

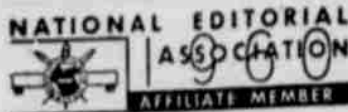
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Other Editors Think—

NONE OF IT IS WASTE LAND

Efforts of the Morrow county court to get back from the federal government lands that are within the Boardman bombing range have been frustrating. But they must be pursued.

The court has been fighting the battle with little help. In recent days it has had an offer of substantial help. Gov Mark Hatfield has asked members of the Oregon congressional delegation to make a concerted effort to get the federal government to relinquish the bombing range acreage. The governor, in making his request, pointed out the importance of the land, because of its location near the Columbia River, as a site for industry.

This offer of aid from the governor and enlistment of the forces of our U S senators and representatives should be a signal for the Morrow county court to take a cinch in its belt and come out swinging again.

The governor is absolutely right in placing a high value on the bombing range acreage as a site for industry. It offers much to industry now and it will have a higher value when John Day dam is completed. And it has a further value which the Morrow county court has emphasized. There is much of it that could be highly productive farm land. Soils tests have shown that much of it needs only water to grow almost anything.

When the area was set aside for a bombing range that was justification for considering it waste land. But the picture has changed. With the passing of every day the importance of the Columbia River in the economy of the state of Oregon becomes more apparent. Any acreage that adjoins the big river is too valuable to be used for a bombing range. None of it any longer can be considered waste land.

—East Oregonian

From The County Agent's Office

By N C ANDERSON

Livestock men are urged to attend the annual meeting of the Morrow County Livestock Growers Association which will be held this Friday and Saturday. On Friday there will be an opportunity to trade or buy bulls during the morning and early afternoon. This event started three years ago as a service to our livestock growers in keeping proven herd sires producing, has been a popular annual event since.

The women will want to attend the meats and meat cookery demonstration that afternoon. Committee sessions will develop recommendations for consideration at the Saturday program. A number of interesting speakers will appear on the program during that day with a lot of fun scheduled for the banquet in the evening. Everyone is invited to attend even though they may not be a member of the association. Further details can be found in an advertisement story elsewhere in this paper.

Several years ago while carrying out a five year research program in the use of fertilizers on dry land wheat, one of the parts of this program was securing a monthly rainfall record from co-operators in the various communities. To secure this record official rain gauges were made available to these operators in order that we could have an accurate record. Unfortunately at the end of the research project rain gauges were picked up and records discontinued. A number of the co-operators purchased rain gauges of the same type and continued keeping rainfall records. One of the co-operators who has been faithful in keeping us informed monthly of rainfall at his farm is Don Heliker, Ione. We were interested in a 11 year record which he mailed to the office. The record starting in 1949 shows a rainfall of 6.51 inches for that year; continuing, 1950—14.63; 1951—9.70; 1952—7.17; 1953—12.41; 1954—12.09; 1955—11.81; 1956—8.34; 1957—12.61; 1958—10.54; and 1959—6.79. Rainfall records are valuable for many reasons and uses. Hardly a week goes by but what we have some use for them. While it has been a few years since we have had a complete set of rain records from each community, we would like to resume such monthly records if there

were volunteer co-operators who would again send them to us. A lot of farmers followed our rainfall record board in the office and some came each month just to see and compare rainfall figures. We would be glad to provide simple forms or cards for sending the record in for those who might be interested.

Calvin Crandall, agricultural agent for the Union Pacific Railroad has sent word that the Agricultural Improvement Car will be presenting a dairy program this year. The car will be in Hermiston, parked near the depot, Thursday and Friday, January 21 and 22.

The program will get under way at 10:00 Thursday morning with the D H I A annual meeting. At 1 P M the general dairy program is scheduled. This should be excellent. At 7:30 that evening is the 4-H program. The vocational agriculture program will start at 9:00 Friday morning.

Union Pacific Railroad and Oregon State College are cooperating in presenting this year's program. Harold Ewalt and Don Anderson, OSC extension dairy specialists will be discussing such topics as: "Cost records from 10 Dairy farms", "Mastitis Control and Prevention", "Marketing records work for you," and other timely subjects. Oscar Hagg, OSC dairy marketing specialist will be talking about "Marketing", "Agri-Business", and "Dairy Futures". Two new Union Pacific films "Raising Dairy Calves" and "New Horizons Along the Milky Way" will be shown by Cal Crandall. Anyone interested can pick up a complete program now available from this office.

Notice of Candidacy

I hereby announce my candidacy to succeed myself for the office of Sheriff of Morrow County subject to the will of the Republican voters of Morrow County at the Primary election, May 20, 1960.

C. J. D. Bauman
(Pd. Adv.)

Chats With Your Home Agent

By ESTHER KIRMIS

I'm one of these persons too, that has shied away from the "lowly lamb". It was never quite as available as beef and pork and I always felt it wasn't as tasty.

But a woman can change her mind—and here's proof.

In working on my part of this Friday's meat demonstration, "Boning-up on Meat" I have experimented with lamb and have found it tasty and easy to prepare.

Lamb is available in our larger markets the year around, and would be available in our county markets if there was sufficient demand.

Here are some things that every cook should know about lamb:

Lamb gives variety to a home-maker's meals.

Lamb may be served hot or cold, but never lukewarm.

A leg of lamb will cook more quickly and keep its shape better if the fell, that thin paper-like covering, is not removed before cooking.

Lamb chops are at their best when cooked just short of well done, so that they are slightly pink throughout. Lamb roasts, too, are a treat when medium done.

Allow 10 to 15 minutes longer per pound for roasting boned cuts than those with the bones in.

Sour cream gives a zestful flavor to lamb gravy.

A clove of garlic tucked into the joint of a leg of lamb adds a delightfully different flavor. This should be removed before serving.

Mint leaves make an attractive garnish and a pleasant flavor accompaniment for lamb. They may be chopped and added to the stuffing.

Lamb makes a tasty stew because its flavor blends well with all vegetables.

Lamb and new peas are considered a perfect combination, but try serving lamb with green beans, spinach, cauliflower, brussels sprouts or broccoli.

Fruits such as pears, pineapple



and peaches are a treat when browned in the pan with roast lamb.

You'll have a chance to taste a roast shoulder of lamb at the meat demonstration at the Heppner fair pavilion on Friday, January 15, why not come out?

If you can't make it we have some bulletins on lamb, beef, and more meals from meat. If you'd like one give us a ring.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

From the files of the Gazette Times
January 9, 1930

Alva Jones was elected vice commander of Heppner post no 87 to succeed J M Burgess, at the regular meeting of the post held Monday evening at the Legion hall.

Mrs N M Kirk and children were in town from their home in Clarks Canyon for a short time on Saturday.

Damage to an extent of \$50 resulted when the tent and

framework housing the restaurant known as "Margie's Eat Shop" and owned by Miss Marjorie Bailey, caught fire from a gasoline cooking stove at 11:25 New Year's morning.

Within a few days drilling operations will start on a well at the forks of Willow creek, 12 miles from Heppner, to provide this city with a better and more ample supply of water.

Visiting with friends here over the weekend were Edwin, Anita and Arthur Hughes of Umapine, Miss Dorothy Kelly of Freewater, Merle Hufford and Marion Cochburn.

Mrs Harvey Harshman and family were visiting friends and relatives in Hardman Sunday.

North Morrow Soils Workshop Attracts 22

The opening meeting of the North Morrow soils workshop, January 6 at Boardman and attended by 22 Boardman and Irrigation farmers according to Joe

Hay, county extension agent.

The meeting got underway at 1:00 P M with a film on soil judging from the Oregon State College soils department. The film was followed by a discussion on soil texture, tilth, and structure by Howard Cushman, extension soils specialist at Oregon State College.

After a coffee break the group again met for a discussion on land capabilities and soil differences. The meeting concluded with time for question from the farmers.

Irrigation and drainage will be the topic covered at the second meeting of the four meeting workshop. The workshop is being held each Friday afternoon in January from 1 to 3 P M at the Boardman Grange hall. All

North Morrow county farmers are invited to attend this workshop.

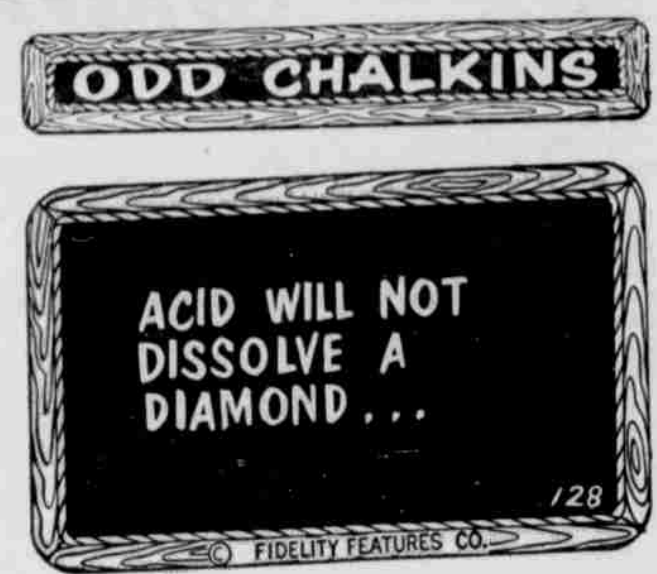
Mr and Mrs C A Ruggles left Wednesday for Eugene where they will attend a three-day insurance school. They plan to return Sunday.

James J Farley drove to Walla Walla for a business meeting Monday afternoon.

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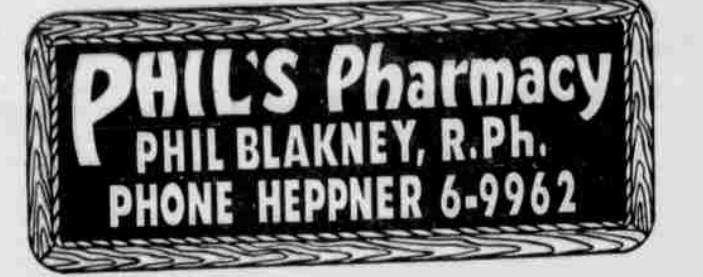
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Sadie Parrish
(Pd. Adv.)



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