

Sewer System Revenue Lags, Auditor Reports

charged this year when the council discovered that an ordinance, approved in 1940 sets a license fee of \$45 per year for a bowling alley.

Discussion revealed that Pendleton charges bowling lanes \$5 and Hermiston has no license fee for lanes.

Card rooms in Heppner pay a fee under an ordinance on amusements and the theater also paid an annual license when it was in operation.

The council formally approved its contract with the rural fire protection district. The agreement was reached several months ago, but the contract had never been formally approved by council motion, and this technically was cleared.

An inquiry from the welfare department of the county as to whether the old city library would be available for rent or lease to the department was brought up. The council decided that it does not want to lease the building, which is a part of the city hall building.

A building permit was granted to Robert Kelly for a 40x26 home plus garage at 687 E. Hager St., at a cost of \$18,000.

In the complaint department, the council heard one concerning high weeds in a lot at the corner of Main and Center and the renter of the lot is to be contacted and asked to cut the weeds.

While the police department is having trouble with its present prowl car, it was reported that the new car, ordered through Fullerton Chevrolet, has been built and shipped but has not arrived as yet.

Permits for removal of Christmas trees are required on all National Forest lands, according to information from the office of the Heppner Ranger district.

High School Sets Christmas Program

A "black light" skit and music by the band and vocal groups is scheduled for the Heppner High school Christmas program, Friday, December 17, according to an announcement in the high school PTA bulletin distributed Wednesday.

Rockets Due Here Saturday; Team Away on Friday

The program is designed to "impart the Christmas spirit to students' parents and school patrons," the announcement said. It will be presented in the multipurpose room.

Steve Warren, center, 6-1 1/2; Dick Flaiz, center, 6-1 1/2; and Steve Wagenblast, forward, 6-0, rounding out the team are Mark Brown, 5-10 1/2, a guard; Dennis O'Donnell, 5-9 1/2, a forward; and David Gray, 5-8, a guard.

Seven on the team are seniors—Gray, Heliker, Brown, Clark, Warren, Flaiz and Driscoll—and five are juniors—Hoskins, Doherty, Jacobs, O'Donnell and Wagenblast.

Six have had a year of experience with last year's state journey team—Heliker, Clark, Hoskins, Driscoll, Doherty and Jacobs—while five are up from last season's jayvees—Gray, Brown, Flaiz, O'Donnell and Wagenblast. Warren has had freshman experience.

Jayvee teams square off in the 6:30 p.m. opener in the Heppner gym Saturday night with the varsity game to follow. Plenty of season tickets are still available at the price of \$7.50 for nine home games. These may be obtained from members of the H-club or at the school office.

in a harmonious relationship, Earl recalls, with no feuds nor serious disagreements. Earl devoted most of his time to the plumbing department and the shop. Lou was pretty much in charge of the store and Leonard devoted much of his time to the bookkeeping.

History of the store goes back so far that the former partners are a little vague on early details, but they all shared a pang of sorrow on learning that the old firm is going out of business.

The sale will continue through Saturday, also starting on that day at 10 a.m. Free gifts will be given to the first 100 buyers each day, the owners said.

Chamber Hears Reports On Hospital Projects

Mrs. Joe (Betty) Hausler told of Beta Omega's plan to raise \$1900 for a water softener for Pioneer Memorial hospital and Dr. A. D. McMurdo reported on a demonstration of a 200-bed civil defense mobile hospital as they spoke on the program at the Heppner-Morrow county Chamber of Commerce Monday.

Mrs. Hausler said that the lone sorority, which has engaged in many philanthropic projects, is enlisting the support of other organizations and individuals to support the water softener project, equipment that is badly needed at the hospital.

The organization got a start on the fund by selling fruit cakes recently, raising \$125 by that means. It will sponsor the dinner at the lone Fall Festival Sunday and proceeds will go to the water softener fund.

Dr. McMurdo reported on a visit that he and Sheriff C. J. D. Bauman made to a demonstration of the portable civil defense hospital units in Pendleton Saturday.

The PDH (packaged disaster hospital) is a virtually complete 200-bed general hospital pre-positioned in cities throughout the state. It would be available to the community in the event of a disaster, either nuclear or natural, and is designed to be set up in existing buildings.

Generators are included in the package to provide for auxiliary power service. Included in the PDH are sections for admitting, operating rooms, wards, X-ray, laboratory, pharmacy and central supply.

The PDH, with a 30-day supply operational capability, contains approximately 725 boxes to facilitate transportation, handling, and long-term storage. It weighs about 50,000 pounds and requires about 7,280 cubic feet of storage space.

He showed pictures of the assembled portable hospital to the members. Some realistic displays, including dummy patients, were at the exhibit, he said.

David R. Potter, superintendent of Morrow county schools, is scheduled to enter Emanuel hospital, Portland, on December 29 for surgery and treatment and is expected to be away from his official duties for a period of three or four weeks.

His physician told him that he would be hospitalized for 10 days or two weeks and the balance of the time will be in convalescence.

The hospitalization is made necessary because of a recurring kidney ailment. The trouble was incurred during World War I in an airplane crash in England while Potter was in service. Since then, he has been hospitalized six times for treatment of the ailment.

Supt. Dave Potter To Enter Hospital

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Graveside service will be at Heppner Masonic cemetery at 2:30 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. Al Boschee, pastor of the Christian church, officiating. Funeral service will be in Walla Walla Saturday at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Keithley is a cousin of Mrs. Charles Vaughan, Miss One Gilliam, and Earl and Leonard Gilliam, all of Heppner; and of C. C. Gilliam, Campbell, Calif.

Some 2000 Visit Blue Mountain At Open House

Some 2000 persons, including a good number from Morrow county, responded on a bright afternoon to visit Blue Mountain Community College at its open house Sunday, according to Bob Abrams, a director of the college.

The response far exceeded that anticipated by the staff and administration but was particularly gratifying for them. Visitors toured the new college building, saw demonstrations and heard 15-minute lectures by Bob Larson, civil-structural teacher in the business and technical division. The lecture hall, which seats 99 persons, was filled most of the afternoon.

At the present time the new building is used for all college activities except for the president's office, practical nursing facilities, dental assistant laboratories, and mechanical technology shops. As the campus facilities are expanded with future construction, the present structure will become the science building.

Development cost to date, including the building, parking lots and access roads is \$750,000. The building is of post and beam construction and there are no load-bearing walls, allowing for maximum versatility of room rearrangement as space requirements change.

Each room has its own thermostat. Thus, one room can be cooled while another is being heated. A double circulating system circulates hot or cold water, or both, depending upon the season.

The new building covers about 38,000 square feet, two-thirds of it on the upper level. Seating in the 12 classrooms ranges from 12 to 99 students. The building also includes seven laboratories, a library, student activities area, bookstore, administrative and faculty offices, rest rooms, and storage, janitor and equipment rooms.

Abrams said that most pressing future needs are for the proposed mechanical-vocational building and for a library. Chairman of the board of directors is Oren Allison of Pendleton and President Wallace McCrae heads the administrative staff.

Among others in the receiving line at the open house were Walter H. Palmberg, dean of liberal arts and sciences, and

Memorial is Held For Georgia Perry, Of Lonerock Family

Funeral services were held for Georgia Adeline Perry at the United Church of Christ in Condon on Monday, December 6, with Rev. Randy Middleton officiating. Interment followed in the Condon Masonic cemetery, with Albee's Mortuary in charge of the arrangements.

Georgia Perry was born December 16, 1877, at Pittsburgh, Pa. She came to Oregon when she was 16 years old with her parents, three sisters and two brothers, and settled in the Lonerock country.

She was an ambitious person, always ready to work and help with those who needed help in time of sickness. She went to Butter Creek country and worked many years at the ranch home of O. F. Thompson near Echo.

She returned to Lonerock and cared for her mother during her last illness. She also lived in Condon, where she was employed, and during this time she and her sister, Mrs. Wick, purchased a home where they, and another sister, Mrs. Kellogg, lived together.

Following the death of the two sisters, Georgia entered the nursing home at Pioneer Memorial hospital in Heppner. She lived there the past three years, until her death on December 3, at the age of 87 years.

She was a member of Ruth Chapter No. 32, O.E.S. in Heppner for over 50 years. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Lillie Oatmen of Portland, a brother, Charles H. Bradford of Hermiston, as well as a number of nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Other members who were present were Cathy Sherman, Bobette Jones, Teresa Wright, Lona Sorensen, Beverly Phegley, Wendy Phegley, Mary Abrams and Christy Bradley. We met at the home of our leader, Mrs. Paul Arbogast.

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Eight Nominated For Chamber Posts

Eight members of the Chamber of Commerce were nominated for six director positions of the organization, to be open at the end of the year, by the nominating committee at the Monday meeting of the chamber.

Gene Pierce, chairman, who served on the committee with Elmer Schmidt and Frank Turner, submitted the names of Herman Winter, Paul Jones, Jack Grossnickle, Joe Balfo, Jack Van Winkle, Gene Winters, Harley Young and LeRoy Gardner. Others may be nominated from the floor at an ensuing meeting.

Six will be elected, and the board of directors will then elect officers of the organization. Holdover directors include Ed Gony, Wes Sherman, Bob Henry and Randall Peterson, president. Their terms expire December 31, 1966.

Officers Are Chosen By 4-H Crispy Cookers

At the meeting of the Crispy Cookers 4-H cooking club November 17, we elected officers. They are Janet Gentry, president; Gwen Drake, vice president; Christy Hagewood, secretary; Lisa McCabe, reporter and Patricia Van Scholack, program chairman.

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Crowd Lacking At PTA Meeting

Wednesday night's scheduled high school PTA meeting in Heppner turned out to be a faculty meeting with only one or two school patrons bothering to turn out despite a good program planned, it was reported following the meeting.

Some 10 or 12 faculty members were present, but the parents were missing, making it discouraging for the PTA leaders.

Principal Clayton Norton was scheduled to discuss the method by which textbooks are selected and adopted and was to answer questions from the audience. Haskell Sharrard, who has prepared figures on the cost of putting television circuits into the school for educational TV, was present to discuss the cost of the piping system.

But no one other than teachers, and maybe two others, came to hear. The program was the second in a scheduled series of four under the theme, "Know Your Schools," arranged by Mrs. Edda Mae Lovgren, program chairman.

Attending the golden wedding anniversary reception for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frederickson in Salem Sunday were a group of relatives from southern Morrow county, including Mrs. Wm. C. VanWinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer. Some of the group returned the same day and others stayed until Monday. The Fredericksons thoroughly enjoyed the reception and had a "houseful" of callers throughout the afternoon, according to Mrs. Green, a niece of the couple.

A very desirable approach to legally cutting the family Christmas tree in the forest, Schroeder suggested, is to contact one of the various government or private forest landowners who have responded to this demand by offering tree permits for a fee.

Granges to Join For Installation

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HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients who were admitted to Pioneer Memorial hospital during the past week for medical care, and were later dismissed, were the following: Lillian Sweek, Heppner; Luella Taylor, Fossil; Ricky Marquardt, Lexington; Walt Turner, Heppner; Edward Marick, Ione; Doris Cline, Heppner; and Kathryn Locke, Heppner.

Those who were admitted, and are still receiving medical care, are the following: Edna Yarnall, Ione; Ray Barnett, Ione; Glenn Irby, Heppner; Esther Hassing, Condon; Carrie Haux, Heppner; and Edna Turner, Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keenan, Heppner, are parents of a daughter, Kimberly Juan, born Sunday, December 5, weighing 8 lb., 2 oz. She joins two sisters, Robin and Suzanne, and one brother, Harry. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Mackey of Arlington, and paternal grandparents are Mrs. Marie Muessig, Cornelius, and Dick Keenan of Redding, Calif.

A second son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Scheil, Jr., of Condon, on Sunday, December 5. He has been named John Howard and at birth weighed 7 lb., 7 oz. He joins a brother, James Michael, at home. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Foster of Ontario, and Homer Shell, Sr., of Fossil.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Fossil are welcoming their first child, a daughter, born Tuesday, December 7, weighing 8 lb., 8 1/2 oz. She has been named Deborah Sue. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Burton Shell of Windover, Ky., and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Vernonia.

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