

Heppner Christmas Seal Sale Returns Coming in Slowly

Less than half of the people on the Heppner mailing list for Christmas seals have sent in their 1959 donations, reports Mrs L E Dick, Jr, which accounts for the slight lag in Heppner's contribution this season compared to past years.

Mrs Garry Tullis, Ione chairman, reports that most of Ione donors have returned their contributions; Ione has exceeded last year's total by nearly \$60.00.

Lexington and Ione returns are about the same as in past years, while Boardman contributions are considerably below previous totals.

All chairmen will appreciate receiving contributions so they may close their books. Mrs Elsie Cole is Lexington chairman, and Mrs Ruth Coy is responsible for both Irrigon and Boardman drives, with her typing students doing the work under her supervision.

Morrow county residents are reminded by the Christmas Seal drive that free chest X-rays are available the first Wednesday of each month at Pioneer Memorial hospital, from 7:00 to 8:30 p m. Over 40 such X-rays were taken in November. Not only does Christmas seal money pay for the equipment used for the X-rays, but also for large X-ray retakes and checking old cases. Each year children in all schools in the county in grades 1, 7, and 12 are given free tuberculosis tests. Every patient admitted to the hospital is also entitled to one free chest X-ray each year while a patient at the hospital.

Mrs Velma Glass reports that the Hehlisch is participating in the nationwide TB and Health Association school press project, which offers prizes to school newspapers publicizing the many activities of the association.

The public is cordially invited to attend this demonstration. Watch next week's paper for further details.

FORMER AREA WOMAN DIES DECEMBER 15

Word has been received of the death on December 15 at The Dalles of Mrs Minerva Smith Scholl, a resident of Echo for many years, and a sister-in-law of Mrs Letha Archer of Heppner. Services were held there Dec 19.

Mr Scholl was born Aug 10, 1873 near Albany and moved to Echo at an early age. Her father was William J Smith.

She is survived by her husband Louis, The Dalles; two daughters, three sisters and one brother. Five brother preceeded her in death.

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Meat Demonstration Slated During Livestock Meeting

The Morrow county Cowbelles, in cooperation with the county extension office, will sponsor a public demonstration on meats and meat cookery as a part of the Morrow County Livestock growers annual meeting on Friday, January 15, at the Heppner fair pavilion, beginning at 1:30 P M.

On hand to demonstrate the selecting, cooking, freezing, and carving of meat will be John Landers, OSC extension animal husbandry specialist, assisted by Esther Kirms, Morrow county extension agent.

Mr Landers, born and raised on a farm in Missouri, received his bachelor and master degrees at the University of Missouri. He has been associated with Oregon State college since 1950.

In the past three years Mr Landers has conducted meat information sessions in 32 counties.

Members of the Heppner Elks lodge will have one of their busiest months for activities during January, it was revealed this week.

Among the many functions in which members may take part are the bridge tournament which starts Monday night, Jan 11; and the pinocle tournament starting Tuesday, Jan 12. The sixth annual old-timers night will be held Thursday, Jan 21 when all members who have been Elks for 30 years or more will be honored; and a crab feed and dance is slated for Saturday, Jan 23.

Elks Set Many January Activities

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Mental Health Study By Extension Units Due In January

Do you have the feeling of being trapped? Do you feel inadequate, suffer the tortures of self-doubt?

"Answers to the above show the effect of tensions in our life which can easily destroy our good mental health," states Esther Kirms, Morrow county extension agent.

Believing that most people ought to understand that they can safeguard their mental health, the Morrow county extension units are devoting the month of January to the study of "Family Life and Mental Health."

Mrs Velma Glass, Morrow county health nurse, will be speaking to all the units and the Heppner Mother's Club during the month of January on "What every child needs" and "How to deal with your tensions."

Mrs Glass, a native of Danville, Illinois, took her nurse's training at St Elizabeth's hospital in Danville and later became director of nurses for the "visiting nurse service" at the same hospital.

She secured her public health nurse training from the University of Michigan; and additional schooling in child psychology and hearing and speech problems at the University of Illinois; and abnormal psychology at Indiana University.

Besides her positions as director of nurses and public health nurse, this county health nurse has done work with tuberculosis patients and psychiatric patients in the Veterans hospital at Danville, Illinois.

Before coming to Morrow county as public health nurse in 1953, Mrs Glass worked for the U S Indian Service at Window Rock, Arizona—a Navajo Indian reservation.

Miss Kirms urges that all interested people attend the meeting on mental health in their community. The following are the meeting dates:

Jan 12, 1960—Heppner unit at Martha Lane's apartment.

Jan 13, 1960—Pine City unit at Pine City school.

Jan 14, 1960—Irrigon unit at the home of Cecil Johnson.

Jan 19, 1960—Boardman unit at Mrs Irene Diets

Jan 21, 1960—Lena unit at the Dallas Craber home.

New Officers Preside At Rhea Creek Grange

New officers presided at the first regular meeting of the new year at the Rhea Creek Grange Sunday.

The new officers are Walter Wright, master; Harold Wright, secretary; Elmer Palmer, treasurer; Adrain Bechtold, overseer; Mrs Harold Wright, lecturer; Mrs Barton Clark, chaplain; William Rill, steward; Barton Clark, assistant steward; Leonard Rill, gatekeeper; Mrs Al Lovgren, lady assistant steward; Mrs Elmer Palmer, Ceres; Mrs L L Robbins, Pomona; Mrs John Graves, Flora.

New officers for the HEC include Mrs Ben Anderson, chairman; Miss Marilyn Bergstrom, vice chairman; Mrs Elmer Palmer, secretary; Mrs Al Lovgren, treasurer.

One of the first projects of the year will be a public card party to be held at the hall Saturday evening, Jan 23.

Justice and Municipal Court

Glen R Eatch, violation of basic rule, \$10 fine.

Overtime parking, fined \$1.00 each; Gene Cutsforth, John F Kenny, Carol Glenger, Ira Zimmerman, Dick Wilkinson, Ernie Winchester, Ralph Jackson, Bert Williams, Arnold Springer, Wayne Jones, Columbia Mattress Co, Oren E Austin, R Klingner.

HOSPITAL NEWS

New Arrivals—To Mr and Mrs George Eldon Tucker, Ione, a 7 lb 12 oz girl born Jan 5, named Tammie Louise. To Mr and Mrs Hank Rauch, Echo, a 9 lb 2 1/4 oz boy born Jan 4, named William Franklin. To Mr and Mrs Louis Carlson, Ione, a 7 lb 14 oz boy born Jan 3, named Clinton Robert.

Patients—Denward Bergevin, Ione, dismissed; Douglas Drake, Heppner; Vonda Hagerty, Condon, dismissed; Alta Edger, Heppner, dismissed; Carl Bergstrom, Heppner, dismissed; Glen Gilchrist, Ione; Ronald Willard, Heppner, dismissed; Timothy Cassitt, Heppner, dismissed; Lucille Wizer, Cecil; Ivan Strese, Fossil, dismissed; Floyd Wiles, Ione; Betty Snow, Spray, dismissed; Helen Roark, Fossil; Harlan Schroeder, Kinzua; James Ployhar, Heppner; Nancy Cleveland, Heppner, dismissed; Mary Healy, Boardman; Cleo Marlin, Condon.

MOTHER DIES

Mr and Mrs Merrit Gray returned home December 31 from Lebanon where they were called on Dec 23 by the serious illness and death of her mother, Mrs Orrin Hassler.

SUMNERS HAVE BOY

Word has been received of the birth of a baby boy, Shane Patrick Sumner, weighing 8 pounds 9 ounces, born December 29 in Ellensburg, Wash. The parents are Mr and Mrs Jim Sumner. The grandparents are Mr and Mrs Paul Hisler and Mr and Mrs J C Sumner.

TO ORGANIZE CHOIR

A choir is to be organized Thursday at Hope Lutheran church, it was announced today. Mrs Delbert Schel, new owner of the Heppner Hotel has volunteered to direct the group.

Holiday guests at the Robert Van Houte home were Mr and Mrs James Bryant and family of Pilot Rock, Mr and Mrs Guy Van Houte and family of St Helens, Mr and Mrs James Engum and family of Stanfield and Mr and Mrs Lawrence Smith of Portland.

John J Wightman is in California to visit his son and family Mr and Mrs M R Wightman after spending a few days in Eugene with his granddaughter and her husband, Mr and Mrs Bernard Damon.

Mr and Mrs John Williams and son Mike of Pendleton were overnight guests at the Paul Koenig home New Year's eve.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Beckett and children and Mr and Mrs Walter Beckett drove to Red Bluff Sunday of last week for several days visit at the home of Mrs Beckett's sister and her husband, Mr and Mrs Ed Glaesmer.

Mr and Mrs Ben Anderson and Mrs Frank Anderson and sons were in Portland two days for New Years.

Dr and Mrs C M Wagner and three children returned Thursday from a holiday vacation and family reunion at Truckee, Calif.

Mr and Mrs Harry Bongers were in Portland visiting friends for the New Years. Miss Carla Rulkens accompanied them as far as The Dalles where she resumed her schooling.

Wednesday evening Father Claire Hayes of Yakima was an overnight guest at the home of the Paul Koenigs.

Mike Williams of Pendleton was an overnight guest Monday at the home of LeRoy Gardner Jr.

New Year's day Mr and Mrs Gordon Findley of Portland and Mrs John Koenig of Salem visited at the home of Mr and Mrs Paul Koenig. Mrs Koenig remained for a few days visit at the home of her son, Mrs Findley is Mr Koenig's sister.

Mr and Mrs Bill Glennie and children of Pendleton were overnight guests New Year's eve at the home of Mr and Mrs Bill Scrivner.

Local News In Brief

Mr and Mrs Nels Anderson drove to Hillsboro accompanied by Mrs Anderson's mother, Mrs Yackley who lives there and has been visiting the Andersons during the holidays. Carol Anne Anderson also accompanied them and returned to school at OSC.

Mr and Mrs Paul Hialer returned Saturday from a holiday trip to Portland where they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Tom Bristow and to Ellensburg, Wash where they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Jim Sumner. Their granddaughter Angela Sumner returned home with them for a visit.

Guests at the J C Sumner home and the home of Mrs Ilene Wyman were Mr and Mrs Robert Cato and three children Pat, Perry and Steve from Hoopa, California who were here for three days.

Mr and Mrs Jimmy Prock and four children and Mr and Mrs Edgar Albert returned Thursday after a four day visit at the home of Mr and Mrs Albert's daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Dick Feller in Salem.

Karen Valentine left Saturday evening with her parents, Mr and Mrs Jim Valentine for Santa Rosa, California where she will resume her studies at the Junior College there. Mr and Mrs Valentine will return the end of the week.

Mr and Mrs Roy Ayers and family were in Portland and Salem over the weekend.

Michael Bengo left for Corvallis Saturday where he will enroll for classes at Oregon State College.

Mrs Jim Thomson, Meredith, Bernice and Bruce were in Tigard over New Year's eve to attend a wedding of Meredith's college classmate, Sherri Kadel to Gordon Kelly. Meredith was an attendant at the wedding.

Mr and Mrs Dick Kerr returned Sunday after a visit with friends in Portland over the New Years.

Mr and Mrs P W Mahoney and Shannon returned Monday from Los Angeles where they attended the Rose Bowl game. They were accompanied by their son Bob who went on to Pacific University at Forest Grove.

Tom Walters of California, a student at Oregon State College, was a guest over the New Year's weekend at the home of Mr and Mrs James Thomson. On Sunday Walters and Meredith Thomson returned to Corvallis where they are both students.

Mr and Mrs Lowell Gribble returned Tuesday from Portland. They took their son Douglas to Salem where he attends Willamette University and remained for a visit.

Mr and Mrs Albert Lindstrom and Mrs Anne Smouse visited last Wednesday at the Alfred Troedson home.

Mr and Mrs Hillard Brown visited in John Day during the holidays.

Testing Begins At New Oregon Swine Station

Twelve Oregon swine breeders have placed a total of 64 purebred pigs on test at the new Oregon swine testing station near Hermiston.

Testing for feed efficiency, growth rate and meatiness of carcass will be finished about April 1, reports Dr David England, Oregon State College animal husbandman, who is in charge of the industry-sponsored station.

Breeders who have pigs on test, and the breeds, include: Kenneth J Smouse and Kenneth L Smouse, Ione, Yorkshire and Palouse; William E Crawford, Glade, Hampshire, John Barrett, Amity, Berkshire; Walter Schaad, Newberg, Chester White; Orval Crimmin McMinnville, Poland China; Vernon Heckman, Carlton, Chester White; Gordon Dromgoole, Yamhill, Tamworth; Earl Simantel, Cornelius, Poland China and Yorkshire; Philip Gentemann, Estacada, Palouse; Oscar McCarty, Echo, Landrace; and OSC, Corvallis, Berkshire.

Whether a public sale will be held at the end of the test period will be decided Jan 8 at a meeting of swine producers and other interested persons. N C Anderson, county agent and Kenneth Smouse Ione, will attend. Those attending the meeting at OSC also will set dates for spring and fall test periods, and review regulations governing entry of pigs and operational procedure according to Dean Frischknecht, OSC extension animal husbandry specialist.

England reports considerable interest already in the spring testing period. The date when applications from spring testing can be submitted will be set at the Jan 8 meeting.

The station has a capacity of 30 pens of four pigs each. Each entry must consist of at least two boars and one market hog.

Mr and Mrs Norman Griffin of Beaverton drove up to spend New Years and visit friends and relatives here. They returned home Sunday and Mrs Forrest Burkenbine and two children accompanied them to visit relatives in Portland.

Paul Tewa and Billy and Miss Anderson of Hermiston and Mr and Mrs Alfred Troedson spent New Year's day with Mrs Anne Smouse.

Dr A D McMurdo returned early this week from California where he attended the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena and the East-West Shrine game in San Francisco.

New Year's dinner guests at the Jessie Griffin home were, Mr and Mrs Norman Griffin and family of Beaverton; Mr and Mrs Herb Case and family, Mr and Mrs Stanley Cox and family, Mr and Mrs Forrest Burkenbine and family and Mike Gray, all of Heppner.

The producer must pay an entry fee of \$10 per pig, which is applied to the cost of feed and labor for testing.

Swine testing facilities were provided by the Oregon Wheat Commission. Tom Davidson, superintendent of the Umatilla branch experiment station is local supervisor, and the OSC extension service and department of dairy and animal husbandry are responsible for testing procedures, analysis and use of data.

Boardman News

W W Hartle returned home Sunday evening from a weeks visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs Lyle Smith, in Weiser, Idaho.

Mr and Mrs Wilbur Gibbs of Pasco, Wash were Christmas visitors at the home of Mrs Gibbs' parents, Mr and Mrs Paul Partlow.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Tannehill spent the past week in Eugene visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Lyle Tannehill, and in Hillsboro visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Keith Tannehill.

Mrs Charles McKenzie and Lois are in Portland visiting her mother, Mrs Jack McKenzie.

Mr and Mrs Nathan Thorpe and children Jim, Sandra and Teresa, and Robert Obermeier spent the weekend in St Helens visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs Bill Thorpe. Robert remained there for the week.

Mr and Mrs Earl Downey were Christmas visitors at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Don Downey.

Mrs Gracia Stewart and son Randy spent the weekend visiting at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Oscar Veelle, in Estacada. Mrs Veelle accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Mr and Mrs Harold Marlow of La Grande were weekend visitors at the home of Marlow's parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Marlow.

Don McKenzie of Hermiston is visiting this week at the home of his brother, Charles McKenzie.

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