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E. G. 'Gene' Noble

Gene Noble was born near Salem Dec. 31, 1871. He came to Heppner with his parents, George and Mildred Noble when Morrow was still part of Umatilla County.

The family settled on McKinney Creek between Rhea Creek and Hardman. Later, they moved to Heppner where his folks lived in the old Gene Ferguson house.

Gene learned the saddle making business in his father's and D.W. Hohner's saddle shop here. Gene and Les Matlock herded the town cows in their spare time.

At the age of 19 he entered the saddle business and became one of the best known saddle makers in the country. Saddles were sold all over the world. He also made saddle scabbards and did other fine leatherwork.

He sold the business to Joe Snyder. Gene and Mike Roberts worked in the Walla Walla country during the depression to get money to carry them over until better times.

He lived to see many remarkable things come true such as incubation of chickens, etc. He could remember when lambs sold for 85c a head and wool was 6c a pound.

The country here was once full of prairie chickens. He remembered when Morrow County was carved from Umatilla County. There were lots of wide open spaces and no fences nor sidewalks. Gene was a fine dancer, with square dances and waltzes being his favorites.

He was the oldest subscriber to the Oregonian for 71 years. Gene was mayor of Heppner for many years and was a member of the school board. Bill Lowe who provided our information said he was a very fine citizen.

Give a hand, banish loneliness & malnutrition

We are told that loneliness and malnutrition are deadly twin torments of the aged. Dr. Herbert Seltzer, director of one of America's largest institutions for the aged, Daughters of Jacob Geriatric Center, says, "The elderly person living alone, male or female, rich or poor, faces both loneliness and malnutrition unless he consciously does something about them with determination and vigor."

He encourages one senior citizen to seek out another one to share meals, so as to assure them of cooking at least one well balanced, nourishing hot meal a day. Sharing meals could be on an exchange basis.

He urges those eating alone, or with someone, to make a ceremony of the meal, set a tablecloth, switch on some music, put candles on the table, have a little wine.

The Heppner Neighborhood Center can be congratulated upon doing something about the loneliness and malnutrition of our Senior Citizens. Meals will be prepared and served at the Heppner elementary School Cafeteria each Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. This will banish both loneliness and malnutrition.

Any oldersters who need transportation are asked to call the Heppner Neighborhood Center. The Neighborhood Center is anxious for volunteers who will provide transportation to and from the supper, as well as volunteers to help Verna Brinda with the preparation and serving of the weekly meal.

As the program catches on, we'll venture a guess that the oldersters will look forward to that Wednesday supper out.

MR. AND MRS. E.O. HENDRICKSON of San Leandro, Ca. were here a few days last week. While they left Heppner in 1914, they return nearly every summer. Usually when they stay for an extended time, they stay in their home on Gale St.

COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

Sept 28
TRADE FAIR-Heppner High School 7:30 P.M. Welcome for teachers and newcomers
"World Since 1880" B.M.C.C. course starts tonight 7:00-10:00 P.M.
Ione Jr. High Football-Star field at Ione 2:00 P.M.
Sept 28
Mustangs vs. Condon Blue Devils-Heppner field 8:00 P.M.
Riverside High Football at Cascade Locks 2:30 P.M.
Oct 1-7
NATIONAL 4-H CLUB WEEK
Oct 2
Mother's Club at the home of Mrs. Dan James 8:00 P.M.
Tryouts for the Heppner Drama Club's production of "Harvey" 7:30 P.M. Stage of HHS.
Oct 3
Golden Age Potluck 6:30 P.M. Elk's Lodge dining room.
HHS Girls Volleyball at Heppner High 4:00 P.M.
AAUW meeting 8:00 P.M.
Oct 4
Open House at the Extension Service office.
Blue Mt. District Garden Club meeting-Pendleton Elk's Lodge.
Oct 9
Ruth Chapter, No. 32 meeting.
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TO THE EDITOR...

Dear Sir
I received the Centennial papers I ordered and enjoyed them. I would appreciate the having a few copies of the daily paper from September 7th, with the letter from Josephine Baker. I am a grand-daughter of Ellis Minor who had the early hotel in Heppner. If you have any left I would like one more copy of the Centennial paper also. Thanking you,
Anne Roberts Holzschuh

To The Editor
Mrs. Alcott Lundell (Beulah) a former Morrow County resident, called me the other day saying she had been to Terwilliger Plaza to visit Mrs. Anne Snouse, Mrs. Alfred Nelson and Mrs. Hortense Martin, all former residents of Morrow County.

The Lundells formerly lived on a wheat ranch in the Gooseberry section. She lived in Portland as a young girl where she attended Lincoln school. Later taking teachers training and then took off for Morrow County to teach. As usual it didn't take long for the local swains to "spot" the new school ma'am but Alcott Lundell walked off with the prize.

Mrs. Lundell owns her own home in northeast Portland which is located near the famous "The Groin". Her son, Ronnie, and family live but a few blocks away.

There are several relatives living in Ione. Gar Swanson and all of the Lundells.

Josephine Mahoney Baker

D.C.E. Course for all

On October 2 over educational television, a program entitled Counseling 407 Seminar begins. The series consists of 20 half-hour programs. Dr. Dreikurs will demonstrate techniques for motivating children and show methods of dealing with youngsters in order to assist in their positive growth in school and in the home.

The Division of Continuing Education (DCE) encourages all interested persons to enroll in the class for 2 hours graduate or undergraduate credit. Tuition is \$40.00. If you wish you may obtain a course guide for only \$4.00. Of course, you need not pay anything just in time. The course grade is a pass or no pass.

Telecasts begin on October 2, and continue on a Monday-Wednesday schedule until December 13. Each half-hour program will be broadcast at 3:30 and again at 6:00 p.m.

You may register for college credit no later than October 12.

It appears to be an inexpensive way to increase our knowledge in how to work with children. I would encourage all to view this program.

If you would like an application and brochure describing the course content and time schedule, stop in or phone Ernest Teal in the county school district office at 989-8123 or his residence 989-8149.

Earns Masters

Laura Hudson received her masters in Special Education from the University of Oregon. She teaches in the Pearl Buck School at Eugene. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Sumner of Heppner.

Pioneer Ponderings

BY W.S. CAVERHILL

Bugs and buggers

The amount of words and political spasm being devoted to bugs and buggers at our national level presents a spectacle that is "bugging" the most of us. Surely, in the short time before election we voters should be given something more vital to our future to ponder on. We have always had window-watchers, and key-hole listeners all the way from city hall to international capitals. Some of them well paid for their snooping. For example, the CIA. It may well be that some CIA employees out of a job were merely practicing their art that has created all this fuss. It is enough to make the average voter "sulk in his tent" come election day.

REMEMBER THIS? REMINISCENCE!

57 YEARS AGO - 1915

An artesian well flowing 250 gallons per minute is the result of days of drilling by W.D. Newling on the R.B. Rice farm in the Strawberry section 16 miles from Heppner. The depth of the well is approx. 600 feet. Several Heppner businessmen went out yesterday to see the new well and their most skeptical ideas were completely overcome by what they saw.

The state railroad commission of Oregon held a hearing at the Court House on Tuesday. The hearing was the result of a petition signed by about 400 Morrow County citizens asking for additional train service of the Heppner Branch. This was the second hearing held here concerning this problem.

Home Theater increases seating capacity. Mr. Edgar B. Ayers has increased the seating by 50 seats by installing a balcony some 14 feet long. Repapering and painting is also being carried on.

37 YEARS AGO - 1935

Two Heppner high school graduates of last June entered the freshman class at Pacific University, Forest Grove. They are Miss Frances Rugg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Rugg and Louis Dick, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Dick.

Heppner has a large representation at Eastern Oregon Normal School, LaGrande for the beginning fall term. Among students from here are Billy Cochell, Billy Schwarz, Jennie Swendig, Miriam Moyer, Vallis Jones, Floyd Jones, Rena Wilson, Charles Order, and Winifred Case.

A man who officers believe to be from New Jersey was killed on the main line of the Union Pacific Railroad west of Boardman near Castle Rock when he fell from a moving freight train.

Harold Case and Mack Smith returned yesterday with a nice four point buck. They hunted over in Bear Valley beyond John Day. The biggest big buck weighed in for the Green Hardware Company big buck contest was 234 1/2 pounds. The winner will receive a fine new \$50 rifle.

Rev. Blackaller Installed

Rev. David W. Blackaller was installed as rector of the All Saints Episcopal Church on Sunday, Sept. 24. Bishop Spofford, of Bend, installed Rev. Blackaller at the 10:00 A.M. services. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Max Cheney, Pendleton, representing the Church of the Redeemer. Mrs. Spofford and Miss Hazel Peterson, from Cove. Guests were honored at a potluck luncheon following the installation. The E.C.W. was in charge of the luncheon. Bishop Spofford and Rev. Blackaller have known each other for many years.

RUMMAGE SALE STILL ON

Pastor Burwell of the Assembly of God Church, reports that their Rummage Sale will continue Friday and Saturday of this week. New items have been received and everything must go. Friday only the Bake Sale will be operating and each day the doors open at 9:00 a.m.

Bowling

BLUE MOUNTAIN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost
1. Central Mkt.	9	3
2. Pine Cntr. Loggers	6	6
3. Fiesta Bowl	6	6
4. M.C.G.G.	5	7
5. Gar Aviation	5	7
6. American Legion	5	7
High Ind. Game	Dick Wilkinson, 242	Dave Eckman, 235
High Ind. Series	Dave Eckman, 585	Dick Wilkinson, 533
High Team Game	Fiesta Bowl, 1017	American Legion, 1016
High Team Series	Central Mkt., 2922	Pine Loggers, 2855
Fiesta Bowl	2027	

KOFFEE KUP KEGLERS

	Won	Lost
1. The Last Drops	6	2
2. The Three Holers	5	3
3. The Dregs	4	4
4. The Screwballs	4	4
5. Weary Wives	3	5
6. No. 6	2	6
High Ind. Game-Iris Campbell, 191	Inetia Cantin, 185	
Faye Ruhl, 179		
High Ind. Series-Iris Campbell, 495	Inetia Cantin, 489	
Faye Ruhl, 478		
High Team Game-Weary Wives, 563	The Dregs, 561	
The Last Drops, 536		
High Team Series-The Screwballs, 1547	The Last Drops, 1518	
The Dregs, 1511		

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Case. They will celebrate their 33rd year tomorrow.

PIONEER NURSING HOME HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. John Cool, of Spokane, visited Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Crowell at the home last week. They were returning home from Wyoming and stopped to visit and inquire about Mr. Crowell. Mr. Crowell is feeling better after an extended illness.

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

Emmett Davis celebrated his 84th birthday Monday, Sept. 18. Rita Worden and Ramona Marshall supplied the birthday cakes.

Today Mrs. Gertrude Parker will celebrate her 92nd birthday. We wish her a very Happy Day.

Mattie Rood's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rinehart, from Yakima, visited her last week. They took Mattie out to dinner and she reported a wonderful time.

Mrs. Rinehart is the former Cleo Duncan.

Thursday visitors with Edna Turner were Mrs. Emma Peck, of Pendleton, and formerly of Lexington, and Mrs. Etta Millett from Forest Glen Manor Retirement Home at Canyonville, Oregon. Mrs. Peck and Edna taught school together for a year in Lexington.

Joan Patrick who formerly lived in Lexington, has visited the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hunt.

Mrs. Marcel (Doe) Jones has been confined to her home this past week with the flu which later developed into pneumonia. Mrs. Bob Mahoney is substituting for her at the Kindergarten classes.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

People of all faiths are invited to attend the special services beginning Friday night at 7:30. Our special speaker is Rev. Bernard Culbertson from Hermiston. Rev. Culbertson will also be singing each service.

The services will be Friday and Saturday evenings at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Come and worship the Lord with us and you will receive a blessing from it.

The Church of the Nazarene is located at 335 North Gilmore, across from Pioneer Memorial Hospital. PLEASE NOTE: Our Wednesday evening service has been changed to 7:30 p.m.

BETHEL BIBLE SERIES BEING OFFERED

In cooperation with the Hope-Valley Lutheran Parish and the United Church of Christ (Ione), the Bethel Bible Series is being offered this fall. The Bethel Series is a concentrated study of both the Old Testament and the New Testament. This year's course of study will be the New Testament. The class will begin on Wednesday evening at 8:00, October 4 at the United Church of Christ in Ione, and will meet weekly throughout the school year. If you are interested in enrolling in this course, contact either Rev. William Arthur (422-7530) or Rev. Mark Johnson (676-9940) as soon as possible so that your materials may be purchased. Members of all faiths are encouraged to attend.



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