

# FARM

## Morrow Growers Get League Posts

Don Woodward, president of the Oregon Wheat Growers League, has announced the appointment of several Morrow county wheat producers to key committee assignments in the state organization.

Edwin (Tad) Miller, Jr., Heppner, will serve as state chairman on the important Federal agricultural programs committee, a post new to him as he has been working on the Soil Conservation Man of the Year committee. Bob Jepsen, elected state vice president, will also be one of the league's representatives on the board of the National Association of Wheat Growers. Milt Morgan, Ione, will continue to serve on the nominating committee.

The county league officers are Louis Carlson, Ione, president; Kenneth Turner, Heppner, vice president, and Gene Winters, secretary. Committee chairmen for the county association are: Betty Carlson, Ione, and Diana Kincaid, Ione, co-chairmen of domestic wheat utilization; Norman Nelson, Lexington, Federal agricultural programs; Ralph Crum, Ione, marketing; Don Peterson, Ione, transportation; Jack Sumner, Heppner, production & land use; David Baker, Ione, Conservation Man of the Year; Lindsay Kincaid, Ione, public relations; Don McEilgott, Ione, taxation & legislation; Bernard Doherty, Heppner, youth activities, and Kenneth Turner, Heppner, membership and finance.

## Horse Club Meets

The fourth meeting of the Two Trackers 4-H horse club was called to order February 1 by Karla Weatherford. Brette Howell read the roll call and 14 members were present. We went over the parts of the saddle and bridle. Beth Ford was our visitor.

Marcia Jones, reporter

## Organizational Meeting is Set For Workshops

Reupholstery workshops are being planned in the Heppner, Ione and Rhea Creek communities. Eight able leaders trained by Donna George, county extension agent, finished their chair projects last Friday and will teach others in their communities.

Enrollment forms have been received at the extension office from several persons who wish to learn reupholstery. Others interested in enrolling should contact the office right away for enrollment forms and other information so plans can be made for them to participate.

A preliminary meeting will be given by Miss George Tuesday evening, February 15, at 7:30 p.m. at the Heppner Fair Annex. It is important that anyone interested in the reupholstery workshop attend this meeting as suggestions for selections of chairs, fabric, and equipment will be given. Anyone who plans to attend but has a conflict that evening should contact the home agent beforehand. All interested are welcome to attend the preliminary; those who are having trouble deciding whether to take part in a workshop should attend the preliminary so they will have information to help in their decisions.

For the convenience of working men and women and others who prefer evenings, Mrs. Loren Lucore and Mrs. Rachel Harnett will teach an evening workshop at Heppner starting in March. Mrs. Frank Connor will teach a daytime workshop, also starting in March. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peck will be leaders for the Rhea Creek area starting in March and will hold their workshops either days or evenings, depending upon preference of those enrolled. Mrs. Earl McCabe, Mrs. James Lindsay, and Mrs. L. A. McCabe will be leaders for the Ione area.

## Your Home Agent

### Grooming Session Scheduled Feb. 12 For Ladies Day

**By DONNA GEORGE**

A special program for 4-H girls will be given at the old Lexington school library, Saturday, February 12, at 2 p.m. It will provide training in selection of clothing, grooming, etc.

A film on grooming will be shown and practice sessions held in judging of clothing construction and wardrobe selection. While this is especially for 4-H clothing and knitting members and leaders, all 4-H girls, regardless of their project, are welcome to attend.

### 4-H Clothing Leaders Attend Training Session

A special training session for leaders of the first three phases of 4-H clothing was given January 27 at Lexington by Donna George, county extension agent. Demonstrations, helps available to leaders, and other ideas for leading 4-H clothing projects were emphasized. Those attending were Mrs. Bob Bergstrom and Mrs. Albert Wright, Heppner; Mrs. Ralph Crum, Mrs. Roland Bergstrom and Mrs. Jim Barnett, Ione.

### IFFE Speaker Cancelled. To Report for Induction

Scheduled speaking appearances in Morrow county of David Schaad, International Farm Youth Exchange to Republic of China, will be cancelled.

Word was received at the County Extension Office this week that David received his induction notice. Although members of the State 4-H extension staff have made every possible effort to get his orders deferred one month, the request was not granted.

### Judge Jones Discusses County Situation with Program Planners

Morrow County Judge Paul Jones met with the county's Home Extension Program Planners committee January 26 to discuss various county situations. The committee works with the home extension agent in planning future educational programs relating to home life. The committee studies local problems in determining the kinds of programs which can best teach skills and information needed to meet these problems.

Much of Judge Jones' discussion with the committee related to juvenile delinquency. He explained present court procedures in handling juvenile problems and mentioned the influence of youngsters' home environments upon their behavior. He mentioned the importance of professional counseling for some "problem" youngsters, stating that a juvenile saved from further delinquency is a minimum saving to the state of \$10,000. (This refers to costs of detention homes, law enforcement, etc.)

Other topics given attention included park planning, development of land through irrigation in North Morrow county, and investigation of Economic Opportunity Act programs for Morrow and Umatilla counties.

Members of the Program Planners are: Mrs. Bernard Donovan, Boardman; Mrs. Warren H. McCoy, Irrigon; Mrs. Walter Wright, Heppner; Mrs. R. G. Watkins, Heppner; Mrs. Doug Drake, Heppner; Mrs. Leland McKinney, Ione, and Mrs. Edward Baker, Lexington.

## Sales of Wheat To Japan Climb

Cash imports of U. S. wheat to Japan for the calendar year set another new record in this most important competitive cash market, according to the Oregon Wheat Growers League. These sales amounted to 1,700,110 metric tons or somewhat over 64 million bushels.

The new mark boosted the U. S. share in Japan to 51.1% with Canada at 38.1% and Australia the balance in the amount of 10.8%. For the past two years U. S. exports to Japan have exceeded Canada—the first time in history.

This new record was 169,795 tons above the 1964 figure and marks the third consecutive year that sales have climbed to record breaking levels.

This is significant being the Oregon Wheat Growers League opened the Tokyo office in 1956 and Japan was a P. L. 480 market at that time. Since 1959 Japan has been a cash market. U. S. foreign market development work in Japan has resulted in it being the largest cash buyer of U. S. wheat.

## Branding Booklet Available Now

Oregon State Department of Agriculture has recently published a booklet entitled "Brands and Branding." This publication outlines the necessary procedures to follow in recording a brand in Oregon, how to keep it recorded, and the costs involved. A second part explains the art of branding.

The booklet covers the requirements of the branding iron such as sharpness of bends, width, gaps in sharp angles, and types of materials to be used. It has articles on proper fires for heating the iron, how to tell the proper temperature of the iron, timing, and application.

This booklet makes very interesting reading and should be of interest to anyone who has ever seen a blotched brand. Copies may be obtained at the Morrow County Extension Office, Heppner, or by writing the State Department of Agriculture, Agriculture Building, Salem, Oregon 97310.

## Cards Trip Rockets, Yield to McEwen

Ione High pulled the basketball upset of the year Friday night by defeating the Pilot Rock five, previously undefeated in league play, by a score of 63-55 on the Cardinals' floor.

However, the next night, McEwen caught them on the rebound and ended the Cards' victory string at seven games by tipping them, 49 to 43, at Athena.

A tight zone defense that limited the Rockets to outside shooting was one of the keys to the Friday win. Coach Gene Docket described it as a "real good defensive game with an all-out effort from the whole team."

Freshman Jim Swanson led

the scoring effort of the Cards with 18, all on field goals. Stan Holstein was second with 17. Ione hit 35% from the floor to the Rockets' 28%. The Cards tallied 26 field goals to 19 for Pilot Rock, who kept in the ball game on free throws, getting 21 of 34 tries while Ione counted but 11 on their 22 chances.

A cold spell on scoring in the third quarter was the Ione downfall at Athena. They only made five points in the period and the Scotties went into the final quarter with a 35-26 bulge. Ione took an early lead, 13 to 10, but lost it by halftime which favored Athena, 25-21.

"It was one of those nights when the ball was always bouncing the wrong way," Coach Docket said. Both teams hit 32% from the floor, but the Scotties took more shots. They also outbounded Ione, 37-20.

### PILOT ROCK 55

	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
McMahon	1	2	2	4
Anderson	4	2	5	10
Miller	2	4	3	8
Chapman	0	0	0	0
Wright	0	0	0	0
Black	1	0	0	2
Bond	2	5	1	9
O'Brian	1	1	0	3
G. Harrison	1	7	4	9
J. Harrison	5	0	2	10
Totals	17	21	17	55

### IONE 63

	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
W. Holstein	0	2	5	2
Lovgren	0	0	0	0
Magill	2	0	3	4
Linnell	0	0	0	0
Halvorsen	3	4	5	10
Swanson	9	0	2	18
S. Holstein	6	5	1	17
Ball	5	0	3	10
Morgan	1	0	3	2
Totals	26	11	22	63

### IONE 43

	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
W. Holstein	1	0	1	2
Lovgren	0	0	1	0
Magill	2	0	0	4
Linnell	0	2	0	2
Halvorsen	4	0	3	8
Swanson	2	1	2	5
S. Holstein	5	0	2	10
Ball	2	3	1	7
Morgan	1	3	1	5
Totals	17	9	11	43

## The Henchmen Play for Crowd

More than 150 people came to the Henchmen-sponsored dance after the Heppner-Sherman game. This created a small problem because of the lack of dancing space in the Legion Hall, but despite this, many people danced from 10:00 to 1:00.

Roger Leonnig, lead singer and drummer for the Henchmen, said that he was well-satisfied with the way the dance turned out and he thanked all of the people who attended.

The money the Henchmen made at this dance was used to pay part of the bill for their public address system.

### TRANSFERS ENTER

David Huber, a freshman and son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Huber, has transferred to Heppner High school after attending the first semester at Laurewood Academy near Forest Grove. Willa Johnson, a sophomore has transferred to Ione for the latter part of the year.

### BOOSTER CLUB PLANS TO SERVE AFTER GAME

Heppner Booster club will serve sandwiches and punch to the basketball teams after the Heppner-Watsonka game here Friday night. It is announced. They served a similar lunch to the players after the Sherman-Heppner game Friday.

### ATHENA 49

	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Clark	0	0	0	0
Jones	3	0	3	6
McMillan	2	0	1	4
D. Dunlap	7	1	2	15
B. Dunlap	3	0	1	6
Kennedy	2	1	2	5
Moses	6	1	2	13
Totals	23	3	11	49

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