



THE IDEA WAS to get a closeup picture of Lions Club officers with Cliff Aldrich repairing the courthouse clock, since Lions are helping to pay for the job. But the brave G-T photographer, not having sky hooks, got cold feet and took the picture from the ground. Waving his arms by the clock is Cliff Aldrich of Ione, who is doing the repair work. Charlie O'Connor, representing the Lions, discreetly stands on the bell platform below. Repairs to the clock faces are a part of the improvement job now in progress at the courthouse.



CLIFF ALDRICH of Ione appears to be a human fly as he paints top of the courthouse cupola. Aldrich, who also made repairs to the clock faces, is tied to a rope at the top of the cupola but had to stand on tip toe to reach the top of the little ball at the peak. He is some 60 feet off the ground, but it looks much further from the top down! (G-T Photo).

Six Great Days Set Next Week At Fair, Rodeo

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times at 1:15 p.m. with performance classes. Throughout the fair, the ever-popular 4-H Snack Shack will offer pop, food, and other goodies for the hungry and thirsty public. It will be open for breakfast throughout the fair.

McCarthy states that livestock entries have taken another spurt following last week's announcement that they already topped the number of entries for 1964.

Mrs. Lenna Smith, fair secretary, announced some two weeks ago that all space for community booths had been taken.

Jerry Jonasson, Heppner High agriculture instructor and FFA chapter advisor, said that he had been notified that for the first time, a team of girls will be entered in 4-H and FFA livestock judging, an event of Tuesday at 1 p.m. The team will come from The Dalles where both boys and girls participate in the agriculture program. Some 10 teams are expected to be in the competition.

The tractor driving contest for FFA will be Thursday at 10 a.m. under the sponsorship of the Farm Bureau. This event was popular at its first appearance in last year's fair.

Considerable advance interest is being shown also in the annual Wheat Growers League cake baking contest. It may be recalled that a man, Dean Graves, was county winner last year. A report from the league states that greater interest than ever before is being shown in the contest in the counties where it is held.

The county fair is presented through the fair board, composed of Bernard Doherty, chairman, Mrs. William (Jane) Rawlins, Paul Hisler, Floyd Jones, Zearl Gillespie and Mrs. Smith, secretary.

Working hard on preparations, too, has been the fair committee, composed of Don Robinson, chairman, Mrs. Louis Carlson, Mrs. James Lindsay, Mrs. Paul Slaughter, Carl Rhea and Alfred Nelson, Jr.

Particularly deserving credit are the many superintendents, all of whom are listed in the fair premium book.

Judges at the fair this year include Les Marks of Fossil, 4-H horsemanship; Ken Waud of Othello, Wn., 4-H and FFA livestock; Herman Bierman of Hermiston, open class fruits, vegetables, hay and grain, and 4-H miscellaneous judging; and Ron Black of Boardman, 4-H demonstration judging.

Beginning with the rodeo dance Friday night, August 27, the Rodeo will enter the scene and continue with the big downtown parade Saturday, August 28, at 10, and the first rodeo

show at 1:15. Another dance will be Saturday night following the evening rodeo performance.

Cowboy breakfast will start things off Sunday, August 29, and the concluding rodeo show will be at 1:30 Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hollis Mills of Salem spent several days last week visiting at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, and family. Overnight guests Wednesday at the Gribble home were Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rose of Portland, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Gribble.

A former Heppner resident, Mrs. George (Faye) Blakney, is now convalescing from a recent stroke in Prosser Memorial Nursing home, according to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farra, who visited her last week-end. Mrs. Blakney asked to be remembered to her friends here, and would appreciate a word of cheer. The Farras also called on Mr. and Mrs. Phil Blakney and family and greeted their new baby, born last week.

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Football Drills Start Next Week

Football Coach James Potter reminds all those planning to turn out for football at Heppner High school that equipment will be issued Friday and Saturday at the high school.

All those interested, including freshmen, are asked to report for equipment at one of the following times: August 20, 9 a.m.

until noon, and 7 to 9 p.m.; August 21, 1 to 5 p.m.

First practice will be Monday, August 23, with sessions scheduled prior to school from 8 to 10 a.m. and from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

First game will be against Pilot Rock on Friday, September 10, at the rodeo grounds field here.

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Civil Defense Meeting Slated Here

"More people were killed in Los Angeles in one night than were killed in a week in Viet Nam," C. J. Chase of the Div-

ision of Continuing Education, with headquarters at the University of Oregon, told members of the Heppner-Morrow County Chamber of Commerce Monday.

Chase made the statement in announcing a Civil Defense meeting to be held in Heppner October 12. He said that Civil Defense is concerned with three types of disaster: 1. War caused; 2. Natural; 3. Man made, such as the Los Angeles riots.

All 50 states and the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico are organized under the civil defense education program, he said, but added that the Federal government is concerned with civil defense status at the local level.

The Division of Continuing Education plays the role of organizing conferences for local officials and key citizens and setting up training courses, he said.

The October 12 conference here is to be a county conference with officials of municipalities and the county, as well as all interested persons, invited to participate.

To be considered at the conference will be such points as these: Causes and consequences of major disasters. Whose responsibility is a major disaster? Organizing for a disaster. Determining what resources are available. Establishing a realistic program for the community.

During the day, a simulated disaster exercise will be set up, giving groups an opportunity to function.

"As a result we hope to stimulate some action locally," Chase said. "We live in a nuclear age and there isn't a darn thing we can do about it."

The speaker was introduced by Sheriff C. J. D. Bauman.

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