



IF YOU CAN'T FIND YOUR BOOTS, plastic bread sacks make good temporary overshoes, as Dale Holland, Jr., demonstrates here. Mrs. Holland needed to go downtown when the snow was on the ground, couldn't find son's overshoes, and so improvised the bread sacks over his regular shoes. The whole thing was a lark for Dale, as one can see by the picture, and his feet kept nice and dry. Young Dale's dad is driver education teacher for Morrow county high schools and is Heppner High baseball coach. (G-T Photo).

Chamber Hears County Report On Developments

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the first time the Bureau of Public Roads has come back and added to the contract for such a structure," the judge said.

The overpass will still not allow access to highway 80, however. The county may be forced to build six miles of road to serve the area south of the highway and connect with existing county roads and frontage roads.

The judge said that the highway officials have told the county that the market concept of roads has gone with the coming of the freeway. Average daily travel to be expected in the area would not be nearly enough to justify construction of the access to the highway, the county has been informed.

Willow Creek Project

The \$51,000 announced last week as having been placed in the president's budget for a Bureau of Reclamation study on the irrigation feature of the Willow Creek project is just about enough to provide for this phase of the pre-construction study, the judge said.

While this must yet be approved by Congress, the judge said, "We feel sure the \$51,000 will be approved."

Information to the county court is to the effect that if the Reclamation study shows the irrigation feature is feasible, there is little chance that the Willow project will "fall through." Congressman Ullman is hopeful that if the budget for the Corps of Engineers pre-construction study is not approved this year, it will be in next year's Federal budget.

Arbuckle Mountain

Under agreement with the State Highway Department, the county is keeping the road open to Arbuckle this winter for the benefit of skiers.

County's bill for this service to the state to the first of February was approximately \$1000.

"This doesn't come cheap," the judge said, but pointed out that the cost is much higher to the highway department in other ski areas around the state. Total cost of keeping the roads open is borne by the state.

Road Plans

The county oiled 40 miles of roads last year, but probably the oiling program this year must be held to some 25 to 28 miles, the judge said. The county now has some 250 miles of oil roads in the county. Soon all important links with state highways and county roads will be paved, and barring major disasters, all roads in the county will permit access under year-around conditions.

Comparison of taxes from 1948 to the present shows that the road program is costing taxpayers little more than it did 12 years ago. Ten years from now almost every farm house in the county will be an oiled road in keeping with the policy of taking farm houses "out of the dust," he said.

Tough Budget Year

The fiscal year 1967-68 will be a "tough budget year," the

Committee Seeks Public Response

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ling some help through the county budget for 1967-68. Judge Jones said that if a group presented a request to the county budget committee, the request would be considered by the committee, but he added that demands on the budget may be heavy for the coming year.

For the purposes of having an organization to work on the project, it was decided that the group would organize as the "Morrow County Historical Association."

French indicated a willingness to start at once on research for the book.

Any funds collected from donations would be protected for the donor to the extent that the funds are unused.

French said that while he would have every intention of completing the project, some eventuality, such as an accident, could cut his work short. In such a case, any work that he had done to that point would be turned over to the committee to seek completion elsewhere. If it were necessary to abandon the project, unused funds would be returned to the donors, pro rated according to the size of the gift.

While sale of the books would return some funds, French pointed out that discounts to dealers given by professional publishers run high and probably less than 50% would be netted. The committee could choose to distribute and sell the books itself but it would not have the organization to sell nearly as many, he said.

Because there would be no great demand for the books from the general public outside the county, sale could not be expected to exceed 1500 to 2000 books, French estimated.

He proposed that the historical record of the county, emphasizing its early history but going to the present, should form the skeleton of the work. Anecdotes and personal accounts from those who shared in making the history of the county would form the "meat" or "flesh" of the book, he said.

Cutsforth said that he had hoped that the history would be composed more of a collection of anecdotes.

Mrs. Harnett was chosen secretary of the committee.

Judge said, with more demands. Needs to be met include additional for the hospital and for weed control. The weed problem is becoming serious and fund requests may be tripled. Budget in Morrow for weed control in 1966-67 is \$3500. In Umatilla county it is \$45,000.

Civil Defense

Morrow county will participate in a meeting in Condon to see what can be done if fallout ever comes to this area, the judge said. It is tentatively figured that shelters can be provided at \$1.50 per person to house the population for two weeks. In Morrow county this would amount to about \$7200.

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Portland Church Scene of Wedding Of Donald Seitz

By VIRGINIA KELSO

KINZUA — In a double ring service, read by Rev. Johnston at the Kern Park Christian Church in Portland on Saturday, January 21, at 7 p.m., Miss Joanne Amelia Lesser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Lesser of Gervais became the bride of Donald Wayne Seitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Yuba Seitz of Fossil.

The ceremony was before the altar decorated with lavender and white candles in candelabra and baskets of lavender and white chrysanthemums. Pew bows were of lavender and white carrying out the bride's color scheme.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin with detachable train. The front of the gown was accented with a lace panel embroidered with seed pearls. Her elbow length veil was held with a white satin Dior rose and she carried an arrangement of white rosebuds centered with a white orchid.

Maid of honor was Miss Susan Wright of Kinzua with Mrs. Margie Miller of Portland, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid. They wore street length dresses of lavender silk faille trimmed with white lace daisies. They also wore white net head pieces and carried a single white rose with satin streamers.

James Woods of Portland was the best man while Warren Nistad of Kinzua and Richard Seguin of Portland served as ushers.

The wedding music was furnished by the church organist while Mrs. James Barton sang "Whither Thou Goest."

Mrs. Lesser, the bride's mother, wore a turquoise suit with beige accessories and Mrs. Seitz, mother of the groom, chose a blue ensemble with black accessories. They both had double white orchid corsages.

Immediately after the service, the reception was held in the church social room where the 3-tiered wedding cake, topped with small bells, carried out the lavender and white theme. After the young couple cut and shared the first slice of cake, it was cut and served by Mrs. Anna Haggblom of Seaside and Mrs. Alex Osejo of Portland. Coffee was served by Mrs. Fred Less with the punch being poured by Mrs. Daniel Bell of Kinzua.

Miss Kathleen Reid of Portland was in charge of the gift table with Miss Sharon Westergard of Gervais having the guest book.

The young couple left for a short trip to various points in Central Oregon with the new Mrs. Seitz wearing a three piece suit of beige and brown with brown accessories and purple orchid corsage. They will make their home in Portland where Don is employed by Parman and Ellis and Mrs. Seitz by the Hyster Company.

Mrs. Seitz, who formerly lived in Fossil, is a graduate of Gervais Union High school. Mr. Seitz, a graduate of Wheeler High school, attended Central Oregon College in Bend and Portland Community College.

Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Bowman and family went to Bend Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy and family. Mr. Murphy, who has been hospitalized for several weeks in Bend, was transferred to the University of Oregon Medical School hospital on Monday for further tests and treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seitz of Portland were Tuesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dannie Bell. On Wednesday, Mr. Seitz went to Arlington to attend the funeral services of Ernest Ellis.

Donald W. Carey, better known as Butch, left last Monday for San Diego, Calif. to take his boot camp training with the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Oyster of Prineville visited with relatives here over the week-end. When they returned to Prineville on Sunday, they were accompanied by Mrs. Don Slinkard.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keller and family spent the week-end visiting with friends at Madras.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rice and son Mike and Mrs. C. W. Breese were business visitors to Madras on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zolen Tripp of Redmond visited with relatives and friends here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyal Hubbell and family spent the week-end at Milton-Freewater where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eldridge. While there the Hubbell girls had dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeMeritt and Gene Oliver were business visitors to Heppner on Tuesday. While there Mr. Oliver had medical care.

Seven members of the Camp 5 Womens club had their annual dinner at Jesse's Place in Fossil. Those attending were Lola Ferral, Jean Medlock, Ruth Jordan, Barbara Mortimore, Betty Murdock, Nancy Hawk and Carol Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Medlock and family spent Sunday in Spray with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Medlock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Murdock were in Heppner Friday where Herschel had medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bell have both retired and moved to Union on Monday where they will make their home.

Mrs. Jack Sitton returned



OLD TIMERS of Heppner Elks Lodge No. 358 were honor guests of the lodge Thursday evening, January 26. A total of 1,257 years in Elksdom were represented by the 30 members present, who have belonged to the organization for 30 years or more. The lodge has a total of 83 members in this category, which would total a membership of 3,540 years. Senior member present was Frank Turner, with 58-year membership; other 50-year or more members were Walter Becket, Lewis Cason, John Carter and Walter Hayes. Reading from left to right, (front

row): Pat McIntyre, Bill Doherty, Ed Clark, Harold Cohn, Holla Solvestor, Frank Turner, Luke Bibby, Ralph Jackson; (second row): Earl Gilliam, Cleo Drake, Claude Cox, Walter Becket, Milton Morgan, C. J. D. Bouman, John Carter; (third row): Claude Graham, John Bergstrom, Jim Hayes, Walter Hayes, Larverne Van Marter, Sr., Lewis Cason, Sam McMillan; (fourth row): Carl Bergstrom, Barney Doherty, Al Bergstrom, Ray Ferguson, Coj Swanson, Francis Doherty, P. W. Mahoney, Hugh Smith. (G-T Photo).

County Receives Highway Revenues

Morrow county has been apportioned \$13,821.51 from state highway revenues as its share of \$4 million apportioned to Oregon counties for the period of October 1 to December 31, 1966. Clay Myers, Secretary of State, has announced.

Of the county's share, however, \$6,250 is deducted because of emergency advances made after the December 1964, and January, 1965, floods. Net apportionment is \$7,571.51.

County Judge Paul Jones said Tuesday that the emergency advances given the county have not been spent and remain on deposit to the county in time certificates.

Revenues collected by the state from fees, fuel taxes and fines for the period was \$20,896,681.50. By law, counties receive 19 per cent of the total, and the distribution is based on the number of vehicles registered from each county during 1965.

A total of 4,254 vehicles were registered from Morrow in that year.

The Secretary of State also announced distribution to Morrow county of \$612.52 as its share of quarterly liquor privilege taxes for the period ended December 31. A total of \$36,282.07 was distributed to counties and another \$88,760.69 went into the state's general fund.

home Saturday from Pendleton where she spent several days in the hospital having a cyst removed from her ankle.

Daughter Joins McMinn Family

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe McMinn became the parents of their second daughter on Thursday, January 26, at the Heppner Pioneer Memorial hospital. The little girl weighed 7 lb., 6 oz. and has been named Brenda Jo. She joins a sister Cheri Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe McMinn and Sterling Wham, all of Kinzua.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vern Nolan of Heppner on Monday, January 30. She has been named Terri Ann and weighed 7 lb., 11½ oz. at birth. She joins a sister, Christine, and a brother, Michael. Grandparents are Mrs. Mildred Morris, Heppner, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Nolan, Heppner; great grandmothers are Mrs. Cora Wilson, Heppner, and Mrs. Myra Peck, Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall of Mt. Vernon spent the week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perry.

Spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Prince were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prince and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Prince all of Redmond.

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Elks Plan Thursday Dinner, Ladies Night

The busy calendar of events for Elks Lodge No. 358 for February will start with Ladies' Night, Thursday evening, February 2, with a southern friend chicken dinner to be served by Mrs. Sharon Cutsforth and her committee from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Past exalted rulers will be honored at the regular lodge meeting.

Duplicate bridge will be in play on Tuesday evenings, February 14 and 28, and pinochle club will meet each Wednesday evening, February 8, 15 and 22. The lodge will celebrate its 70th anniversary on Saturday, February 25, with a special dinner and afternoon and evening programs.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted to Pioneer Memorial hospital during the past week, and are still receiving medical care, include the following: Clarence Jacobson, Hardman; Curtis Papi ne a u, Lexington; Emma Breshears, Lexington; Wilfred Baldwin, Heppner, and Charles Klinger, Lexington.

Those who were admitted for medical care, and were later dismissed, were the following: George Lane, Condon; Mark Samples, Heppner, and Doris Dyer, Kinzua.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe McMinn of Kinzua are announcing the birth of their second daughter, Brenda Jo, born Thursday, January 26, weighing 7 lb., 8½ oz. She joins a sister at home, Sherri Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe McMinn and Sterling Wham, all of Kinzua.

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County School Calendar

SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY

- February 1
Heppner Advisory Committee
- February 2
Basketball: Condon Frosh at Heppner High—5:30
A. C. Houghton at Stanfield—2:00
Immunization Clinic at Ione—9:00
- February 3
Basketball: Riverside at Ione
Umatilla Jr. High at Ione—2:00
Girls' B.B.—Riverside at Ione—5:15
- February 4
Basketball: Heppner High at Enterprise
Echo High at Riverside
Ione High at Weston
A. C. Houghton at Condon—2:00
- February 5
Ione Junior Class Country Style Dinner—12:30
- February 6
Morrow County Schools Budget Meeting—Ione—7:30
Ione Advisory Committee Meeting—7:00
Umatilla-Morrow Elem. Principals at Helix—12:45
- February 7
Basketball: Pilot Rock Frosh at Heppner—6:00
Boardman-Irrigon Advisory at A. C. Houghton—7:30
- February 8
Heppner High PTA
Elementary Report Card Committee—Lexington—1:30
- February 9
Morrow County Schools Budget Meeting—Heppner High Library at 7:30
Ione PTA
Morrow County Health Dept. Immunization Clinic at Boardman and Irrigon
Home Extension—Old Bldg.—A. C. Houghton
Community 4-H Meeting—Cafeterium—A. C. Houghton—7:30
Ione Seniors to Pendleton for Pictures
Echo Jr. High at Ione—2:00
- February 10
Basketball: Heppner High at Burns
Umatilla High at Riverside
Ione High at Stanfield
A. C. Houghton at Arlington—2:30
4-H Leaders Meeting—A. C. Houghton Cafeterium—10:00
- February 11
Basketball: Riverside at Weston
Heppner High at Grant Union
Helix High at Ione—6:30
Heppner Elem. at Condon—1:30
- February 13
Regular School Board Meeting at Lexington—7:30
Irrigon Kindergarten Begins
- February 14
IFYE Program at A. C. Houghton—10:15
IFYE Program at Heppner High—9:30
IFYE Program at Heppner Elem.—1:00
FFA Meeting at Riverside 6th Period
Oregon School Employees Assoc. Meeting—A. C. Houghton Cafeterium—7:30
Valentine Parties
- February 15
National Assembly—Riverside—10:30
- February 16
Morrow County School Budget Meeting—Lexington—7:30
Armed Forces Visitation at Riverside for Seniors
4-H Home Extension Tailoring—A. C. Houghton—7:30
Basketball: Heppner High at Condon—5:30
- February 17
Basketball: Umatilla at Riverside
Echo High at Ione
Arlington at Heppner Elementary—2:00
Sherman County at Heppner High
Ione at A. C. Houghton—2:00
OCCI in Salem—9:00
- February 18
Basketball: Heppner High at Madras
Riverside at Helix
Ione High at Umatilla
- February 20
OEA at A. C. Houghton—4:30
Budget Meeting at A. C. Houghton—7:30
Girls' Basketball: Pilot Rock at Ione—5:30
- February 21
FFA Banquet at Riverside
- February 22
George Washington's Birthday
- February 23
Basketball: Heppner High Frosh at Pilot Rock—6:00
First Publication of Morrow County Schools Budget
- February 24
Basketball: Riverside at Pilot Rock
Wahtonka at Heppner High
Ione Elementary at Heppner Elementary—2:00
- February 25
National Merit Tests at Heppner High
Sweetheart's Ball at Heppner High
- Basketball: Athena at Riverside
Condon Elem. at A. C. Houghton—2:00
- February 27
A. C. Houghton PTA—7:30