

## First National Offers New Checks

"The first major change or improvement in check writing in 25 years."

This is the description of a bank check designed for persons who can't be bothered with filling of bank stubs. It was made by J. H. Bedford, Heppner branch manager of First National Bank of Oregon.

The new "Record-Rite" checks and deposit slips produce duplicate copies without the use of carbon paper. By using a special paper containing an invisible carbon back, a duplicate copy of each check and deposit is automatically produced as a reminder.

Some persons frequently forget to fill out the regular check stubs and then find they have trouble recalling what they have spent. The "Record-Rite" check is especially appealing to these check users.

Greater convenience and ease of reconciliation in comparing canceled checks with the duplicates is an important advantage. It is especially helpful to husbands and wives in keeping the balances of their joint checking accounts straight.

First National will offer three types of the new check. One type is for individuals. Two are for small business and professional people—a payroll and an all-purpose check.

The new checks, which come in four colors, will have the names of the depositors printed on them. The "Record-Rite" check may be carried singly in a slim wallet provided with the checks. Separate wallets for men and women were designed by Henry Dreyfuss, industrial designer.

## Christian Church Exceeds Set Goal At Fall Festival

The annual Harvest Festival of the Heppner First Christian church was held November 1 with approximately 100 persons present for the banquet in the church dining room.

A very impressive worship service was conducted by members of the high school department, with Willard Cromwell, pastor of the Hermiston First Christian church as guest speaker.

The Harvest Festival financial goal for this year was \$2196.35, the offering to be used to pay the balance of the debt on the parsonage, which was built in 1956, and the taxes for the year on the parsonage. The offering at the festival was \$2249.25, and, to date, the offering has grown to \$2309.25.

Through the past seven years, the Heppner Christian church has raised more than \$10,000 through their Harvest Festivals, and has paid over half of the indebtedness on the parsonage, installed a cry room and two new classrooms, tiled the sanctuary floor, painted the exterior of the church, purchased chairs for each department of the Sunday school, and built a cabin on the Cove Conference grounds, plus other projects.

The congregation is looking into several other projects on the church building, which will include a new floor in the kitchen and part of the dining and classroom area of the basement.

## PINE CITY

PINE CITY—Mrs. Bill Healy returned home Friday following surgery at St. Anthony's hospital, Pendleton.

Mrs. Charlie Daly is a patient in St. Anthony's hospital following surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wattenburger are grandparents of a baby boy, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramos of



MEMBERS of the Ione Livestock club honored their leaders, Alfred Nelson Jr., Lexington, by presenting him with a pin denoting his five years of leadership. Stephan Lindstrom, junior leader of the club, did the honors at the annual 4-H Achievement party in Ione on November 10.

## Hermiston.

Douglas Anderson and Charlie Anderson were week-end visitors at the Leo Ashbeck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wigglesworth left Wednesday to visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Meredith at Sacramento, Calif.

Earl Wattenburger and Carl Casey of Pasco, Wn., were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wattenburger.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard French will leave Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Martin at Izee.

All Moore business forms available through the Gazette-Times. You need not go out of the county to get the forms you need.

## Four-H Leader Presented Pin In Appreciation

Appreciation of Alfred Nelson's time and talents spent as a 4-H expressed by the ten members of the Ione Livestock club at leader these past five years were the annual 4-H Achievement Party at Ione on November 10. Stephen Lindstrom, junior leader of the club, presented Nelson with a 4-H leader pin.

Nelson, a well known wheat and cattle rancher from the Lexington area, has had contact with about 20 4-H members during his five years of leadership. Members carried such projects as beef, sheep, swine, and dairy, according to Joe Hay, Morrow county extension agent.

"Perhaps the highest contribution 'Freddy' has made to our 4-H program," says Hay, "has been the hosting of the annual Livestock Field Day at his ranch for the past seven years. Here he has invited all 4-H livestock members to bring their animals to the event and practice grooming and showmanship. He has also furnished his own animals for those who were unable to bring them and also for practice in judging."

"Other organizations such as the Lexington Grange, Ione School Board, Orgeon Wheat League and the Community Church have benefited from this 4-H leaders efforts," comments N. C. Anderson, chairman, county extension agent. "It is through efforts of men like 'Freddy' that the 4-H program has advanced in the county."

Because of press of duties, Nelson has resigned the Ione Livestock leadership for 1963. Kenneth Smouse and John Proudfoot, Ione, are the new leaders.

## Granges to Collect State Hospital Gifts At Joint Installation

Grange members are asked now to get together items which may be sent to the State Hospital in Pendleton and used as suitable gifts to patients there, according to Mrs. Kenneth Smouse, lecturer of the Lexington Grange. They will be collected at the joint installation meeting for county grange officers at the Lexington hall Saturday, December 8.

If unable to attend the meeting, the unwrapped items may be left either at Peck's Grocery, Lexington, or at C. A. Ruggles Insurance agency, Heppner. Such articles as harmonicas, soap, soft bedroom slippers, lingerie (both men and women), lotions in plastic containers, soaps, bath powder are a few of the items suggested. They are also happy to receive money donations to apply on purchase of musical instruments.

The all-day meeting will close with a musical Christmas program and treats given out by Santa Claus. Those attending are asked to bring two potluck prepared dishes, as both a noon lunch and supper will be served.

## Sewing Club Elects Officers at Meeting

With Jane Rawlins leading the group, the Sew-A-Longs began their 1962-63 4-H year. The meeting was held in the Home Economics room of the Heppner High school building on November 10, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

The first business was to elect the new officers for the coming year. They are as follows: Lynn Burkenbine, president; Joan Stockard, vice president; Carol Rawlins, secretary; Judy Smith, news reporter, and Rogenia Wilson, song leader.

Girls in Phase IV are to make a cotton dress and girls in Phase V are to make a wool outfit. Each girl will have a practice project before starting on the outfit she will exhibit at the 1963 county fair.

Before the next meeting, the officers will meet and map out the program of work for the year.

Judy Smith, reporter

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