

Radio Equipped Police Car Being Considered

Heppner may soon have a two-way radio-equipped police car and an emergency telephone number which will be able to contact state and city police, ambulance, doctors, and many others in case of emergency.

The subject was discussed at the city council meeting Monday night and police chief Dean Gilman was instructed to contact the county court and the sheriff's office to see if they would co-operate in financing such a program. Members of the county court indicated Wednesday that they were in favor of working out such a program.

Tentative plans are to have the radio stationed at the city hall with a night man on the job to take calls there, as well as the regular day time help. When the police car is equipped with the two-way radio, police officers said they could get from any one part of town to another within two minutes to answer calls. The present method of notifying an officer when he is wanted is to turn on a light on Main street, and he is to report to find out what emergency the light indicates.

Since a good part of the police duty is to patrol the town there are many instances when this light can be unanswerable for some time. Though no serious consequences have resulted to date it was thought necessary to provide a better method of contacting the police.

Discussed also at the council meeting was the possibility of others using the service. With enough of them paying a nominal fee to use the emergency telephone listing the cost of employing an extra man could be partially met.

CHILDREN SUFFER CUTS

Two Heppner children suffered severe cuts during the past week.

Five-year-old Sheryl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Massey, cut her arm when she fell through a large window at the family home Friday.

Larry Bellenbrock, 10, cut his chin when dismounting from a horse Sunday.

Sheryl was kept in Pioneer Memorial hospital overnight. Larry was treated and returned home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts were in Elgin over the week end.

Ray Moran Dies Here Saturday

Ray F. Moran, 71, president of Molalla Buckaroo Association and noted horseman, died Saturday while competing in the cutting horse contest here.

It was thought he fell from his horse after suffering a heart attack. He was pronounced dead at Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

Moran was general manager of A. F. Lowes Lumber Co., Molalla, and a prominent horse fancier.

Moran is survived by a son, Patrick, Molalla; a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Walker, Arcata, Calif.; a brother, John, and five grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made through Perl Funeral Home, Medford.

Extension Members Attend State Council

Seven Morrow county home-makers, representing the eight extension units of the county, attended the annual State of Oregon Home Economics Extension Council at Oregon State University this week.

Special workshops were conducted in such state-wide projects as Associated County Women of the World, 4-H Clubs, Safety, Health, and public relations. County chairmen and unit chairmen had separate workshops to give them a better understanding of their jobs.

Attending from Morrow county extension units were: Mrs. Gene Ferguson, Mrs. Edna Turner, Mrs. Martha Van Scholack, Miss Marilyn Bergstrom, and Miss Esther Kirmis all of Heppner; Mrs. William Bergstrom, Ione; Mrs. William McCoy and Mrs. Paul Slaughter, Irrigon.

These delegates will report on the council at the county Home-makers Festival in Boardman May 16.

County Entrants Place In Final Go-Around

In the final go-round in the Mustang Spring Show in Pendleton Neal Beamer, Heppner, won the belt buckles for both professional calf roping and bulldogging.

Sandra Eubanks, Ione, won the buckle presented for the girls' calf roping.

Becky Fullerton tied for third in the barrel racing and was third in the stake race, and tied for fourth in the all-around in her division.

Ron Currin won third in bulldogging and Judy Currin won fourth in pole bending last Sunday.

Cow Belles Hold Spring Meeting

The Morrow County Cow Belles will pay for a dinner for the parents of the baby born nearest Father's Day in the county, it was decided at the annual spring meeting.

Lamb for the meat cookery demonstration at the Home-makers Festival, May 16 will again be provided by the Cow Belles. The cookery demonstration is to be sponsored by the Lena extension unit. Following the demonstration the lamb cuts will be given members of the audience.

Decision to co-host the state Cattleman's Association meeting in Pendleton Nov. 9, 10 and 11 was reached. Other county Cow Belle groups hosting the convention will be the Umatilla and Grant county organizations.

The next meeting will be in September, with the date and place to be announced later.

Cow Cutting Draws Good Crowd

Despite stormy weather many turned out to view the cow cutting events sponsored by Heppner Wranglers at their Spring Meet Saturday and Sunday. Twenty-eight top cutting horses from the northwest put on a show of how good a good horse really can be.

Top winner in the two day event was Frank Bates, Boise, Idaho, who won both the novice and open. Special prizes in these events were a silver and gold belt buckle donated by Mary and Janice Beamer and a trophy donated by the Wranglers.

Sandra Eubanks, Ione, also won two events. She placed first in the two day girl's barrel racing with a time of 37.9 for the two go-arounds. Mounted on a horse owned by her father, she won first in the quarter mile race held Sunday. She received a belt buckle from the Wranglers in the barrel racing event.

Junior novice winner was Katie Enright, Monument, who was awarded a gold and silver belt buckle donated by Inez and Shirley Erwin.

The weather interfered with activities somewhat and the races were called off Saturday because of the poor track. Also only one race was held Sunday.

Winner of the registered quarterhorse Sunday afternoon was Frank Turner, Heppner. Tim Bernard, Moses Lake, was judge for this annual event.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pratt drove Lydia Van Houtte and Julie Pfeiffer to Eugene Sunday where they attended the Oregon Retailer's Association annual conference. They returned Monday night.

High Winds Cover Wide Area Near Boardman

Boardman—Winds of cyclone force struck this small community Saturday afternoon about 2:45, causing unestimated damage of property. The storm struck first with a pall of dust, then turned to rain which came down in torrents. Trees were struck down all over the town project, approximately 100 in all. There were at least 20 down in town, with every street except one



Mrs. Florence Root, Mrs. Mary Lee Marlow, and Mrs. Flossie Coats stand in front of storm-damaged postoffice building at Boardman.

blocked. Three large locust trees in front of the local post office were among them. One of them missed the building, the second one just grazed the corner, and the third one was left resting against the top of the structure. The building is owned by Mrs. Florence Root.

A fifty foot trailer house owned by Earl Rada had a tree across the middle of it. Mrs. Rada and her three children and another child were just starting to leave when the tree fell. None of them were injured.

A plate glass window was blown out of a service station and shattered up the street several hundred yards. A soft drink machine in front of the station was overturned. Part of the roof of the building was torn off.

At the motel owned by Mrs. Glen Carpenter a neon sign was torn up, and most of the shingles torn off her house, as well as some off both units of the motel.

At the Boardman Riverview cemetery the roof of the cement block pump house was blown off with some of the cement blocks still hanging to it and carried across the desert for several hundred yards.

Dewey West and Richard Waymire and son Terry were across the Columbia River fishing from Blalock Island. When the storm struck they hurried to Waymire's boat which was anchored there to try and hold it down, but the wind picked the men and boat up and set all up on the island.

At the farm home of Leo Potts the aluminum roof on his house was rolled up on one end. Trees were on the houses of Charles Dillon in the west end, and of Ernest Obermeier in the east end, but no serious damage was done to either. A machine shed at the Elvin Ely farm was damaged and the roof torn off.

Hardly a farm on the project didn't have at least two to twelve trees down, and at the place owned by Erma Pattee in the west end there were 16 in a row that went down all at once.

On the river road there were twelve trees down in a distance of less than a mile. Mrs. Rollo Moore and son Alan were driving along the road and their car hit by one of the trees, but no serious damage was done.

In Heppner the high winds Saturday blew down two trees, one locust on the courthouse lawn and another on Court Street. Shingles were blown off some houses in the storm, but no major damage had been reported.

Near Ione heavy rains created a lake across the road in Four-mile canyon and an apparent water-spout washed fields on the Ted Palmateer and Mabel Davidson property. Full force of the tornado winds hit the Franklin Lindstrom ranch seven miles north of Ione shortly after 2 p. m. Trees were split, large limbs were torn off; a 75 foot TV tower was ruined when it was bent double. Mrs. Lindstrom said the tower had a 30 foot extension made of one and one-half inch pipe, and it was twisted double. She was sitting in the car when it hit and she said there was a loud roaring sound, it got very dark, sticks and rocks hit the car and the vehicle swayed and rocked. Monday straw could be seen in telephone lines on the ranch and high in the trees.



J. J. Farley Motor Co. has added a 6-car carport on its used car lot to better the facilities to serve the public. The new structure faces May street, at the corner of Chase. It is lighted so cars can be seen at night and a salesman is on call seven days a week.

Cancer Crusade Nearing Quota

Cancer Crusade chairman, Mrs. Harlan McCurdy, Jr., reports the results of the door-to-door fund raising campaign used for the first time throughout the county.

With all areas reported, except for a small amount still out, the total contributions are \$1,010 which is nearing the quota of \$1,348 set for the county. Any one who might have been missed during last month's drive is urged to send contributions to the Crusade treasurer, Mrs. Don Munkers, Heppner.

Justice and Municipal

Donald James Mills, combined overload, fined \$209.75.

Emma Smith, no motor vehicle license, fined \$5.00.

Joan Marie Hughes, violation of the basic rule, fined \$25.00.

Kenneth Richard Corbin, no operator's license, forfeited \$10.00 bail.

HOSPITAL NEWS

E. W. Moyer, Heppner, dismissed; Iris Campbell, Lexington, dismissed; Flornil Cline, Jr., Kinzua, dismissed; Terry Whitesmith, Heppner, dismissed; Kathy Wise, Heppner, dismissed; Cecil Mabe, Kinzua; Sheryl Massey, Heppner, dismissed; Hazel Easter, Heppner, dismissed; Ruby Billingsley, Kinzua, dismissed; Nellie Anderson, Heppner; Larry Bellenbrock, Heppner, dismissed; Victor Rietman, Ione; Michael Lynch, Heppner, dismissed; Willard Wilhelm, Kinzua, dismissed; Gladys Reid, Kinzua.

To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jones Hester, Jr., Kinzua, an 8 pound one ounce son, Todd Stephen, born April 28.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marion Thomas Hamm, Corvallis, a 7 pound four ounce daughter, Deborah Kay, born April 30.

Joe Hartle is in the Veterans Hospital at Boise, Idaho, with a back injury.

Karen French Enters Northwest Science Fair

Karen French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond French, Heppner, has been notified that her Science Fair exhibit has been accepted for the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry as part of the Northwest Science Fair May 6 through 27, in Portland.

Karen, and Lynn Burkenbine, 13, eighth grader at Heppner Elementary School, were gold medal winners in the district Science Fair at Pendleton April 15. Karen's exhibit was The Body, including free hand drawings of the body and the organs and glands. Lynn's was a detailed drawing of The Worm.

The two winners returned to Pendleton April 22 where they both appeared before two judges to give their biological report orally. It was from this competition that Karen was chosen to enter competition at Portland.

Winners will be announced May 7 and the winning students will be presented their awards at an award dinner at Portland State College on May 27.

Karen is in the seventh grade at Heppner Elementary School.

First Forest Fire

The first forest fire of the season was reported by Heppner Ranger District today. The fire occurred April 26 and was located on the John Day river at the south end of the Heppner district.

Forest Service personnel pointed out that this was a man-caused fire. Evidence of a camp fire were found, with smoldering logs. The fire covered two and one-half acres, burning reproduction trees and snags, before it was put out. Five men were employed about six hours fighting the blaze.

With the beginning of fire season the District Ranger said that people should be very careful in the woods. This is extremely early for forest fires but the woods are in condition to ignite easily. The snow covering has been light and the ground is dry. In the area of the first fire it had snowed shortly before, but the moisture sinks into the ground so fast that fire conditions continue.

MOM'S THE GREATEST!

... and you'll want to make her especially happy on her day, May 14. Here are some suggestions:

FRENCH PURSES
\$5.00 up

St. Thomas matching
Flip-top SMOK-PAKS
LIGHTERS AND
BILLFOLDS

Color matched genuine leather
treasures in Lime, Lilac Time,
Lemon

BOXED SET OF 5

Glasses case
Cigarette lighter
Billfold
Cigarette case
Key case

Hand-painted leather

20-45

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DESK PIECES

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• CALENDARS
• CLOCK WITH PEN

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Mother will enjoy
and appreciate.

Brown & Haley

delicious
CHOCOLATES

from \$1.39

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"HEAVEN SENT"
SPRAY BOTTLES

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and

PERFUME SPRAY
EAU DE PARFUM
SPRAY

\$2.00

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