

Ione Has Mini Flood Monday

IONE—In an unofficial check it was found that Ione has had a total of 1.20 inches of moisture the past few days. With the coming of the freezing rain, followed by the run off Ione was again experiencing running water through the main street of town. Rietmann Canyon began its slow descent into town and by 6:00 p.m. Monday evening water was moving through the lower portion of town. Alert officials blocked off the two streets which usually experienced the worst damage by water and the main flow was diverted to the lower fields and into the creek channel. Other canyons in the county also were experiencing runoff and several isolated incidents occurred. Young Jimmy Kinzer spent Monday night in Ione with friends as he was unable to get home following basketball practice. Dick Sherer tried to ford Eightmile canyon and had to summon aid to get out. Many country residents reported slick and almost unpassable roads.

Harvey Smith and Roy Goodrow accompanied Gilliam County agent, Tom Zinn to Corvallis the first part of this week to attend a range management meeting. The trio were overnight guests Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hershall Townsend at Portland.

Vela Eubanks underwent surgery at Bend on Jan. 8. Mr. and Mrs. John Eubanks were with her until Friday evening, when they returned to their home in Ione. Mrs. Eubanks was expected to return to her home with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brenner on Tuesday of this week.

Willows Seek Princess

A new policy for choosing the Rodeo Princess to represent the various granges and organizations will be used this year, it was announced by Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen, secretary of Willow

Creek Grange. Each girl in the Junior and Senior class at Ione High was issued a letter of invitation to participate in the try-outs. Each girl and her parents are to be at the Heppner Fair Pavilion on Sunday, Jan. 18, at 1:30 p.m. where they will compete against other girls in their own area for the right to represent Willows Grange. The Rodeo Board will do the judging and choosing of each girl this year. At the same time they will be interviewed along with their parents by the Rodeo Board. Any girl who rides and would like the honor of representing Willows Grange is invited to attend. This includes any girl in the Junior and Senior class.

Joe Halvorsen, Leland Magill and Roland Ekstrom spent the past weekend at National Guard. Joe and Leland report to Baker and Roland at La Grande. Mrs. Ekstrom accompanied Mr. Ekstrom for the weekend and visited in La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morgan were pleasantly surprised on Saturday night when their son Spec. 5 Gary Morgan phoned them long distance from Bangkok. It was 12:30 a.m. here and it was 3:30 Sunday afternoon his time. He reported it was 86 degrees at Bangkok. He is expected in the states in March of this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morgan attended the Western Wheat Association meetings in Portland the latter part of this past week. They visited Monday and Tuesday at Long Beach at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown. Mrs. Brown had just returned home following surgery and was reported much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Imel of Bend were visitors Saturday through Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Blaine Chapel and Cassy. The families visited relatives in Condon and Pendleton on Sunday and Monday of this week.

Ione Meetings Listed

WAC will meet at the home of Mrs. James Lindsay on Thursday, Jan. 15 at 11:00 a.m. for an all day meeting. Members are to bring a salad or dessert. Sunday, Jan. 18 there will be a potluck dinner at 12:30 at the Willows Grange Hall. The afternoon program will be in honor of the Past Chaplain, Mrs. Wate Crawford who has filled this position since 1945. Ione American Legion meeting will be held at their hall

on Jan. 20 at 8:00 p.m. This will be a regular business meeting. Scott Crabtree of Lexington was a weekend guest at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crabtree.

Laura Marick had the misfortune to slip on the ice at church on Sunday. It was first thought she had broken her leg. She was taken to Heppner for X-rays and found it was not broken. She will be off it for a few days and home treatment to reduce the swelling and soreness.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Yarnell were hosts for a turkey dinner on Saturday evening at their home in honor of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kincaid. Also guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pettyjohn of Heppner.

Paula Lindstrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Lindstrom fell at school on Monday, breaking her right arm.

Richard Hamlett received a badly sprained right ankle in the basketball game at Riverside on Saturday evening, and will be benched for a time.

Church Plans Annual Meet

The annual meeting of the Ione United Church of Christ will be held on Jan. 25 at 1:00 p.m. There will be a potluck dinner immediately following the morning worship service. Members are urged to attend this important meeting as election of officers will be held and annual reports will be given.

Confirmation classes will begin in February for all grades nine through 12 who have not been confirmed. Please contact Rev. Luedde if your child plans to attend these classes.

Other United Church meetings scheduled includes: Deaconesses meeting; Tuesday, Jan. 20; Trustees meeting, Tuesday, Jan. 20 and Women's Fellowship meeting, Thursday, Jan. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Padberg went to Portland on Tuesday of last week. They had New Year's dinner with Mr. Padberg's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Padberg, Jr. Other guests were his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore of Gresham and another son, Vernon Padberg of Beaverton. They went on to visit her son, the Edwin Tuckers at Salem and her daughter, the Gordon Ross' of Canby. They returned home Saturday and found the roads very slick.

Fiesta Bowl

Blue Mountain		
Team	Won	Lost
Crisp Logging	40 1/2	27 1/2
Rietmann's	36 1/2	31 1/2
Central Market	33 1/2	34 1/2
Post Office	33	35
MCGG	31 1/2	36 1/2
Gar Aviation	29	39
High Ind. Game—Gordon Myers 233; High Ind. Series—Wayne Ball, 579; High Team Game—MCGG, 1043; High Team Series—MCGG, 3070.		

Spartan		
Team	Won	Lost
Central Market	42	22
MCGG	38 1/2	25 1/2
Bank of EO	37 1/2	26 1/2
Peterson's	33	31
Lott's Electric	22	42
Elma's Apparel	19	45
High Ind. Game—Barbara Cutsforth, 175; High Ind. Series—Barbara Cutsforth, 469; High Team Game—Lott's Electric, 837; High Team Series—Lott's Electric, 2464.		

Koffee Kup Keglers		
Team	Won	Lost
Team No. 3	33	15
Team No. 4	25	27
Team No. 1	25	27
Team No. 6	24	28
Team No. 2	23	29
Team No. 5	19	33
High Ind. Game—Laura Richards, 165; High Ind. Series—Maureen Davis, 416; High Team Game—Team No. 2—531; High Team Series—Team No. 1, 1515. 5-8:10 split—Allison Luedde.		

Saturday Morning Golf-offs		
Team	Won	Lost
Nine Pins	20	8
Ten Pins	19	9
Uncolas	18	10
Cardinals	12	16
Killers	9	19
Lyons	6	22
High Ind. Game—Gary Hunt, 160; High Ind. Series—Greg Davidson, 456; High Team Game—Nine Pins, 487; High Team Series—Nine Pins, 1309. Greg Davidson, 5-7 split;		

Municipal Court

Heppner Municipal Court: January 1 to 9 inclusive. Lester Eugene Wallace, driving under the influence of alcohol, \$100, suspension of license automatic.

Recent guests at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bunch were their children and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mankin. Michael Bunch was at home on leave over the holidays, Sherron came from her home in Portland last weekend and Gerald and his family were here from Kennewick. Mr. and Mrs. Mankin have been ill but were able to be Christmas dinner guests at Bunches, but Mr. Mankin has since been hospitalized again.

E. F. Smith of Boardman was a business visitor in Heppner Monday. He reported the bombing range road was clear all the way.

Sheryl Massey, 3-10 split.

City League		
Team	Won	Lost
Bristow's Market	38	18
Heppner Lbr. Co.	33	23
Fiesta Bowl	33	23
Heppner Nor-Gas	31 1/2	24 1/2
Farrish Garage	16	40
Masons	15 1/2	40 1/2
High Ind. Game—Floyd Borman, 210; High Ind. Series—Gene Doherty, 508; High Team Game—Fiesta Bowl, 1064; High Team Series—Fiesta Bowl, 2851. Floyd Borman's 210 is his first 200 game and is also 100 pins over his average.		

Thursday Night Ladies		
Team	Won	Lost
Columbia Basin	35	21
Kinzua Corp.	30	26
Toyota	29	27
Ruggles Ins.	26 1/2	29 1/2
Murray's Rexall	25 1/2	30 1/2
Elma's Flowers	24	32
High Ind. Game—Betty Rood, 168; High Ind. Series—Betty Rood 466; High Team Game—Toyota, 878; High Team Series—Toyota, 2596.		

Don Cossitt spent Christmas and New Years in St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton. He had a laryngectomy. This was his second disc surgery. This time a disc above the former surgery was included. He hopes to go back to work in March if all goes well.

Folks with an open fireplace say there's nothing like the first fire of the season. The second one, when you remember to open the damper, is much duller.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gilman of Beaverton were here this weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Steagall and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Ratcliff. Mr. Ratcliff recently received his discharge papers. He is employed in Heppner and hopes to stay in this area.

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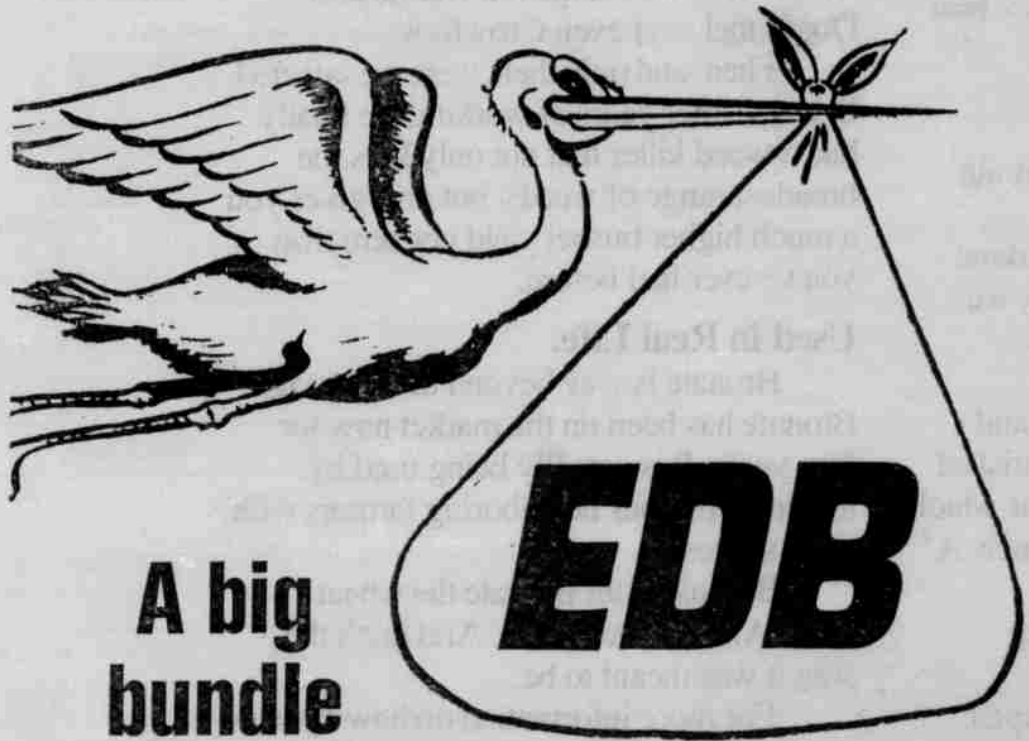
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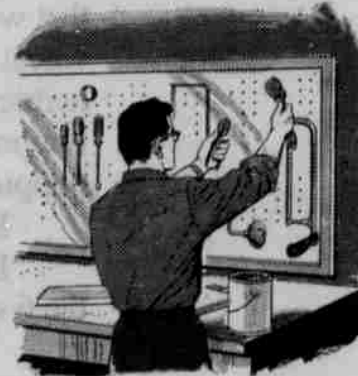
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