



WALKING WITH EASTER SEALS
It's a long, hard climb for 6-year old Gary Struthers of Eugene, a cerebral palsy victim, but he and others at the Easter Seal agency's hospital school for crippled children at Eugene are learning.

Little Gary practices walking up stairs under direction of Mrs. Jean Huffstutter, physical therapist. The school, open to children from throughout Oregon, is financed through the sale of Easter Seals.

Subscribers Vote Expense Money For Research Officials

At a meeting of officials and subscribers of the Tri-County Weather Research, Inc. Tuesday evening in the court room at the courthouse in Heppner, a motion was passed that actual expenses incurred by officers and directors

in transacting the affairs of the organization be paid for out of funds of the concern. Such items as telephone expense and collection of subscriptions over the district were included in the motion.

Ralph Crum, president of the Tri-County, reported this morning that the rain predicted by the weather bureau for Wednesday evening as probably amounting to from one to two tenths of an inch had passed the .30 of an inch mark at his North Lone ranch before he left for Heppner this morning. The implication is that the "seeding" operations of the Tri-County Weather Research are increasing the rainfall in this area, bringing direct results to the farmers and stockgrowers.

Mrs. Mabel Yackley of Hillsboro accompanied Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Anderson home the fore part of the month and has been their guest since. The Andersons were in Hillsboro March 4 to attend the wedding of Mrs. Anderson's sister at which the twins, David and Douglas were ring bearers. Mrs. Yackley plans to remain in Heppner for some time and is at present housekeeper for Mrs. Bert Kane.

Ministers Plan Bible School In Early June

Meeting Tuesday evening, ministers of the protestant churches made arrangements for a vacation Bible school following closely upon the close of public school. The tentative date is for the first week in June, although this will be subject to the trend of other events.

The school this year will be carried on by the local church memberships including the Assembly of God, Church of Christ, Episcopal and Methodist groups. The ministers of the churches, Rev. Shelby Graves, Rev. R. J. McKowen, Rev. E. L. Tull and Rev. J. Palmer Sorlein will act as a committee in preparing plans for the school.

Mrs. Nels Justus is a flu patient at the Pioneer Memorial hospital.

Shamrocks Won All Games on Regular Basketball Slate

A handsome trophy adorns one of the windows of the Turner, Van Marter & Co. office following the close of the basketball season for the Shamrocks, town team coached and managed by La Verne Van Marter. The trophy signifies that the Shamrocks are the champions of the Morrow-Gilliam league and if they can hold the "cup" for two more seasons it will become their permanent possession.

The Shamrocks made an impressive record during the season just closed. They won all of their 16 regularly scheduled games in the league and besides went on to win 10 out of 13 other games with teams outside of the district.

The team journeyed to Hood River and won there; lost at Moro, Goldendale and one to the Pendleton Motor-In team, winner of the Umatilla-Morrow district AA-U championship. Heppner wasn't particularly interested in going out of the district for this title, although Van Marter admits it would have been somewhat of a satisfaction to have won it.

Final victory for the Shamrocks was over Irrigon, the score being 61-40.

Soroptimist Club Plans Trip To Meet Federation Prexy

Members of the Soroptimist club of Heppner are looking forward to the opportunity to meet the president of the American Federation of Soroptimist clubs in the near future. Miss L. Grace Nicholls of Toronto, Canada is enroute to a southwestern regional meeting in California and is making official visits at Helena, Montana, La Grande and Portland. She will be in La Grande Tuesday evening, April 3 and the La Grande club has invited the entire personnel of the Heppner club to be present. All other clubs in eastern Oregon are invited to be presented.

Wayne West assistant ranger in the Heppner district of the Umatilla National forest, spoke briefly to the ladies on the subject of forest recreation in the Blue mountains, urging the club's support in conjunction with other local groups in acquiring suitable sites. He followed his talk with a motion picture on the care of the forests with relation to controlling water supplies and erosion.

EXTENSION UNIT TO AID OSC CAMPUS HOUSE FUND

The Heppner extension unit of the HDA has joined other units throughout the state in raising money to boost the fund for the Azalea House on the Oregon State college campus. The unit decided to employ a traveling basket as the method for raising the money. Mrs. N. C. Anderson is chairman of the committee in charge of the project.

Mrs. Vernon Munkers of Lexington was a special guest of the unit at the meeting March 6 at the home of Mrs. Douglas Drake. Subject for the day was Children's Self-help Clothing.

Mrs. Frank E. Parker was called to Los Angeles because of the death of her brother-in-law following surgery. Upon her return home last week she found her husband in bed suffering severely from the flu that was going the rounds. He is improving now.

Sgt. and Mrs. Eldon Tucker, of Ione are the parents of an eight pound and one ounce baby girl born at 7.30 p. m. Wednesday, March 14 at the Pioneer Memorial hospital. The mother is the former Patricia Drake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Drake of Ione. Mrs. Ben Cox is the paternal grandmother.

Mrs. Frances Mitchell and daughter Lorene were Portland visitors over the week-end.

LOST—In Ione or Heppner, a size 30 Hamley tailored belt, with silver buckle. Finder please return to or call telephone office in Heppner. Reward. 52p

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The Dalles Chronicle Pays Local Squad Deserving Praise

Winning of the good conduct trophy at the recent district 6-B basketball tournament in The Dalles elicited the following editorial comment in The Daily Chronicle of that city:

"Heppner high school, the strong Morrow county entrant in the 15th annual 6-B basketball tournament held at Kurtz court last week is the winner of the special sportsmanship trophy for exhibiting the qualifications that are demanded in modern basketball.

"The award is made on the basis of team sportsmanship, conduct on and off the floor attitude of coaches and school officials and the cooperation of the team followers.

"Heppner, coached by Hal Whitbeck, brought one of the finest squads of players to the tournament in the history of the meet. Himself a well liked figure in the coaching and sports circles, Whitbeck instilled a gentlemanly air in his team in addition to building a winning quintet.

"Whitbeck's task of building character along with basketball knowhow was remarkable as he worked with a young team, one that has nine undergraduates out

of the first 10 players. However, Heppner was as smooth and well mannered as a seasoned outfit and won the eye of the critics who made the selection.

"The award met with popular response from the tournament audience who had watched the 16 team field battle for the cage title."

MRS. BARLOW HONORED ON 83rd ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. D. S. Barlow was pleasantly surprised on her 83rd birthday March 12, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Lutkins, in the Gooseberry neighborhood.

Mr. Barlow has been confined to her bed for the past two and one-half years.

The rooms were decorated with honoree was presented with a profusion of spring flowers. The number of lovely gifts, Mrs. Lutkins served a big angel food birthday cake, jello, and coffee to Mrs. Jess Warfield, Mrs. Henry Baker, Mrs. Charles Becket, Mrs. Oscar Peterson, Mrs. Carl F. Bergstrom, Mrs. Leonard Carlson, Becket, Mrs. Albert Schunk, Mrs. Mrs. Algott Lundell, Mrs. Walter and the honored guest, Clive Huston, Mrs. Ben Anderson

Mrs. John Saager transacted business in Portland the first of the week. She was accompanied by Mrs. Fred Mankin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rosewall transacted business in Portland

the first of the week. J. J. O'Connor is attending a three-day meeting of Penney Managers in Pendleton this week.

WEDDING TO BE SATURDAY, MARCH 17

Mrs. Isabelle Templeton and Mr. Theodore Reed will be married Saturday evening at the home of the groom's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed, in Spokane. Going from here will be Mr. and Mrs. Loy McFerrin, parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Carsten Brandhagen, Spray, brother-in-law and sister of the bride.

STEPMOTHER DIES

Mrs. Anna May Keys, a resident of the Twickenham district near Fossil, for 38 years, died March 10 in a Portland hospital where she had been a patient for several weeks. She was the stepmother of Mrs. Harry Van Horn of Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dobbs returned Tuesday from Portland. While in the city Mrs. Dobbs attended a beautician convention. Mrs. Orve Rasmus and Mrs. Dick Wells went to Portland Sunday on a brief business trip.

The EASY-DOES-IT CORNER

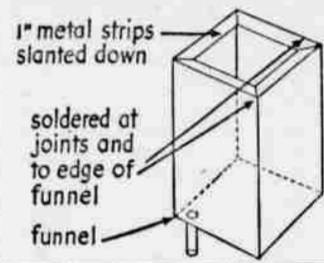
By ED DICK, Jr.

How To Stop Fuel Spillage With Funnel

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