

Stockholders Hear Bank Growth

The Bank of Eastern Oregon held its 25th annual stockholders meeting on Jan. 21 at the Arlington City Hall in Arlington. The first meeting of the firm had been Jan. 14, 1946. Thirty stockholders were present for the annual event last week.

Howard Bryant was re-elected chairman of the board of directors, and Earl Hoag of Arlington, vice chairman. All present directors were re-elected: D. L. Lemon, John W. Krebs and A. David Childs of Arlington, Howard Bryant, R. B. Ferguson and Gene Pierce of Heppner, Garland Swanson of Ione, and Arthur A. Allen of Boardman.

Other officers were re-elected: president, Gene Pierce; vice president and cashier, William F. Siewert; James F. Green, assistant cashier and manager of Arlington Office; Larry F. Prock, Assistant Cashier; Veldon W. Robinson, Assistant Cashier; Marion C. Green, Assistant Cashier, was also elected Assistant Vice President.

Business Transacted

In the report of business it was shown there had been an 11% increase in gross income and a 29% increase in net income before taxes and reserves. \$55,000 was added to the reserves and undivided profits.

The 19th dividend paid in 25 years was paid on Dec. 19 to the stockholders of record on Dec. 1. This was \$10 a share on 1500 outstanding shares for a total of \$15,000.

Stock Split Voted

The group adopted a resolution to split the stock four shares to one. This will mean 6,000 shares outstanding with a par value of \$25 a share.

Anniversary

March 3 will mark the 25th anniversary of the bank. On this date this year the event will be noted with an open house at the Arlington office.

New Business At Ione

Bill Ashurst who has worked for Stone Machinery at Ione for some eight years is starting his own business on the Baker Ranch at Ione.

Bill will call the firm Bill's Tractor Repair. He expects to specialize in farm cat repair work.

Ione TV Co-op Elects Directors

IONE — Ione TV Co-op held their annual meeting at the Ione American Legion Hall on Tuesday evening. Approximately 45 patrons were present to elect two new directors for the term of 2 years. Four men, Garland Swanson, Mike Matthews, Tom White and Darrell James were nominated. Those receiving the most votes were Mike Matthews and Tom White. Also elected was the secretary-treasurer for a term of three years. Mrs. Cleo Drake received the most votes from the five ladies nominated.

Drawings for free TV was held, with Mrs. Edmond Bristow receiving 6 months' free television; Mrs. Ernest Heliker received 4 months and Mary Holt received 2 months.

An open discussion was held concerning the problems the cooperation has with various phases of the television system. Several patrons registered complaints on the reception we are getting from the Portland channels. Micro wave system was discussed to a point. However, Co-op pres., Bill Rietmann explained the expense that would be incurred in trying to change from the present air system to the micro wave.

Following the adjournment of the meeting, members of the Ione High School Senior class served pie and coffee.

Success Story

Mrs. Herman Winter in charge of procuring names of applicants to take the 1970 Federal Census in Morrow County says the ad in the Gazette-Times is too good. Monday she was in and asked not to have the ad run again. By Monday she had accepted 22 names and anticipated a few more before the list has to be sent in Friday.

Rev. Rinehart Coming Sunday

The Rev. Dirk Rinehart of Pendleton will be here Sunday at All Saints' Episcopal Church for morning worship and communion at 10 a.m.

Refreshments will be served following the services and the annual meeting will be held. Bob Abrams says it is Dirk's birthday and one of the best birthday presents members and friends could give him is "attending church".

Arbuckle Ski Report

Deep powdery snow and bright sunshine drew a large group of people from Heppner and Ione to Arbuckle Sunday. Among those enjoying the day were the Jim Prock, Curtis Culp, Elwayne Bergstrom, Clyde Allstott families, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osmin, and Mr. and Mrs. Garry Tullis.

Those who answered the ski questionnaire published in the Gazette-Times earlier this year were interested skiers. Sample answers to the question regarding reactions to the area and to skiing for the family were: "Go there often, it's great family recreation"; "We need the recreation for our children"; "Favorable"; "Very inexpensive and can be gotten to easily. Great area for the money it spends"; "Think it's great but too bad there's not a better lodge"; "Don't move it and do all that work again"; "Great area"; "Too bad it can't have a poma or T-bar. This is most reliable snow area".

Suggestions of ways and means for getting support of the community in maintaining Arbuckle were: Offer package rates, start a ski club at the high school; I don't think it can be operated on a 'shoe-string' finance plan; local contributions ski lessons for those not in 4-H age group (paid); private capital is the only thing that hasn't been tried; get Heppner people to go skiing to proving to them you don't have to have expensive equipment; ask for county, state and federal aid; better promotion by Heppner residents.

All this shows that there is a lot of interest in skiing in this area, it is enjoyed by many people and particularly the younger generation, there is a definite lack of facilities at the area and money to provide the facilities.

It is hoped a workable solution to those problems can be found in order to keep the area operating and provide badly needed winter recreation in the county.

Grandson Here

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Pieper Sunday for a few days were their grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Dick, Debra, Trevor and Devonna of Portland. While they were here they visited with other relatives and friends.



SANDI CARLSON, Ione, will attend State 4-H Conference.

Sandi Carlson Goes To State 4-H Meet

Sandi Carlson, Ione, has been selected as Morrow County delegate to Oregon 4-H Conference to be held in Salem, Feb. 8-9-10. Sandi, a 9-year member of 4-H, and a Senior at Ione High School has been active in many 4-H projects, clothing, livestock, foods, Empire Builders and Jr. Leadership. Her achievements and awards in her nine years of 4-H membership have been many. She is currently a very active Jr. Leader assisting Pat Fettyjohn with her Foods club, in addition to her enrollment in other clubs. Sandi has been counselor at Morrow County Camp at Cutsforth and last year acted as chairman of all meal-time activities, songs and recreation at the camp.

In addition to her many 4-H activities, Sandi is involved in school activities, being active in school government, GAA, major-ette for the marching band, member of both high school and pep bands, school drama, speech contests and other extra demands of school life. Sandi is active in her church and a leader in the Valby Church youth group.

The Oregon 4-H Conference is an illustration of citizenship in action. The conference provides an opportunity for young people participating in 4-H to see their responsibility as citizens to government. They also are challenged concerning the responsibility of government to its citizens. While at the conference 4-H members have the opportunity to meet the Governor and other elected officials, tour the capitol, Supreme Court building and Library.

Missionary to Speak

The Reverend Duane Stewart, a newly approved Assemblies of God missionary to Malawi, Central Africa, will be guest speaker Sunday, Feb. 1, 7:30 P.M. at the Assembly of God, corner of Willow and Gale, the Reverend Ellis Parker, pastor, has announced.

Mr. Stewart and his wife Sylvia will be engaged in literature distribution, evangelism, establishing churches, and general missionary work during their first term of missionary service.

Malawi became an independent state in July, 1964, and was formerly called Nyasaland. With a population of approximately four million people only 7,000 are non-African.

Mr. Stewart graduated from Northwest Bible College in Kirkland, Wa., where he received his B. A. and Th. B. Mrs. Stewart received her B.A. degree from the same college.

The Stewarts served as assistant pastor in Seattle, at the White Center Assembly of God, and then pastored the Assembly of God Church in Cascade Locks, for missionary appointment.

Slides and a display will be featured during this special missions rally. The public is invited to attend.

HHS Votes to Build School Overseas

Support of the Peace Corps Partnership Program was overwhelmingly passed by HHS students after recent meetings in which the program was thoroughly discussed.

This program is one of the largest undertakings of the Associated Students of HHS. They must raise a thousand dollars to send to a village in a foreign country to build a badly needed school. The need for the school was shown by a film by a Peace Corps volunteer which the student body viewed.

Student Body President Pat Kilkenny said, "I was very pleased with the interchange of ideas in the meetings. The en-

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thusiasm for the project was well shown here."

He described a few suggested projects to raise the money. These projects include a work auction, movies, dance benefit, basketball games, and possibly raffles.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Week of Jan. 21-28

Dale Grey, Heppner, dismissed; Edward Brandt, Heppner, dismissed; Joedy Marlatt, Heppner, dismissed for transfer to Pendleton; Walter Roberts, Ione, still in hospital.

Joedy Marlatt Has Emergency Surgery

Joedy Marlatt was rushed to Pendleton Saturday for emergency surgery for a ruptured appendix. He had been sick for a couple of days when the doctor sent him to the hospital for blood tests. He is in St. Anthony hospital. His folks went back over to see him Tuesday morning. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Marlatt.

Too Late To Classify

SHROVE Tuesday Pancake Luncheon 11:00 to 1:30, Feb. 10, All Saints' Episcopal Parish Hall. Adults 1.25; H.S. .75; Children .50. 5-6

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8:30 A.M.	Lv Hood River	Lv 8:35 P.M.
9:05 A.M.	Lv The Dalles	Lv 8:05 P.M.
10:45 A.M.	Lv Hinkle	Lv 6:20 P.M.
11:25 A.M.	Lv Pendleton	Lv 5:30 P.M.
1:35 P.M.	Lv La Grande	Lv 3:15 P.M.
2:45 P.M.	Lv Baker	Lv 2:00 P.M.
5:05 P.M. (MT)	Lv Huntington	Lv (PT) 12:40 P.M.
5:31 P.M.	Lv Weiser	Lv 1:05 P.M.
5:50 P.M.	Lv Ontario	Lv 12:45 P.M.
6:50 P.M.	Lv Nampa	Lv 11:55 A.M.
7:15 P.M.	Lv Boise	Lv 11:25 A.M.
8:40 P.M.	Lv Glenns Ferry	Lv 9:55 A.M.
9:35 P.M.	Lv Shoshone	Lv 8:46 A.M.
10:25 P.M.	Lv Minidoka	Lv 7:53 A.M.
11:35 P.M.	Lv Pocatello	Lv 6:45 A.M.
1:45 A.M.	Lv Montpelier	Lv 4:30 A.M.
5:08 A.M.	Lv Rock Springs	Lv 1:15 A.M.
7:30 A.M.	Lv Rawlins	Lv 11:20 P.M.
9:30 A.M.	Lv Laramie	Lv 9:15 P.M.
11:10 A.M.	Lv Cheyenne	Lv 7:40 P.M.
1:30 P.M.	Ar Denver	Lv (MT) 5:15 P.M.

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