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Let's Go To School Again

Most parents have wished at some time or another that they could be little mice in the corner at school to see how their little Janes and Johnnies are doing in the classroom.

This is the week to be a mouse in the corner, for it is American Education Week and a special invitation is extended to all adults to come to school again and see the educational program in action.

Morrow county schools are scheduling open house events for parents to acquaint them with work being done. This should not be considered "just another one of those National Weeks" but rather as a good opportunity to go and see what is going on in the classroom. Consult with teachers and help cement that mutual understanding between parent and teacher—a vital step in aiding the development of the student.

Theme for 1961 American Education Week is "Your Schools: Time for a Progress Report." Local schools are following this theme with demonstrations and exhibits. They are anxious to report to you—parents and patrons—and welcome your questions and comments.

Our schools are always open to the public and visits are welcome any time, but we parents often find ourselves "too busy" to take the time to go to school. However, our teachers and administrators cannot be expected to do the job of educating our children alone. They need the cooperation and help of a responsible, informed public to help with the manifold problems confronting them in this ever-changing world.

So during this American Education Week resolve to take more interest in your schools. Do this by going to school, seeing first hand the problems and conditions that exist, talk with the teachers and administrators, find out what improvements are needed. Take this opportunity to become informed. This will give a better basis for intelligent action the next time a vote comes up on school issues.

Parents and teachers alike should recognize once again that the child is the all-important thing in our educational system. During this week they should dedicate themselves to work together for the best interests of the child—your child and my child—and therefore to the best interests of our nation and its democratic way of life.

Cardinals Have Spirit of Champions

Championship athletic teams need more than ability to gain the top rung in competitive sports. Spirit and desire are almost as important as ability. The zest and enthusiasm displayed by an outstanding team gives that extra something that supports its performance and carries the players on when lesser teams falter. However, some teams have the desire and not the ability, and they fall along the way despite their fighting hearts.

The lone Cardinals have developed an admirable spirit. It is readily discernible not only in their games but also in their practices and attitudes. It is reflected in the demeanor of the coach, of the school and the atmosphere of interest shown by the community.

They must have had this spirit when they won the state 8-man championship last year, and as the team enters the quarter-finals of the state playoffs, they show the mental conditioning so important to success in athletics. Coupled with their exceptional ability, this makes them a hard team to defeat and they are undefeated for the year.

At this time, no one knows if lone can go all the way through the rugged competition between the Cards and another state title. This year, all games will be away from home, and that makes it more difficult.

However, throughout the year they have performed as champions and they will display the same spirit in the playoffs. Coach Glenn Biehl has done a fine job with his team, and it is going to take a great team to defeat his boys.

When the Cardinals go to John Day to play Mt. Vernon Saturday they will have solid support from their home area and many will be present to cheer them on. We join their hundreds of rooters in the hope that they can come through with victory and go all the way. But if they should lose, we'll still consider them champions for the spirit and performance they displayed.

Municipal and Justice Court

Melvin LeRoy Woodrum, exceeding bag limit, fined \$25.00.

Melvin LeRoy Woodrum, possession of hen pheasants, fined \$25.00.

Earl Richard Smith, driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, fined \$150; license revoked for 90 days.

I AM CONSIGNING one bull of Mill Iron breeding at the Mid-Co Show and Sale Nov. 15 at 1 p. m. To the best of my knowledge and within the limits of current information available, his pedigree is free of any known dwarf carrier ancestry. Owner: Joe Monahan, Condon. 36-c

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Chaff and Chatter

By Wes Sherman

IT WAS a good thing that no professional basketball scouts were in the stands Thursday night when the Morrow county All-Stars (composed of teachers and coaches) played the Harlem Clowns. If they had been, some of our best teachers might have been hired for the pro ranks!

The Clowns, whose antics were hilarious and crowd-pleasing, play by rules foreign to basketball naturally, but it would have been interesting to see how the locals would have made out in a serious contest with the towering touring team.

We were impressed with the ability of Darrel Reisch, Bob Cantonwine and diminutive Pete Glennie, who seemed to have a real shooting eye in drilling 'em in from far out.

Capturing the fancy of the big crowd, though, was Don McClure, who proved especially agile in view of his avoirdupois, and Big Jeem Sutherland, who might have received an award for being the best sport of a highly enjoyable evening of entertainment.

But, kidding aside, it looks to us that Morrow county's teachers could put up a team that could really go to town. Those boys are good.

AFTER 45 years in Heppner, Mrs. Frank E. Parker quietly said goodbye this week and went to Walla Walla, Wn., to make her home. Hundreds of memories must be compressed into those years, and it probably took a great deal of courage for Mrs. Parker to depart from the old home town, as she felt she must. Her many friends here will miss her, but all wish her the best of happiness in her new home.

"SOME OF the best beef in the world is just over those hills," said Don Robinson of Kirk and Robinson here the other day as he pointed to the hills surrounding Heppner, "and even some of our local townspeople don't know it."

Some of the awards and recognitions that our local stock-growers are getting back up Don's words. Probably the county needs to "blow its own horn" a little more on this point. Old-timers probably take it for granted, and newcomers haven't found it out.

They have bought a filbert farm near Newberg—Rt. 1, Box 183-A. We'll confess that we've heard it said that the newspaper business would drive anyone nuts, but never heard that it specified filberts.

IT COULD ONLY happen in our town: Jim Farley watched with some satisfaction the other day as a happy couple drove away from his garage in a brand new Buick they had just bought. Across the street, Earl Ayres, Ford dealer, witnessed the proceedings from the sidewalk.

After the car had passed, Earl caught Jim's eye. The Ford dealer's face was wreathed in a big grin, as cordial as if he had sold the couple a new Galaxie. Raising his hands over his head, he shook hands with himself in pleasant salute to his competitor on Heppner's Auto Row.

A THING that irks us no end and that we consider an affront to community pride and safety is to have these autos with out-of-state licenses boldly making U-turns on our streets. You see it all the time. Happen-

ed yesterday. Fellow drives up Willow street and brashly whips around right in the middle of the block. Most of the offenses appear to be by traveling salesmen, and maybe they think our town is so small that no regulations apply. But you seldom see a native do it—it's usually one of these furriners. If a salesman came in here after pulling a stunt like that, he'd have some talking to do before we'd buy anything from him.

It isn't exactly that the violation is such an awful bad thing, but it smacks to us of a condescending attitude towards our town.

From our EARLY FILES

From the files of the Gazette-Times
Nov. 1, 1956

A flying team of Republicans stopped in Heppner, Friday, for a "voter turnout" drive and boost the GOP slate of candidates.

The Boardman bombing range in Morrow county is still being considered as a possible site for a Naval armaments facility.

A week of continuing storms brought an even one inch of rain during the last six days and gave the overall total for October of 1.96 inches.

A resolution passed by the executive committee of the Morrow County Livestock Growers association, asking the Oregon Cattleman's association to take official notice of the increasing problem of hunter vandalism and carelessness.

15 YEARS AGO
Oct. 31, 1946

A charging Mustang backfield galloped over the Hermiston bulldogs in Hermiston, Friday by a 12-7 score.

Campaigns are drawing to a close, fails to stir much interest in the state or local elections.

Donald Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alca Jones, one of eleven students honored at the university of Oregon into the journalism fraternity, Sigma Delta Chi.

Star Theater program for Friday and Saturday, Nov. 1-2, "It Shouldn't Happen to a Dog," with Carole Landis and Alyn Joslyn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Parker drove to Pendleton Monday morning. Mr. Parker attended the meeting of the Pendleton Production Credit association.

30 Years Ago
Oct. 29, 1931

A thorough canvass of the city will be made Thursday by the Associated Charities to obtain money, food, and clothing with which to meet the possible emergency this winter.

A. R. Shumway, president of the North Pacific Grain Growers, Inc., will discuss every angle of the cooperative marketing and its benefits to the farmer.

Heppner will host the Pendleton football squad on the rodeo field Saturday at 1:30 p. m.

Two full days, crammed with meaty information, await those

Tickets For Nixon Dinner Available

Mrs. Verner Troedson, lone, has been appointed Morrow county chairman for the Richard Nixon dinner in Portland. The \$100 a plate dinner will be held at the Sheraton-Portland Hotel Wednesday, November-15, at 7:00 p. m.

Nixon will be the main speaker, with other state Republican dignitaries taking part in the affair, Mrs. Troedson said.

Tickets may be obtained through Mrs. Troedson by contacting her at her home in lone.

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4 Heppner Men Named to Board

Judge Peter M. Gunnar of the newly created Oregon Tax Court announced in Salem recently that four persons in Heppner have accepted appointment to a state-wide committee on rules for the small claims division of the court. They are Oscar E. Peterson, Morrow county judge; Oliver Creswick, Morrow county assessor; Robert B. Abrams, Morrow county district attorney; and P. W. Mahoney, Heppner attorney.

The function of the committee will be to suggest rules of procedure which will enable the small claims division of the court to function rapidly and efficiently as it sits in each of Oregon's 36 counties.

A drafting sub-committee already has prepared a rough draft of the proposed rules which is in the process of being circulated to the committee at large.

Walker Relatives Here

Among the out-of-town relatives who came last Thursday for the funeral services of Sie Walker at the Heppner Christian church were Etta Dollarhide and grandson, David Duffy, of Everett, Wash., Flora Bailey of Mt. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Griffin of Beaverton, Mr. and Mrs. John Fuiten, Aloha, and Mr. and Mrs. James Tilton of Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mankin were in town from their lone farm home and attended the Rod and Gun club dinner that evening.

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Sun. Mon. Nov. 12-13

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