

Tax Base Meetings Scheduled Next Week

Three public meetings on the proposed Morrow County School District Tax Base have been planned for next week.

The first will be at the Heppner Elementary multi-purpose room at 8:00 p.m. on Monday, May 11, 1970.

The second will be at the A. C. Houghton Elementary at 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 12, 1970.

The third will be in connection with the Ione PTA meeting scheduled for the Ione School Cafeteria at 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 14, 1970.

The purpose of the meetings will be to explain the tax base proposal, its effect on the district and to answer any ques-

tions that the district patrons might have.

Lab Teaching

A group of Oregon College of Education students are participating in a week-long laboratory teaching assignment in the Salem area May 4-8.

The laboratory experience will involve full day visits to Salem area elementary schools; participating is Berniece Matthews, Ione.

Pioneer Memorial Picnic will be held May 30 at the MC Fair Pavilion. Carl Troedson, chairman, says the program will be in the Gazette-Times soon.



SHOWN HERE from left, Fred Peterson who has been a Master Mason for 62 years; William Instone, formerly of Heppner, honored for 50 years' membership; Walter Hayes, for 50 years, and John Wightman of Heppner, for 50 years. Grand Master Paul Sorenson (on right) congratulates the veteran members.

Heppnerites Receive 50-year Honors

Two members of Heppner Lodge No. 69 AF & AM, were presented with the 50-year gold emblem awarded by the Oregon Grand Lodge of Masons at the district meeting in Arlington April 17. The recipients were John Wightman of Heppner, and former Heppner resident William Instone, now of Wilsonville, who, until about 20 years ago, lived on the ranch now owned by Bill Weatherford. The emblems were presented by Grand Master Paul Sorenson, Walter Hayes, formerly a member of Heppner Lodge and now a member of Mt. Moriah Lodge No. 95, Condon, also received the coveted emblem.

Nine members of Heppner Lodge were present, including the emblem winners. They were Don Gilliam, Howard Bryant, Harold Becket, Earle Gilliam, Claude Graham, Marion Hayden and Cecil Rill. Also going from Heppner was Clay Phillips, a member of Fossil Lodge.

The MASONS annual Scholarship Banquet will be Friday evening at 6:30. Winner of the \$100 scholarship will be announced. Masons will host the banquet which honors Senior boys and male faculty members of Heppner High.

Public Notices

MORROW COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT R-1 NOTICE OF CALL FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received at the Morrow County School District R-1 office, Box 368, Lexington, Oregon 97839, for furnishing and delivering the following:

- 1-new 66 passenger school bus
- 1-new 12 passenger panel

Bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m., PDT, on May 18, 1970, at the district office in Lexington, and will be presented to the school board at their regular meeting at 8:00 P.M., on May 18, 1970. The school board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any or all technicalities or claims. Specifications and bid forms may be acquired at the office of the district superintendent at Lexington. Only bid forms furnished by the school district will be used. Bids must be in sealed envelopes, and clearly marked "Bus Bid."

Signed: Jack Sumner, Chairman, Morrow County School District R-1

Attest: Ronald L. Daniels, Clerk
Publication dates: April 30, 1970, and May 7, 1970.
Bid openings: May 18, 1970, at 2:00 P.M.

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Spanish Speakers Attend Field Day

Seven Spanish-speaking HHS students and their advisor, Mrs. Hope Temple, participated in the Foreign Language Field Day which is sponsored annually by Eastern Oregon College at La Grande.

Four languages, Spanish, French, Latin, and German, were featured this year with individual prizes being accompanied by a plaque for the school.

Registration, April 22, was followed by a film strip entitled "Why Study Foreign Languages?" A tour of the EOC library preceded a general assembly explaining test procedures. After the tests there was a song fest in which students and teachers alike took part.

Over 600 students in all attended the Field Day. The Heppner seven were Darlene Warren, Diana Cutsforth, John Sumner, Peggy Schlichting, Valerie Boyer, Kelley Wolff and Linda Cooper.

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