

Visiting Students Have Great Time

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more. Athena, explained the system.

Arriving at the Turner place prior to 11:30 the group enjoyed the hospitality of the Turners for lunch stop, eating the sack lunches that they had brought. The pond and rural setting on the bright day provided a relaxing respite for the visitors. The Wheat Utilization Committee furnished punch with Mrs. Harold Kerr, Mrs. Tad Miller and Mrs. Turner acting as hostesses for the committee.

Wheat Production Explained

The students had been given questionnaires on Morrow county ranching and Turner went over the answers on this stop. He also explained about wheat production and conservation practices.

Here, too, the eighth graders saw a demonstration of a wheel roll sprinkler.

At the Kirk and Robinson ranch, purebred cattle were featured. Don Robinson told of the raising of purebred stock, and more demonstrations were given. He discussed production for improvement of meat.

The scheduled horse demonstrations at the Morrow county fairgrounds was moved to the Floyd Jones place. Floyd Jones, Ralph Beamer, Dr. Jim Norene and Art Vance gave a cow cutting demonstration, and three girls, Marcia Jones, Sherri O'Brien and Sandi Matheny, gave a barrel racing demonstration as the last planned event of the day.

Saturday Game Set For Little League

The arrival of spring and warmer weather seems to announce the beginning of summer sports activities, with baseball heading up the list on Saturday for the four locally sponsored Little League teams.

The opening game of the season will be a double header planned for 1:00 p.m. at the baseball field at the fair grounds.

Teams have been busy practicing for the opening games for several weeks now under the direction of their coaches and will play according to schedule four nights a week throughout the months of May and June for the league championship.

Teams competing this year are the Giants, sponsored by the Kinzua Corporation, and coached by Joe Yocom, with Gene Orwick assisting; Dodgers, sponsored by IOOF and coached this year by Dave Eckman; Indians, sponsored by Morrow County Grain Growers and coached by Lindsay Kincaid; and the Braves, sponsored by the Elk's Lodge, No. 358, coached this year by Marion Green with Pat Cutsforth assisting.

Little League officers and advisors this year include Wayne Harsin, president; Norman Supple, vice president; Bob Jones, secretary - treasurer; LaVerne Van Marter, Jr., Clyde Allstott and Louis Carlson, directors.

Concessions will be offered throughout the season under the direction of members of the Jaycee Wives group.

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Rockets, Scotties Take First Spots In County Meet

The Heppner Mustangs finished with 65 points behind Pilot Rock (198), Wah-tonka (89), and Enterprise (83), at the Morrow County Invitational meet Saturday at Riverside High school. In B-class competition lone placed fifth with 49 points while Riverside amassed seven points.

Frank Halvorsen, lone senior, won three firsts as he took the high jump and the high and low hurdles events. Gene Crowell received a second place in the mile and Bob Ball, also a lone senior, placed third in both the 220-yard dash and the 440-yard dash.

Riverside received a fifth place in the 440 relay. Also placing for Riverside were Jody Tatone, sixth in the pole vault, and Fossey, fifth in the mile.

In the A-2 competition, Heppner placed were: Pat Sweeney, second, pole vault; Larry Anderson, fourth, high jump; Steve Munkers, fourth, shot put; John Hall, fourth, javelin; Dave Wright, fourth, 440-yard dash; Kevin Dick, third, mile; Lee Huson, fourth, 880-yard run; Craig Munkers, sixth, high hurdles; Tom Cutsforth, fifth, discus; Steve Munkers, sixth, discus; Dave Wright, sixth, long jump; Kevin Dick, first, and Kelly Green, second, two mile; and Heppner's team placed fourth in the mile relay competition.

Heppner's only first place came on Kevin Dick's 10:48.2 performance in the two-mile. Kevin, a sophomore, has been a steady point producer. Green finished right behind Kevin with an 11:10.6 in the event. Pat Sweeney also turned in a second place finish in the pole vault with a best vault of 9'6".

The new Morrow County Invitational proved to be a success in its first year. Ten B schools attended this new meet and five A-2 schools heeded invitations. The meet is planned to be held yearly on Riverside High's fine track. This track was built, as was the rest of the school, last year.

Team scores for the A-2 entrants were Pilot Rock, 198; Wah-tonka, 89; Enterprise, 83; Heppner 65; and Grant Union, 46.

The B-school points were garnered by McEwen with 139, Umatilla with 81, Arlington, 73; Condon, 63; Ione, 49; Joseph, 32; Weston, 26½; Echo, 15½; Riverside, 7; and Stanfield, 6.

WEDDING, PARTY and ANNIVERSARY napkins with names imprinted; monogrammed playing cards; wedding invitations and announcements, all available at The Gazette-Times.

Over The Tee Cup

By MARIE McQUARRIE

There is no doubt about it—Sunday was a perfect day for golfers—and there were a great many of them taking advantage of it. There was nothing especially planned, but all were trying their luck on the links. New members, "first time" golfers, and those that hadn't hit a golf ball since last fall, made a goodly mixture of players enjoying the course from morning until almost dark. Many were just trying to "iron out" the wrinkles for the new season and in the process found many muscles that hadn't been used all winter. This happens to all golfers that are summer golfers, so it seems.

The fairways and greens are in excellent condition for so early in the year. Our thanks to all those who so diligently worked to make the course a green paradise on which to play. A special thanks to Lowell Gribble for taking his time to spray broadleaf killer and for getting all those "beautiful little dandelions." They are just curling up their toes in disgust and making room for the grass to grow more plush. "Thanks, Gr."

A letter was sent to all members of Willow Creek Country Club by President Ed Schaffitz this last week. Read it carefully. Included was a list of all the activity committees and the persons he chose to fulfill these special duties. Why not put this list in a conspicuous place so you may refer to it often and see just who is who and what "who does" and what your special work is. This is a very efficient working group, so let's all get behind the president and do our duties willingly and happily to make this a smoothly run fun year. Regularly planned play for Sundays will soon be the order and these are always fun in which to participate.

Also included in Pres. Schaffitz' letter was a list of the Ladies' Days and Playdays. Keep this list handy, lady golfers, then you will know when it is your turn to preside over the Tuesday's play, plan what is going to be done for that day and also have the clubhouse clean for your designated date. If we all take our turn, our activities should run like clockwork all summer.

Here's to a "Wonderful World of Golf" at our Willow Creek Country Club for the summer of 1969.

Coming Activities in Golf High school teams from Wheeler, Grant Union and Heppner are having a tournament at Willow Creek Country Club, Thursday, May 1, starting at 1:30.

Morrow county teachers are planning a get-together tournament for Saturday, May 10, at 10:00 a.m. This includes both men and women players.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients who received medical care at Pioneer Memorial hospital during the past week, and have been dismissed, are the following: Bess Cox, Heppner; Betty Lou Greentup, Ione; Dr. Perry Smith, Condon, and Nancy Emery, Heppner.

Those admitted, and still receiving medical care, are Jordan Wallace, Fossil, and Hugh Jones, Condon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schlen-der of Heppner became parents of a third daughter on Wednesday, April 23, weighing 7 lb., 15½ oz. She has been named Diana Ray, and joins two other sisters at home. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Schlen-der, all of Malta, Idaho. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Nellie Ward of Almo, Idaho, and Mrs. Mary Tofoya of Palo Alto, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lee Stone of Heppner are announcing the birth of their third child, a son, on Sunday, April 27. He weighed 8 lb., 15 oz., and has been named Joseph Lee, Jr. He has a brother and sister at home. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Everest of Til-

Top College Hands Billed for Rodeo Here May 30-June 1

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At Eastern Oregon College on the ensuing week-end, the boys took third. At Bozeman, Mont., the boys were third and the girls were second.

Coming rodeos, prior to the regionals here, will be at Pullman, Wash., La Grande and at Yakima.

Rhoden gave a resume of the college teams and of some of the best performers.

Montana State Tough. "We beat Montana State once, but they came back at Missoula and clobbered us," he said. Marvin Joyce, who is an RCA cowboy, is the leader for Montana State, participating in bulldogging and saddle bronc. He won the all-around at Missoula. The same team also has another pair of top hands in Terry Wagner and Alvin Wagner, brothers. Terry won calf roping in Bozeman and took the all-around trophy.

At the present time Blue Mountain is running either in second or third in the intercollegiate point totals. Montana State is first. The top two teams in the region will go to the national finals in Deadwood, S. D., so the Blue Mountain squad has a real stake in the regionals here.

McCoin, who was all-around at Lewiston and whose wife, the former Patti Pettjohn of Ione, won barrel racing at Lewiston and Missoula and was second at Bozeman, told of the stock that is consigned for the regional event. Ed Ring of Ellensburg, Wash., is stock contractor.

"He brought what you might call his 'culls' to Lewiston," McCoin said. "He will bring his good ones here."

A bucking horse, "Trade-winds," which was voted the most valuable horse in RCA competition for two years will be at the regionals for the boys to try to ride. Also coming is a palomino mare which McCoin describes as "not big but is probably the most valuable bucking horse in the world."

Freeman said that the rodeo sport is considered a very important extra curricular activity. Unlike most college sports, there is no stipulation that the competitors cannot also participate in professional events outside of college, and many do.

With advisors and families, the participating group at the regionals will exceed 100, Freeman said. The plan is to reserve the Heppner hotel for the girl contestants. One motel is set aside for other participants, and some of the boys will find other housing.

"We understand there is a big barn with a lot of hay at the grounds," Freeman said, "and they are a pretty resourceful bunch."

First performance will be right after the Pioneer Memorial picnic on May 30, which will be at the fair pavilion. This will be followed by 1:30 p.m. shows on Saturday and Sunday.

Freeman said that he felt that the picnic and rodeo could help each other by creating additional interest.

BMCC students are organized in competition for selling tickets, and the entire student body is participating. Sale starts today, May 1, and the three students who sell the most will receive "very high awards," Freeman said. All tickets will be general admission—\$2 for adults and for students to 15 years of age. School children to 15 years will be admitted on a "2 for 1" basis, one ticket being good for two, and pre-school children will be admitted without charge. Dances are scheduled both Friday and Saturday nights with the Western Gentlemen of Condon to play Friday night and Sheldon and His Cowpokes from Culver playing Saturday night.

lamook, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stone of Heppner. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Eva Hartwig of Eugene, Elmer Everest of Tillamook, and Mrs. Myrtle Smith of Heppner.

Privett to Head County Jaycees

John Privett was elected president of the Morrow County Jaycees at their meeting Wednesday, April 23.

Other officers elected to serve during the ensuing year are Tom Wilson, 1st vice president; Al Osmin, 2nd vice president; Forrest Burkenbine, secretary; Jack Melland, treasurer; Tom Beam, Internal Director; Ron Gray, External Director; and Jerry Hollomon, immediate past president of the group assumed the office of state director. Newly elected chaplain to serve the group is Dave Flanagan.

New officers will be formally installed at the annual installation banquet, planned for Saturday, May 3, at the Legion hall, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Spoke and Sparkplug awards will be

awarded at the banquet and announcement of this year's Outstanding Jaycee will be made. Ed Patterson, state president of La Grande, Larry Keimig, District 13 vice president and Larry Fuller of Ontario, national director are expected to attend the banquet, in addition to other local guests from the area.



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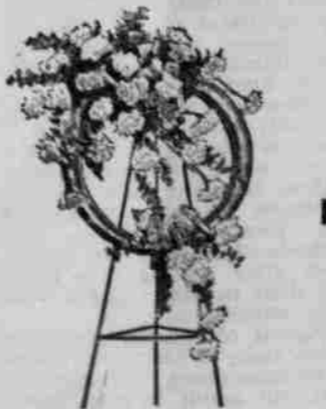
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