

FARM

County Agent's Office

Countywide Tour Termed Success at Close Sunday

By GENE WINTERS
Morrow County Extension Agent

The week-end visit of 32 boys and girls from Portland and two boys from the Oregon School for the Blind to Morrow county was concluded Sunday afternoon when they boarded the bus for home.

The visiting 8th graders were shown and told on a 2-day tour about crops and livestock in Morrow county on cattle and wheat ranches. Some first hand knowledge of rural activities were also acquired at the host family farm.

According to reports, the 1966 8th grade tour can be classed with those of 1965 and 1964 as being very successful.

Spray Chemicals Recommended For Clover Mite Control

In the last week or so there has been a number of inquiries about controlling clover mites. Clover mites are usually rust-brown to dull-green in color with long front legs. They become troublesome in the spring and late fall when they migrate into dwellings.

Spraying of outside walls and the area 10 feet out from sides of building when the mites are active will control. The surrounding vegetation should also be sprayed. Repeat applications are frequently needed.

Malathion, Kelthane or diazinon are recommended for spraying.

In all cases the label should be read before spraying and precautions followed.

Weather Observer Records Help in Future Predictions

Using Heppner weather observer records and expecting future weather conditions to be similar to those of the past, certain probabilities can be determined.

The probability of having at least one-half inch of precipitation during the week of May 3 is 20 percent. This means that precipitation one-half inch or more is expected 20 percent of the time during the week beginning May 3, based upon the historical period 1928-1957. The chances increase to 27 percent

Wool Producers Find Advantages In Pool Contracts

By GAIL McCARTY
Morrow County Agent

Wool prices remain strong. Some recent pools have sold at higher prices than the early ones following defense department contracts for 5 1/2 million yards of worsted and worsted-blend yard goods. With these prospects, several Morrow county producers contracted their wool with the Grant-Wheeler wool pool which recently sold their 4,100 fleeces at 64.57 cents a pound grease basis.

Other Oregon pools selling recently have included Prineville, 65.47; Klamath, 66.53; and Douglas county for 57.17.

These figures would seem to indicate that wool producers could gain a more advantageous marketing position by forming a pool or joining an existing pool. This would provide buyers a larger amount of wool at one time and place and therefor a more attractive purchase.

The Grant-Wheeler wool pool directors have invited Morrow county producers to join in their pool, both in contracting wool and in electing members from this county to the board of directors. The consignors for this year, plus any other interested persons, are asked to meet next Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. in the County Agent's office to decide future plans concerning a goal.

Morrow County

CROP-WEATHER SUMMARY

(For week ending April 29)

Compiled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Grain burning in shallow soil areas. Some tillage in early fall seeded wheat. Alfalfa held back by cooler weather. Irrigated pastures with limited water available have a mid-season look. Pastures are extremely dry at lower elevations. Many cattle going directly from feeding to summer ranges. Deer moving down on alfalfa fields now; much earlier than usual.

for the week beginning May 10. The weekly average for the week May 3 is 0.26 inches with the average maximum temperature 69 degrees and the average minimum 40 degrees.

Wheatgrowers Annual Meeting Scheduled for Tuesday, May 17
A meeting of interest to all Morrow County Wheatgrowers is the annual spring meeting of the Morrow County Wheat Growers Association.

This has been scheduled for the evening of Tuesday, May 17. Details are now reaching the final stages and will be announced next week.

Achievement Day To Feature Talk By Judge Holman

By DONNA GEORGE
Morrow County Agent

All parents, homemakers and other interested persons are invited to hear Judge Ralph Holman discuss child guidance at the Morrow County Homemakers Achievement Festival. His topic, "A Child Today—Where Tomorrow?" deals with the influence of the home and family upon a child's emotional growth and character. Holman is the Associate Justice of the Oregon Supreme Court and is well known with his work with juveniles and is popular as a speaker on juvenile problems.

This event, which is the highlight of the year for the Home Extension Unit members, will be Wednesday, May 11, at the old Irrigon school gym. The program will begin at 10:30 a.m., preceded by a coffee hour from 10 to 10:30, courtesy of the Pine City Home Extension Unit. Judge Holman's talk is scheduled for 11 a.m. Those who cannot stay for the remainder of the program are urged to hear this talk.

Other parts of the program will include slides of re-upholstery workshops, preview of the 1966-67 home extension educational program, report on Homemakers Extension Council meeting in Corvallis, reports of home extension activities and installation of unit officers.

There will be some group singing and other musical entertainment will be provided by students of the Irrigon school.

Luncheon will be served at noon by the Irrigon Kindergarten Mothers. Reserved luncheon tickets are available in advance until May 6 from members of the County Home Extension committee who are in charge of this event: Mrs. Walter Hayes, Boardman; Mrs. Dean Acock, Irrigon; Mrs. Carl Rhea, Lexington; Mrs. Frank Connor, Heppner; Mrs. James Pettyjohn, Home; Mrs. Albert Wright, Heppner. Tickets are priced at \$1.25. A limited number of tickets will be sold at the door. Purchase of advance tickets is urged, however.

Joan Stockard Selected For OSU Azalea House

Joan Stockard of Heppner has received word she is one of the girls selected to live in Azalea House on the Oregon State University campus in Corvallis next year. Joan is a senior at Heppner High school and plans to enter OSU in the fall. She is the daughter of Mrs. Anita Stockard. Heppner. Azalea House is a cooperative living group for women students. It was built through the efforts of home extension units throughout the state. Home extension units in each county recommend girls to live there on the basis of their character, scholastic ability, financial need and their seriousness toward completing college successfully. Final selection is done by a committee at the university.

4-H'ers to Send Small Animals To Mexico Clubs

"This little piggy went to market," says the rhyme, "and this little piggy goes to Mexico," says many Oregon 4-H club members.

Throughout the state, 4-H groups are joining hands with the Heifer Project to send 40 small animals to 4-H groups in Mexico.

The Heifer Project is a national program which began sometime after World War II. It got its name from its first project, which was to send dairy heifers to the people of several Pacific Islands, where strong, healthy animals were not available. The cows were sent to farm extension offices and missionaries in the area.

A similar project with dairy goats and pigs has been developed in Korea. This is linked with the village development programs there.

The animals for Mexico—pigs, sheep, and dairy goats—are being raised and donated by 4-H club members in this state, and shipped by the Heifer Project to Mexico. There, they will be used by 4-H members in areas where animals are not so easily obtained.

Many 4-H groups are adopting this international goodwill program as a part of their citizenship responsibility. It is an opportunity—as the 4-H creed outlines—to help others.

All animals should be purchased. Some clubs are buying their animals with funds they have raised through various group projects. Others are grooming an animal donated by one of their own group members, or in some cases, donated by some commercial producer in the area.

Each group's animals will be on display at its county fair and the entire group will be seen at this summer's State Fair in Salem. From there, they will be trucked to Mexico.

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HEPPNER GAZETTE-TIMES, Thursday, May 5, 1966

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Melvin Dixon, Ph. 676-9224
Sunday School classes for all ages, 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.
M.Y.F., Sunday, 7:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Bible Study, Thursday, 8:00 p.m.
W.S.C.S., 1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

ST. PATRICK'S and ST. WILLIAMS CATHOLIC
Father Raymond H. Beard
Ph. 676-9462
ST. PATRICK'S (Heppner) Sunday Masses, 7:30 and 11:00 a.m.
ST. WILLIAMS (Ione); Sunday Masses, 9:15 a.m.
Confessions, St. Patrick's Sat. 7-8 p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
American Legion Hall
Glen T. Meacham, Br. President
Priesthood meeting, 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Sacrament Service, 11:30 a.m.

HOPE AND VALBY LUTHERAN
Rev. Kenneth J. Robinson
Ph. 676-9940

VALBY: Worship 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:20 a.m.
HOPE: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Lexington
Al Boschee, minister, 676-9209
Bible School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.
Family night services, Sunday, 7:00 p.m. at Lexington Christian church
Choir Practice, Thurs., 7:00 p.m., at Heppner
Christian Women's Fellowship, third Tuesday.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. Billie Alsop, Ph. 676-5581
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.
Mid-week Service, Tues., 7:00 p.m.

Cooking Club Meets

Eager Cookerettes 4-H club met at the home of our leader, Mary Doherty. Pledges were led by Barbara Bloodworth and Debbie Campbell. After Denise Bloodworth, president, adjourned the meeting, we worked in the kitchen. Tana Rauch scrambled eggs and Denise Bloodworth and Sherry Kemp made different kinds of toast.

Visitors were Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Rauch, David Campbell and Chris Rauch.

Debbie Campbell, reporter.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snider, accompanied by Mrs. Snider's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham, traveled to Ontario recently to visit the Cunningham's son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham. The Sniders recently returned to Heppner from Tennessee, where he had been stationed. At the end of his leave early in May, he will leave for service in Viet Nam.

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Heppner
Al Boschee, minister, Ph. 676-9209
Worship Service, 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Christian Youth Fellowship, Heppner and Lexington Youth, Sunday, 7:00 p.m.
Family night services, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.
Choir Practice, Thurs., 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. Don McCarty
Ph. 676-5529
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL
Sunday Services, 10:00 a.m.; Church School, 10:00 a.m.
Women's Guild, 1st Wednesday.

IONE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Rev. Walter Crowell, pastor
Ph. 422-7530
Church School classes, for youth and adult, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
Elder Elwood Boyd, Ph. 676-9682
Sabbath School, 9:30 a.m.
Church Worship, 11:00 a.m.
"Quiet Hour" radio broadcast, KGO, Sundays, 2 p.m.

Monument Soldier Completes Course

Army Pvt. Gary W. Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo C. Engle, Monument, completed a combat engineer course at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., April 15.

During the seven-week course, Engle was trained in the construction and repair of roads, railroads and bridges. He also received instruction in demolitions and mine warfare.

The 22-year-old soldier entered the Army in December, 1965, and completed basic training at Fort Hood, Texas.

He was graduated from Monument High school in 1961 and worked for Long Creek Meat Company before entering the Army.

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Hardman News

By BLANCHE McDANIEL
HARDMAN, RHEA CREEK — Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDaniel returned home Monday after spending a week in Elgin with their daughter, Mrs. Maxine Mahon and family. They spent one day in Walla Walla visiting Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stubbiefield. She is a granddaughter of the McDaniels.

Mrs. Dallas Craber is now home after spending about a week in Portland with her father, George Thomas. Archie Bechtolt was in Walla Walla on business one day last week.

Garold Booker of La Grande was in Hardman on Friday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDaniel and with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cecil were among those attending the Spray Rodeo dance Saturday night. Spending the week-end at the Cecil home were Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Cecil of John Day. Mr. and Mrs. Les Robinson were in Spray on Sunday.

Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas McDaniel were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McDaniel and boys from Long Creek. Ivan and family spent Saturday night and Sunday at their mountain cabin near Burton Valley.

Spending the week-end at the Albert Wright home were Don Pullen and Terry Fiegelson, Portland eighth graders, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wright and family of Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richards in Heppner.

Kenneth Case is making satisfactory recovery from an accident on the Kimberly-Monument highway early Sunday morning, April 24. He was brought to Pioneer Memorial by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Case, where he was placed under observation and treated for bruises.

Employment Offered At Condon Station

Officials at Condon Air Force Station announced recently that applications for employment as electronics specialists and mess attendants are being accepted.

Standard U. S. Government Form 57, and information on wages, hours and duties may be obtained from local postmasters. They added that positions at other military installations in Oregon, Idaho, Washington and California will be opening soon.

Further information on the specific positions at Condon Air Force Station may be obtained by contacting the Civilian Personnel Officer at Condon Air Force Station.

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