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## From The County Agent's Office

By N. C. Anderson

Word has just been received from Oregon State college that the 1958 Farmer's Tax Guide will soon be available. This is the income tax booklet which has been so popular with farmers during the past two years. We have not had enough of a supply to go around in past years so if you are interested in this guide you had better get your order in now. We do not know how soon that we will have them but if we do not have a copy for you when you call at the office, we will be glad to mail you one when they arrive.

W. W. Weatherford, Heppner rancher was the first Morrow county cattle producer to register in order to qualify himself to vote in the referendum on

## TO THE EDITOR . . .

To the Editor:

I wish to express my appreciation to the Heppner Soil District for the beautiful Sheaffer pen set awarded me as a trophy, also for the Empire award by Jack Whiteman, Pendleton, of Empire Machinery Co., donors of the original and very unusual plaque—Adjudged Morrow County's Conservation Man of the Year 1957.

Burton Peck, Lexington

Editor:

Several Heppnerites have written to the E.O. applauding Bill (Dirtyshoes) Thompson's review of the recent civic music group's ballet presentation. While this is admittedly a matter of personal opinion, it reaches much further. It is a contribution to our juvenile delinquency problem! It is a strike at an effort to advance our cultural needs. This abuse of talents is hardly commendable.

Maybe Bill (Dirtyshoes) Thom-

son's review was comical, however if one pauses to think, there is a time and place for levity. And poking fun at talent isn't praiseworthy.

Is it any wonder Pendleton has five known juvenile groups. Such reviews of an effort to bring cultural opportunities to our community are what we are buying delinquency with. Finding it exhilarating is one personal contribution to the issue. How many juvenile groups has Heppner? There are other things Dirtyshoes' review can be applied to with far less harm than ridiculing talent and culture. Good music, ballet, fine paintings are not subjects to be held up to ridicule. That is talent and ability developed by years of work, and not seldom work against many adverse problems—often poverty! Yet perseverance and determination have carried into maturity and realization talents. How can any intelligent person laugh at those working to win recognition and achieve success?

We need these cultural advantages now as never before. Americans have recently been awakened to the fact we have been bypassed in scientific advancement. We now follow a leader. How long can we maintain cultural standards if we find exhilarating reviews abusing the efforts of those working hard to add their bit to keep alive culture? It is very easy to fall.

Yesterday we thought we led the world in science. Today the truth is known by everyone. We are not! Can we afford to let our cultural existence become second rate too?

Can we applaud those who ridicule talent by making fun of those working to bring to the masses opportunities to see and hear the arts? And yet think we are contributing something to maintain our positions among world nations culturally. Each small gain offered weighs heavily in our cultural progress. Each destroyed, measures itself accordingly.

How can we hope to give our children opportunities to hear and

see fine attractions if we abuse it so deliberately that we will be cancelled from circuits providing them. We cannot afford the world's greatest offerings, but we can provide its encouragement by showing our appreciation of what we can afford and instill understanding and desire in the minds of our children so they will want to attain the realization of enjoying the best the world affords.

And we do it by showing our appreciation and understanding that our children will come to sense its value and importance and appreciate its cultural benefits.

We are at the crossroads where our attitudes can make or destroy beauty in the eyes of our children. Are we to awaken again to find ourselves second raters culturally? Can we laugh at our ignorance? Can we laugh with those who will at us? Let's think!

Richard Markle,  
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Pendleton

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ST. WILLIAM'S CHURCH**  
Ione  
Masses: Sunday 9:00 a.m.

**ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH**  
Heppner  
Rev. P. J. Gaire Pastor  
Masses:  
Sundays, 7:30 and 10:30 a.m.  
Weekdays, 7:30 a.m.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Gale and Center Streets  
Charles V. Knox, minister  
Bible school, 9:45.  
Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Junior choir 4 p.m.  
Senior choir 7:15 p.m. Thursday.

**VALBY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Worship services 11:15 a.m. Decem-  
bers.  
Meeting the second and fourth  
Sundays.

Wednesday, Dec. 11, adult discus-  
sion group, 7 p.m. home of  
Robert Peterson.

**L.D.S. SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
American Legion Hall  
10 a.m. Sundays.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
Brent Border, Pastor  
Saturday Services:  
Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.  
Sermon, 11 a.m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday, at  
7:30 Bible Studies.

**HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Merlin W. Zier, Pastor  
Alfalpa Street  
Worship services, 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.  
Tuesday, Dec. 10, Adult discus-  
sion group, Ch. 10, "What the  
Bible says about Death and Eter-  
nity."

Thursday, Dec. 12, Women's  
missionary church decoration  
meeting, 2 p.m.  
Saturday, Dec. 14, 10 a.m. con-  
firmation classes in parsonage.

**LEXINGTON CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Rev. Norman Northrup, Pastor  
Sunday school 9:45 a.m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Tuesday 7:30  
p.m.

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## THIRTY YEARS AGO Boardman News

From the Files of the Gazette Times  
Dec. 8, 1927

Cast of the junior class play, which is scheduled for Tuesday, December 20, will include Harlan Devin, Dorothy Herren, Jack Casteel, Velton Owens, Paul Jones, Patricia Mahoney, Clarence Hayes, Clair Cox and Julia Harris.

Floyd Worden, who is now located on the Alfred Anderson place on Eight Mile, was a visitor here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mason and Mrs. E. J. Bristow were lone people visiting Heppner on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Baurenfiend and Mrs. Ista Baurenfiend of Morgan were the dinner guests of Mrs. W. G. Farrens of Ione Thursday.

Sam Hughes and Hanson Hughes departed Wednesday evening for Portland where they will purchase for immediate delivery their stock of groceries, which will be opened up in the new room being prepared for the Hughes store in the I.O.O.F. building.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Ione  
Rev. Bill Cillier, Pastor  
Sunday school 10 a.m.  
Morning worship 11 a.m.  
Young People's Fellowship at 6 p.m.  
Evening service, 7 p.m.  
Prayer meeting, Thursday, at 7:30 p.m.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Gale and Willow  
Willis W. Geyer, Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Evening service 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Young People, 7:45 p.m.  
Thursday Bible Hour 7:45 p.m.

### HEPPNER METHODIST CHURCH

8 Church Street  
Lester D. Boulden, Minister  
Church school 9:45 a.m.  
Morning worship, 11 a.m.  
Methodist Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p.m.  
Choir Practice Thursday 7:30 p.m.

### IONE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Charles Wilkes, Pastor  
Sunday school at 10 a.m.  
Morning worship 11 a.m.  
Young People's meeting at 6:00 p.m.  
Evening worship at 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer meeting at 8:00 p.m. on Thursday evening.

### IONE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Floyd S. Bailey, pastor  
Church school 10 a.m.  
Worship service 11 a.m.  
Junior Pilgrim Fellowship meeting at 6 p.m.  
Senior Pilgrim Fellowship meeting at 7 p.m.  
Choir practice at 8 o'clock on Monday.

Marantha club meeting at the home of Mrs. E. M. Baker, Dec. 11. An all day meeting.

### ALL SAINT'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Holy Communion, 7:30 a.m.  
Family Eucharist 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesdays 10 a.m. and 8 p.m.  
Holy Communion.

USE GAZETTE TIMES CLASSIFIED ADS

Roy Rordell.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown spent the week in Baker visiting at the home of their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Macomber of Arlington spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Macomber's sister, Mrs. Florence Root. They were also dinner guests of Mrs. Root

Sunday, other guests being Mrs. Root's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Root and children Curtis, Maurice and Jane of Wasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Oveson and children Evelyn, Carolyn, Janet, Gregg and Jeff of Wallowa were holiday visitors at the home of Oveson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Black.



# Thank You!

HEPPNER

## B. P. O. Elks No. 358

Wish to thank the people of this area for their contributions to their hide program and all those who helped in making it a success.

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