

Health Association Reviews Activities At Annual Meet

A review of activities of Morrow County TB and Health Association was heard at the annual meeting Monday following a potluck dinner in the Methodist Church basement rooms.

Reports from committee heads or their representatives indicated an increase in many areas of work, especially in the chest X-ray field. A total of 440 free X-rays were taken through the year and 123 have been taken locally to date this year. Increased publicity and reminders through stamped pamphlets and notices have made more people conscious of this service.

Through efforts of the mobile unit in Boardman March 9, 169 X-ray films were taken.

Mrs. Ed Diek, county seal sale chairman for last year, reported slight increase in receipts from Christmas seal campaign over the year before. Arlington Ailes from the State TB and Health Association remarked that this slight boost placed our county among the 17 in Oregon which increased their seal sale receipts above last year's sale.

In a report from Mrs. Velma Glass, county health nurse, it was noted that 206 Tuberculin Patch tests have been given, with two school children as positive reactors. She is finding the tuberculin Tine test to be far more accurate than the Patch test, so is hoping to begin use of the Tine test in the 1962-63 tuberculosis case finding program. A total of 251 chest X-ray reports were mailed through her office; 39 home visits were made for supervision of arrested tuberculosis cases; 15 tuberculin PPD skin tests were given to school lunchroom workers; 167 school employees health certificates were issued; 15 food handlers health certificates issued; PPD skin testing materials were supplied to physicians for testing pre-school children and to Pioneer Memorial hospital for testing patients in the Nursing Home, as well as distribution of much health education literature.

Mrs. W. W. Weatherford was re-elected president of the association, with Mrs. Jack Barak, vice president; Mrs. Herman Green, secretary; Mrs. Carl McDaniel, treasurer; Mrs. Bruce Spencer, representative director; and Mrs. H. J. Stroeber, seal sale chairman. On the board of directors are James Myers, Dr. C. M. Wagner, Mrs. Nathan Thorpe, Mrs. Marcel Jones, James Healy and Dr. W. H. Wolff.

Two Morrow county girls, Carole Ann Anderson and Paula Barak, are receiving scholarship aid in their studies in nursing training this year through the association's loan grant program.

Copies of Today's Health magazine are supplied regularly to Beauty Shops, barber shops, libraries, hospital and doctor's offices as a health education service of the association.

Twenty-three Heppner High school students participated in the School Press and made a trip to Portland as guests of the sponsoring agencies, the Oregon TB and Health Association and the Oregonian.

Annual budget for the year was read, discussed and accepted.

Guest speaker for the evening was George C. Dimas, executive director of the alcohol education committee for the State of Oregon. He spoke on the problems of alcoholism and the tuberculosis alcoholic in particular.

Lorraine Harnden Joins Nys Staff

Lorraine Harnden, Mitchell, joined the office staff of J. J. Nys, Heppner Attorney, April 15. She attended Links Business College, Boise, Idaho for 18 months before taking her first job with Nys. She graduated from Mitchell High school in 1960 and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Harnden, Mitchell.

Verle Green Breaks Hip Wednesday

Verle Green, beauty operator at Jeanne's Shop, fell while working Wednesday afternoon causing a fracture of the right hip. She was admitted to Pioneer Memorial hospital and underwent surgery Wednesday evening.

Dottie Edwards is working at the shop and caring for Verle's children until she is able to return to work.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in Pioneer Memorial hospital this week are: Hene Wyman, Heppner; Mary McMurry, Heppner; Claire Andersen, Heppner; Albert Weems, Heppner; Phil Mahoney, Heppner; Helena Habeshan, Condon; Florence Austin, Olex; Timothy O'Rourke, Lexington; Verle Green, Heppner; and Delores Barnett, Long.

Those dismissed this week were: Melvin Yakek, Heppner; Sadie Parrish, Heppner; and Raymond Williamson, Heppner.

Requests for absentee ballots have been coming in, and Mrs. Parrish said that she has had five such requests so far, one coming from abroad. Those who will be away on election day may vote by absentee, but applications must be in to the clerk's office by the deadline date, five days before the election, which will be Monday, April 14. Ample time must be allowed so that the completed ballot may be received and in the clerk's hands by the day of election.

Any who become suddenly ill or injured on election day, or who are prevented from voting by emergency, may apply on the day of election for a ballot, but a doctor's certificate must show that an ill or injured person is unable to go to the polls. Reasonable proof of other emergencies preventing a person to vote must also be shown in the other eventualities.

Polling places for the election will be as follows: Boardman, Greenfield Grange hall; Hardman, IOOF lodge hall; Lone, city hall; Irrigon, S. E. Houghton school building; Lexington, city hall; N. E. Heppner, Tri-County Equipment Company building; S. E. Heppner, county clerk's office in the courthouse; S. W. Heppner, county judge's office in the courthouse.

Little interest has been shown in the election to date, even though voting is only 22 days away. A total of only 14 candidates is listed on the Democratic ballot, including national, state and county, and only 17 are on the Republican ballot.

Three measures are on the measures ballot, two by referendum from the legislature, and one the Morrow county proposal to establish a tax base of \$15,000 for county roads. The state measures are: Six Per Cent Limit Amendment—proposed to revise the constitutional provision governing 6 per cent limitation, prevent loss of tax base by taxing bodies, and permit first year levy without election. Salaries of State Legislators—to amend constitution by providing that legislators' salaries shall be established and paid in the same manner as the salaries of other elected officials.

The nonpartisan ballot contains a contest for judge of the state supreme court (position No. 6) between Arno Dencke of Portland and Lyle R. Wolff of Baker, and one between Judge Peter Gunnar, incumbent, of Salem, and Raymond L. Jones, Portland, for judge of the Oregon tax court.

Cut-up Golf Ball Proves Dangerous

Cutting up a golf ball can prove to be a dangerous thing, young Johnny Pfeiffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Pfeiffer, learned Tuesday evening.

Johnny was cutting into a ball that he had contained in the grip of a vise. As he bent over it, cutting the rubber interior, the released pressure caused it to disintegrate suddenly into his face. A portion of the rubber and a white substance inside hit him on the right eyelid.

A doctor who was called to attend him said that the substance almost tattooed the eyelid, penetrating the skin in many places, and making it almost impossible to pick out all the particles. The eye itself did not seem to be damaged.

Johnny was able to go to school Wednesday and seemed to be in good condition. The doctor checked the eye again, thinking that the white substance might be white lead. However, it appeared it be another substance that dried almost immediately when exposed to the air.

Tryouts Saturday For Little League

More than 20 young baseball aspirants turned out Saturday for the Little League teams. Managers of the Dodgers, Giants and Braves observed the play-ers during a workout.

Tryouts are set again for Saturday at 2:00 p. m. at the Little League field at which time the managers will select the boys to fill out their 15-man rosters. Indian manager Leonard Munkers also called for tryouts last Saturday in Lexington and has scheduled another outing for 2:00 p. m. Saturday at the Lexington football field.

All boys interested in joining the L. L. teams are asked to be at the tryouts in Heppner and Lexington as the managers will pick the boys for their teams from the boys present.

Managers of the four teams have held a few practices during the week and have two more weeks in which to get the teams in shape for the opening game May 14. The 18-game schedule will continue into June with tournament play later.

U.S. Forest Service Office Hours Change

Office hours of the Heppner ranger district, U. S. Forest Service, will be changed beginning Monday. Sam Miller, ranger, announces. They will be from 7 a. m. to 4 p. m. The office is located in the Gilliam and Bisbee building.

The change is necessary to coincide with daylight time hours that become effective with other U. S. Forest Service districts.

Democrats Gain In Voter Signup; Ballots Printed

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Joe Cornelison Dies Here Sunday

LEXINGTON—Joseph Henry Cornelison, 69, who with his wife operated the Lexington Cafe, died in Pioneer Memorial hospital, Heppner, Sunday after being hospitalized for about 15 days.

Funeral services were Wednesday, April 25, at 2 p. m. in the Church of Christ, Lexington, with the Rev. Walter Smith officiating. Interment was in the IOOF cemetery, Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelison had lived in Lexington for 15 years. He was born October 20, 1892, in Burns and spent his young life in Myrtle Creek. At one time he worked as a blacksmith.

On September 1, 1934, he was married to Lulu Merle Way at Kelso, Washington, and she survives him.

Other survivors include a son, Lyle W. of Myrtle Point; two brothers, Frank of Derby, Va., and Eldon of Portland; four sisters, Grace Pearce and Maud Jennings, both of Roseburg, La Vere McLaughlin of Cloverdale, Calif., and Pauline Hoffmister of Myrtle Point; three grandchildren, one of whom is Lee who made his home with his grandparents; and three great grandchildren.

Services Friday For Pioneer Son

Funeral services for Walter H. Gay, 79, will be held Friday, April 27, at 2:00 p. m. at Creswick Chapel, Heppner. The Rev. Austin McGhee will officiate and interment will be in the Heppner Masonic cemetery.

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Blood Bank Response Proves Disappointing

Failure of many to keep their appointments at the blood drawing of the mobil unit from the Yakima, Wn. regional center here Monday resulted in the area failing to meet its quota of 90 pints, Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth, blood program chairman, said.

In all, 52 pints were drawn and two new gallon club members received certificates and pins. They are Riley Munkers and Jerry Daggett, both of Heppner.

Mrs. Cutsforth expressed appreciation to all who worked and donated blood but said that those involved were considerably disappointed because the quota was not met.

Calling committees had signed 63 persons for definite appointments and another 103 had agreed to drop in during the afternoon. Only 52, however, completed donations and only two were rejected.

Those who worked on the visit of the unit cooperated wonderfully to make the event successful in meeting the acute need for blood at the Yakima center, Mrs. Cutsforth said.

Mrs. Arnold Pieper, chairman of the Pioneer Memorial hospital auxiliary and her committee, had called virtually all of the numbers in the telephone directory to arrange appointments.

The high school loaned typewriters and released Janet Struckmeier, Linda Valentine, Judy Hamilton, Rose Nash, Marie Pettyjohn and Lorraine Leonig as typists for the visit.

Also released from school for custodial help and loading and unloading the truck were Merlin Hughes, Lawrence Green and John Ceglia.

Nurses assisting with the technical work of the drawings were Mrs. Mervin Leonard, Mrs. Gene Pierce, Mrs. Kenneth Robinson, Mrs. Marvin Casebeer, Mrs. Theta Stratton, and Mrs. Leona Hale.

Women's Fellowship of the Lexington Church of Christ did the canteen work and served doughnuts, punch and coffee. Included were Mrs. Walter Smith, Mrs. Joe Yocom, Mrs. Dale Sherman, Mrs. Floyd Smith, Mrs. Bill Marquardt, Mrs. Carl Marquardt and Mrs. Gerald Messenger.

Mrs. Cutsforth asked that thanks be extended to all those who helped and especially to St. Patrick's Catholic church for use of the parish hall.

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Rockhound Group Meets Saturday

Experiences of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller on their recent trip to Texas and into Mexico will be shared with members and guests of the Morrow County Rockhound club Saturday evening at 7:30 at the club meeting.

The Millers are entertaining the group at their home in Cecil and will show many of their interesting collections as well as slides of country covered on the trip.

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Attend Council Meet

Sandra Harshman, Libby Van Schoiack, John Cleveland, Mike Smith, Ann Jones, Laura Sumner and Shan Applegate attended a High school student workshop in La Grande on Monday.

Sandra, vice-president of the student body and president of the student council, led a discussion group on the work of the vice-president of the student body.

Korean war veterans' benefits which are available. Veterans interested are invited to attend.

Doe Deer Slows Trip To Portland Monday

Ron Reid, owner of Ron's Flowers, Heppner, got up before dawn Monday morning, headed for Portland to obtain a station wagon load of flowers and plants and expecting to be back before evening.

His plans went awry at the Jim Lindsay place below lone on the Willow Creek highway when a doe deer suddenly bounded onto the highway in front of him. Ron couldn't miss the animal, which was killed by the impact, and the front end of his station wagon was badly damaged. A garage estimated that \$400 would be required to repair it.

Ron awakened the Lindsays, called back to Heppner for help, and Don Wise came to his aid. He borrowed a car from the garage and headed for Portland again but didn't return as early as he had planned.

Arlington Dinner Invites Local Folks

As one of the concluding features of the dedication of its new building, the Arlington Methodist church will hold a smorgabord Sunday afternoon from 12:30 to 5 p. m. in the church. The public is invited to come, and tickets are adults \$2, children from 12 up \$1.50, and for those under 12, 50c.

The Rev. Wilmer Briggs is pastor. Others of this area may be interested in eating at the church and attending the laying of the cornerstone at the new Masonic building nearby, also planned for Sunday afternoon.

Weather

(Leonard Gilliam, observer)

	Hi	Low	Prec.
Thursday	63	35	—
Friday	56	38	—
Saturday	64	42	—
Sunday	75	41	—
Monday	79	45	—
Tuesday	61	31	—
Wednesday	60	33	—



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