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CONGRATULATIONS TO . . .

Heppner's FFA boys and girls and their Livestock Judging team! The dream of every FFA senior on a Livestock Judging team came true for Heppner at the 1971 P-I when Heppner's three members came home with first place in the contest. When they received their banner, everyone in the hall knew how the other members of the Heppner FFA felt about it. They had more than 20 enthusiastic members there to support them.

Three young women of the community who felt the community but most to the young couple who had just opened the recent Main St. fire. It was a low blow to the community but most of the young couple who had just opened their lumber yard about a year ago.

These three, Janice Flanagan, Pat Jensen and Marlene Gray organized a Community Dance with donated door prizes, hall and music. They worked like beavers selling tickets they borrowed from the Elks and IOOF. This was a huge success because the community wanted to do something but just didn't know how or what. Double congratulations to these three for taking the lead.

Then two weeks later they did it again. This time for the young couple who didn't lose their business but their home.

Both were community supported in donations and attendance.

To Columbia Basin who went out of their way (money as well as effort) to take the Swiss Yodeler, Lisa Ward, up to the high school. A yodeler of her caliber isn't easy to come by and certainly to hear her in person was a treat for everyone. The high school students seemed to enjoy her and gave her a standing ovation at the conclusion of her presentation.

. . . to the L. E. Dicks on the completion of a two-unit apartment house which has already been rented. Places to live are as scarce as hen's teeth in Heppner and every additional place truly helps.

Very shortly the Clarence Rosewells will have a new home to sell. This is the first one to go up on the Rasmussen-Lott Addition.

Pioneer Ponderings



By W. S. CAVERHILL

Christmas 70 Years Ago

As Christmas nears this year, I have a feeling of nostalgia for a Christmas as it was in Long Creek in the years past. The community tree in the church with gifts for everyone, and decorated with strings and balls of popcorn, lighted with wax candles, and in charge of a special committee was presented to the public on Christmas Eve (not at random as now). "Baby" Brown, a 300 pound bachelor, always provided the tree, and the saloons furnished candy, nuts and arranged for every youngster in the Valley. Santa Claus came on Christmas Eve, not in the middle of December. There was nothing commercial about the observance. The Christmas spirit prevailed over commerce. I believe we have lost some of that spirit.

NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER

DECEMBER
9—Senior Citizens crafts, 2:00
10—Social Security Division 10:00-12:00 and 1:00-2:00
14—Nutrition Class, 11:00
TOPS Club, 7:30

EMPLOYMENT LISTING

This past week several full-time positions were filled through the Extension Office. These positions included a Mechanic and a Ranch Hand. We still have listings of people with the following experience: Clerk-Typist; Timber Handler or Lumber Straightener; Waitress-Bartender; Welder, Production Line-Pondman; Ranch or Farm Hand; Salesperson; Book-keeper-Manager; Teacher, Kindergarten; Truck Driver, Light or Heavy; Maid, General; Farm Equipment Mechanic or Operator; Surgical Nurse's Aide. There is an opening for a full-time waitress listed at the Extension Office. For information, please contact the Extension Office.



As a taxpayer, some months ago we applauded the announcement by Pacific Gas Transmission Co., that they would build another \$8 million pipe line through Morrow County. Taxable property like this is most welcome. However, that was the last we heard of the proposal.

Now, we just heard the Canadian Energy Board will not allow additional gas to be exported over and above what is already being exported. So the new pipeline is not necessary. However, the company tells us that exploration is being pushed in the Rocky Mountain states and in Canada and it is hoped that the pipe building delay is temporary.

The Eugene Register-Guard Nov. 7 edition features a story and pictures on "Home is Where the Heart Is, Even in Hardman, Ore.," by Ione Reed. It gives a brief history of Hardman, pictures a number of the buildings and says six families still live there, saying "home is where the heart is."

One thousand large mouth bass fingerlings were planted Wednesday by the Corps of Engineers in two big pond areas near Irrigon. State of Oregon is leasing 500 acres including the ponds for hunting and fishing.

The Three Kings are here in person! Yessir, they're in Elma's display window.

Looks like a real old fashioned Christmas, doesn't it? Might as well relax and enjoy it. (If you're feeding cattle in this stuff, just ignore my remark about relaxing!)

Vacation: a long-awaited rest that overworks the bank account.

A "green" is that part of a golf course where a golfer may see red, look purple, tell a white lie, and turn the air blue.

One way to keep your husband from snoring is to retire just late enough to make him lie awake all night wondering why you were up so late.

Scientists have created a computer so sophisticated, every time you give it a really hard problem, it asks for a martini first.

TO THE EDITOR . . .

Nov. 28, 1971
Star Route, Box 165
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Gentlemen:
Several weeks ago, my hunting partner, my 11 year old son and I hunted pheasants and quail in the Heppner area.

We tent camped on the upper end of Willow Creek and hunted the Willow Cr. and Butter Cr. drainages.

We were able to locate the owner or foreman of each ranch that we hunted on. Each and everyone we contacted was very friendly and courteous, granting us the privilege of hunting on their property. We had good to excellent success in the taking of both pheasant and quail.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone of the Heppner area ranchers for a wonderful weekend. Again, I say Thank You.
Sincerely,
James J. Brannon

Charge Conference Names New Officers

Rev. Robert McNabb of the Hermiton United Methodist Church presided at the Fall Charge Conference of the Heppner United Methodist Church Monday evening, Dec. 6. The business handled at this yearly meeting was the determination of the pastors salary, the voting on the acceptance of the World Service Apportionments, and the election of church officers for the following year. This was done and the budget for 1972 and the list of newly elected officers was announced.

New for 1972
The officers for 1972 are: Chairman Administrative Board, Herman Green; Chairman Council on Ministries, Mrs. Carl McDaniel; Age-Level Coordinators, Children, Mrs. John Maatta; Youth, Mrs. Arnie Hedman; Adults and Family, Mrs. Douglas Drake.

Work Area Chairmen: Education, Mrs. Edwin Cutting; Missions, Mrs. John Wood; Social Concerns, Mrs. William Weatherford; Worship, Mrs. Herman Green; Ecumenical Affairs, Mrs. Herman Green.

Other church officers are: Treasurer, Mrs. Kenneth Batty; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Howard Bryant; Recording Secretary of Charge Conference, Mrs. Mary Bryant; Recording Secretary of Administrative Board, Mrs. Elmer Palmer; Membership Secretary, Mrs. David McLeod; Trier of Appeals, Mrs. Carl McDaniel; District Extension Representative, Mrs. Hortense Martin; Health and Welfare Representative, Mrs. Owen Leathers. Members of the Board at Large are Cornell Green, Kristi Hague, Rick Drake, and Mrs. Harry Duvall.

Trustees Named
Trustees are: Class of 1972, Howard Bryant, David McLeod; Class of 1973, Ronald Hague, Mrs. Dean Connor; Class of 1974, Elmer Palmer, Mrs. Owen Leathers. The Pastor-Parish Committee: Class of 1972, Mrs. Elmer Palmer, Mrs. Lincoln Nash; Class of 1973, Harley Young, Mrs. Cornell Green; Class of 1974, John Maatta, Gene Pierce.

Committee Members
The Finance Committee consists of: Mrs. Howard Bryant, Mrs. Verne Batty, Ernest McCabe, Arnie Hedman, Ed Dick, Herman Green, Mrs. Carl McDaniel. The Nominating Committee: Class of 1972, Mrs. Elmer Palmer, Mrs. William Weatherford; Class of 1973, Mrs. Herman Green, Mrs. Donald Bennett; Class of 1974, Herman Green, Mrs. Lincoln Nash. Worship and Music Committee: Mrs. Warren Miller, Mrs. John Maatta, Mrs. Ronald Hague, Arnie Hedman, Rev. Cutting.

Flower Committee: Mrs. William Farra, and Mrs. Gene Pierce. **Communion Stewards:** Mrs. Ted Smith and Mrs. Gene Ferguson. **Delegate to Annual Conference, 1972-1976,** Mrs. William Weatherford, and alternate to Annual Conference, 1972-1976, Mrs. Herman Green.

Adult Typing Class Possible in January
Blue Mountain Community College will offer an adult typing class one evening each week at Heppner High School under teacher Frank McAllister if ten persons indicate their interest. This class will offer credit and will charge tuition. Persons who are interested should contact Mrs. Brindle at 676-5873 or Mr. McAllister at the high school. The class will start when school reopens after the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Violet Hutchins of Portland and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutchins, Billy and Christine, all of Portland were up to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Angell.



Football in all its glory! This is a picture belonging to Lindsay Kincaid who says Barton Clark is a member of this football team. The equipment is a far cry from the safety

features of today's equipment. Anyone able to identify any of these players is asked to call the Gazette-Times.

Pastor to Speak At 75th Anniversary

Christ Lutheran Church at Colfax-Farmington parish in Washington has invited Pastor Rudolph Mensch to speak at the celebration of its 75th Anniversary and the dedication of a new parish hall on Sunday, Dec. 12. Pastor Mensch served this parish for 12 years when he first left Canada for the United States.

Pastor Mensch announces that Mr. James Kuykendal of Pendleton, a layman will fill the pulpits at Hope and Valby Churches while he is away. On April 23, 1971, Mr. Kuykendal performed at Hope Church with the Peace Lutheran Choir and a group from the Pendleton Community Theater in the cantata "No Greater Love". His solo roll as Pontius Pilot is remembered here.

Christmas Greenery Workshop Monday

Heppner Garden Club's December meeting is open to the public this Monday night at 8:00 in the basement of the United Methodist Church. Rev. Ed Cutting will again lead a workshop on making up Christmas greenery.

Those attending are asked to bring pruning shears or clippers. The garden club is furnishing fir boughs and wire. Ribbons, cones and other items will be for sale at the workshop.

PNG Members Dress A Christmas Doll

The Past Noble Grand club members of the Sans Souci Rebekah Lodge have dressed for Christmas a play doll that some little girl will treasure. The 16 inch doll has a pony tail of washable saran hair.

The doll's wardrobe includes coats, dresses, skirts and blouses, gown, robe, various knits and crocheted article and pants suit packed in a doll's trunk.

Proceeds will be used to buy gifts for shut-ins, the lodge sister living in the IOOF Home and remembrance cards.

Piano Recital Dec. 12

The piano pupils of Mrs. D. E. Hudson will present a variety of seasonal music at their annual winter program Dec. 12, 2:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Performances will be given by Suzanne Cutsforth, Cindy Dougherty, David Worden, Randy Worden, Judy Bennett, Sandy Bennett, Kryn Robinson, Susan Gray, Sandra Palmer, Anna Schwarzin, Bill Kenny, Dee Hedman, Donna Palmer, Debora Palmer, Melody Marlatt, Rosanna Marlatt, Dean Connor, Sandi Hudson, Cindi Hudson.

PROPERTY TAX FAX

If you have a question concerning real or personal property please state all the facts as briefly as possible and mail it to your COUNTY ASSESSOR Joyce Rich, under the name "PROPERTY TAX FAX". Please ask only one question per sheet. Then watch this column for the answer.

QUESTION:
Our county planning commission has submitted a proposed agricultural zoning ordinance in which conditional uses permitted by the ordinance are not compatible with a qualified form use zone. Would this new agricultural zone qualify for automatic farm use assessment?
ANSWER:
No. In order to qualify for automatic farm use deferral there can be no permitted uses, either outright or conditional which exceed those specified in ORS 215.213.

JUSTICE COURT

Richard Rasmussen jury trial, guilty. Fined \$305. 1 year suspension. Jill Scott, minor in possession, fined \$12. James Hubbel, overload \$20. Michael McCoy, disguising sex of game bird \$17. Edward Murphy, failure to validate tag, \$27. Debra Helm, no PUC permit \$27. Gary Hillel, no operators license, \$11. Driving while license suspended, \$32.

David Winters, failure to yield right of way, \$11. Edgar Stovall Jr., and Sr., for using Roosevelt area elk game tags in Heppner area. Tags issued in error from the place of purchase in Eugene, dismissed following receipt of purchase. Mary Ellen Brice, improper passing, \$11.

Michael Wm. Rowell \$50, reckless driving. Arthur Panter, overweight load, \$37. Dennis Paulson, hunting in prohibited area, \$27. Scott Wilson, reckless driving, \$80. Richard Pettyjohn, disobey stop sign, \$11. Lawrence Patrick Monagle, purchasing liquor for a minor, \$130. Joe Paul Anderson, hunting in closed season, \$50.

Home Solicitation Sales

By PATTI HEALY

The buy of the year. Anyway, that is what the salesman had you believing until your husband came home. You found yourself confronted with a high-pressure sales pitch. A door-to-door vacuum cleaner salesman had convinced you and your better judgment that you needed his new machine with its many labor saving gadgets. You had rationalized that the old one was on the brink of disaster. But somehow your husband failed to feel the urgency of the situation and demanded you return the item and get "his" money back!

What can an Oregon consumer do when he wants to cancel a home solicitation sale? Under a 1971 law relating to consumer protection, the buyer has the right to cancel such a sale until midnight of the third business day after the sale if he gives the salesman written notice of his intention to cancel. This option isn't available if to deliver the goods on an emergency basis, or if he can't return the goods in as good condition as he purchased them.

Business interests, too, are protected in this kind of sale. The seller may retain a minimal cancellation fee if he has fulfilled his obligations in the sale. This payment serves as a compensation for his inconvenience. In addition, the seller must repossess the goods after a canceled sale within a reasonable time of 20 days, or the goods legally become the property of the intended buyer without his being obliged to pay for them.

Hopefully, this legislation will reduce the frustrations that plague many consumers in home solicitation sales. This new law also recognizes the interests of the salesman and define his legal rights. It may make buying at home a convenience rather than a chancy transaction.

Eat and Stay Trim is the theme for the Morrow County study groups meeting this month.

Dec. 13 Heppner Day will meet at 10 a.m. for a full day's program at the home of Mrs. Felix Schwarzin. Members are to bring gifts unwrapped for the Eastern Oregon State Hospital as well as an inexpensive gift for the membership-exchange.

Everyone is invited to share the fun of this meeting. Dec. 15 Boardman will meet at the home of Mrs. Al Warnock. Dec. 15 Boardman will meet at lows Grange Hall.

Pat Schwarz Has Birthday

Mrs. Len Ray Schwarz gave a birthday party for their six year old son, Pat, whose birthday is Dec. 1. His guests were Eric Thompson, Earl Hammond, Kenneth Gochbauer, Rodney Cole and Cam George.

Mrs. Schwarz had made a "Snoopy" birthday cake decorated with white with brown spots served with ice cream. Mrs. Terry Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. John Gochbauer were on the sidelines to enjoy the party.

Ione Wins Opener

Ione won its opening game of the basketball season Saturday night with Stanfield 61 to 35. Coach Delton LaRue doesn't think this is any indication of the season but he is fairly well pleased with the way the boys handled the ball. He said, "I am real pleased with the defense." All eleven boys out for basketball got in the game.

Statistics

Ione made 25 out of 60 attempts from the floor for 41% and 11 out of 25 from the free throw line for 44%. They had 43 rebounds.

Stanfield made 13 out of 49 attempts from the floor for 28% and made 35 rebounds.

Cardinal players and points: Nick Marick 6, Clint Krebs 4, Greg Wilson 14, Dave Warren 6, Dick Enyder 14, Richard Hamlett 2, Kit Gutierrez 15, Ed Winkelman, Rick Barnett, Donald McCarty, Herb Ekstrom.

The Cards were to play Arlington this week. This weekend they meet Monument on Friday and Condon on Saturday night. Both games will be at Ione with the JV game at 8 p.m. and the varsity game at 8 p.m.

Coach LaRue had no idea of what to expect from Monument as Ione did not play them last year. "Condon", he said, "will be real tough."

O'DONNELL-SNYDER

A son, Jody James O'Donnell, was born to Peggy and Dennis O'Donnell in Springfield on Nov. 28. He joins a big brother Shon, now two years old.

Delighted grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry O'Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Snyder, all Heppner. Mrs. Mabel Snyder, Pendleton, is Jody's great-grandmother. Dennis O'Donnell and his wife, the former Peggy Snyder graduated from Heppner High in 1966. Dennis is now employed by the Oregon State Police at Springfield.

School Lunch Menus

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Heppner Elementary School and Heppner High School

Monday, Dec. 13 — Hot dogs, homemade bun, baked beans, vegetable salad, fruit, cookies, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 14—Sloppy Joe homemade bun, buttered corn, celery sticks, upside-down cake, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 15—Spaghetti ground beef, buttered spinach, cheese sticks, apple crisp, hot rolls, butter, jelly, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 16—Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, pickled beets, fruit, hot rolls, butter, jelly, milk.

Friday, Dec. 17—Tuna sandwiches, soup, vegetable salad, cake, fruit, milk.

Your Decisions Are Important

Great Decisions are sort of like the weather — everyone talks about them, but nobody does anything.

Oregonians interested in some of the significant topics of the day have a chance "to do something" through the 1972 Great Decisions program, points out Harold Kerr, Morrow County Agent.

"Anyone may participate in the Great Decisions program. All it takes is a group of six to ten persons interested in the crucial items facing all of us today and who are willing to spend some time talking about what these decisions mean to us," Mr. Kerr stresses.

The Oregon program will begin at the end of January and continue until mid-March. Each discussion group is informal and voluntary.

"The important thing is getting people involved and providing an avenue by which they can let others know what they believe," Mr. Kerr says.

Topics for Great Decisions '72 include "Vietnam and After", "Japan, the Common Market and the U. S.", "Chile's Marxist Experiment", "Our China Policy", and "Our Crowded World". The 1972 topics also contain discussion questions relevant to Oregon.

Now in its 15th year, the Great Decisions program is offered nationally by the non-partisan Foreign Policy Association. In Oregon, the sponsors are the Oregon Great Decisions Council and the World Affairs Council of Oregon in the Portland Area.

The Cooperative Extension Service is assisting with the Oregon program by providing information about the program.

Plan to join a Great Decisions Discussion group and ballot your opinions. The balloting tabulations on the opinions of Oregon people are sent to the Oregon Congressmen and to the State Department of the United States Government.

Consult your County Extension Office for additional information.

U of O Has Two Fall Grads

University of Oregon will hold their Fall Graduation Dec. 10 at 3 p.m. in the ballroom of Erb Memorial Union.

Maureen Anne Doherty will receive her Bachelor of Science degree in the College of Liberal Arts.

And a Bachelor of Science degree will be awarded another Heppner resident, John Thomson Cox who graduates from the College of Business Administration.

Tom Nielson fell on the ice last Tuesday and broke his hip. He was taken to one of the Pendleton Hospitals.

COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

Thursday, Dec. 9
GED Classes, Lex School, 1:30 and 7:00.

Friday, Dec. 10
CowBelles Luncheon and Fashion Show, Episcopal Hall, 12:00.

Morrow County Livestock Growers, Elks Lodge, 1:00. Farm-City Banquet, Heppner High Cafeteria, 7:00. Basketball: Monument at Ione; Riverside at Stanfield; Heppner at Grant Union.

Saturday, Dec. 11
Carnation Club Food Sale at Turner, Van Marter and Bryant, 10:30.

Sunday, Dec. 12
Wranglers Christmas Potluck, Lex Grange Hall, 5:30.

Monday, Dec. 13
Firemen's School, Heppner City Hall, 7:30.

Tuesday, Dec. 14
Hello Heppner Ext. Study Group, 7:30. Slides of Norway. Firemen's School, Lex City Hall, 7:30.

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