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Well Fed Americans

Interesting statements were made at the recent Oregon Cattlemen's Assn. meeting. Some of these things you probably already know about, others may come as something of a surprise.

Climaxing the 4-day convention at the Portland Sheraton Hotel, 400 beef producers were told, "If Oregon is going to continue as an important beef producing state, production efficiency will be the all important factor."

Dr. James E. Oldfield, head of Oregon State University's Animal Science Department, told the large audience that there are only two ways to increase beef production profits, "Either decrease your production, or increase your efficiency." Earlier in the convention, Bill House, President of the American National Cattlemen's Association, told the audience, "Today, one farmer produces enough food for himself and 42 others. When he shuts down the ranch because he can't make a living on the price of beef, this has a direct relationship on the 42 city dwellers who depend on him for their food."

Somehow, he suggested, this message must be communicated to the folks in the city, or there won't be anyone left to tend the farm. He said it is not possible to continue to feed the American public at current market prices.

"Today's American family spends 16 1/2% of its budget for food," House pointed out, while in many parts of the world families must spend 50% of their take-home pay to put food on the table, and they still don't eat nearly as well as Americans do."

He mentioned the beef boycotts that became a popular cause last summer when prices did creep up high enough for cattlemen to show a fair profit.

House cited the New York beef boycott, noting that it was sponsored by, and probably paid for, by the Australian beef producers. "Other foreign beef producers, as well, are trying to destroy our relationship with the American housewife so they can increase their import quotas," he asserted.

Walter Leth, director of the State Department of Agriculture, said the farmer and the rancher have a big selling job to do in communicating the importance of agriculture to the urban population. "The 5% of us who live on the farm must explain our situation to the 95% who take food for granted," said Leth.

Gordon Walker, President of the Agri-Business Council, echoed these thoughts, adding, "The name of the game has been cheap food. All of us in agriculture have to take the initiative to promote adequate understanding to attain an 'about face' in the thinking of our counterparts in the city." He observed that this educational process must be accelerated now, because tomorrow may be too late.

INFORMATION ABOUT

WAGE EARNERS' RIGHTS

FROM THE
**OREGON BUREAU
OF LABOR**

NORMAN O. NILSEN
COMMISSIONER



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QUESTION:
Did the recent terminations of the Job Corps receive any assistance from the Employment Service?

ANSWER:
Yes, the Department of Labor recently reported that nearly 90

percent of the men and women from recently terminated Job Corps centers who applied for assistance at Employment Service offices, have been referred to either training or jobs. Of these, 70 percent are actually in jobs or being trained.

The Department's most recent figures were based upon special reports received from State employment security agencies. These agencies reported on the status of 5,827 of the 6,301 enrollees scheduled to report for assistance at their local offices. As of early August, 4,565 had actually reported; 1,953 were placed in jobs, and 930 were enrolled in training; 639 refused referral to jobs or training; 350 had been referred but were not hired and 178 were scheduled to begin training.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editors:

Since Heppner and Morrow County are such strongholds for Masonic Orders I felt they will be interested in hearing about the annual banquet of the Masonic Lodge, Easter Star and affiliate orders in the auditorium of Terwilliger Plaza Monday evening. Some 150 persons were served. Dr. Howard Stephenson was master of ceremonies; Fred Johnson was in charge of arrangements for everything and was assisted by many committees. The tables arranged in the shape of a Star were decorated with bouquets of dozens of roses given by a florist shop at Beaverton.

Top event of the evening was the Shrine Chanters chorus composed of 31 Chanters in full Shrine regalia who sang several numbers to the joy of all. For this event they said they would charge nothing for their services but since all money they make is given to the Shrine Hospital for crippled children, it was de-

vised by the Masons of the Plaza to take a voluntary offering and for this \$78.00 was given much to the surprise of the Chanters. Ormond R. Bean was in charge of this.

I am a member of Ruth Chapter No. 32, Heppner.
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Dear Editors:

Denny Jones, President of the Oregon Cattlemen's association, who rode the Appaloosa mare into the lobby of the Sheraton Hotel and the story of this was in the Monday Oregonian, is the younger son of Gene Jones of a pioneer family in Morrow County. Denny is also a cousin of my late half brother, Ralph D. Jones, a farmer and stockman in the Buttercreek section. His picture and of the horse were also in the Monday evening Journal.

Denny Jones is also a prom-

Enjoy 50 Years Together



EVA SHANNON and DARL E. HUDSON shortly before their marriage 50 years ago.



MR. AND MRS. DARL HUDSON on the 50th Wedding Anniversary

Heppner Couple Honored On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Darl Hudson celebrated their 50th anniversary with an Open House on Nov. 8. They were married on a Saturday 50 years ago on Nov. 8, 1919 in Missouri. Their children hosted the Saturday affair and joined in greeting guests.

The anniversary cake was topped with wedding bells and a gold 50th. The table was laid with gold net over white. The lovely gold tea service was loaned for the occasion by Mrs. Helen Cox. Mrs. Ervin Anderson and Mrs. Elmer Palmer, mothers of two early piano pupils of Mrs. Hudson's cut and served the cake. Former piano pupils, Mrs. James Green of Arlington was at the punch bowl and Mrs. Dean Connor of Heppner at the coffee urn.

An arrangement of white mums with gold accents centered the table and was a gift of the family. For their parents' 50th anniversary gift, the family gave their mother a ring and their father a tie bar, each with the birthstones of their five children. They also received a number of potted plants.

Mrs. Hudson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Wells of Vancouver, Wn., were here for the occasion and several day's visit. A couple they had known in Missouri came up from Forest Grove. They were Mr. and Mrs. Gene McVay. Their children and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hudson and (Sharon), Mrs. James McClelland and Michael of Arcata, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Jack McTimpeny and Jack B. Unrein of Heppner, Mr. and Mrs. George Perkins and Keith of Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dee Hudson, Sandy, Cindi and Jackie of Heppner. Not able to be present were Jerry Hudson of Arcata and Frank Unrein in Vietnam.

Their five children were born 1920, 1924, 1930, 1934 and 1939. They had one or more in school from 1926 to 1957 for a period of 31 years. They were active with school and church activities during these years as well as the American Legion and the Elks.

Way Back When

It is interesting how these two met. Darl who was later to become known as Shorty was born in Missouri and grew up in Iowa. Eva Shannon who was later to become Mrs. Hudson was born in Iowa and grew up in Missouri. Darl returned to work in Missouri. He and his girl friend, with Eva's sister and her boy friend enjoyed homemade ice cream and cake at the Shannon home one Sunday afternoon. That night they all went to church. Eva sat next to an open window. During the sermon Darl tossed a package of gum through the open window into her lap. So with this early version of "Sweets to the Sweet", their romance started.

The next Wednesday night he

came to call. This was a musical evening. The whole family enjoyed singing around the piano and playing the harmonica.

Four years later, one of them Darl spent in the army, they were married on her parents' 25th wedding anniversary. They farmed the dust bowl years in Missouri where two of their children, Hubert and Wilma (Mrs. Jack McTimpeny) were born. A relative returned to Missouri and painted Oregon as the land of milk and honey. The Hudsons with her parents and two sisters chartered a train car and came to Heppner in 1928. This was where Shorty got his nickname along with his brother-in-law who became "Slim". Franklin Grade scared them to death.

Heppner was smaller then than now. Two streets were paved. They were used to flat and green country and the dry hills surrounding Heppner looked pretty bad to them. Then as now it was hard to find a place to live. Mr. Hudson's first job was helping lamb for Oliver Justice. Then he went 30 miles south to work at Reed's Mill for the then fabulous salary of \$4.00 a day. Men worked in Missouri for the same kind of labor for \$1.50 a day.

Gladwin, deceased, Donna (Mrs. George Perkins) and Jay Dee were born after they moved to Heppner.

Mrs. Hudson has taught piano lessons in Heppner for 22 years. Mr. Hudson has worked in the Chevrolet Garage, had a milk and grocery delivery, did construction work and worked for the county for 16 years first on road construction and was custodian when he retired.

Now they look at "those dry hills" and love them.

D of H Dinner Dated

Degree of Honor Protective Ass'n. members and families will enjoy their annual Thanksgiving dinner Nov. 22 at the Episcopal Parish Hall. Preceding the dinner at 7:30 members of the square dance club under the supervision of Darrell Wilson will dance and there will be other entertainment during the evening.

Gem Society to Meet

Morrow County Gem and Mineral Society will meet Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the McMurry building. Guest speakers will be Glenn Lee, Federation director and Mrs. Lee, Bulletin editor, both of Pendleton. They are members of the Oregon Trail Gem and Mineral Society.

Senior Citizens Meet Friday

Senior Citizens will again meet Friday from 2 until 4 p.m. at the Neighborhood Center. Glendoris Fernandez will be over to conduct the craft session. There will be no Senior Citizens on Nov. 28, the day after Thanksgiving.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Herman Havekost, et ux to Ronald Ekstrom, et ux—Contract City of Ione.
Claire Melby to Grace Tweed, City of Irrigon.
Willetta Tweed to Russell Tweed, City of Irrigon, 1/6 Int.
Loren Lucore, et ux to Harley Sager, City of Heppner.
Ray Ayers to Chalmer H. Priddy, et ux, City of Heppner.
Katherine Hefer, Jessie Furlong, Alice Potter Miller, & Claude Bray to the Heppner Cemetery Maintenance District.
Emma Gardner to Harry H. Harding, et ux, Boardman.
Harry Harding, et ux to Lawrence Phillips, Boardman.
Earl J. Drake, et ux to A. L. Brainard, Sec. 23, T. 4 N, R. 24, 120 acres, \$10,000.00

Teachers Have Get-Together

The Heppner Elementary teachers hosted a Thanksgiving get-together for the high school teachers Monday evening after school. The tables were decorated with oranges and yellows, cornucopias and turkeys. A variety of pies were served along with nuts and mints, punch and coffee.

Alan Martin introduced the teachers and chairman of the board Jack Sumner was a guest. This time of getting better acquainted was a revival of something enjoyed in times past.

Shower Honors Mrs. Anderson

Mrs. Douglas Anderson of Beaverton was honored with a Pink and Blue shower at the home of Mrs. Leo Ashbeck of Pine City. Co-hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Tom Ashbeck and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger. There were 25 guests present. After games, the gifts were opened. Pumpkin pie and coffee were served.

CHUCK WAGON

These here frosty mornings remind a feller of our wonderful modern conveniences. Of course we wouldn't want to have missed knowing how to chop wood, how to trim a wick and how to churn cream. And, by golly, no one ever charged us twenty five bucks to fix our outdoor plumbing!

Ledington On Yorktown

Fireman Leslie N. Ledington, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor H. Ledington of Spray, is serving aboard the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown which recently visited the Dutch city of Rotterdam.

He was provided with a preview of the Netherlands countryside when the carrier followed 18 miles of canals connecting Rotterdam to the North Sea.

While in Rotterdam, one of the world's largest seaports, men of the Yorktown had the opportunity to enjoy the cities photographic and shopping delights plus attend tours of neighboring Dutch cities.

The Yorktown is presently conducting routine operations in the Atlantic.

Rodeo Board Sets Grounds Work Day

The Morrow County Livestock Growers Ass'n. and the Rodeo Committee are holding a joint work day to maintain the corral on the Fair Grounds on Nov. 22 beginning at 9:30 a.m. Some posts need to be reset gates hung, broken boards replaced and general cleanup. Members are asked to bring own tools and a friend.

SHIRLEY BOTTS is moving to

Pendleton. She went over Tuesday to find housing. She plans to enroll at BMCC. On Sunday she went to Fossil to visit her mother Mrs. Bud Hughes and Mr. Hughes.

School Lunch Menus

Presented Through Courtesy of Heppner Branch



Heppner Elementary and High Schools

Monday, November 24 — Sloppy Joes, green beans, carrot and celery sticks, upside-down cake, milk.
Tuesday, November 25 — Steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, green salad, peas, rolls, dessert, milk.
Wednesday, November 26 — Cook's special.
Thursday and Friday, — No school — Thanksgiving vacation.

Mark 7 Years in 4-H Work



SEVEN YEARS IN 4-H: Vicki Hobbs, Bobby Acock, Patti Proctor.

4-H Cooking Club Meets in Ione Park

The Merry Mixers 4-H cooking club of Ione led by Pat Petty-John met in the Ione park Oct. 1 to elect new officers. Joan McElligott, president; Jan Peterson, vice pres.; Debora Palmer, secretary; Carol McElligott, news reporter; game committee: Jeanie Piening, Doreen Flack and Natalie Tews.

We will have two junior leaders this year... Sandi Carlson and Kathleen McElligott. Plans were made for entertainment at the 4-H achievement night Nov. 8 and for 4-H night at PTA on Nov. 13.

We removed our window display for National 4-H Week from Bristow's Store window. We had a wiener and marshmallow roast in the park.

On Oct. 28 at Natalie Tews home, we made potato soup and baking powder biscuits.

On Nov. 11, we had an all day meeting at our leaders home and made cookies and gum drop cake for refreshments for the PTA. We also made decorations for the tea table.

We practiced the kitchen band and Kathleen McElligott gave a demonstration on "How to make a Hobo Dinner," which she will give at the PTA meeting Nov. 13.

Our next meeting will be at our leader's home on Nov. 26. Carol McElligott, reporter

Justice Court

Week of Nov. 7-14
David Marick, defective equipment \$10 fine suspended. Dale Vaughn, Mayville, disobeys stop sign BF \$15. Sandra Carlson, failure to dim and Deborah K. Warren, no operators license on person, neither were fined but warned that the next time there would be. David Wright, defective muffler. Ordered to fix muffler, no fine.

The Witty Knitty Knitters met Nov. 13. The meeting was held at Mrs. Don Boners. We elected officers. The president is Krynne Robinson, secretary Cathy Palmer and reporter Sandra Palmer. Next meeting is Nov. 20.
Sandra Palmer, reporter

COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

SENIOR CITIZENS
Friday afternoons, 2:00 p.m.
Games, Pinochle, Bingo
Heppner Neighborhood Center

FOOD SALE
Sponsored by Methodist Church, Saturday, November 22, 10:00 a.m.
Turner, Van Marter and Bryant office
"Table of Surprise Packages"

TURKEY HOP
Sponsored by the Soroptimist Club
Nov. 29, Fair Pavilion, 9:00 to 1:00
\$1.50 per person
Music by the Western Gentlemen

SADIE HAWKINS DANCE
Sponsored by Sophomore Class of Heppner High School
Friday, Nov. 21, 8:30 to 12:00
High school cafeteria
Music by the Auctioneers
All high school students invited to attend

WINTER CONCERT
Ione High School
Tuesday, Nov. 25, 8:00 p.m.

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