

Mustang Practice Sessions Under Way

By Larry Mollahan

Fall practice sessions are well under way at Heppner as coach Jim Mallon and assistant coach Larry Downen sent a small turnout of 22 gridders through drills and wind sprints to ready them for a tough schedule ahead.

Of the 22 men, coach Mallon has 8 seniors to place in vital spots. As things look now Ralph Marlatt, a team co-captain, is back at guard showing the reason that this is his fourth lettering year for Heppner. Lyle Jensen, the other team co-captain is either going to hold down an end position or halfback, and either way he is going to carry the mail a lot this year. Dick Kononen 6' 1" end and Jerry Hagewood, quarterback are going to control the air this year for Heppner.

Larry Mollahan is going to hold down the center slot with Pete Slocum at tackle, John Brosnan another tackle and Jack Monagle a guard.

Skip Ruhl, halfback, and Ed Brosnan, tackle are the two returning junior lettermen this year. Ed Olson, Lance Tibbles, James and Mike Monahan and Vic Groshens are juniors who didn't letter last year but stand a very good chance of doing so this season. Steve Green broke his wrist on his first day out so it is doubted whether he will play any more this year.

Jerry Dougherty, the only sophomore who lettered is taking over the fullback position and is turning out a varsity perform-

ance. Another Connor boy is coming into the picture this year. Deane, a sophomore, is working hard at passing and is expected to see a lot of action in the quarterback slot this year. Dick Applegate another sophomore shows great promise at guard.

Five big frosh that stand a good chance of making letters. They are Tim Carr, Len Schwarz, Kay Corbin, Ron McCabe and Jim Morris.

The initial game is with Pilot Rock on the Mustangs home field, Sept. 16.

Local Trapshooters Top Winners at National Contest

Lawrence Jones and son, Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, Ione and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown of Heppner returned last week from a trip to Vandalia, Ohio, where they attended the Grand American trap shoot. Larry won first in the Dayton Home Coming contest and first in the junior play target championship of America. He set a world record of having the highest score won by any junior in the world, 192 points out of a possible 200. Lawrence Jones received first in the opening day handicap. Dale Brown is the Oregon state champion.

Mrs. Cyrene Barratt left Tuesday for her home in Corvallis after spending part of the summer here with her son and family. Mr. and Mrs. William Barratt,



BLUE RIBBON WINNER—This fair booth designed by the Ione Garden Club was given the top award for exhibits of its type. It was prepared as a dinner table, and showed the many and various uses of wheat in a home. (Lyons Studio Photo)

Soroptimist Float Top Parade Winner

The weatherman smiled and people by the hundreds turned out Saturday to watch one of the biggest and best parade floats in Heppner's history. It was conducted under the direction of Bill Smethurst, general chairman.

The grand sweepstakes prize of \$50 and an additional first place prize of \$25 went to the Heppner Soroptimist club for its float portraying the many youth activities sponsored by the organization.

The parade was led by Queen Grace Miller and her royal court and was followed by the courts from the Pendleton Round-Up, the John Day rodeo, Umatilla county fair and the Ukiah round-up. Big groups of riders from Morrow, Umatilla and Grant counties added hundreds of horses to the procession.

Two of the most interesting entries were the calliope brought over by the Main Street Cowboys from Pendleton and an old tractor and thresher entered by Sam Turner.

Other winners were: Awards won in the commercial floats, Humphreys Drug Co., first; Pacific Power and Light, second, and Rosewall Motors, third. The Heppner Campfire girls won first place in the junior float division.

Bands: Irigon school band, first; Heppner school band, second; riding clubs: Umatilla Sage riders, Hermiston, first; Morrow county Wranglers, second; oldest cowgirl: Mrs. Altha Kirk, Umatilla county; oldest cowboy: Louis Robinson, 73, Heppner; youngest cowboy: Merlyn Hughes, Heppner; youngest cowgirl: Marsha Jones, Heppner; best dressed cowboy: Ed Hughes, Heppner; best dressed cowgirl: Mrs. Crystal Ober, Stanfield; best matched pair: Rusty and Frances Orwick, Heppner; best family: Mr. and Mrs. Roice Fullerton and three children, Heppner.

MORE WINNERS DUE
Lack of time prevented the running of the complete list of fair award winners in this issue of the Gazette Times. Many are included in this week's paper, but the balance will appear next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells of Hermiston were visiting here on Saturday.

Many Pheasants Released in County

State game commission agent Glen Ward revealed today that the last of 1385 chinese pheasants will be released in the county next Friday. There are, however, to be a few more mature roosters released during the hunting season which opens at noon Oct. 23 and continues through Nov. 14.

Morrow county has also received 676 Chukars, released during recent months, but until this bird is well established there will be no open season on them, Ward said.

School Registration

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school for a total of 20 and a reduction of 3 in the grades for a total of 73. It is expected that another week will make up this loss.

Heppner high school also showed a drop of 13 students from last year, but school officials said that most of the missing students can be accounted for as still working in the late harvest. Up to Monday night 129 had registered which compares with a maximum of 142 last year.

Superintendent Reed said that it will probably be three weeks, or until registration is fairly complete, before permanent room assignments can be made, particularly in the grade school. At the present time 14 rooms are being used for the first 8 grades, including two churches.

First day registration in the Heppner schools showed the following attendance: 1st 58; 2nd 59; 3rd 33; 4th 43; 5th 37; 6th 50; 7th 26; 8th 35. In the high school: freshmen 27; sophomores 30; juniors 43; seniors 29.

PORTLAND MAN HERE FOR NEUBERGER CAMPAIGN

George Penketh of Portland, democratic candidate for the house of representatives from Multnomah county, was in Heppner last week in behalf of the candidacy of Richard Neuberger who will oppose Senator Guy Cordon in the fall general election. While here he and Mrs. Penketh visited with members of the Bergstrom families.

GRANGE MEETING DATE IN ERROR

The Rhea Creek Grange will meet next Friday, its usual day, rather than on Saturday, as was announced last week.

Ione Garden Club Flower Show to Be Held September 26

Flower lovers of this area are cordially invited to participate in the annual flower show "Fantasy In Gold" sponsored by the Ione Garden Club at the Ione Legion hall on Sunday, September 26 from 2 to 5 p. m.

Besides horticultural and arrangement exhibits, a special class has been arranged for the Juniors up to 12 years. The schedule provides for table settings, which is a new feature this year, and for a non-competitive exhibit of hobbies and antiques for those interested in this field.

A musical program, prizes and a silver tea are planned for the afternoon. The silver tea will help defray the expenses of the show and for maintenance of the city park which is the club's major project. A complete schedule of the show will be released soon.

Those planning the show are Mrs. William Rawlins, chairman; Mrs. Edith Nicholson, Mrs. Fredrick Martin, Mrs. Oscar Lundell, and Mrs. Sarah Monetta Aldrich. The chairmen chosen to head the various sub-committees are Mrs. Omar Rietmann, staging; Mrs. Lundell, program and entries; Mrs. Nicholson, classification; Mrs. Walter Dobyns, judge; Mrs. Leonard Carlson, hospitality; Mrs. Martin, publicity; Mrs. Carl Bergstrom, silver tea. Mrs. Rawlins is general chairman.

Evangelistic Meet To Start Sunday

The Rev. Arthur C. Phillips, pastor of Central Assembly of Salem, Oregon, will speak Sunday night, September 12th at the Assembly of God church, beginning a series of evangelistic services. It was announced Sunday.

Rev. Phillips conducted evangelistic meetings here two years ago this month, and returns by popular request.

Rev. Willis Geyer, local pastor, said there will be services every night except Mondays and Saturdays, beginning at 7:45 with an old fashioned sing time. He extends a welcome to the public.

WIGHTMANS MOVE TO CALIFORNIA

R. M. Wightman and Peggy, Marvin and Janet moved this week to Point Arena, California where he will teach agriculture in the school there. Jim Wightman will leave soon to enter Oregon State College.

Milk Cost Hearing Set For Pendleton

A public hearing to receive testimony and evidence as to the cost of production and distribution of fluid milk, resale prices, gallon jug, store and farm pricing, pooling regulations, summer exemptions, allocation of quotas, unfair trade practices in Zone No. 7 comprising Gilliam, Morrow, Umatilla and Wheeler counties will be held in Vert Memorial, Pendleton, at 1:30 p. m., on September 13, according to notices issued by the Oregon Milk Marketing Association.

Albin T. Nordquist will be in charge of the hearing which is one of a series being held by the Milk Marketing Administration to investigate cost and other factors affecting the production and distribution of milk in the bottle and can trade.

HOSPITAL NEWS

New Arrivals—To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtis, Condon, a 6 lb. 4 oz. boy born Sept. 6, named Alan Kent. To Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Simmons, Mayville, a 7 lb. 9 oz. boy born Sept. 7, named Henry Edwards.

Medical—G. J. Miller, Spokane, Miss Emma Anderson, Ione; Mrs. Rose Collins, Hardman; Mrs. Edna Bailey, Heppner; Bobbie Wood, Kinzua; Bernard Marshall, Heppner, dismissed; Larry Thompson, Hermiston; William S. Gates, Condon, dismissed; Mrs. Madeline McCormack, Kinzua, dismissed; Jack Landus, Boardman, dismissed; Oscar Deele, Jr., Boardman, dismissed; Gary Thor, Spokane, dismissed; Alexis Keeney, Condon, dismissed; Mardine Baker, Ione; Frank Van Bliet, Condon, Heppner.

Minor Surgery—Mrs. Margaret Tranle, Spray, dismissed; Mrs. Gladys Hadley, Fossil; Dorothea Meryman, Heppner, dismissed.

Major Surgery—Miss Nancy Adams, Heppner.

Out-Patients—Carlton Small, Heppner; Irvin Greener, Walla Walla; Mrs. Mildred Binse, Kinzua; Shirley Erwin, Heppner; Mrs. Kathryn Sayers, Heppner.

DIVORCES GRANTED

Circuit Judge William W. Wells granted two divorces Tuesday during the first fall term of court at Heppner. Verla Carr was granted a divorce from Raymond Carr and Audrey Ansted a divorce from Ronald Ansted.

Other settlements included a reduction of alimony paid by Delbert Bailey to Adelle Bailey. The case of Arnold Pieper versus Rufus Piper, a suit to partition property, was settled out of court.

HUCKLEBERRY PICKING IS GOOD

Good huckleberry picking in the Mt. Adams country has attracted several local residents during the past week.

Returning from a week's trip were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Becket, and others to go for one or two days were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner, Vivian Kane, Vera Hapgood and Beulah Florence.

LANES HAVE GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane had as their guests over the weekend Mrs. Thelma Cummings of Spokane and her fiancée Charles Blakie also of Spokane.

They were on their way to pick up her youngest son Doug, who has been visiting in Redmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bedford had as their guests over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Raymond V. Gilham and two children of Pendleton.

Mrs. Mary Carter returned to her home in Portland Monday after spending the Labor Day weekend with her daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Schaffitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beaver and family, Mr. Beaver's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Christenson all of Portland spent the weekend in Heppner attending the fair and rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Katesler and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Therkelson all of Portland, were Heppner visitors last week.

Miss Beth Hart of Plymouth, Iowa, younger sister of the late Mrs. Min Albert, visited here with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. D. Bauman.

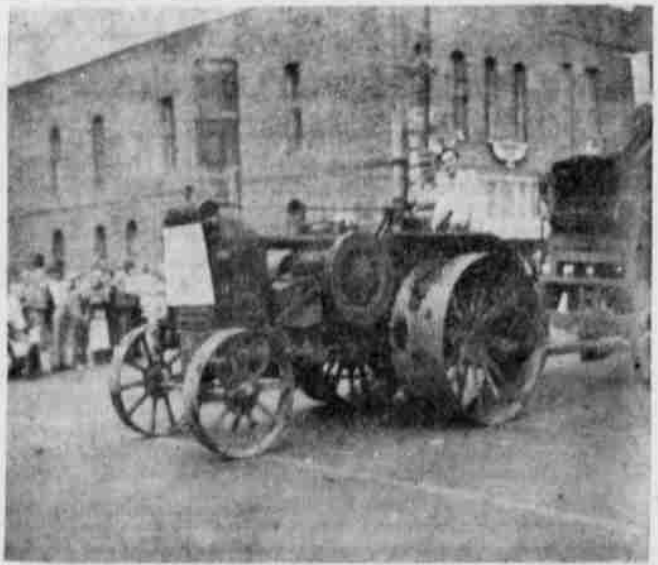
Mrs. C. W. Anhorn (Irene Beaumer) and children Jeffrey, Michael, James B. and Catherine of Central Point visited with her mother Mrs. Clara B. Gertson during the fair and rodeo. On Monday Mrs. Gertson and the family left to return to Southern Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adkins returned Monday from a four day visit with her brother Taylor Canoy in Tacoma. They also visited relatives in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rosewall were at Enterprise and Wallawa lake with the J. L. Rosewall family Monday.

Mickey Lanham and Gerald Bergstrom left last Thursday for Boloxi, Mississippi to attend the Delta Chi national convention. They will represent the Oregon State College chapter of the fraternity.

USE GAZETTE TIMES CLASSIFIED ADS



PARADE ATTRACTION was this old Rumley Oil-Pull tractor which is shown towing an old Case thresher, believed to be the second oldest in the county. The thresher was purchased in 1885 by R. W. Turner, W. G. McCarthy and J. H. Edwards and it and the tractor now belong to Sam Turner. The tractor is about 28 years old and still runs quite well. (GT Photo)

Bond Vote

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with the possibility that a third church may have to be pressed into use.

The withholding of state support money from the district also is plaguing the board and to get this \$50,000 released a start on a building plan is necessary. The state's strong interest in the overcrowded conditions in the local school is indicated by the fact that superintendent H. C. Reed this week received notice from Walter O. Shold, state elementary supervisor that he and county school superintendent Jack Flug would be here next Monday to investigate the school and check the conditions here. If the bond

issue passes, which will give the board the go-ahead on the building program, it has been indicated that the state will release the presently withheld money which is badly needed.

The board was unanimous in its decision to submit the present proposal to the people, and has expressed the hope that there will be a heavy turnout of voters at the special elections.

If the bond issue passes the district hopes to build a full 12 room building, but should the bid be higher than the funds available it can be cut to 10 rooms and a multipurpose room without altering the plans or the overall looks and utility of the plant.

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