



THESE PHOTOS show the Emile Groshens home, winner in the Chamber of Commerce Cleanup-Paintup contest, with the Soroptimist club as co-sponsor. Landscape work, shrubbery planting, and care of lawn and flower beds contributed to the award. The home is located near Pioneer Memorial hospital. Unfortunately there were no "before" photos available for comparison on the amount of improvement.

Touring Mayor Sees Monkeys and Hippos

A second letter to friends in Morrow county via the Gazette-Times comes from Al Lamb, who is in Central Africa with the U. S. Department of Commerce Trade Mission there.

Writing under date of May 11, he states:

"I am having a wonderful time so far and I find the people here, both European and native African, very friendly. We went for a 20 mile boat ride up to Lake Chad yesterday and saw several hippos, monkeys and so on. Visited a native village but couldn't talk much to them as they were Camerons and neither talked French or Chadean. The huts are made of mud but usually are very clean inside. The men are fishermen who make large catches of fish with nets, then clean and dry them on racks. They sell the fish to a cooperative whose boat comes along several times a week. The fish are all sold by the chief of the tribe who then distributes the selling price to each man. Their average income is not over \$70 per year with prices higher than in the U. S. Each man keeps a few fish which he trades to the local trader, who sits by the river bank, for a handful of nuts and some soda pop. The women do not seem to work except to tidy up the huts and to pound out millet for food. With the fish drying and because there is no sewer or outhouses, the village can be smelled for quite a distance.

"We have visited the president of Chad in his office, who was very friendly and for the first time expressed a desire to visit the U. S. Our ambassador will likely notify Washington of his wishes and probably a visit will be arranged. The Chadean government had a dinner for us at the National Assembly. There were about 2000 there along with the president, most of his cabinet and the entire diplomatic corps. That was on Wednesday. Then on Thursday, the president had us at his palace for dinner of champagne and whole roast lamb. The lamb was stuffed with vegetables, then barbecued. You cut it with your fingers by tearing off pieces. Quite a sticky event but it was good.

"The trip here by plane was very pleasant, and I feel we are accomplishing something by way of goodwill at least. The literacy level is very low. There are only a handful of Europeans here and

most of the other two or three millions are native Africans, mostly living in tribes in the bush. I believe the bush natives do better than the ones living in the cities like Ft. Lamy. The natives are very well built, seem healthy and well fed. I am told this will not be the case generally at the other stops.

"I find the Americans and the American government to be highly respected here. Our ambassador is a career man of about 20 years experience and is a bachelor. He is absolutely tops in his field. His administrative assistant is also a career man and is a wonderful representative for us. Apparently an American can go anywhere he wants to in Chad—the interior or in native villages—in perfect safety as far as the population is concerned. The economy here is very poor. They are several hundred miles from the sea, have no railroads and no paved roads. For about nine months of the year the roads are absolutely impassable. All trucking must be done during three or four months of the year. The only way of moving around during the rainy season is by air. This government is highly subsidized by the French—to the tune of about \$1,000,000 a year. They would like to have aid from us, too, but we are not planning to for fear of the French turning it all over to us. So long, Al Lamb."

Miss Van Schoiack Wins Scholarship

Elizabeth (Libby) Van Schoiack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Van Schoiack and senior in Heppner High school, is one of 14 Oregon 4-H members who have been chosen winners of scholarships given by the Union Pacific Railroad, it is announced.

Each of the scholarships is for \$200 towards college education, and all are given in counties served by the railroad.

Burton Hutton, state 4-H club leader at Oregon State University, said that winners must attend an institution where they can enroll in some phase of home economics, agriculture, forestry or nursing.

HOW MORROW COUNTY VOTED

REPUBLICAN										
	N. E. Hep.	Irrgn.	S. E. Hep.	Board-man	H. W. Hep.	S. W. Hep.	Lex.	Ione	Hard-man	TOTAL
FOR U. S. SENATOR										
BAALJOFF	1	3	3	4	2	2	2	4	1	22
BROOKY	1	0	1	4	5	1	0	7	4	23
COCK	1	2	3	2	3	4	3	14	0	32
DURNO	16	4	13	4	33	15	18	41	1	150
LIVINGSTON	9	3	4	2	0	1	4	9	0	23
UNANDER	46	21	45	29	49	57	45	79	9	380
FOR CONGRESS, Dist. 2										
CHANDLER	24	17	33	23	39	45	40	75	6	312
THOREN	21	10	25	18	35	27	18	60	7	221
FOR GOVERNOR										
ALTWATER	10	5	17	13	19	26	21	34	12	157
HAYFIELD	55	30	54	34	88	59	51	123	7	501
FOR LABOR COM.										
BLAIR	49	23	52	35	68	62	60	114	8	471
FOR STATE REP., 28th Dist.										
MADISON	54	27	61	44	82	61	63	140	12	544
FOR ASSESSOR										
CRESWICK	19	14	18	21	41	17	25	47	5	207
THOMSON	54	15	58	29	66	71	48	115	13	469
FOR COUNTY COM.										
AKERS	16	12	11	37	39	25	20	123	11	294
FERGUSON	56	16	64	18	68	63	52	43	7	387
FOR PORT COM.										
SWANSON	58	22	57	43	80	73	62	151	13	559
DEMOCRATIC										
FOR U. S. SENATOR										
MORSE	32	53	26	47	47	43	47	77	11	383
GILBERT	3	15	8	10	8	7	19	23	1	94
FOR CONGRESS, Dist. 2										
ULLMAN	34	62	27	47	58	52	64	94	11	449
FOR GOVERNOR										
THORNTON	19	53	25	33	32	33	46	36	7	284
YEGGE	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	6
COX	1	0	0	3	4	3	5	5	2	23
PEARSON	14	13	11	16	17	14	16	50	3	154
FOR LABOR COM.										
NILSEN	25	45	22	40	48	38	48	66	10	342
DAVIS	6	11	8	10	8	10	11	17	1	82
FOR STATE REP., 28th Dist.										
WEATHERFORD	15	24	16	20	18	18	34	49	8	202
SMITH	22	40	20	37	43	33	34	52	5	286
FOR PORT COM.										
WIESE	17	30	15	33	41	32	44	58	3	273
NONPARTISAN										
SUPREME COURT Pos. 6										
DENECKE	38	32	32	39	43	37	41	98	9	369
WOLFF	51	57	61	52	94	91	82	138	16	642
JUDGE, ORE. TAX CT.										
GUNNAR	66	61	64	64	106	94	95	174	12	736
JONES	26	34	35	32	43	35	40	63	14	322
MEASURES										
SIX PER CENT										
Six Percent										
Yes	49	25	29	23	51	46	37	74	2	336
No	45	69	68	74	85	74	93	178	23	709
LEG. SALARIES										
Salaries										
Yes	71	66	64	55	91	75	80	122	10	634
No	29	35	30	50	59	48	60	135	16	462
ROAD TAX BASE										
Road Tax Base										
Yes	50	40	25	38	54	35	41	74	1	361
No	42	49	62	59	86	81	94	167	25	665

Fair Again Bills Trampoline Team

Trampoline exhibition team of Ione's Circle E Trampoline and Water Ski club has been selected by Dean Melvin Geist to appear again in the Oregon State Fair talent show.

In order to avoid as much conflict with school activities as possible, the team has chosen the last day of the fair—September 8—for the appearance. The boys will be one of six acts to be featured on that day.

Dr. Geist initiated this now famous show after remarking to the members of the fair board, "We show our best cattle, hogs, sheep, chickens, and so on. I think we ought to show our most precious Oregon product, which is our talented children."

They took him up, and he accepted the challenge. Dean and Mrs. Geist have been in charge of the fair's talent show ever since.

Making up the trampoline performing group are Joe, Mark and Frank Halvorsen and Tommy Heimbigner.

They have also accepted an invitation to perform August 26 at the Gilliam county fair at a Sunday afternoon show.

With this booking their summer schedule is complete because they also plan to compete in numerous water ski tournaments and some ski shows.

Morticians Elect Creswick Director

Oliver Creswick of Heppner was elected a director of the Oregon State Funeral Directors association for a three year term at the annual convention of the organization in Cottage Grove early this week.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Creswick attended the meeting, which was held at the Village Green. They left here Sunday and returned Wednesday. Albert Schroeder of Coquille was chosen president of the association, Virgil Hall, Grants Pass, first vice president; Ruth Fletcher, Portland, treasurer; and Phillip J. Zeller, Jr., Portland, secretary.

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Lutheran Churches Set Vacation School

Under the theme, "We Believe," Hope and Valby Lutheran churches will conduct their annual Daily Vacation church school the first week in June, Pastor Ken Robinson announces.

School will begin at 9 a. m. Monday, June 4, and continues through Friday, June 8. Children from kindergarten age through junior high age will study the three articles of the Apostle's Creed and application for daily life.

Pastor Robinson will conduct a brief opening worship each day at Valby and closing at Hope, using visual aid material. On Sunday, June 10, children will participate in the worship services, and families will have an opportunity to view the week's work on display following the worship.

Poll Places Set For District Vote

There will be five polling places in Morrow county for the special election on the formation of the Blue Mountain Area Education district, to be Friday, June 8, Beverly Gunderson, clerk of Morrow County School District R-1, points out.

They will be at the Heppner Elementary school; Irrigon Elementary school; Riverside High school, Boardman; School Cafeteria, Ione; and Lexington Elementary school, Lexington. Pine City voters will cast ballots at Lexington and Hardman and Ruggs voters will cast ballots in Heppner.

Formation of the district is for organizing a community college. The district would comprise Morrow and Umatilla counties.



BILL SHERMAN

Bill Sherman Due To Leave Tuesday On National Tour

Bill Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Sherman and sophomore at Heppner High school, will leave Tuesday morning from Stayton on "Student Tour, U.S.A.," in company with some 40 other Oregon high school students.

Traveling by chartered bus, the students will be gone six weeks and their route will approximate the circumference of the United States. They will go east on a southerly route, traveling through Salt Lake City, Grand Canyon, Carlsbad Caverns, San Antonio, New Orleans, and to various points in Florida. Going north along the Atlantic seacoast, they will spend some time at Williamsburg, Va., visiting points of interest that date back to Colonial days.

They will continue to Washington, D. C., to visit the national capital, and Bill has been extended an invitation by Congressman Al Ulman to visit him upon his arrival. Going on via Gettysburg and Philadelphia, they will reach New York and spend three days in the big city, viewing the Statue of Liberty, Radio City, attend a Broadway play, the United Nations and see a big league ball game. On to Boston, they will tour points of interest in the New England States, go on to Quebec and Toronto, Canada, and then head west again via Niagra Falls, Detroit, the Dakotas, and Yellowstone Park. The students will attend a Black Hills Passion Play and visit Mt. Rushmore Memorial in the Black Hills.

In Philadelphia they are scheduled to be on the nationwide TV program, American Bandstand, on June 24.

Conceived in a history class at Stayton Union High school, the tour was broadened to include Salem, Serra Catholic, Seio, North Marion, Central, Cascade, Albany, Newport, Eugene, Gervais and Heppner High schools. Bill is the only Eastern Oregonian on the tour and received the invitation because of his former attendance at Stayton High.

While on the trip, the students

Error Corrected

In a story on the Order of Eastern Star in last week's Gazette-Times, it was erroneously reported that the altar was draped in memory of Frank S. Parker. The name should have been Frank E. Parker, a member who died last year. The paper regrets the error and apologizes to Frank S. Parker of Heppner and Mrs. Frank E. Parker, now of Walla Walla, Wn., widow of the late Frank E. Parker.

will take a course in American history.

"It will show them the length and breadth of their own country," says Tour Director M. L. Morey, Stayton High school superintendent. "It will make more vivid their American heritage of freedom by showing them the shrines commemorating the wresting of this country from the wilderness and foreign domination."

Most of the students, like Bill, earned their own money to make the trip. His parents will take him to Stayton over the weekend and he will attend a pre-departure meeting with other travelers Monday night.

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