

Kinzua News

Mrs. James Hulett and sons and Mrs. Mark Jellick and children spent the weekend at McKinley visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hulett and also spent some time in Pendleton.

Birthday Party

Mrs. James Hulett was the hostess Friday afternoon after school to a birthday party for Bob who was eight years old. The children played bingo and then had hot dogs, salad, birthday cake and ice cream. Those present were Bob, Kelvin and Steve Schluckebier, Curtis Day, Mike Rice, Rob Conlee, Mike Laper, Cindy Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blue went to Heppner Saturday where Mrs. Blue entered the Pioneer Memorial Hospital for medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jones and Bobby were business visitors to Heppner Saturday.

Spending the weekend at the Richard Thomas home were Donald Dickinson of Oswego and Max Dickinson and his nephew of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Dunlap went to Grass Valley Saturday for the weekend with the Ken Dunlap's. Recent visitors at the Kendrick Dunlaps were his mother Dorothy Dunlap of Grass Valley, Mrs. Harry Hoover of Maupin and Mr. and Mrs. Art Watkins of Heppner. Mrs. Hoover and Mrs. Watkins are sisters of Mr. Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Eversole and family went to Cascade Falls during the weekend to bring Mrs. Elizabeth Perry home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hines of Lebanon spent this past week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hines and doing some elk hunting.

Mrs. Arlet Campbell, Mrs. Lee Bailey and Mrs. Wayland Hyatt were business visitors to The Dalles Saturday. Also in The Dalles Saturday afternoon were Mr. Robert Kelso and Mrs. Daniel Bell.

Mrs. Delbert Barzee and Joyce went to Portland last Tuesday and on to Cornelius to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barzee and family, returning to Heppner Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Slinkard and family of Klamath Falls spent the weekend here. Mrs. Slinkard and the children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Slinkard while Bob was elk hunting with his brother Jim of Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rice and family and Mrs. Don Slinkard spent the weekend in Bend on Tuesday and while there visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Oyler and son Don.

Spending Wednesday at the Charles Murdock's were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coleman and grandson Steven and Pat Cochran, all of London.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stoll of Bend spent from Tuesday until Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Don Hardwick and Donny. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Sharp were business visitors to Pilot



Morrow County Extension News

By MOLLY SAUL

Home Extension Agent for Morrow and Umatilla Counties

"The Foods and Customs of Local Indians" will be the study topic for all Home Extension units in Morrow and Umatilla Counties for December. One or two Indian women will attend each unit meeting to serve as a resource person. They will bring Indian handicrafts to display and food to sample," according to Molly Saul, Home Extension Agent, Umatilla and Morrow Counties.

Project leaders who will teach the lesson were recently trained by a group of 13 men and women who are members of the Confederated Tribes: the Walla Walla, Cayuse, and Umatilla. Ethel Williams and Videll Bronson worked with Joy George to coordinate the training program.

Those attending the December meeting will learn about the customs of the local Indians, including food and diet, clothing, ceremonials, marriage, death, education, crafts, housing, music, dancing and games. New economic developments for the tribe will also be discussed.

Indians who assisted with the training were: Mr. and Mrs. Revs, Gilbert Minthorn, Louise Lloyd, Joan Burnside, Ernestine Crawford, Zelma Minthorn, Ethel Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Louis McFarland, Suzie Williams, Theresa Minthorn and Annie Joe.

Attend Square Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Phillips of Yakima and Bob Mickles of Cle Elum spent the weekend visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Murdock. On Saturday, the Murdock's, Phillips, Mr. Mickie and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norris went to John Day to attend the John Day Mountainview Swinger Square Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hardwick spent Sunday at John Day visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Hardwick.

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Administrative Districts—Is There A Consensus?

By JUDGE PAUL JONES

In 1968 when Governor McCall divided the state of Oregon into his 14 administrative districts, the concept of regional government was not understood by more than a handful of people in Oregon. There were in existence then the "Columbia Regional Association of Governments", the "Linn-Benton Association", and the "Mid-Willamette C.O.G."

These three differed from those set up by the governor in one major aspect. They were not arbitrarily formed by executive edict. The need for an association such as CRAG was the result of voluntary action on the part of interested county and city groups, who formed their association long after it had been demonstrated that a need existed for something of this nature.

Let me stress that none of us who are opposed to the administrative districts as set up by the governor, has any quarrel or criticism of the voluntary districts, such as CRAG. We do not quarrel with the concept of intergovernmental units of government as defined in ORS 190 which provides for just such an organization as we feel is needed in so much of Oregon.

May I return to the mandatory (as we thought); or, arbitrary districts which I first mentioned, and which were handed to us as a package. I am sure that there are few present who do not recognize that efficiency in government must be strengthened and developed.

Local government has survived a hundred and eleven years in Oregon. It has withstood war, depression, inflation, and the many other problems which we see brought to it day after day and year after year. County government as we know it in all of our counties has been and still is receptive to the voice of our people. It can still under the provisions of ORS 190 which I mentioned at the onset.

However, the plan of administrative districts as laid down in the governor's 14 district plan is in the opinion of many

of us a step away from local government control — one more step away from the people of our counties, and I emphasize this point! This state and nation is built on local government and control by the voters. While many will say that the voters do not exercise the best judgment, there are none, or very few, who would advocate taking it from us. Yet, this districting puts into effect a plan which could create another government level. It has been advocated by some that the administrative districts be given the same taxing power as our county and city governments; and, what is this but another government structure, further removed from the people.

In conclusion, I think we can say that many of us recognize the need for intergovernmental unit—a closer and more cooperative organization within our county boundaries. While, at the same time, local government retains the right to join voluntarily with other counties in actions beneficial to them.

(This statement was delivered by Judge Jones at the annual meeting of the League of Oregon Counties recently. The Judge was elected vice president of the state organization at the meeting.)

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My Neighbors



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Boardman News

Mrs. Walter Wyss was hostess for the meeting of the Boardman Garden Club at her home Monday night of last week. Roll call was answered by telling something to be thankful for.

It was voted to give a donation to the Eastern Oregon Hospital and Training Center in Pendleton for their Christmas fund.

The club will give Thanksgiving favors to patients at the Umatilla Hospital.

Mrs. Ralph Earwood read an article on the origin of Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Arthur Allen and Mrs. Frank Marlow won prizes in a guessing game. Mrs. Allen also received the door prize.

The next meeting will be the annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Rollin Bishop Dec. 21 with exchange of gifts. It will be in the afternoon at 2 o'clock instead of the regular 8 p.m. time.

Mrs. Arthur Allen won high score at the card party held last week at the Greenfield Grange hall, sponsored by the Women's Activity Committee of the grange. Mrs. Walter Wyss received the low. Mrs. Don Downey and Mrs. Ed Kuhn were winners of the traveling pinocchio prizes. There were three tables in play. Mrs. Chub Warren was hostess.

The annual election for the

Boardman Cemetery Maintenance District and the Boardman Park and Recreation District will be held at the City Hall Dec. 7 from 2 to 8 p.m. One director is to be elected for the Cemetery District and two for the Park and Recreation District. Petitions to get names on the ballot are available at the city hall.

Rev. and Mrs. Herman R. Burg of Valleyford, Wash., were overnight visitors last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rash. They came down to see their new granddaughter born to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McArthur of Pendleton, who arrived at the Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston Nov. 17. The baby weighed 6 lb., 11 oz., and was named Elisa Luann. Paternal grandparents are the Rev. and Mrs. Harold McArthur of Stanfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ball received word Sunday evening of the birth of a great-granddaughter, born in Globe, Ariz. Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson, and the baby was born on Ball's birthday. The new arrival weighed 8 lb., 5 oz., and as yet did not have a name. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ball, Jr. of Globe. Mrs. Johnson is the former Teresa Ball, and attended school here.

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