

Food-Fun-Finance-Future At Fossil for Columbia Basin Annual Meeting

As the final business at the Columbia Basin Electric Co-op annual meeting last Wednesday at Fossil five directors were elected. Randall Peterson was re-elected from Heppner; Paul Tews, Ione from Rural Zone 4; Kenneth Smouse, Ione, from Rural Zone 3, Dick Wilkinson, Heppner from Rural Zone 5 and Herb Wright of Fossil.

In a re-organizational meeting immediately following the annual meeting Walter Jaeger of Condon was re-elected president; Dick Krebs of Cecil vice chairman and Paul Tews of Ione secretary-treasurer.

Attendance Good
There were 250 who enjoyed the delicious ham dinner served by the Methodist women of Fossil and 260 attended the meeting. Attendance was up considerably from three years ago when the last annual meeting was held at Fossil. That year there were 175 at the dinner and 180 at the meeting.

President's Message
President Jaeger emphasized the stability of the electric rates over the last years. "We are pleased to have maintained the same basic rates since our inception and the same rates to the town areas since we began serving them eight years ago".

He paid tribute to Bill Stiewer who had been an invaluable member of the board.

He noted the increase in the use of electricity due to the irrigation in the areas served by Columbia Basin. There are three electrical plants with which Columbia Basin is participating. A new plant at Boardman which is in the process of securing financial backing, remodeling an old atomic plant at Hanford and another plant planned by Washington Public Power Supply System with which Columbia Basin has signed a long term power contract for 30 years.

Managers Report
Dave Harrison gave some of

his background before coming to Morrow County. Improved service is his goal. One crew is working on the new line to Ruggs that will provide better service up and down Rhea Creek as well as towards Condon and Hardman. There will be a sub station installed at Ruggs. This operation will be completed by irrigation time next summer.

Another crew is working in the Olex area rebuilding lines, installing new transformers and changing to a different voltage. The Condon crew is rebuilding lines in Condon and Lone Rock.

Auditor's Report
The auditor reported the report for 1972 was excellent. The revenue increased from \$906,246 in 1971 to \$978,508 in 1972. The margin above expense was \$177,875.



Viola Bob Fitzsimmons prepares to lose his head.



Brother-sister team engaged in a rope trick with the magician. The are Rene and Billy MacInnes of Fossil.

He explained the cooperative and local taxes. Three types of taxes. Property tax - real property.

3 percent Revenue Tax is based on 3 percent of gross revenues. These funds are remitted to the

state for audit and then reimbursed to the various counties based on the number of line miles in that county. The funds are then distributed at 75 percent to schools and 25 percent to the general funds of the county.

In Lieu of Advalorem-This payment is consideration of difference in taxes due to the acquisition of PP&L properties.

Door Prizes

Door prizes were varied and wonderful. Vel Robinson shook the box and Marlene Peterson drew out the tickets. In part: Mrs. Walter Shannon, Condon, electric fire place; Mrs. Malcolm Keys, Fossil, electric heater; gift certificate, Earl Weatherford, Olex, one of last year's winners; Certificate equal to August power bill,

Stella Palmer, Condon; electric fry pan, Lena Postwood, Condon.

DC to AC converter, Mrs. Tom Wright, Fossil; electric heater, Jean Gilliam, Condon; water container, Earl Morgan, Ione; electric heater, Lester Shaeffer, Mikkalo; heating pad, Millard Nolan, Heppner; ice cream freezer, JD Garrett,

	MORROW	GILLIAM	WHEELER	UMATILLA	SHERMAN
Property	\$7,698.54	\$ 202.22	\$ 14.26	\$...-0-	\$...-0-
3 percent Revenue	15,698.82	11,176.30	1,332.61	592.59	185.77
In lieu of Advalorem	-0-	169.22	4,324.35	-0-	-0-
TOTAL	\$23,397.36	\$11,716.96	\$5,671.22	\$...592.59	...185.77

2 PERCENT OF REVENUE FRANCHISE TAX TO CITIES - 1971

	Revenue	Tax
Heppner	\$152,872.33	\$3,057.45
Condon	108,410.62	2,168.21
Ione	33,411.08	668.22
Fossil	52,449.98	1,049.00
TOTAL	\$347,144.01	6,942.88

Fossil; gift certificate-August Power bill, Jim Greiner, Mayville; corn popper, Erma Keithley for Floyd Forman.

Electric heater, Dave Child, for Martin Zimmerman, Condon; waffle iron Floyd Johnson, Fossil; Bake and Grill, Oliver Munger, Fossil who is 88 years old; electric heater, Mrs. Bill Steiwer, Fossil.

Popcorn popper, Dave Rietmann, Ione GE electric clock, Dick Austin a Westinghouse salesman; electric heater, Helen Hekklia, Fossil; emergency flasher, Iris Mehaffey, Condon; "3/4" electric drill, Loren George; voltage converter, Mrs. Bob Wehrli, Fossil; August power bill certificate, Mrs. Bud Dyer, Mayville; deep fat fryer, Eddie Asher, Fossil.

Magician
Dick and Faye Frost did the magic feats of making the dove disappear, individual scarves into a little silk umbrella, card tricks, looped ropes tie into a chain and other tricks that looked real.

Make It Wool Winners

Winners of the all expense paid trip to the state Make It With Wool contest in Portland on Dec. 7 and 8 are Valerie Madison, Echo, Senior division (ages 17 - 21) and Lori Bergstrom, Ione, Junior Division (ages 14 - 16). Valerie wore red slacks with a plaid shirt-jacket and Lori modeled a navy blue shirtdress with white over stitching. The alternates are Karen Crowell, Ione, Senior and Anita Davidson, Lexington, Junior. Karen wore a long blue coat and Anita's outfit was a brown pantsuit with plaid jacket. In the Sub-Ded division (ages 10 - 13), Dorene Gaylord won 1st place with runner-up Kristi Harrison. Both girls are from Hermiston. Kay Bergstrom, Ione, and Beth Hulden of Arlington, were given Outstanding awards.

The Make It With Wool contest is sponsored by American Wool Council and the Oregon Wool Growers' Auxiliary.

Mustangs Earn All-Star Honors

League champion Umatilla dominated the 1972 Columbia Basin Conference all-star football team by placing seven individuals on the select group.

The all-star team, selected by the conference football coaches, was made up of 12 seniors, seven juniors, and a long sophomore. There were no repeaters from previous all-star teams as this is the first ever to be picked from the Columbia Basin. More than 11 players are represented on the offensive and defensive team as ties occurred in the balloting for positions.

Two players were unanimous choices for the offensive squad. They are Kevin Morgan, senior, end of Condon, and Tim Barton, senior, halfback of Umatilla.

Broken down by schools, the victorious Vikings, undefeated in league play, led with seven selections. Heppner earned four players but for six positions, Condon and Pilot Rock each had four, Wasco County had three named at four positions, and Sherman County collected two.

The offensive team was made up of 12 seniors, two juniors, and Bryce Logan of Condon, the only sophomore named. The defensive squad was composed of seven seniors and five juniors.

OFFENSIVE TEAM

Position	Name	School	Year
End	Kevin Morgan	Condon	Senior
End	Jim Puckett	Wasco County	Senior
Tackle	John Koreski	Sherman County	Senior
Tackle	Bill Jepsen	Heppner	Senior
Tackle	Charles Wagenaar	Condon	Senior
Guard	Pat McMillan	Umatilla	Senior
Guard	Jeff Marshall	Heppner	Senior
Center	David John	Umatilla	Senior
Quarterback	Dale Bonando	Pilot Rock	Senior
Quarterback	Bryce Logan	Condon	Soph.
Halfback	Tim Barton	Umatilla	Senior
Halfback	Tom Ambrose	Wasco County	Senior
Halfback	Cary Sherrow	Umatilla	Junior
Halfback	Pete Lemmons	Pilot Rock	Senior
Fullback	Mike Bergstrom	Heppner	Junior

DEFENSIVE TEAM

Position	Name	School	Year
End	Mike Bergstrom	Heppner	Junior
End	John Richelderfer	Sherman County	Junior
Tackle	Dale Platt	Pilot Rock	Junior
Tackle	Bill Jepsen	Heppner	Senior
Guard	Bill Kik	Umatilla	Junior
Linebacker	Ron Chaffee	Umatilla	Senior
Linebacker	John Hoffman	Condon	Junior
Linebacker	Lonnie Vernon	Pilot Rock	Senior
Linebacker	Randy Delco	Wasco County	Senior
Halfback	Cary Sherrow	Umatilla	Junior
Halfback	Tom Ambrose	Wasco County	Senior
halfback	Dale Hedman	Heppner	Senior

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Kinzua Bazaar Success
By Sharon Bell
The Good Neighbors Club would like to thank everyone who helped make the annual bazaar a success. A special thanks to the Kinzua Mountaineers Square Dance Club and to Don Hardwick. The proceeds will go to fixing up Jeffmore Hall. The Good Neighbors Christmas Party will be the afternoon of December 14th.

Card Party
Vi Slinkard was the hostess Friday night for the Double Deck Card Club at her home. High was won by Virginia Sitton. Second High went to Margaret McConnell. Pinochles went to Rosie Graham and Bonnie Campbell. Grand High went to Marilyn Bailey and Second Grand High went to Virginia Sitton. Others playing for the evening were Naomi Rice and Virginia Kelso.

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