keeps wool from wrinkling when you crush it in your hand and causes the wrinkles to "hang out" overnight.

The better the wool and the higher percentage of wool, the fewer wrinkles and the greater warmth. If the fabric has less than 25 per cent wool, you should not expect the qualities of wool.

Don't be afraid of color. Just be certain it is becoming one.

NEWS FROM THE HDA'S DESK Did You Know That—

Acids added to vegetables during cooking will harden them? Therefore if vinegar is used to season beets, it should be added after the beets are cooked. Otherwise they will tend to remain hard.

Lettuce cut with an iron knife will turn dark quickly because of the tannins uniting with the iron from the knife to give a blackish-blue or green colored salt?

Keeping fruit under water to prevent discoloring not only weakens the flavor but also dissolves the water-soluble vitamins and minerals? Dipping fruit in brine solutions or in acid solutions will prevent their darkening.

Addition of soda is extremely harmful to ascorbic acid? For this reason soda should never be added to tomato soup to prevent curdling or to green vegetables to preserve their color.

Vegetables should be left as nearly whole pieces as possible? As piece size decreases, the area of cut surface is greater obviously allowing greater extraction of nutrients.

When soup is too salty, slice a raw potato into it and boil for a short time? The salt flavor will soon disappear; then remove the potato.

To remove the burnt taste from scorched milk, put the pan into cold water and add a pinch of salt to the milk?

Onions will not make the eyes water if sealding water is poured over them before they are peeled.

Some manufacturers are reducing the amount of fabric, quality of construction and trimmings to meet consumer resistance to rising prices in familiar price lines.

BOARDMAN

Mrs. Mary Healy had the misfortune to fall Monday evening at her home, breaking her right arm above the elbow. She was taken to the St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton for treatment and will remain for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Vet Conyers returned home Monday evening after five weeks spent in Fairfield, Idaho, Spokane and Wenatchee, Wash., with relatives. Their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ivan Conyers of Wenatchee came with them to remain until after Thanksgiving.

One desiring breeding cockerels can get New Hampshire and White Leghorns from Donald Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vannoy and Mrs. A. B. Chaffee motored to Pendleton Tuesday afternoon to visit Mrs. Olive Atteberry, who is a patient at St. Anthony's hospital.

Despite this sudden price boost, Miss Lane declares that fabric and workmanship in women's clothing, for instance, is the best now since 1941.

A leveling off in price is taking place in cotton and rayon goods, but this is not true of wools, especially the finer ones. Footwear prices moved upwards about 9 per cent during the 1947-48 winter months and are still on the incline.

While the 1948 cotton crop is the largest on record since 1937, wool prices are again moving upwards caused by greatly reduced production. Thus we can expect higher prices for wool garments in the coming months. No immediate change in clothing prices until after Christmas.

That familiar household item, the footstool is getting to be a common article of furniture in many Oregon homes. What's more, it's all coming about as the result of so-called footstool workshops that are being carried out in many counties of the state by the extension service of Oregon State college. Just under 1800 footstools were made

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during a twelve-months' period that ended recently. They were made by women connected with home extension units in twelve counties.

The purpose of the footstool project is not just the construction of a footstool for itself. But, rather, to teach the principles of simple upholstery work that can be done by a homemaker in her own home.

Linn county was the top county in the state from the standpoint of the number of footstools completed. Women there constructed 314. Average price for all the footstools was just \$4.50 apiece.

The Morrow County ACA committee has amended the 1948 handbook to include contour

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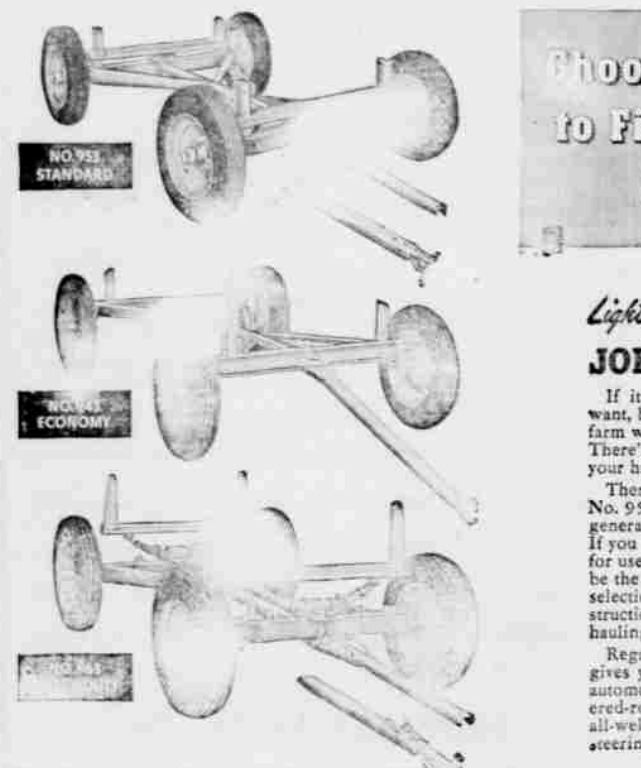
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Sunday shows continuous starting at 1 p.m. All other shows start at 7:30 p.m. Boxoffice open evenings until 9 p.m.

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