

### Earl Blake Named To Head Organization "Ham" Emergency

Earl J. Blake, K7CJC, R F D 2, Heppner, has been selected to set up an organization of Morrow county amateur radio operators prepared to furnish organized emergency communications in time of disaster, it was announced today by communications manager F E Handy of the American Radio Relay League, national association of radio amateurs.

Mr. Blake's assignment, which carries the title of emergency coordinator, is to band together members of the amateur radio service in his community to perfect arrangements for emergency radio communications by hams in the event of natural disasters or other emergencies. In addition to use of normal station equipment working from commercial power, amateur stations use self-powered radio transmitting and receiving equipment as needed.

Mr. Blake as ARRL emergency coordinator, will call local meetings of amateurs, establish common operating procedures, and arrange regular drill periods when the hams' personal stations may be mobilized under simulated emergency conditions. His duties also include liaison planning with the local chapter of the American Red Cross and other relief agencies, as suggested in the working understanding the ARRL Emergency Corps has with the national headquarters of the American Red Cross and other agencies. Liaison will be established also with local protective services, such as fire and police departments and civil defense communications will receive much attention.

In announcing the appointment, Handy pointed out that radio amateurs have traditionally had the responsibility of being in constant readiness to offer assistance in time of need with ham-acquired skill, emergency-powered transmitters and a wealth of community spirit. "When sleet storms disrupt telephone and telegraph service, or floods isolate whole communities," the League's communications manager said, "it is amateur radio that comes to the rescue with operators and self-powered equipment, often as the sole agency able to transmit messages calling on the outside world for aid for the stricken community."

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### CAMPAIGN KICKOFF

Two fund-raising political banquets and the dated announcement of the filing of the name of Wayne L. Morse, to appear on the Democratic primary ticket for president, spotlight the week of Jan 25-30 as the highly focused kickoff of the 1960-61 political campaign.

### BOARDMAN ITEMS

Mr and Mrs Charlie Woolley and daughter Marcia of Pasco, Wash were weekend visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Elvin Ely.

Mr and Mrs Sid Ferguson and family have moved their trailer house here from Naches, Wash, and will spend several weeks here.

Mrs Glen Carpenter was hostess for the meeting of the Boardman Garden Club Monday night at her home. Mrs Royal Rands was co-hostess. There were 11 members present. Roll call was answered by giving New Year's resolutions.

The club recommended Mrs E M Hodges of Hermiston as director of the Blue Mountain District of Garden Clubs.

Plans were made for the annual family dinner to be at the grange hall, Feb 21. The planning committee is Mrs Claud Coats, Mrs Florence Root, Mrs Earl Briggs and Mrs Louise Earwood. Decorating committee is Mrs Rollin Bishop, Mrs Leo Potts and Mrs Carpenter.

The club donated to the March of Dimes.

Mrs Coats won the door prize. Mr and Mrs Russell Miller entertained Mr and Mrs Clyde Tannehill at dinner Sunday on the occasion of their 45th wedding anniversary. Other guests were Mr and Mrs Arthur Allen.

Myron Watts is seriously ill in the Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston following a heart attack suffered at his home Saturday morning.

ness locally," Handy continued, "but hams outside the disaster area must be prepared to act as outlets and relay points for emergency traffic. Planning and organization are necessary in either eventuality and that is the job Mr Blake is doing for this area."

E G Neal is adamant in his position in placing the senator's name before the party although he repeats that he has had no encouragement from Morse. The date the volunteer booster has set for filing is Monday, Jan 25.

The next stellar political event of the busy political week is the \$100-a-plate Republican dinner at the Multnomah Hotel, Portland, Jan 27. It is one of 70 in 49 cities to be linked via closed circuit television to hear the remarks of President Eisenhower, Vice President Nixon, National Chairman Thruston Morton and other prominent Republicans.

The president will speak at a Los Angeles dinner; Morton in New York; Nixon in Chicago and New York Governor Nelson Rockefeller at Washington.

Paul Butler of Washington D.C, national chairman of the Democratic party, will deliver the major address at a three-day Democratic platform building assembly Jan 28, 29 and 30, at the Marlon Hotel in Salem. He will speak at a \$10.00-a-plate fund-raising dinner Saturday night. Registrations, committee meetings, platform building and keynote speeches will fill the program Thursday and Friday.

### DUNES CHANGES ASKED

Legislation to establish a national seashore area in the dunes district on the Oregon coast near Florence recently sponsored by Sen Richard L Neuberger (D-Ore) has been criticized by the Governor's Natural Resources Committee (mostly R-Ore).

Recommended changes are:

1. That the boundaries be limited by law, with changes to be made only after consent of the Oregon Legislature and the Governor.
2. That federal and state lands inside the park be acquired only after consent of agencies involved.
3. Allow only beneficial use of water inside the park as defined by the Oregon Water Resources Board.
4. Call it "Oregon National Seashore Recreational Area."
5. Require the consent of the state fishing and hunting regulations for the park.
6. Permit no exchange of lands inside the park for those outside the park.

Gov Mark Hatfield said "The need for such a park is not clearly established in the minds of this committee."

He added, "that the proposed changes are not our final say in the matter but are a minimum of what we desire. It is a statement of our position at this time."

### CAPITOL ECHOES

At the regular weekly meeting of the State Board of control last week, Gov Hatfield was among friends. He had appointed the other two members, Secretary of State Howell Appling Jr, and State Treasurer Howard C Belton.

No one ever thinks of anything but harmony, particularly party harmony, as all are Republicans. Over the years it has been that way most of the time—three Republicans, little opposition to "Mr Chairman," the governor.

### NEUBERGER OPPOSITION

"There definitely will be a spirited contest in the Republican primary for the right to oppose Senator Richard L Neuberger in the general election," GOP State Chairman is telling the folks in speaking dates over the state. "The Republican party already has two announced candidates in George Altwater, of Portland, and R F Cook, of Silverton, and in all likelihood others will enter."

"At least three additional Republicans of stature are seriously considering filing," Gunnar said.

Many Republicans are making a wishful speculation that the young and effectively vocal Mr Gunnar will speak in the first person in enumerating candidates.

### 4-H Club News

#### 4-H ROUGH RIDERS

The second annual meeting of the Rough Riders was held January 17.

The meeting was opened by flag salute led by Ruby Fullerton. The 4-H flag salute was led by Meredith Webb.

Discussion on county wide field day, Dean Frischknecht will visit us in April and give us a talk on horsemanship.

Each member received a record book.

Insurance was paid by the members.

We discussed purchasing flags for the club.

Visitors were as follows: Cheryl Belenbrock, Mr and Mrs James Valentine, Mrs Roice Fullerton and Becky Jo, Mrs Paul Webb and Becky, Mrs Bill Barratt and Jan Frink.

A special meeting during the week was held at the office of Mr Hay.

Junior leaders of this club are Linda Valentine, Shannon Mahoney and Marlene Fetsch. We received our material for the year.

Marlene Fetsch, reporter

### Sans Souci Rebekahs Appoint Committees

Sans Souci Rebekah lodge no 33 met January 15 with 24 members and two visitors present.

Noble grand, Mrs Rufus Piper, appointed her committees for 1960, as follows: finance, Mrs R G McMurtry, chairman, Mrs C J D Bauman, Mrs Dick Borman; visiting, Mrs Rufus Piper, Mrs Merle Kirk, Miss Esther Bergstrom, Mrs Roy Quackenbush, Mrs Mable Chaffee and Mrs C J D Bauman; attendance, Mrs Roy Quackenbush; education, Mrs Merle Kirk; courtesy, Miss Esther Bergstrom; membership, Mrs Floyd Worden; entertainment, Mrs Jerry Rood; publicity, Mrs Joe Daniels.

Mrs Pearl Devine was elected to a two year term as trustee and Mrs Bauman for a three year term.

Junior past noble grand, Mrs Jerry Rood, expressed her appreciation for the work done by committees for installation and it was announced that committee reports for 1959 must be sent in by Feb 1.

Thomas Wildey, founder of the Odd Fellow lodge in America, was honored in his birthday with a reading by Mrs Robert Van Houte.

Mrs Lincoln Nash won the penny drill prize and Mrs Piper and Mrs Quackenbush served refreshments after the meeting.

The next meeting will be February 5.

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