

Golf Pro Arrives

Old Pros never die and here to enjoy the summer in Heppner is George Duncan, a golf pro who people in Heppner will enjoy knowing as well as taking lessons from.

He eyed the Willow Creek golf course as he came into town. He not only has made his living with golf but he continues eating, sleeping and playing golf. It wasn't long after he arrived in town that he played his first round on the local golf course. He says it is the smallest one he's ever played but not the easiest by any means. He played with Mike Sweeney who told him he'd tied the course record.

He's been a pro for almost 45 years. He started playing when he was 12 years old and his first job was caddying at Silver City, New Mexico.

In 1933 he laid claim to having the lowest score for 18 holes in the State of Idaho. He had a 57 at St. Maries. He's played golf on the lowest course, Dead's Golf Course in Death Valley and the highest course Cloudercroft in New Mexico which is more than 10,000 feet in altitude.

It was traditional that John D. Rockefeller always gave a shiny new dime to those with whom he played golf. George Duncan received one of these dimes after playing with Mr. Rockefeller at St. Augustine, Fla. He's given golf lessons to Jean Harlow and Marian Davies at McCloud Course in California.

He's played with other name players like Dennis Morgan, Guy Kibbee, Allen Hale, Ruby Keeler and Bob Hope.

He treasures a steel shafted golf club. It was about 1927-28 that the manufacturers experimented with steel shafts instead of wood. It didn't work out and they went back to wooden shafts. The leaded weight of this favorite club compensates for a needed swing balance that George needs to overcome a childhood accident.

It seems that his brother wanted him to steady a piece of wood he was splitting. When the ax came down George was minus several toes.

He is free-lancing this summer and will be in Heppner all summer to teach and talk golf with anyone interested. Anyone interested is asked to sign the list at Central Market.

He recommends eight years as a good age to start golf. A little later in the summer he hopes to give free golf sessions to the small fry. He is so enthusiastic about his chosen sport that he would like everyone to get in on the fun.

Service Held For Emma Cecil

Emma Elizabeth Cecil, age 64, passed away at her home near Heppner on July 2. She was a lifetime resident of the area. Emma Cecil was born Dec. 31, 1906 at Monument, Ore., and is the daughter of Alva Vinson and Emma Ferguson. She was also a member of Sans Souci Rebekah Lodge.

Emma Cecil was united in marriage to Percy Cecil at Lewiston, Idaho, May 14, 1961.

Services were conducted Tuesday, July 6 at 10:00 a.m. at the First Christian Church in Heppner with Rev. Don W. Johnson, officiating. Sweeney Mortuary was in care of the arrangements.

Interment was at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery with ritualistic services by Heppner Rebekah Lodge.

Pauline Miller sang "The Old Rugged Cross", and "In The Garden", accompanied by Juanita Carmichael, Organist.

Casket bearers were Johnny Winebarger, Jim Stirewalt, Carl McDaniel, Tom Huston, Kenny Reads and Harold Stevens. Honorary bearers were Jim Hams, Harold Wright, Huston Leslie, Archie Becholdt, Kenny Wright and Roy Quackenbush.

Besides her husband, Percy of Heppner, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Roy Martin of Lexington; a stepdaughter, Loretta Gorham of Elgin; two sisters, Flossie Breeding of Grants Pass, Elba Breeding of Heppner; four brothers, Lee Vinson of Riverside, Calif., L. D. Vinson of Monument, Delbert Vinson of Lexington, Darrell Vinson of Heppner and seven grandchildren.

Contributions may be made to the Heart Fund.

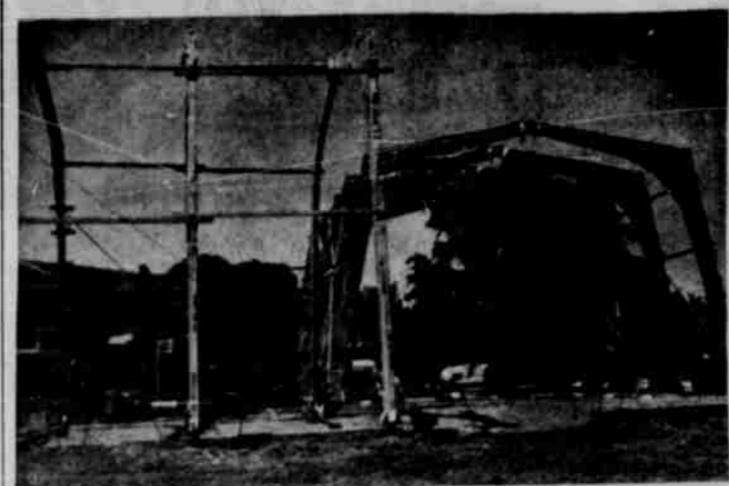
MANAGER TO COAST

Robin A. Fletcher, Manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Pendleton, will join counterparts from forty eight other FLBA's at the 1971 Land Bank Summer Conference July 15-16 at Lincoln City.

Subjects under discussion at the Summer Conference, sponsored by the Federal Land Bank of Spokane, will include pending Farm Credit Act of 1971, policies and procedures of long-term mortgage lending in today's agricultural economy, and methods of serving the credit needs of farmers and ranchers in Alaska, Idaho, Montana, and Oregon.

Gazette-Times want ads pay.

New Church Takes Shape . . .



LAMINATED ARCHES are an indication of the height and shape of the new church. The concrete slab now covers the trenches containing the church heating and cooling plastic pipes.



THESE HUGE green plastic pipes are the heating and cooling system of the new St. Patrick's Catholic Church. They are welded in sections with plastic tape. Then dropped into concrete lined trenches. Vents will control the cool or warm air into the rooms.

Umatilla Races For Pacific Champs

The big "Race of the Year" for the entire Eastern area will happen Saturday night (July 10) on the Umatilla Speedways 1/4 mile racing oval, when the 1/4 mile Pacific Coast Championships for the NASCAR Western Grand National Late Model Stock Cars will take place.

A field of over 20 of the 1969 thru 1971 model stocks from Arizona, California, Oregon and Washington will be in action when time trials get underway at 7:30 p.m. with the first racing action starting at 8:30 o'clock.

The drivers and their cars total value of the race machines being well over \$500,000 will be looking for the \$5,000 jackpot for the top finishers in the trophy dash, heat races with ALL cars entered in the Championship 100 Lap Feature Event.

Pete and Mary McMurtry left Friday for their first vacation trip with a brand new trailer. They had a surprise and a real close call between here and Ruggs when the trailer house turned over and their car was thrown into the ditch. No one is sure what happened; whether the hitch broke or the trailer jack knifed, causing the accident. Fortunately, the McMurtrys escaped injury other than a bad shaking up.

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IRRIGON NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Warner of Blackfoot, Idaho were overnight guests of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Batie Rand. They also visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Warner.

Rev. Warner is pastor of the Methodist church in Blackfoot and they were enroute home after attending conference in Salem and visiting their sons and families in the Seattle area. He is a graduate of Irrigon schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Batie Rand returned this week from a camping and fishing trip to Curlew Lake in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Eppendach and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sanders returned this week from an extended 2-week vacation trip touching several southwest states. They were at Canyonlands National Park and Arches National Monument, Grand Canyon National Park and Bryce National Park.

They visited The Big Rock Candy Mountain, Glen Canyon dam and Lake Powell, as well as the Navajo Indian Reservation.

While in Utah they saw the Mormon Square and Temple in Salt Lake City and visited Great Salt Lake and Bonneville Salt Flats where much of today's speed testing is done. They

Rhea Creek Dam Site Discussed

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there would be some grant money available, largely in the area of employment. Buzz Banta will handle this. Counselor George Johnston started work here Tuesday. He mentioned that a number of rural development employment projects were in the works.

Chairman Ken Turner told of the tremendous impact on this county coming from irrigated pasture development such as on the Boeing tract and other ranches. He pointed out this has possibilities for summering on the Boeing tract and wintering down in the south end. Per capita consumption of beef is rising and the industry looks pretty healthy.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Katherine Higgins of Heppner is still receiving medical care at Pioneer Memorial Hospital. Those dismissed were: Zola Mokus of Klamath Falls; Thomas McNeil of Fossil; Leslie Hams of Ione; Craig Howard of Lexington; Alphonas Marick of Ione; and Holly Humphreys, also of Ione.

IONE NEWS

IONE — Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swanson and family of Auburn, Wash., were in Ione visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Gar Swanson, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Turner of Heppner.

Bob Kuehn of Portland is spending the summer with Mark Bailey.

Guest at the Martin home for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Martin from Othello, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Al Darzell and daughter of Castle Rock, Wash. Mr. Martin started cutting barley July 5 and Mrs. Darzell and daughter are staying to help out with harvest.

Ione Garden Club will hold meeting at Mrs. Lee Pettyjohn's on July 14.

Bus Drivers, Cooks

Morrow County School District has a few loose ends to tie up and the needed classified and certified positions will be filled well before the start of school.

The district has two remaining vacancies for school bus drivers. One is in Ione and the other is the Eight-mile bus run at Hardman. These positions will be filled at the regular school board meeting on Aug. 16. Applications will be accepted until that date.

Two cooks positions at Riverside are yet to be filled. Vacancies have not yet been filled for the Math-Coaching position at Ione, Spanish-English at Ione and Special Education at Heppner Elementary.

MIMEOGRAPH PAPER and stencils, duplicator paper, master sheets and duplicator fluid on sale at The Gazette-Times. Phone 676-9228 for G-T want ad service.

Boardman News

Mrs. Oates was born April 5, 1887, the daughter of Jim and Mattie McDorman, one of six children. She was married in 1906 to William T. Oates in Hamilton. In 1911 they went to Clayton, N. M., and took up a homestead, where they lived for 14 years. At that time they moved to Gage where she had lived until last summer when she came to live with her daughter. Her husband died in 1951.

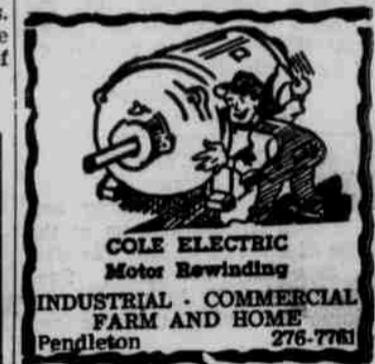
Survivors include two sons: W. M. Oates of Gage; W. T. Oates of Chilcoquin; four daughters, Maxine Crowder of Boardman; Nadine Gilber of Gage; Mary Voyles of Booker, Texas; and Billie Blaser of Portland; and one sister, Mrs. Jimmie Bird of Stevedale, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Keith Potts of Spokane, Wash., were overnight visitors at the home of Pastor and Mrs. Neil King Sunday on their way to the Village Missions conference this week at Cannon Beach. Pastor and Mrs. King and children Martha, Cynthia, Leora and Randy left Monday for the conference also.

Mrs. Walter Hayes and Mrs. Rollin Bishop attended the installation services of the Queen Esther chapter of the Eastern Star at the Masonic Temple in Hermiston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Boyd Minton of McMinnville was a Sunday visitor at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyss. Other recent visitors at the Wyss home were their grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pieper and daughter Sharon of Portland.

Stephanie and Scott Allen of Weston visited last week at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen.



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