

Joint County Weed Meet Called Tuesday, Dec. 12

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With poor weed control in wheat this past year a record turnout of Morrow county growers is expected at Tuesday's joint Gilliam-Morrow County Extension Service Weed meeting. Starting at 2:00 p.m. on December 12 in the Arlington grade school, county producers will hear how they can make money with properly applied herbicides.

Participating with farmers will be Oregon State University and industry weed researchers, as well as commercial applicators and agriculture chemical dealers.

The registration and release of new weed materials now makes it possible to control weeds germinating with wheat. These weeds, including tarweed, have been most responsible for the reduction in wheat yields.

The use of new formulations of Tordon and bromoxynil will be discussed. The place of linuron, diuron and 2,4-D in the summer fallow wheat areas will be featured. Now for the first time growers have a material to take care of a specific weed problem in winter wheat. Build-up of resistant weeds can now be minimized by rotating chemical treatments.

Other weed problems affecting

the two county area are included in the program.

Farmers Given Extended Time On Grain Reseal

Farmers with 1964, 1965, and 1966 crops of feed grains now under reseed loans will be able to extend the loans and reseed the crops for another year following maturity dates in the spring and summer of 1968, according to David McLeod, manager, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office.

This announcement, the manager said, provides farmers more time than in the past to arrange storage for continued reseed and gives users as well, additional assurance of future market stability.

Feed grains of the 1967 crop, along with wheat and soybeans, have already been made eligible for reseed in farm storage and also in commercial storage. This is the first time reseed has been provided for feed grain crops in commercial storage.

Storage cost for carrying these reserves under either farm or commercial reseed will be covered by the government. Farmers who hold their 1967 grain on the farm under first-year loan will be authorized on request to shift it to commercial storage for continuation under loan in the reseed program.

McLeod points out that the term "reseed" is commonly applied to the renewal or extension of a price-support loan beyond the original maturity date. Commodities stored on the farm as collateral are put under "reseed" and when the loan is extended the collateral is "reseeded". The term "reseed" now will also be used in referring to extended loans on commodities stored in commercial warehouses although such price-supported commodities are not sealed as they are on the farm.

Along with the reseed announcement, the USDA outlined its sales policy for the remainder of the 1967-68 crop marketing year. Since 1967 feed grain production appears to be in excess of prospective use by around 6 million tons. Government stocks are to be unavailable at least as long as the volume of new-crop grain under loan is less than this tonnage. In any case, Government stocks will not be obtainable for restricted use at less than the higher of the market price or 115 percent of the loan rate plus carrying charges.

The price-support loan gives farmers immediate cash and enables them to hold their grain off the market until sales is more advantageous.



REV. PRESCOTT BEALS

Program on India Slated Sunday At Local Church

The Rev. Prescott L. Beals, who has served for 43 years as missionary of the Church of the Nazarene, will speak at the Heppner Nazarene church Sunday evening, December 10, starting at 7 p.m. He will show color movies of the work in the countries where he has served, principally India.

With Mrs. Beals, he spent 34 years in India, also some years in the Caribbean area, serving in Trinidad and in Guyana (formerly British Guiana) in South America. After Mrs. Beals' death a few years ago, Rev. Beals went to British Honduras in Central America where he completed a four year term.

Now living in Walla Walla, Wash., Rev. Beals came to Heppner to serve while the church was obtaining a pastor following the departure of the Rev. Don McCarty.

The Rev. and Mrs. Paul Tesch and small child will arrive here Saturday to begin serving the church. He will give the morning message Sunday.

Author of two books, "India's Open Door" and "India Reborn," Rev. Beals was the first resident missionary professor in the Nazarene Theological Seminary in Kansas City, Mo. He was honored as the alumnus of the year in 1963 by his alma mater, Northwest Nazarene College, Nampa, Idaho. He knew the late Mohandas Gandhi of India and is also acquainted with the Hon. George Price, present prime minister of British Honduras.

Since his retirement from active missionary service, Rev. Beals has served for three years as visitation minister for the First Church of the Nazarene in Walla Walla and now is devoting full time to evangelism and missionary convention.

'Bowl Down Cancer' Tourney Nets \$181; State Playoff Due

Finals have been concluded at Fiesta Bowl in Heppner in the "Bowl Down Cancer" tournament which started during the month of October. In the qualifying round, a total of \$54 was contributed to the local cancer fund by the 108 participating bowlers.

In the house eliminations and house finals, a total of \$127.50 was contributed to the American Cancer Society by the bowlers and Fiesta Bowl, making a total of \$181.50 contributed to cancer research.

Local contestants will bowl in the state finals December 9-10 at Kellogg Bowl in Milwaukee. Those taking part in the state competition from Heppner are Mrs. Ron Gray, Mrs. Morris McCarl, Mrs. Jim Follensbee, Vernon Munkers, Riley Munkers, Charles Ruggles, and Red Hullett of Kinzua.

Bowlers in this state competition will compete for such prizes as a new 1968 Volkswagen, a 1968 Bumble Bee Boat, color TV, a mink stole, a trip to Hawaii, and many more valuable prizes.

Local Student Nurse Capped in Ceremony

At traditional capping ceremonies at Central Lutheran church, Portland, on November 22, Sheridan Wymar was one of 55 members completing these requirements at the Emanuel Hospital School of Nursing.

Principal speaker at the ceremony was Karl W. Keller, dean of faculty of Concordia College, who discussed "Walking That Second Mile".

Attending the ceremonies from here were Sheridan's mother, Mrs. Ilene Wymar, also her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laughlin, and Sherri Lynn O'Brien.

After graduating from Heppner High school in 1966, she was enrolled one year at Marylhurst College. She will continue her training at the hospital.

Mollahan on Staff Of District Attorney

Larry Mollahan, son of Mrs. Pat Mollahan and brother of John Mollahan, all of Heppner, has recently been appointed to the staff of District Attorney Keith C. Sorenson of San Carlos, Calif., according to word received here. He will serve as an inspector in the district attorney's fraud and fugitive detail.

For the past seven years Mollahan has been a policeman with the San Francisco Police Department. Following his graduation from Heppner High school he attended Southern Oregon College, where he received a bachelor of science degree.

He is married to the former Brenda Bengtson and the couple has four children.

Club Sells Candy

Country Cutters 4-H club met November 27 at the A. C. Houghton school library. We made plans to sell candy December 2, starting at 10:30 a.m., in Irri-gon. Those selling were Mitchell Reed, David Richards, Tim Rice, Robert Richards, Peggy Brandt and Karen Richards.

We had the Brandt family as our guests. Our next meeting will be December 11, at 7:30 p.m.

Karen Richards, reporter

Four Enumerators Work on Survey

Four enumerators are now working in Morrow county on the Home Fallout Protection Survey which is being conducted by the U. S. Bureau of Census throughout the State of Oregon for the Oregon Civil Defense Agency.

Those taking the survey include Barbara Devine, Shirley Marlatt and Dorothy Scott, all of Heppner, and Dolores Pummel of Irrigon.

John E. Tharaldson, director of the Census Bureau regional office in Seattle, states that the fallout protection survey includes only single family homes and two- and three-unit dwellings. It is being taken by mail in cities of 10,000 or more population, but in areas outside these cities interviewers are visiting homes to obtain the required facts and figures about the construction of houses. Tharaldson asks householders to welcome the interviewers and to give full cooperation so that accurate information may be obtained.

Leaders Make Plans

The Irrigon 4-H Leader's meeting was held November 28, at the home of Mrs. Marge Shade. Attending were Mrs. Acock, Mrs. Kerlin, Mrs. Leighton, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Shade, Mrs. Wilson, Judy Snyder, Steve Acock, Danette Leighton, Bobbie Acock and Karen Richards.

We made plans for meetings from December through May.

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