

1970 Fair and Rodeo To Welcome Visitors

R-1 School Board Ponders Problems

It has long been said that an army travels on its stomach which is no less true for a school child. With the resignation of Mrs. Betty Orwick from the Heppner Elementary kitchen staff, the school board is seeking a replacement immediately. Those interested may call the Heppner Elementary School office.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held Monday at the district office. With the resignation of Peggy O'Donnell as the high school library aide, the board approved the hiring of Mrs. Dale Boner on a full time basis. She will work half-time in the library and half-time in the resource center. She has had considerable experience in high school libraries.

The board authorized borrowing up to \$300,000 total for the school year from the Heppner Branch of First National. Borrowing is kept to a minimum. If tax money hasn't come in the district lacks money, and money is borrowed at the first of the month to pay the current bills and the money for the pay roll the last of the month.

Bus runs have been set up so that on the Pine City bus run and the Sand Hollow run there has been a saving of 1700 miles

on one and 6000 miles on the other for the year. This is a savings of \$400 to \$500 for the district.

In Service Program

Teachers new to the district will meet Aug. 26 and all teachers on Aug. 27 and 28. There will be one general meeting with the superintendent in the north end of the county and one in the south. Teachers will have two days to work in their own rooms.

Blue prints of the present buildings that will be used in long range building plans are now in the district office. The Board of Education will meet with the Planning Committee to hear and discuss their recommendations.

The chairman of the board with another member of the board and Supt. Ron Daniels will tour the buildings with the Fire Marshal very soon. They will review the recommendations that have been made by the Fire Marshal building by building.

FFA pickups will be furnished by Wrights at Fossil for Heppner High and Sherrill Chev. at Hermiston for Riverside High School.

A new and complete file has been set up for all repairs done on the school buses. This will include the problem, who did the work and when, and other details.

The dry well is filling up at Riverside. The architect has been contacted. Supt. Daniels said he felt the fault was with the designer and/or the installation. Preliminary work is being done as asked by the architect. School personnel have excavated around the cement dry wells which should have been backfilled with 3 feet of rock on all sides for the water to flow through into the sand.

Mr. Daniels reported on the remodeling and redecorating and repairs that had been done at the schools during the summer. More than usual has been done with much of the work being done by school personnel.

Queen Coronation Held Under Stars

The Morrow County Royalty entertained and were entertained at the annual Coronation Saturday evening at the Rodeo Arena. Festivities began with several clever dances by the Ione Grand Square dancers introduced by master of ceremonies, Gene Pierce.

The Court made a spirited entrance led by Queen Sherri Lynn O'Brien on Hired Monkey. Gay spirits had been dampened earlier when Princess Susie French was bucked off Tia Juana. X-rays at the hospital revealed two broken bones in her hand. Her hand was put in a splint and an ice pack applied.

She shared the festivities with the Court on the platform. Pennant bearers were Jeanne Daly, Patty Daly, Sherry Kemp and Jo Rugg.

Mr. Pierce thanked Joyce Ritch who had arranged the evening's program. Musical entertainment was provided by the West-ners, Joe Simmons and Leonard Buroker.

Mrs. Archie Munkers, court chaperone, thanked everyone for coming to the Coronation and pinned a sparkling corsage on each member of the Court after they were introduced and spoke briefly. The Soroptimists provided the corsages. Princess Vivian told about the Grand Entries, Princess Michelle, the dances, Susie French the parades, Jeri Krebs the luncheons and Queen Sherri the Rodeos.

1969 Rodeo Queen Sheila Luciani Cozad placed the crown on Queen Sherri. The audience enjoyed the master of ceremonies banter when he said he never could pronounce Luciani and now that she had added Cozad he couldn't pronounce it either!

The Wranglers provided the prize money for the Boot Race, the Campout race and the Hide race. Susan Healy won the Boot race with Patty Daly 2nd. Jan Schlichting was 1st in the Camp Out race, Lisa Collins 2nd, Judy Healy 3rd and Mary Abrams 4th. In the Hide race the Bruce Bergstrom-Mark Hopkins team won with the John Healy-Kirk Robinson team 2nd.

The larger than usual crowd enjoyed the swinging numbers of the Riverside Singers from their Roaring 20's through the 1970's. On their final number "Everything is Beautiful", they came down before the audience who joined them in singing and clapping in rhythm.

Sandy Matheny and Steve Hedman of Page 12 closed the evening's entertainment. The emcee said he should call them Page 6 because only half of them were there!

Queen Sherri pinned a corsage on Mrs. Munkers, presented her and the Court with personal gifts.

Kindergarten Starts Sept. 1

Registration for kindergarten students will be Aug. 31 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Kindergarten room in the Junior High building.

Children must be 5 years old on or before Nov. 15 to be eligible to attend.

The teacher will be Mrs. Marcel Jones and there will be two sessions.

Morning—8:45 a.m. to 10:45 p.m.

Afternoons—12:15 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.

Registration fees are \$10; Insurance (optional) — \$2.50 per year; Monthly fee—\$10.

Scholarships and part scholarships are available for students needing them. For information call or contact Barbara Jessmer 676-5305 (evenings), Mrs. Bill Brannon, 676-9694 or Mrs. Marcel Jones, 676-5321.

First day of school will be Sept. 1.

First Civic League meeting will be Monday, Sept. 21 at 8:00 p.m. in the Kindergarten room. Election of new officers and board members.

Ione School Registration

The first day of school for all Ione elementary and secondary students will be Monday, Aug. 31, 1970. The day will be primarily an organizational day with all students registering, receiving textbooks, and class assignments. School will be dismissed at 1:00 p.m. Buses will run on regular routes and the school cafeteria will be open. The charge for lunches will be 25c for each lunch or \$44.25 for the entire year. There will not be any pre-registration day except for those students who are new to the district. New students may register on Friday, Aug. 28. School fees are to be paid at

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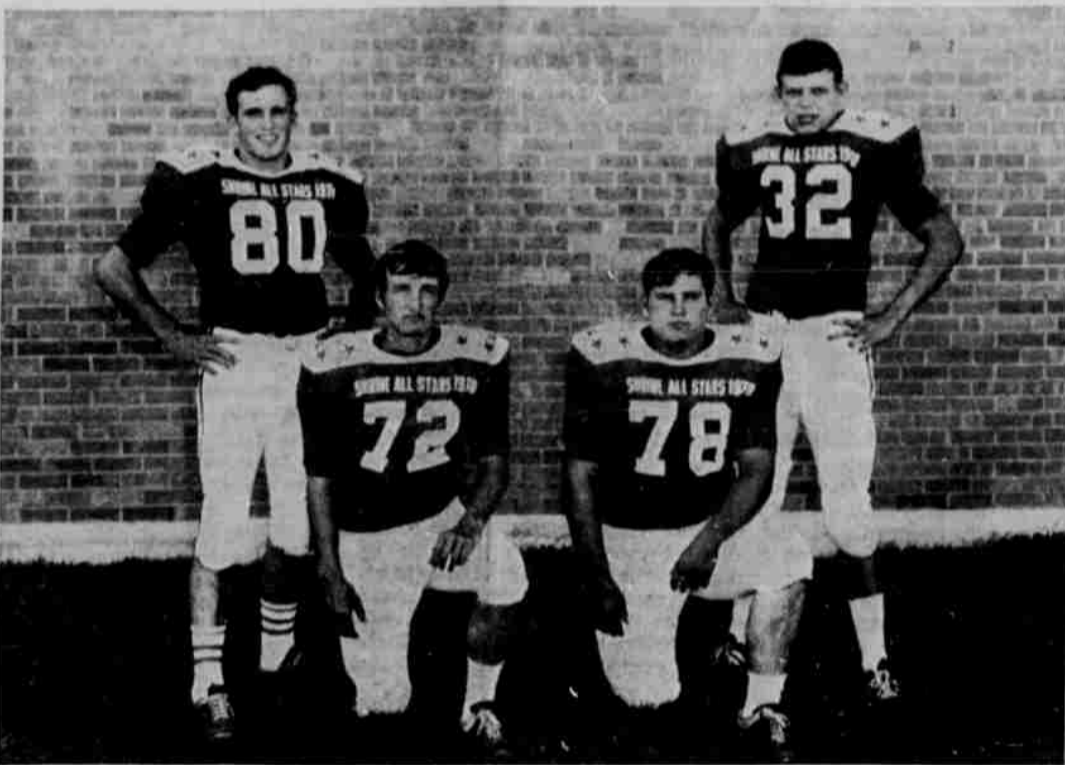
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READY FOR the East-West Shrine game Aug. 22 in Pendleton are Lee Huson (80) of Heppner, Kevin Platt (72) of Condon, Leland Eubanks (78) of Arlington and Steve Hobson (32) of Umatilla.



KATHY SCHWARZ of Heppner is the 1970 Shrine Game Queen. You'll see her at the big game and all the other activities.

Shrine Game Saturday

The East-West Shriners Hospital All-Star game is back for 1970 on Aug. 22.

Pendleton will again be the host city for the eighteenth annual East and West Football All-Star Football game.

The players have all been selected and will be housed and will train for two weeks at La Grande. Eastern Oregon College will house both teams. The East team will practice on the college field and the West team will practice on the high school field.

The big Shrine Parade will form at the Vert Memorial and begin at 3 p.m. on August 22. The Shrine drama pageant will begin at 7:15 p.m. in the Round-Up Stadium and the kick-off time for the East-West game will be 8:15 p.m.

Deadline for obtaining tickets for the game is Friday noon, Aug. 21 at Dr. Tibbles' office.

More Prizes For Horse Show

Prizes turned in Wednesday for the Wranglers Horse Show on Aug. 28 were donated by: John Privett, Cal's Richfield, Rene's Beauty Shop, Northwestern Motel, Carl Spaulding, Knox's Variety, and Central Market.

Time Change

Please note time change: The Children's Corner this year starts Monday, Aug. 24 at 10 a.m.

Rep. Ullman Featured At Banquet Here

A banquet Tuesday evening at the Wagon Wheel honored Rep. Al Ullman. Among the demonstrators present was a sprinkling of Republicans who wanted to hear their Representative in Congress.

Clarence Rosewall was master of ceremonies for the occasion. He introduced the guests, Judge Paul Jones and other County officials, Harold Peck who heads the County Democratic Central Committee and Mrs. Peck, his vice president; Mrs. Marlatt who is secretary of the Central Committee and a candidate for Justice of the Peace; Charles O'Connor, candidate for Justice of the Peace and Mrs. O'Connor and Jack VanWinkle, candidate for County Assessor and Mrs. VanWinkle and the other guests.

Mr. Rosewall, in his very pleasant introduction of Rep. Ullman, listed a number of things he felt were especially needed here to benefit the public.

Rep. Ullman emphasized a need for bringing in younger people in responsible positions in our country. He feels in talking to hundreds of young people that there is a general resentment sweeping our nation. He said these young folks are very knowledgeable.

He said this is a difficult period and one of great crisis and we will need basic changes in our thinking. At the same time, he added, we must hang onto the basic good things. Easy answers, he stated, were wrong.

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Horse Show Attracts Many People



TROPHY WINNERS at the 4-H Horse Show Sunday were: from left Susan Healy, Lauretta Piening, Sherry Kemp, Scott Acock, Patti Healy, Jan Schlichting.

GRAIN PRICES

(Courtesy of Morrow County Grain Growers)
(F.O.B. Lexington, does not include warehouse chgs.)
Soft White Wheat 1.44 1/2
Hard Red Winter Wheat .. 1.54 1/2
Barley 39.50

Charlie Daly Talks to Chamber

Charlie Daly, the busy chairman of the Morrow County Rodeo committee, told Chamber of Commerce members at the Monday luncheon at the Wagon Wheel about unique aspects of the 1970 show coming here next week.

He had warm words of praise for Chamber members and the many others whose valuable help and hard work make for success at the Fair and Rodeo.

The Morrow County Rodeo has races as a feature, a rare thing at many of the smaller rodeos now days. He said trophies donated by business people here add value of about \$1400 to the big purses.

Some of the new events include the Wild Horse Scramble, a spectacular feature with 6 contestants each day. It is a limited entry.

Top rodeo livestock is assured this year and there will be much special entertainment.

Mr. Daly said 18 contestants will vie in the Wranglers Wild Cow Riding Contest to be on Saturday night. Herman Green gives a buckle to the winner. This event is open only to Morrow County residents.

A considerable number of Chamber members paid little fines for forgetting to wear their official Fair and Rodeo neckties. The Fair starts next Monday and runs thru the week with the big Horse Show on Friday, Aug. 28. The Rodeo will be at 1:15 p.m. and at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 29, and at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 30.

Books close for rodeo contestants at 1 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 27.

Next week's program will feature Gene Trumbull. He will tell of the Heppner Inland Chemical Co. expansion and their new plant facilities on the Bombing Range Road.

Sunday Fire Destroys Stubble

A fire Sunday destroyed between 250 to 300 acres of stubble on the Rosewall place just out of Lexington. An unknown cause started the fire which burned thru the center of the field. The fire was extinguished by neighbors who brought equipment and an airplane.

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Features Ready For Fairgoers

New features and facilities have been added to the 1970 Morrow County Fair and Rodeo at Heppner this year to add to the enjoyment and comfort of the thousands expected at the 46th annual event, Zearl Gillespie, Fair Board chairman announces.

The fair will begin on Monday, Aug. 24 and will continue through Friday, Aug. 28. The Morrow County open horse show will conclude the event on Friday. The rodeo will be held Saturday, Aug. 29 and Sunday, Aug. 30, with afternoon performances both days and an evening show Saturday. Some 200 Northwest Rodeo Association cowboys and local entrants will participate.

Most prominent of the new facilities is the all-steel grandstand completed in 1968 at the rodeo grounds at a cost of approximately \$36,000. Painting and other improvements have been made to make the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Grounds one of the leading facilities in Eastern Oregon.

An unusually good harvest season and new features at the fair are expected to make it one of the best in the long history of the event, according to Mrs. Lenna Smith, secretary. Popular features — such as the Style Revue, the Pig Scramble for youngsters, the 4-H and FFA Livestock Auction, Pet Show, and Cake Baking Contest — are on the program again. New this year is a special canning contest with premiums and prizes to be offered. The 4-H Style Revue will be Wednesday night, and the Pig Scramble, Livestock Auction and Pet Show are billed for Thursday.

Food, fun events and a complete display of community booths are also included.

Big Purse, Many Trophies
The rodeo offers \$1735 in purses and some \$1300 in trophies and prizes to the cowboys who take part in competitive events. Novice Bronc Riding, a popular event in the 1969 show, will again be held along with the Wild Horse Scramble and a full schedule of other rodeo events.

Saturday's show starts at 1:15 p.m. following the Grand Rodeo parade in downtown Heppner which begins at 10:00 a.m. Evening show with special events for rodeo fans will be at 8:00 p.m. Saturday, and final events will be Sunday afternoon, starting at 1:30.

Rodeo dances will be held Friday and Saturday nights with the Western Gentlemen of Condon playing both nights. Dances start at 10 p.m.

Wrangler's Cowboy Breakfast will be Sunday morning, starting at 7:00 a.m. at the city park in Heppner.

Approximately \$500 in prizes are offered at the street parade, which is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Floats riding groups, children's entries, royal courts and other entries are invited. No advance entry is necessary.

An all-around cowboy will be chosen at the rodeo and he will win a trophy saddle. Another saddle is given for the Morrow County amateur calf roping champion. Hard-luck cowboy will receive an award, and many other prizes will be given.

Rodeo stock will be furnished by Howard Johnson of Condon for the NRA-approved event.

Those entering the rodeo must have their fees paid to Joyce Ritch, rodeo secretary, Heppner, by Thursday, Aug. 27, at 1:00 p.m.

SUCCESS STORY

Etta Parker sold her electric ice cream freezer with only one insertion of her Want Ad in the Gazette-Times. Why don't you give one a try. Special hot spot rate: 15 words run 4 times for the price of 3 only \$1.95.

Deadline for filing for the office of Justice of Peace is Aug. 26 at the County Clerk's office. To date only one candidate has filed her petition and that is Dee Gribble, the present acting Justice of Peace.

WEATHER

By DON GILLIAM
For week of Aug. 12-18

	Hi	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	93	57	—
Thursday	82	54	—
Friday	82	45	—
Saturday	93	49	—
Sunday	88	56	—
Monday	83	45	—
Tuesday	83	47	—