

## Traffic to Halt As Buses Unload

Because of the hazard that exists from vehicular traffic passing by the Heppner Elementary school, a new policy has been established to protect children there, Al Martin, principal, announces.

When school buses unload at the school, their flashing light signals will be turned on. Others driving by the school, regardless of which direction they are traveling, must stop until the buses are unloaded and the area is safely cleared of children, he said. When the flashers are turned off, the vehicular traffic is free to proceed, provided the cross is also clear and the traffic light there is on green.

To help implement the new policy, the buses will stop in the middle of the street that runs between the Elementary and Junior High buildings rather than pulling over to the curb, the principal said.

Those who drive by the bus while the flashers are going will be in violation of the law and will be subject to the penalties prescribed.

Principal Martin said that he will ask the city police to observe the new procedure until it is well established and watch for violations.

One child was almost struck by a car recently. Some of the hazard is created when a youngster will come from behind a bus and into the line of traffic.

Martin requests the full cooperation of the public on the new policy in the interests of the safety of the school children.

## IFYE Informs Club Of Modern Influence In Korea Agriculture

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At the meeting by Mrs. Birdine Tullis, Morrow county Extension Aide, and Mary Speckhart of Pendleton, Umatilla - Morrow county 4-H agent.

Also introduced as guests of the club were two senior girls, Mona Marshall and Nancy Campbell, also Mrs. Rita Wolff, Mrs. Marilyn Phegley, Mrs. Betty Doherty and Mrs. Alice Savard.

Regular business meeting of the club was changed to February 13, so that the IFYE student could be heard while visiting schools and other groups in the county during the past week.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted to Pioneer Memorial hospital during the past week, and still receiving medical care, are the following: Charles Dennison, Heppner; Betty Pfeiffer, Heppner; Annie Bealy, Heppner; Melvin Hueltt, Kinzua; Elsa Mott, Heppner; Arthur Smith, Heppner; Sybil Bran, Heppner; Herman Havekost, Ione; Betty Jolliff, Condon; Ethel Perkins, Heppner, and Mona Thompson, Fossil.

Dismissed, after receiving medical care, was Melvin Ashlock, Echo.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tipton of Kinzua became parents of their third child, a daughter, born Thursday, February 6, weighing 7 lb., 11 1/2 oz. She has been named Tamara Lynn and joins a brother, Michael Roy, 5, and a sister, Tina Marie, 3. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gifford, Medford, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tipton, Beaverton. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Nissen, Vancouver, Wn., and Mrs. Edith Gifford, Medford.



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## John Cole Writes From Enterprise

MM2 John F. Cole, Heppner High school graduate, has written from Hawaii where he is serving with the now disabled USS Enterprise which was struck several weeks ago by explosions and fire in an accident that killed and wounded many aboard.

MM2 Cole has recovered from an injury sustained the day before the fire. Because he was hurt prior to the mishap that struck the ship, he was not on duty in that section of the ship where he might otherwise have been stationed.

Cole states that he has been transferred to RM-2 Division and will remain there until he is discharged from the navy or is transferred off the Enterprise.

"I am playing on the division baseball team while we are here in Pearl Harbor," the ex-Heppner High athlete writes. "We have lost five and only won one but we try hard! We have been beaten 7-1, 2-1, 10-1, 5-2, and 5-1 but won 12-1. I am 7 for 13 at bat which leads the team and have a 1-0 pitching record."

Cole states that he would like to hear from everyone in the HHS class of 1964. His address is John F. Cole MM2 915-03-34, RM-2 Division, USS Enterprise CVA-N-65, FPO San Francisco, Calif. 96601.

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## Hodde Tells Need For Developing Irrigation Here

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We must be careful that per acre water costs don't go too high. For example \$50 per acre would be too high for most crops.

Hodde heads a small staff to do a big, complex job and that is coordinating mechanism to sort out all federal, state, and private studies and proposals affecting water and related land. Annual expenditures for water studies are \$7 million by federal agencies, \$2-3 million by state and local, and more by private groups. It's a big region covering most of five states, so much. Private power companies will build and own the plants.

Hodde met with members of the county court, port commission and Heppner SWCD in a session after the regular meeting. His knowledge and articulation was impressive. He covered many ramifications of bringing water to the area via a thermal nuclear generator.

He listed these obstacles:

1. People and power sale profits are west of Cascades. Transmission lines can't carry so much.
2. Warm water benefits to crops will be negligible.
3. But he was enthusiastic about our advantages:

1. Large amounts of irrigable land.
2. A 1500 surface acre impoundment could be located for cooling, thereby eliminating expense of building cooling towers.
3. Fog or smog problems would be nearly non-existent.

4. Would bring needed irrigation, industry and growth to needy and depressed area.
5. Would alleviate the urban sprawl and congestion.
6. Would balance state growth.

He made a big point of getting east-of-mountain growth. He mentioned that Governor Evans of Washington and the new Secretary of Agriculture have expounded on the need to improve a floundering rural American economy. Social, economic and environmental development makes it clear that regional planning is a must.

A last point by the wise and genial coordinator was that local interest and effort will have to be great. People, politics and competition make it a real challenge. Morrow county has the resources, but it's up to the determination of its people.

## Annual Meeting Notes 25 Years In Conservation

Twenty-fifth anniversary meeting of the Heppner Soil and Water Conservation district was appropriately observed, complete with cake and candles, at the Lexington Granite Hall last Tuesday night.

The cake was presented at the start of the meeting, just after it was called to order by Ray French, chairman of the supervisors, O. W. Cusforth and Orlean Wright, two of the original supervisors, were called upon to blow out the candles, which they did after repeated efforts.

But the conservationists spent little time in fanfare or resting on their laurels. They proceeded to business at hand and later listened to a talk, "Water for Morrow County Farmlands," by Charles W. Hodde, Vancouver, Wash., chairman of the Northwest River Basins Commission.

Louis Carlson, State Conservation Man of the Year in 1967, explained the manner in which the state selection committee picks the conservation man. Carlson acted as chairman of this committee for the Oregon Wheat League in 1968. He also showed slides of conservation practices of the various farms that the committee toured, including those of practices on the ranch of Peterson Bros. Ione. The brothers, Gerald and

## Huskies, Eagles To Test Mustangs

By MARK POINTER

On Friday night the Horsemen of HHS will travel to Moro to meet the Huskies of Sherman County. The following night the Wahtonka Eagles will test the skill of the Mustangs in the HHS gym.

The league leading Mustangs will have to be on their toes against the cellar dwelling Huskies, even though the Huskies were humiliated by Pilot Rock 70-28, last Friday night. Jeff Paulson and Eugene Tsubota have provided the Sherman County team a good one-two scoring punch but they don't seem to be able to find any backing.

Wahtonka's Eagles, sporting a 3-1 record, will attempt to ruin the 3-0 record of the Mustangs. The Mustangs handed the Eagles their only league loss last week. The Eagles have a balanced team with Bruce Wilkes and 6'7" Butch Schmidt providing good backboard strength.

All in all, this week-end should be an exciting one for the Mustangs as all the teams in the Western division of the Greater Oregon League will be looking to ruin the league leaders' perfect record.

The following week-end the Mustangs will be on the road both nights, meeting the Rockets of Pilot Rock Friday night and the Madras White Buffaloes Saturday night.

Wendell E. Smith, Plymouth, Mich., is President of The United States Jaycees.

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## Booklet Informs Changes On Disabilities

Vernon A. Welo, social security district manager in La Grande, announced publication of a new edition of the popular booklet, "If You Become Disabled."

Copies of the new booklet, which explains in clear and concise terms the latest changes in the disability insurance program as well as the basic provisions of the law, may be obtained by calling, writing, or visiting the La Grande social security office at 1802 4th Street (P. O. Box 1027), he said.

The booklet may help correct a number of misconceptions about the disability insurance program, Welo said.

Among these misconceptions, he noted the following:

1. That a person has to be "permanently" disabled to qualify for payments. "I cannot emphasize too strongly that this is definitely not the case," Welo said. "Payments may be made to a person who is 'temporarily' disabled if he is not expected to recover from his disability for a year or more from the time it forced him to quit work."
2. A person has to be totally disabled in the sense that he is bedridden or totally paralyzed to qualify for payments. "Again, very definitely not so," Welo said. "The worker merely must have a physical or mental condition that prevents him from doing any substantial gainful

work over a period of at least 12 months. There is no necessity that he be drastically incapacitated in order to receive payments."

3. Since at least 5 years of covered work in the 10-year period before the disability began are needed if payments are to be made, the young disabled worker who never had a chance to work that long is left out in the cold. "This has not been so since the 1967 amendments to the social security law," Welo said. "As the booklet points out, a worker becoming disabled before age 24 now needs credit for only 1 1/2 years of work in the 3-year period ending when his disability begins. A worker 24 through 30 needs credit for having worked half the time between 21 and the time he becomes disabled. It is only when he is 31 or older that the 5 years are needed, but even then the years need not be consecutive or in units of full years."

Most disabled workers, he said, hope to return to work. Their social security benefits are an income replacement to help tide them over until they can go back to their old jobs or be trained to do some other job. When a worker applies for social security disability insurance benefits, he pointed out, he is considered for rehabilitation services by the vocational rehabilitation agency in Salem, Oregon.

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Bible Study, Thursday, 8:00 p.m.

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Pastor Rudolph Mensch  
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Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Sacrament Service, 11:00 a.m.

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Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
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