



PHOTOGRAPHY
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Mrs. Lester Wilkins of Albany, Ore., (seated, left) visited recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ekstrom of Ione. While here she posed for a five-generation portrait with her daughter, Mrs. Ekstrom; her grandson, Herb Ekstrom Jr.; Ione's great-granddaughter, Mrs. William Greenup; and Great-great-grandson, Travis William Greenup of Heppner.



DICK McELIGOTT, shown here with his wife Loa, was elected president of the Oregon Association of Conservation Districts at a recent meeting at Klamath Falls. He succeeds Stan Christensen, McMinville, and will serve for a one-year term. McElligott was state director for Area 9, and he has been director of the Morrow Soil and Water Conservation District for the past few years.

Heppner Hotel has new owner

The Heppner Hotel is under new management, and its owner, Jack Albert, and his wife, Betty, are in the process of restoring the building.

Albert, who owned a hotel and apartment house in Portland in the late 30s and early 40s, is approaching the restoration with enthusiasm. "A paintbrush hasn't touched this place in 25 years. It's a big job, and can't be done overnight," he said.

There is no set timetable for all the work to be completed, but noticeable improvements are expected in the next six months. Exterior painting has begun, and Albert is busy checking into the purchase of an elevator for the three-story hotel.

Albert also plans to re-open the hotel cafe and eventually hopes to establish the hotel as a boarding house. When work is completed, three full-time

clerks and two maids will be employed.

Previous owner of the hotel was Esther van den Biessen. The final sale agreement was signed in October for the sum of \$75,000.

Albert sold a resort motel in his home town of Kooskia, Idaho, after purchase of the Heppner Hotel and plans to make Heppner his home.



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