

Lexington Notes . . .

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she took her mother who had

been visiting here.
Mrs. Jack Forsythe was renew-
ing acquaintances in Lexington
Tuesday. She reports that her



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"Good Neighbor Policy"

Remember one time when I told about the old loose-stone wall that separated Easy Roberts' property from Handy Peterson's?

That was when they decided they really didn't need the wall between them in the first place—so they simply stopped repairing it.

Now I hear where a fellow, who bought the old Johnson place, wants to buy all those stones. It seems he figures a stone wall is just what's needed on his property.

From where I sit, if that fellow wants to build himself a stone wall,

that's his business. But if it's not really serving any useful purpose he may sooner or later discover—just like Handy and Easy did—that he'd be just as well off without one. Even some old-fashioned walls of prejudice are disappearing—like those that would deny a person's right to a friendly glass of beer now and then. Most Americans are learning that "walls" can get in the way of the persons inside as well as the persons outside.

Joe Marsh

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husband Jack is stationed in Seaul. They lived at one time at the Lexington Airport.

Pat Cutsforth, son of O. W. Cutsforth underwent plastic surgery in a Portland hospital one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Breshears spent the weekend in lone at the Bob Crowell home.

Wilbur Steagall had the misfortune to wreck his car on the way home from Portland Sunday just this side of Hood River. Damage was about \$400.00.



PEACHY PRESERVERS

The Peachy Preservers 4-H food preservation club was organized at the Rhea Creek grange hall on June 3. Muriel Palmer is our leader.

Officers elected are: president, Pat Peck; secretary-treasurer, Patsy Wright and reporter, Janet

Wright. The other member is Shirley Peck.

Our first meeting was held at Scritsmier's mill at a picnic on Sunday June 8. We received our books and talked about the freezing and canning we are to do this year.

Reporter, Janet Wright

LEXINGTON 4-H GIRLS

A working meeting was held at the club house on the rodeo grounds in Heppner.

Those present were Joan Breeding, Beverly Nolan, Rita Graves, Phyllis Nolan and our leader Doris Graves.

The girls worked on their projects. Many of the girls have nearly finished their skirts and blouses and some are starting on their dresses.

The next meeting will be June 12.

Reporter, Phyllis Nolan

THE BREAKFAST CLUB

We selected the delegates for the camp. They are Virginia Gonty and Barbara Warren. Carol Elliot will be the alternate.

The next meeting will be June 11 at Joanne Keithley's house. We will fry breakfast meats. July 9

we will have a picnic lunch at the Warren ranch.

We made waffles and found our efforts very tasty.

Reporter, Barbara Warren

June has been and will continue to be a busy month for 4-H club members. To start the month out, six Morrow County club members exhibited seven fat steers, one sheep and one hog at the Oregon Wheat growers League Fat Show and Sale held at The Dalles on June 2, 3, and 4.

These club members did well by themselves when Duane Baker, Ione showed the Champion Short-horn steer, Bill Brannon, Ione, showed the blue ribbon Berkshire hog in a class of about fifteen, Mardine Baker, Ione, won second in sheep showmanship and Deane Graves, Heppner was second high individual livestock judge of one hundred twenty contestants. Deane was awarded a nice trophy by Kerr-Gifford of The Dalles. All exhibits placed fairly high in their classes. Deane Graves, Heppner, exhibited two Shorthorn steers, Duane Baker, Ione, two Shorthorn steers, Richard Ekstrom, Ione, two Hereford steers, Malcolm McKinney, Ione, one Here-

ford steer, Mardine Baker, Ione, one Southdown-Cross lamb, Bill Brannon, Ione, one Berkshire hog.

Prices at the sale were good with all livestock bringing at least support price. Lambs were supported six cents above market price, Market being 26 cents on the day of the sale. Hogs were supported at five cents above market, market being 23½ cents, steers four cents above market. Market on steers was 35½ cents for prime, 34½ for choice and 33½ for good. Buyers supporting the steers from Morrow County were: Morrow County Grain Growers, Lexington Oil Cooperative, Empire Machinery Company, Chipman Chemical Company, John Graves, Earl McKinney, Herman Blettel, Heppner Elks Lodge, Turner-Van Marter and Company, and E. Markham Baker.

Friday and Saturday of this week, the annual county-wide agricultural tour will be held. During the two days thirty-five farms, homes and club members will be visited to see the 4-H projects being cared for by these boys and girls. The tour will get underway at 8:00 a. m. Friday starting from the Dick Wightman ranch. The stop for lunch the first day will be at the Jerry Brosnan ranch. On Saturday morning the group will leave the Millard Nolan ranch at 8:00 a. m., making sixteen stops that day. Lunch stop will be at the E. M. Baker home. Everyone interested in 4-H Club work is invited to take part in the tour. Bring your lunch, drinks will be provided.

Next big 4-H event of the month is 4-H Summer School which will be held at Oregon State College, June 17-27. Club members leave Morrow County at 7:00 a. m. the 17th traveling with the Umatilla, Gilliam and Wheeler County delegation. There will be about 120 members in the delegation, which will go by bus furnished by Orin Felthouse of Hermiston. A large truck has been hired to haul the baggage. Morrow County will send twenty-one delegates with scholarships donated by local individuals, businesses and organizations. Mrs. Cecil Hamilton, of Boardman, will go as chaperone and N. C. Anderson, County Agent will help with Summer School classes at Oregon State College during the first week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell O'Donnell motored to Walla Walla Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gentry and children returned to their home in Omak, Washington Saturday afternoon for a two day visit here with her aunt, Mrs. Alice Gentry.

Mrs. Rose Marie Pierson came over from La Grande, Saturday, to spend the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pierson. Sunday, they motored to Hermiston to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierson and from there Miss Pierson returned to La Grande.



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NOTICE OF 1952-53 BUDGET MEETING

In accordance with the provisions of the "Local Budget Law" (Sections 110-1201 to 110-1215, O. C. L. A., as amended) notice is hereby given that the budget committee of Morrow County, Oregon, in compliance with said law, prepared and adopted on April 16, 1952, the budget estimates for Morrow County, Oregon, for the ensuing fiscal year July 1, 1952 to June 30, 1953, as set forth in the accompanying schedules. All persons are hereby notified that on Monday, the 30th day of June, 1952, at 10 A. M., in the County Judge's office at the Court House in Heppner, Oregon, said budget estimates may be discussed with the County Court, the levying board for said Morrow County, Oregon, and any person subject to the proposed tax levy or tax levies will be heard in favor of or against said tax levy or tax levies or any part thereof.

The outstanding indebtedness of Morrow County, Oregon, on May 1, 1952, consisted of \$35,000.00 in serial road bonds.

GARNET BARRATT (Chairman Budget Committee)

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KENNETH J. SMOUSE (Member Budget Committee)

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, RECEIPTS AND TAX LEVIES FISCAL YEAR 1952-53

1952-53 Tax Levy Calculation	Total All Funds	General Fund	General Schools	General Roads	Fair Fund	Rodent Fund	Dog Fund	Taylor Grazing Fund	Coyote Bounties	County Hospital Improvement Fund	County Hospital Maint'nance
Total Estimated Expenditures	\$352,842.00	\$105,062.00	\$ 13,680.00	\$200,000.00	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$ 600.00	\$1,000.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$12,000.00
Deduct—Est. Receipts other than 1952-53 taxes	251,655.00	39,555.00		200,000.00	9,000.00	500.00	1,000.00	600.00	1,000.00		
Total Tax Levy July 1, 1952 to June 30, 1953 all Inside 6% Limit	\$101,187.00	\$ 65,507.00	\$ 13,680.00		\$ 3,000.00	\$4,500.00				\$ 2,500.00	\$12,000.00

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, RECEIPTS AND TAX LEVIES FISCAL YEAR 1951-52

1951-52 Tax Levy Calculations	Total All Funds	General Fund	General Schools	General Roads	Bond Sinking Fund	Rodent Fund	Dog Fund	Taylor Grazing Fund	Coyote Bounties	County Hospital Fund	County Hospital Maint'nance
Total Estimated Expenditures	\$309,971.00	\$ 95,731.00	12,640.00	\$170,000.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$12,000.00
Deduct—Est. Receipts other than 1951-52 taxes	206,925.00	28,325.00		170,000.00		1,500.00	1,000.00	100.00	1,000.00	10,000.00	
Est. Tax Levy July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1952 Inside 6% Limit	95,546.00	67,406.00	\$12,640.00			3,500.00					12,000.00
Est. Tax Levy July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1952 Outside 6% Limit	7,500.00					7,500.00					
Total Levy July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1952 as Estimated	\$103,046.00										

EXPENDITURES

Actual for Fiscal Year July 1, 1949 to Jun. 30, 1950	Actual for Fiscal Year July 1, 1950 to Jun. 30, 1951	July 1, 1951 to Budget For Year	Estimated for Fiscal Year July 1, 1952, to June 30, 1953 Approved by Budget Committee
FUNDS AND CLASSIFICATIONS			
\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,600.00
2,400.00	2,400.00	2,700.00	3,000.00
380.29	540.73	600.00	600.00
120.91	282.13	500.00	600.00
1,074.45	1,721.27	1,500.00	1,500.00
3,600.00	3,600.00	4,200.00	4,200.00
2,100.00	2,280.00	2,580.00	2,880.00
599.15	618.72	600.00	700.00
58.40	113.85	150.00	150.00
3,600.00	3,600.00	4,200.00	4,200.00
2,229.16	2,072.67	2,250.00	2,250.00
675.00	780.00	900.00	900.00
111.78	111.78	125.00	125.00
699.00	168.00	500.00	500.00
695.00	480.00	655.00	630.00
5,590.00	5,800.00	6,800.00	6,800.00
43.13	74.00	200.00	200.00
426.95	401.30	500.00	500.00
701.95	723.23	1,000.00	1,000.00
125.00	125.00	125.00	125.00
150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00
168.30	471.00	600.00	600.00
304.24	519.78	450.00	550.00
213.50	218.21	250.00	300.00
2,350.00	2,700.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
41.88	40.88	100.00	100.00
191.69	188.91	200.00	150.00
15.00	15.00	50.00	75.00
571.15	734.22	700.00	800.00
250.00	275.00	250.00	275.00
00.00	100.00	4,000.00	7,500.00
00.00	00.00	25.00	25.00
2,400.00	2,700.00	3,000.00	3,300.00
300.00	412.85	250.00	550.00
378.52	422.66	400.00	580.00
1,089.05	1,111.24	1,000.00	1,000.00
	2,638.89	1,000.00	1,500.00
1,112.98	1,162.82	1,200.00	1,200.00
9,500.00	9,775.61	10,000.00	10,000.00
300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
2,880.00	2,880.00	3,900.00	3,900.00

EXPENDITURES

992.18	1,184.71	1,500.00	1,200.00
19.50	52.00	75.00	1,800.00
			100.00
3,600.00	3,600.00	4,200.00	4,200.00
3,742.94	3,825.00	5,000.00	5,300.00
472.85	542.01	500.00	750.00
1,683.79	1,973.47	1,800.00	2,000.00
150.00	125.00	175.00	150.00
2,400.00	2,400.00	1,500.00	3,000.00
208.43	173.44	300.00	300.00
1,680.00	1,540.50	1,478.00	1,089.00
222.75	330.00	645.00	696.00
3,825.00	4,500.00	409.00	442.00
5,520.00	6,000.00	2,129.00	1,950.00
455.57	188.50	1,000.00	9,420.00
4,660.57	4,450.00	5,000.00	1,000.00
103.75	138.00	100.00	5,000.00
360.00	378.00	1,000.00	600.00
			1,000.00
157,437.75	162,559.62	170,000.00	200,000.00
15,217.09	14,599.71	12,640.00	13,680.00
16,545.97	12,088.61	12,000.00	12,000.00

ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS

FUND AND CLASSIFICATION	General Fund	Alcohol Control Fund	Clerk's Office Fees	County Hospital on Light and Power	Interest	Jail Rent from City of Heppner	Justice Court Fines and Costs	Morrow County T. B. Association	Sheriff's Auto Sticker Sales	Sheriff's Fees and Mileage	State Board of Health	Weed Control	General Road Fund	Estimated Cash Balance	Forest Reserve Rentals	Gasoline Refunds	Justice Court Fines	Motor License Fund	Sales and Rentals	Contributions for Road Oiling Project	Special Road Levy by Vote of the People	Rodent Fund	Estimated Cash Balance	Coyote Bounties	Estimated Cash Balance	Dog Licenses	Taylor Grazing Fund	Fair Fund	Receipts from State of Oregon
44,757.47	46,726.47	16,000.00	25,000.00	3,000.00	500.00	75.00	2,000.00	1,200.00	300.00	300.00	3,000.00	00.00	16,000.00	500.00	2,200.00	1,800.00	1,000.00	30,000.00	8,000.00	14,000.00	127,000.00	500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	600.00	9,000.00			

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