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Contest Developing for City Mayor

Clubs Here Observing 4-H Week

(See Special 4-H Section, Sec. 2)

Morrow county's some 400 4-H club members and leaders this week are joining 4-H clubbers throughout the nation in observing national 4-H club week. The week set aside for the occasion is September 26 to October 3.

Window displays of various local clubs may be observed in downtown stores, special programs and services mark the event, and a special section of this paper (Section 2) commemorates 4-H week.



Judge Oscar Peterson issued a proclamation for 4-H week, and it is printed on page 1, section 2.

Business firms all over the county cooperated in sponsorship of the special 4-H section in this paper, and contacts were made under the chairmanship of Mrs. Robert Abrams.

A total of 318 members are enrolled in 4-H week in the county, and 82 leaders are currently assisting with the program. County extension service plays a leading role in organizing and coordinating the 4-H program, and County Agent Nels Anderson has been handling this work, in addition to his many other duties, since Joe Hay left the office as a result of the budget curtailment and since the death of Esther Kirmis, home extension agent.

Miss Donna George, formerly of Montana, has arrived as new home extension agent and will now assist with the 4-H program.

Complete details on work and activities of the county program and its national scope will be found in section 2.

Witherrite Home Is Host to IFYE Youth from Italy

Distant Italy is becoming much more than just a name on the map to the Weldon Witherrite family of Echo. They are host to Michele Palazzo, International Farm Youth Exchange to Oregon from Italy.

Mr. Palazzo is from Castellana (Taranto), Italy, where his family operates a 50-acre cattle, almond and olive farm. His family includes his parents, three brothers and one sister. His special interests include animal breeding and citrus fruit cultivation. Hunting and photography are his favorite hobbies. He has served as 3-P club president and as delegate of the Young Farmers group. (Italy's 3-P clubs are similar to 4-H clubs here.)

After arriving in the United States in May, Mr. Palazzo spent a few days in Washington, D. C., and at the Exchanges Mid-Point Conference in Minnesota and visited farm families in Missouri. Since reaching Oregon in July, his host families have been the William Cappelock family of Adams and the Kent Magruder family of Clatskanie, in addition to the Witherrites. Before returning to Italy he will visit the Larry Wells family at Jefferson.

IFYE is a people-to-people program involving over 60 countries. By living with host families such as a son or daughter and sharing in work and fun, IFYE exchanges are able to develop understanding with the people of their host country.

IFYE is a 4-H club program, supported financially by private contributions from 4-H members and leaders, other individuals and organizations.



DON MUNKERS, veteran quarterback of the Heppner Mustangs, is on the doubtful list for the football game Friday night against Wahtonka on the rodeo grounds field here. Don took quite a beating in the bruising game with Maupin there last Friday night. (G-T Photo).

Wahtonka Due Friday; Lone to Play Umapine

Now with a 1-2 mark in season's play, the Heppner high Mustangs will open their league football season Friday night on the rodeo grounds field at 8 p.m. against strong Wahtonka of Chenoweth. The visitors lost to Burns, 19 to 7, Friday but previously thumped Columbia, 26 to 12, and John Day, 13-6.

At lone, the Cardinals will be hosts to Umapine in a league clash Friday at 2 p. m. after losing their first conference game Friday at Weston, 38 to 6. The winners scored in every quarter and three of their six touchdowns came via passes.

Only 43 Donors Contribute Blood At Monday Visit

A disappointingly small turnout came to give blood at the Monday visit of the Red Cross blood unit with only 43 pints being given against a quota of 50 pints, according to Mrs. Orville Cutsforth, county blood program chairman.

Mrs. Cutsforth said that she was "thoroughly disappointed" at the poor response but expressed thanks to all who donated and to those who did their best to make the drawing a success.

Four new members of the Gallon club were acknowledged, including Mrs. Cutsforth. The other three are David Eckman, Frank Robinson and Wayne Lamb.

Other donors included D. H. Jones, Leonard L. Toll, Marjorie Eckman, Bernard Marshall, Shirley Loyd, Leonard Munkers, Paul Brown, Jerry Sweeney, Rev. Jack Weller, Mrs. Gladys Weller, Mrs. Frances Potter, David Potter, Rev. Kenneth Robinson, Ralph J. Richards, Bill J. Crooke, Mrs. Donna Crooke, James Gordon, Mrs. Maxine Ayers, Mrs. A. D. Hunt, Eddie Gunderson, Gene Orwick, Glen Ward, Mrs. Beverly Gunderson, Mrs. A. H. Nelson, Mrs. J. B. Miller, Lawrence O. Rietman, Dave Barnett, Mrs. Hattie Harnden, Reese Burkenbine, Otto E. Ruhl, Herman Winter, Mrs. Herman Green, Mrs. Doris Watkins, Mrs. Gene Pierce, Winn Crist, Mrs. Gena Leonard, Marion Green, James Miller, and Kenneth Cutsforth.

Working on the various committees were: Mrs. A. G. Pieper, reception; Barbara Blake, Ann Marie Brindle, Karen McCurdy and Shirley Erwin, typists; Mrs. Jerry Sweeney, Mrs. Kenneth Robinson, Mrs. Gene Pierce and Mrs. Mervin Leonard, nurses; Carolyn Bergstrom, Maxine Schmidt and Mrs. John Dyson, nurse's aides; Mrs. Harry O'Don-

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Ed Gonty, Al Lamb Seek Post

There will be at least one contest on the city election ballot on November 3. This was assured this week when Mayor Al Lamb filed for reelection by petition, and another petition was out to place the name of Ed Gonty, councilman for many years, on the ballot as a mayor candidate.

Three other petitions are already on file, according to Recorder Ted Smith. Clarence Rosewall will seek election to a 4-year term on the council and Haskell Sharrard has filed as a councilman for a 2-year term. Conley Lanham has filed petition as recorder, and Smith announced that he does not plan to seek reelection.

Other petitions out at the present time but not yet completed are those of Bill Collins, for councilman for a 4-year term and Dave McLeod for a 4-year term. Collins is a former mayor.

LeRoy Gardner and Carl Spaulding are holdover councilmen. John Pfeiffer who has been in the hospital for surgery has not taken out a petition nor has Earl Ayres. Both at present are serving on the council.

LaVerne Van Marter, city treasurer for many years, also has not taken out a petition for reelection.

With the number of new candidates running it appears that the council after January 1 will have more new members than it has had at one time for years.

Court is Chosen For Homecoming

A court of five girls, two juniors and three seniors, has been chosen by the Heppner High Letterman club as the court for homecoming, which will be Friday, October 9, the school announces.

Queen of the court will be chosen from the three senior girls by vote of the football team, and her name will be kept secret until halftime of the game with Grant Union of John Day which will start at 7:30 on the night of Friday, October 9.

Senior girls chosen are Barbara Blake, Anna Marie Brindle and Jill Cline, and juniors are Barbara Gribble and Jean Healy.

A parade will be another feature of the homecoming and is scheduled to move from the rodeo grounds at 4:45 p.m. on the day of the event. Each class and organizations of the school will have floats and entries in the parade.

Homecoming dance will be from 10 until 12 in the high school multipurpose room, and it will be open to all alumni. An outside orchestra will play for the dance.

A bonfire is being considered, and if a location can be found for one, it will be held on Thursday night preceding the game with a rally to be held at the same time.

Irvin Mann Lauds New Beef Import Bill

House bill 1839, recently passed by Congress, is of "tremendous significance" because it limits beef imports to 6.7% of the domestic production in the United States for any year, Irvin Mann of Stanfield, Republican candidate for representative in the state legislature from the 28th district, told the Heppner-Morrow County Chamber of Commerce Monday.

Mann, a member of the Oregon Beef Council, reviewed the recent history of the increase in meat imports, saying that in 1954 the imports were 1.8% of the domestic production, but they increased to 10.7 by 1963, and this despite the fact that the domestic production had increased 18 per cent or three billion pounds.

Australia made a strong effort to invade the market, he said. They hired analysts to survey world markets at a cost of \$250,000 and had representatives attend all hearings of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the State Department.

Imports from Australia in 1960 were 144,684,000 lb. and in 1963 soared to 516,923,000 lb., he said.

New Zealand imports climbed from 130,723,000 lb. in 1959 to 235,690,000 lb. in 1963.

The American National Cattleman's association asked for a quota based on the average of the last five years of imports, but the State Department made a voluntary agreement on the average of the last two years of imports, or a total of 703,963,000 lb. from Australia and New Zealand, and also provided an annual automatic 3.7% increase. "The beef cattle industry was not satisfied with this," Mann said.

The State Department then commenced a series of "diversionary" tactics, the speaker declared. It started purchasing an average of some seven million pounds of boned rolled roasts per week for school lunch programs; it checked the retail beef industry for possible monopoles; and it went abroad to seek new markets for meat exports, finding them in Italy, Germany and possibly France.

Mann said that the State Department apparently feared that more severe limitations on its beef imports might jeopardize a general agreement on



DEDICATION of the Heppner Church of the Nazarene, completed earlier this year, will be Sunday, October 4, with the Rev. Raymond C. Kratzer, superintendent of the northwest district, as guest speaker.

Buck Season Due To Open Saturday; Outlook Good

Oregon hunters will soon cover all parts of the state for the opening of the general deer season on Saturday, October 3. The season will run through October 25.

Prospects appear from good to excellent, according to the state game commission.

"Deer are there with populations on a par with last year in most areas, and up a little in a few others," is its report.

The commission says that hunters should find excellent populations of deer in the Ukiah, Heppner and Wheeler, as well as in the Northside, Murderers Creek and Silvies areas. The number here is either on a par or up from last year.

Midcentral Oregon should produce well with the better locales in the Ochoco, Maury Mountains, and the Grizzly country. The Deschutes should be a good bet, especially if hunters will get into the back country. As in the past, hunting pressure will be high in the popular central Oregon area which will keep individual hunter success below what is normally experienced in the rest of the state.

According to the advance report, the Sled Springs, Chenimnuc and Imnaha units should be top bets in north-eastern Oregon, although Willowa county throughout should produce excellent results. Keating, Catherine Creek, Baker and Belah units should all produce a high take of deer.

In the southeast, the Malheur, Owyhee, Steens and Whitehorse units look good. Deer numbers are some fine bucks reported in Rimrock country.

Dry weather that has held sway for some time has been a detriment to the opening with fire danger high, but recent rains and cloudy days came just in time to help alleviate the situation.

Come what may, a mass migration of hunters to the woods is a certainty Saturday.

WEATHER

By LEONARD GILLIAM

Weather report for the week of September 17-23 is as follows:

	Hi	Low	Prec.
Thursday	88	54	—
Friday	68	37	—
Saturday	68	38	—
Sunday	73	43	—
Monday	79	48	—
Tuesday	72	52	—
Wednesday	78	43	.05

Total precipitation for month of September was .16.

Saturday Last Day For Registration For General Vote

Saturday is the last day to register for the general election, Mrs. Sadie Parrish, county clerk, states. To accommodate latecomers, the clerk's office in the courthouse will be open all day Saturday and until 8 p.m. in the evening.

Those who are uncertain as to whether they are properly registered should check with the clerk's office before the deadline.

Residents in other parts of the county may register with any one of the following registrars in precincts out of Heppner: Mrs. Eileen Padberg, Lexington; Charles O'Connor, lone; Mrs. Daisy Gillespie, Boardman; Darrell DeChance, Boardman; or Marguerite Houghton, Irigon.



Mrs. Ralph Scott Wins Grand Prize In Town Contest

Mrs. Ralph Scott of Lexington is grand prize winner in the "Meet Our Town" contest sponsored by Heppner merchants and the Gazette-Times.

Her name was drawn from a cardboard box full of entry slips which had accumulated during the past eight weeks in the participating 12 stores.

As grand prize winner, Mrs. Scott will receive a \$5 gift certificate good for that much merchandise in each of the 12 stores, or \$60 in all.

Last week was the final week of the contest, which has featured silhouettes of local business people each week.

Man in the silhouette last week was Arnie Hedman, who was correctly identified by three persons Saturday.

First prize winner was Carl McDaniel, \$5 in merchandise; second was Kay Moore, \$3; and third was Sara Adkins, \$2.

Hedman was out of town on business this week and could not be interviewed for the weekly biographical feature that the paper has carried during the contest. It will appear next week.

Nazarene Church Dedication Set Sunday at 3 p. m.

Formal dedication of the Church of the Nazarene in Heppner will be Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m., the Rev. J. G. Weller, pastor, announces.

The public is invited. Guest speaker will be the Rev. Raymond Kratzer, superintendent of the Northwest district of the denomination. Open house will follow the dedicatory service.

The building was started on November 29, 1963, and was completed earlier this year. Besides a large sanctuary on the first floor, the church also contains social hall and kitchen on the lower level, together with four Sunday School classrooms.

Cost of the building was approximately \$22,000, exclusive of furnishings. Pews of the church were purchased from DeGraff Church Furniture, Dallas, Ore., and Kealther Construction Co. of Wheatridge, Colo., was general contractor.

First services in the building, which is located just below Pioneer Memorial hospital on the hill on the east side of town, were held February 9, 1964.

Bridge Ceremony Tentatively Set

A dedication ceremony for the new Main street bridge over Willow Creek and the improved bridge over Hinton Creek is tentatively scheduled for Monday, October 12, at 11 a.m.

The ceremony would be arranged by the City of Heppner and the Chamber of Commerce. Judge Oscar Peterson said that he had talked with Highway Commissioner Kenneth Fridley of Wasco and Kenneth Wolfe, administrative assistant to the State Commission, and that the tentative date is acceptable with them.

The visitors would be guests at the regular Chamber of Commerce meeting following the ceremony.

The bridges are now open to traffic following paving last week.

Crash Hurts None; Car Demolished

Nine persons escaped injury Sunday evening just after 7 o'clock when two cars side-swiped on the Willow Creek highway about two miles southeast of Heppner.

One auto a station wagon, was driven by the owner, Arno Raymond of Heppner, headed towards Heppner. He was accompanied by his wife, Valerie, their five children and another boy, Kelly Green. Driver of the other auto, headed away from town, was Salvio Albisu, an employee of Kinzua Corporation. He was driving a 1964 Impala and it was demolished in the crash. The Raymond car sustained damage along the side estimated at between \$300 and \$400.

The Green boy was given a checkup, but none of those involved required treatment.

Tibbles is Admitted To Oregon State Bar

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Tibbles received word recently that their son, Warren Lance Tibbles, has been admitted to the Oregon State Bar Association.

Tibbles was graduated from the University of Oregon with a degree in Economics in 1960 and completed his post graduate work in law at the University in 1963.

He and his wife make their home in Eugene where he is employed at the Bureau of Municipal Research.