

# Halvorsens Sell Ione Ranch

**By EVA HAMLETT**  
**IONE** — Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen have sold their 2,200-acre cattle and grain ranch near Ione to Giffen, Inc., a California firm, which has sold the ranch on exchange to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ladd, Carmel Valley, California. The Ladds are moving on to the ranch soon and will continue to have a similar operation. The Halvorsens will continue to operate other holdings they have in the Ione area. The sale and exchange were handled by Art Kelly, Hermiston.  
**Gary Stephenson Killed**  
 The Ione community was saddened to hear of the death of Gary O. Stephenson, who was killed in an automobile accident on April 29 at Prineville. Gary was music teacher for several years in the Ione School system in the late 50's, and at the time of his death was Music Coordinator of Crook County and lived at Prineville. He is survived by his wife Joyce; daughter, Lisa; and son, Kevin; his parents of

Tillamook, 3 sisters and 1 brother. Funeral services were held at "Our Saviors Lutheran Church", with interment in the Prineville Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Keene attended the services, also Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lundell of Bend. Don Brostrom, another former Ione teacher was one of the pall bearers.  
**Miss Kristine Peterson** was chosen queen of the prom and was crowned by Miss Marianne Pettyjohn.  
**Home from Germany**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stienke have returned from Germany, and are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hynd and other relatives in the area, and with his parents and relatives in the Olex area. Larry will be leaving for Vietnam the 17th of May.  
**Bingo Luncheon**  
 The members of Bunchgrass Rebekah Lodge entertained the members of Holly Rebekah Lodge with a luncheon at the

Willows Grange Hall on April 23. After the luncheon the group played bingo. On April 30, the Lodge held the birthday party for those having birthdays in the first six months of the year. Those honored were Mrs. Harvey Ring, Mrs. Ida Coleman, Mrs. Clell Rea, Mrs. Cleo Drake, and Mrs. Adon Hamlett.  
**Walt Roberts** is home and about town after spending a few days in the Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner.  
**Knee Injury**  
 Jim Swanson injured his other knee in a baseball game last Friday. He is able to attend school but has his leg in a cast and uses crutches. Cards may be sent to him at Findlay Hall, Oregon State University, Corvallis.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Art Dabell, and Mrs. George York of Mikkelo, drove to Beaver Creek to attend the marriage of their niece, Miss Marjorie Weitzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weitzel, to Lance Jensen Saturday evening. They stayed overnight with their daughter, Mrs. James Drobny and family at Eagle Creek.

## County Commissioner Candidate Speaks To Jaycees

Homer Hughes, candidate for County Commissioner spoke to his campaign for this office to the Jaycees at their meeting last week. They would encourage other candidates to speak before their group. Those wishing to speak are asked to contact Jack Melland or Forrest Burkenbine.  
 The Morrow County Jaycees will attend Jaycee State Convention May 15-16-17 in Eugene.  
 The Jaycees will operate the concession stand at the Collegate Rodeo May 22, 23, 24.

## CHUCK WAGON

The annual Sidewalk Bazaar, a big doings here each July, has been dated this year July 17-18. Merchants tell us there will be free parking here during this event.

Snow measurements were taken Apr. 30 by Dale Borer and Jay Huson at Arbutle Mountain course. Snow was 29.7 in. deep with water content 11.8 in. Apr. 29 Dale and Stewart Rankin measured the Lucky Strike course. Up there snow was 43.8 inches deep, had water content of 14.6 inches.

Well, you know perhaps the economy did need some cooling off. Of course they didn't have to go and freeze us clear to death.

Memberships are now open in the Willow Creek Country Club and are ideal for families. If you want some fun, join up!

## Public Notices

**NOTICE OF MEETING OF COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**  
 Notice is hereby given that on Monday, May 11, 1970, the Board of Equalization of the County of Morrow, Oregon, will meet at the County Courthouse in Heppner, Oregon, to publicly examine the assessment rolls for said County of Morrow, for the year 1970 and to correct all errors in valuation, descriptions, or qualities of land, lots or other property assessed by the assessor.

The ratio between assessed and true cash value adopted by the Board of Equalization pursuant to ORS 309.034 is 100 percent.

It shall be the duty of the persons interested to appear at the time and place appointed. Petitions for adjustment of assessments must be filed with the Board of Equalization not later than the Monday of the week following the first week that the Board is in session.

Joyce Ritch, Assessor  
 County of Morrow, Oregon  
 17-19c

## Public Notices

### IONE-LEXINGTON CEMETERY MAINTENANCE DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting and election has been called pursuant to ORS 265.120 by the district board of directors of the Ione-Lexington Cemetery Maintenance District of Morrow County, Oregon, the election to be held in the said district and state on the 25th day of May, 1970, between the hours of 2:00 o'clock P.M. and 7:00 o'clock P.M. Pacific Daylight Time, at the following voting place:

CITY HALL, IONE, MORROW COUNTY, OREGON.

At this time there will be submitted to the legal voters of the Cemetery Maintenance District the question of establishing a tax levy for the fiscal year 1970-71 for the sum of \$8,306.48 as submitted by Section 11, Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, which said period commences on July 1, 1970, and ends June 30, 1971. Said levy shall be placed upon the 1970-71 assessment roll and said taxes will be due and payable on November 15, 1970, February 15, 1971, May 15, 1971, and August 15, 1971. The reasons for establishing this tax levy are for the payment of employee salaries, supplies and equipment for the operation and maintenance of the cemeteries within the cemetery district, all as required by the laws of the State of Oregon.

The votes will be by ballot upon which will be marked "Tax Levy" ( ) "Yes" and "Tax Levy" ( ) "No" and the voters shall cross the parenthesis with an "X" in it between the "Tax Levy" and the word "Yes" or between the word "Tax Levy" and the word "No" whichever indicates his choice. All voters will vote at the Ione City Hall. By order of the district board of the Ione-Lexington Cemetery Maintenance District.

DATED this 24th day of April, 1970.  
 Dean Hunt, Chairman  
 Roy Lindstrom, Director  
 Carl Troedson, Director  
 19-20c

### NOTICE OF BUDGET MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Budget Committee of the City of Heppner, Oregon, has scheduled a public meeting at 8 P.M. on Monday, May 18th, 1970, at the Heppner City Hall, for the purpose of receiving and considering the Budget Message and Budget Documents for the fiscal year 1970-71. Any person may appear and discuss the proposed fiscal program of the City of Heppner at this time.  
 DATED: May 7th, 1970.  
 CARL SPAULDING,  
 Budget Officer.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION TO ESTABLISH NEW TAX BASE

NOTICE is hereby given that at the School District Tax Base Election hereby called, to be held in and for School District No. R-1 of Morrow County at each of the polling places of Morrow County, Oregon, as designated by the County Clerk of Morrow County at the time of the state-wide election on the 26th day of May, 1970, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 8:00 P.M., there shall be submitted to the legal voters thereof the question of establishing a new tax base for said school district. The present tax base is \$310,024, and the new tax base, if adopted, will be \$1,199,870.

The polls for the reception of the ballots cast for or against the establishment of the said new tax base will, on said day and date and at the places aforesaid, be opened at the hour of 8:00 A.M. and remain open until the hour of 8:00 P.M. of the same day at which the same shall be closed.  
 By order of the District School Board of School District No. R-1 of Morrow County, Oregon, made this 20th day of April, 1970.  
 /s/ Jack Sumner  
 Chairman, School District Board  
 ATTEST:  
 /s/ Ronald L. Daniels  
 District Clerk

### NOTICE

The budget for the Boardman Cemetery District for the fiscal year 1970-71, beginning July 1, 1970, was prepared on an accounting basis consistent with that used in prior years. A copy of the budget document may be inspected by interested persons between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., at the City Hall. The budget document, or any portion of it may be obtained for 25c complete or 10c per sheet at the City Hall. A meeting of the Board of Directors will be held May 25, 1970 at 1:00 P.M. at the City Hall for the purpose of holding a public hearing on this budget. Any person may appear to discuss the budget or any part of it.  
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## Notice of Budget Hearing

The budget for Heppner Rural Fire Protection District for the fiscal year 1970-1971, beginning July 1, 1970, as detailed and summarized in the accompanying schedule was prepared on an accounting basis consistent with that used in prior years. Major changes, if any, and their effects on this budget are set forth in an accompanying statement. A copy of the budget document may be inspected by interested persons between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. at Heppner Gazette-Times. The budget document, or any portion of, may be obtained for \$1.00 complete or \$1.00 per sheet at Heppner Gazette-Times. A meeting of the Heppner Rural Fire Protection District will be held at May 18, 1970, at 8:00 P.M. at Fair Annex for the purpose of holding a public hearing on this budget. Any person may appear to discuss this budget or any part of it.

/s/ RICHARD T. WILKINSON  
 Chairman of Governing Body  
 Morrow County

## FINANCIAL SUMMARY

FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1970

TAX LEVY COMPUTATION	Total All Funds*	General Fund	Equipment Reserve Fund
Total Budget Requirements	\$ 8,356.40	\$ 5,676.34	\$ 2,680.06
Less Budget Resources, Except Taxes to Be Levied	2,680.06	5,676.34	2,680.06
Taxes Necessary to Balance Budget	5,676.34	5,676.34	
Add Taxes Estimated Not to Be Received During Ensuing Year	90.05	90.05	
TOTAL TAXES TO BE LEVIED	\$ 5,766.39	\$ 5,766.39	
<b>ANALYSIS OF TAXES TO BE LEVIED</b>			
Within 6% Limitation	5,766.39	5,766.39	
TOTAL TAXES TO BE LEVIED	\$ 5,766.39	\$ 5,766.39	

\*All reserve funds and special revenue funds, if any, are included.

FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1969

TAX LEVY COMPUTATION	Total All Funds*	General Fund	Equipment Reserve Fund
Total Budget Requirements	\$ 7,208.21	\$ 5,376.31	\$ 1,831.90
Less Budget Resources, Except Taxes to Be Levied	1,831.90	5,376.31	1,831.90
Taxes Necessary to Balance Budget	5,376.31	5,376.31	
Add Taxes Estimated Not to Be Received During Ensuing Year	90.05	90.05	
TOTAL TAXES TO BE LEVIED	\$ 5,466.36	\$ 5,466.36	
<b>ANALYSIS OF TAXES TO BE LEVIED</b>			
Within 6% Limitation	5,466.36	5,466.36	
TOTAL TAXES TO BE LEVIED	\$ 5,466.36	\$ 5,466.36	

\*All reserve funds and special revenue funds, if any, are included.

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

TYPE OF INDEBTEDNESS	Outstanding July 1		Authorized, Not Incurred July 1	
	Current Year (Actual)	July 1 (Estimated)	Current Year (Actual)	Ensnuing Year (Estimated)
Bonds	None	None	None	None
Interest Bearing Warrants	None	None	None	None
Short Term Notes	None	None	None	None
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS	None	None	None	None

**PETTY CASH**  
 Balance July 1 ..... None None  
 Notice of Approval by Budget Committee Approved by Budget Committee April 20, 1970  
 /s/ JAMES BLOODSWORTH  
 Chairman of Budget Committee

## GENERAL FUND REQUIREMENTS SUMMARY

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1970-1971, BEGINNING JULY 1, 1970

HISTORICAL DATA

ACTUAL	Budget Current Year	Budget For Ensuing Year Approved
Second Preceding Year	First Preceding Year	Budget Current Year
\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
3,775.00	3,775.00	3,775.00
100.00	100.00	100.00
25.00	25.00	25.00
30.00	30.00	30.00
60.00	60.00	60.00
186.69	125.00	137.50
110.00	5.00	5.00
2,294.68	2,022.12	3,020.71
TOTAL REQUIREMENTS \$ 8,356.40		

## EQUIPMENT RESERVE FUND SUMMARY

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1970-1971, BEGINNING JULY 1, 1970

HISTORICAL DATA

ACTUAL	Budget Current Year	Budget For Ensuing Year Approved
Second Preceding Year	First Preceding Year	Budget Current Year
\$ 1,712.32	\$ 744.09	\$ 1,734.11
90.05	90.05	90.05
Resources: Savings 1,661.37		
Available Cash on Hand (Cash Basis) 1,000.00		
Previously Levied Taxes Estimated to Be Received During Ensuing Year 18.69		
Interest 18.69		
Total Resources, Except Taxes to Be Levied 2,680.06		

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