

School Board Election To Be Held May 3

According to public notice printed in the Gazette-Times April 15 and April 22 issues the annual school election will be held May 3 between the hours of 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. for the purpose of electing directors and various advisory committee members.

School Board Members

John Brandt is running unopposed for the five-year term from Zone II, Irrigon to fill the position formerly held by Maxwell Jones.

In Heppner Zone VI, two women wishing to be involved have filed for the one-year term to fill out the unexpired term of Beverly Gunderson. They are Mrs. Wesley Marlatt and Mrs. Herman Winter. Both women are devoted to their families. It is because of their interest in children, they were willing to

be nominated for the position.

Mrs. Marlatt

Mrs. Marlatt follows the activities of her five children and is interested in having her children receive an education. This was brought home when her husband was hurt and was no longer able to work in his service station. He is now qualified as an accountant. She feels that women should also have a vocation to follow if necessary.

A native of Heppner, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bothwell. After graduation from Heppner High School she married Wesley Marlatt.

Her activities include serving as: room mother, vice president of the Heppner Elementary PTA, chairman of two Civic League Rummage Sales and is now a member of the board of directors.

She is a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. She has taught Sunday School and is now Sunday School secretary.

In her free time, she sells Avon products.

Mrs. Winter

Mrs. Winter has also channeled her energy and efforts in the activities of three children as well as assisting in the office of her attorney husband, Herman W. Winter. She feels that education is going into a dynamic new period and she would like to be "where the action is" and to help where she can.

Her education has been on a cross section of the United States with grade school in Washington, D. C., High School in Seattle and college at Willamette and Lewis and Clark

College. Her major was Political Science.

Her community activities include past president of the Mothers Club and Bookworms. She chaired South Morrow County Cancer Society for four years and was Morrow County Republican Central committee chairman for four years. She was on the board of directors for Civic League for three years.

Her church activities as member of All Saints' Episcopal Church are past president of Episcopal Church Women and a Sunday School teacher for six years.

When she was in Salem she worked for 3 1/2 years for School District 24CJ as clerk-typist in the superintendent of schools' office.

She says "I have no particular cause except the best edu-

cation possible for all the children of Morrow County."

Advisory Committee

There are several Advisory committee positions to be filled. From the Lexington area two have filed for the three year term formerly held by Mary Ann Barclay. They are Beatrice Luciani and Betty Marquardt. One to be elected.

Three have filed from the Heppner area with two to be elected. They are Jerry Sweeney, Harley Sager and Betty G. Rood.

There are vacancies to be filled at Ione, Boardman and Irrigon but without opposition. Filing to serve on the Ione Advisory Committee are Gene Rietmann and Lorene Griffith. On the Boardman advisory committee are Shirley Zielinski and Kenneth Broadbent and at Irrigon, Wanda Witherspoon.



PAT WONSER is the new president of the Morrow County Jaycees. Installation was held here Saturday night.

Pat Wonser Elected Jaycee President

The annual joint installation banquet for Jaycees and Wives was a Saturday night event at the Heppner American Legion Hall.

New Morrow County Jaycee officers are Pat Wonser, president; Ed Struthers, first vice president; Jerry Hollomon, second vice president; Tom Beam, secretary; Forrest Burkenbine, treasurer; Tom Wilson, state director; Clifford Wood, internal director; Ken Evans, external director; Lyle Jensen, chaplain.

Program

Master of ceremonies for the occasion was Tom Beam.

Guest Speaker

Ronald L. Bryant, president of the Oregon Jaycees, was the guest speaker.

Mr. Bryant is a youthful looking person even though he has been a Redmond attorney for 14 years. He is the winner of many Jaycee awards.

He said that the hopes of Oregon and the USA are pinned to responsible young men.

He said the fall of Rome was due to five things: Undermining the dignity of home; Higher and higher taxes; Craze for pleasure; Building of great armaments; Decay of religion.

Mr. Bryant said this is the way to bondage, as has been proven by many great nations which have fallen.

"Who really cares?" he asked. "Eleven percent of the population of California is on welfare."

"But," he insisted, "in this room are those who care."

He continued, "Heppner was built by those who cared, not on a 9 to 5 basis but on a 24 hour schedule."

He concluded "It takes faith to care about their town and about their fellowman."

Awards Presentation

Gordon Byrnes, state vice president from Pilot Rock made the awards presentation.

Winning Spoke Awards were Richard Willard, Cliff Wood and Warren Plocharsky.

Spark Plug Awards were made to Lyle Jensen, Tom Wilson,

Jerry Hollomon and Tom Beam. Jaycee-ette of the Year award was made to Linda Wonser (Mrs. Pat Wonser).

Jaycee of the Year award went to Tom Wilson and Jack Melland.

Mr. Bryant installed the new officers.

The President's report was made by immediate past president, Jack Melland. He told of the addition of new members as the chapter now has 33 regular members and two associates.

The President's Award for Jaycee-ettes was made to Past President Linda Wonser.

Jack Melland thanked his officers for the help they gave him during his time of office and presented them special awards:

Forrie Burkenbine, Pat Wonser, Lyle Jensen, Tom Wilson, Frank Osmin, Tom Beam, John Privett.

Tom Beam presented past president Jack Melland with the award of a president's outstanding plaque.

Banquet was buffet style with entrees of baked ham and roast beef.

Ione Lions Elect Officers

At their Monday night dinner meeting, the Ione Lions Club held their election for new officers. Larry Prock, Ione banker, is the new president, succeeding Gordon Meyers.

First vice president is Robert Drake; 2nd vice president, Lloyd Morgan; 3rd vice president, Dennis Brandon.

James Barnett is secretary-treasurer and Lion Tamer is Darrell James, Rudy Mensch is Tail Twister.

Directors for one year are Jerry Martin and Herb Ekstrom, Jr. Two year directors are Garland Swanson and Gordon Meyers.

Winner of the new chain saw was Gordon Meyers.

Tentative date for the Installation Dinner honoring the new officers was set for Friday, May 21 at the Ione American Legion Hall.

The Ione Lions wish to thank all who donated to the chain saw drawing. The proceeds will be used to help pay expenses for the Little League Field in Ione and for other worthy projects.

Pioneer Day Set

The Morrow County Pioneer Association will hold its annual Memorial Day picnic at the Fairgrounds at Heppner on Sunday, May 30, 1971.

Registration will begin at 10:30, the Memorial Service will be at 12:30 and the potluck dinner at 1:00.

Meat, rolls, coffee, punch and milk, paper plates and cups, and table service will be furnished. Donations are being accepted to help finance this part of the dinner. Those attending are asked to bring salads and desserts.

This annual occasion will give everyone an opportunity to meet old friends from far and near. Many come from all parts of the country.

GRAIN PRICES

(F.O.B. Lexington, does not include warehouse chgs.)
(Courtesy of Morrow County Grain Growers)

White wheat	1.67 1/2
Red wheat	
Barley	50.50

88th Year Price 10 Cents

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SEE HOW IT'S DONE? Cub Scout Brian Thompson gets a close up view of the ingenious starting device installed in the race track by Chuck Phegley for the Cub Scouts Pinewood Derby.

Chamber Talks of Heppner Birthday

At Monday's Heppner-Morrow County Chamber of Commerce luncheon at the Wagon Wheel, President Gene Pierce commended the business firms on Main Street for cleaning up and painting up. More Main Street businesses plan to paint up.

An informal discussion was held on the City of Heppner's founding. Area was called Stansbury Flats for several years. This was followed by opening a store in 1872 by Heppner and Morrow, according to historian Giles French. The exact date of the founding of Heppner is not known but it is thought to have been either August 9 or 10 in 1872. Judge Paul Jones said the Morrow County Record would be 50 years old next year and perhaps a celebration for both the rodeo and the town's founding could be noted at the same time. President Pierce stated that the Chamber's history committee would work on the project, with plans to invite participation by all organizations and clubs in Morrow County.

New Doctor Surveys Heppner, and Eastern Oregon

A doctor interested in a new location made a brief visit to Heppner last weekend. Mrs. Wyman, Pioneer Memorial Hospital administrator, said she was afraid to be optimistic but she was hopeful. He said the plant was beautiful and the people were gracious and friendly.

Here on a tour of Eastern Oregon was Dr. Sykes who has been practicing in Hawaii and is a General Practitioner and surgeon. From Heppner he went on to look over John Day, then to Burns and back to Hawaii.

Today is the Day Homemakers Festival

You all come! All women are invited to attend the Homemakers' Spring Festival, April 29, 1971, at the Fairgrounds in Heppner, starting at 9:30 a.m. with a coffee hour. Husbands are also invited to stop in.

Wheat Needs Good Weather

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Spring Band Concert Next Thursday, 6th

Arnie Hedman announced the date of the annual Heppner School Spring Band Concert would be May 6 at 8 p.m. at the high school gym. This involves a couple of hundred youngsters and is a musical treat for the community.

Wranglers Play Day

The Wranglers play day will be Sunday, May 2 at the Morrow County Wranglers play grounds. A potluck will be held there at noon.

Enthusiasm Plus At Pinewood Derby

Indianapolis has its "500" and Heppner has its "Pinewood Derby". A big assembly of parents and their Cub Scout sons gathered Monday for their second Pack meeting. This one to run off the "Pinewood Derby". The track was made and operated by Chuck Phegley. Each Den raced two members at a time to find the fastest little hand carved, sanded and painted racer.

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CARL MCDANIEL displays his limit of native trout. His catch measured from 8 to 13 inches and were caught opening day on Rhea Creek at the mouth of Balm Creek.

WEATHER

By DON GILLIAM

	Hi	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	53	33	.59
Thursday	58	30	—
Friday	54	38	.08
Saturday	47	32	.15
Sunday	60	38	.06
Monday	63	32	—
Tuesday	63	45	—