

Man, wife being held for theft

Terry Jay Danley, 28, and his wife, Judith Renee Danley, 22, of Goldendale, Wa., are awaiting trial for theft in the first degree.

Danley is charged with the theft of a 1947 1-1/2 ton Ford truck from the John Ledbetter property, valued at less than \$200, which constitutes theft in the second degree.

They are both charged with theft in the first degree for the alleged theft of a .22 caliber rifle, percolator, pillows and bedding, silver coins, both dollars and 50-cent pieces, for an estimated value of more than \$200 from the Melvin Moyer ranch near Heppner.

The couple were arraigned before Justice of the Peace Charles O'Connor Friday, where they asked to be represented by an attorney.

Danley is being held in the Umatilla County Jail with bail set at \$3,510. Mrs. Danley was released on her own recognizance.



WHO-AND WHERE? This picture turned up in the Gazette-Times files. The only known fact is that it was taken in 1939. The newspaper needs to know where the picture was taken, the identity of each person pictured, and the occasion. The person who can supply this information will receive a year's subscription to the Gazette-Times.

Chamber officers are installed

Installation of new officers was held at the regular meeting of the Heppner-Morrow County Chamber of Commerce Monday.

New officers were installed by Herman Winter. Those taking office Jan. 6 are Harold Kerr, president; Larry Mills, 1st vice-president; and Ray Boyce, 2nd vice-president.

Prior to the installation, Winter gave some of the highlights of 1974. They include news that the City of Heppner has issued more building permits during the past year than have been issued during the past 10 years; construction and the rental of property is at an all-time high, not only in

Heppner but throughout the entire county; the City of Heppner passed a \$450,000 water bond issue; the City of Lexington passed a \$280,000 bond issue and the City of Boardman recently voted a bond issue in excess of \$400,000.

The completion of the new plywood plant by Kinza Corporation will greatly affect the community, Winter said, and the major effort by citizens to obtain new doctors for the community shows their intent to upgrade existing health facilities. Wheat ranchers had a near record year in the production and the sale of their wheat, while the cattlemen of the area suffered

disastrously because of the low prices offered.

Out-going President Jim Bier was presented with a plaque for his services in office. "I would like to express my appreciation to all chamber members for their loyal support during the past year," Bier said.

Harold Kerr was presented the gavel of office by Bier. "When I arrived in Heppner six years ago," Kerr said, "I felt the Chamber of Commerce was doing an excellent job in working for the community. I hope it will continue to be an active organization, working for the betterment of the community."

Kerr has been a member of the board for the past five years.

Happy New Year from our happy tax people

The taxpayer may be the forgotten man all through the year, but right after Christmas each year the government "remembers" each and every one.

The tax package is never delayed. Nearly 900,000 Oregon income tax packets, nudged by nearly 900,000 federal income packets, started being mailed Dec. 26 and is expected to be completed by Jan. 3—which proves the postal service can be efficient where income tax forms are concerned!

The Gazette-Times was singularly honored by receiving four federal income tax packets and six Oregon income tax packets. So, in case anyone has a hankering for additional forms the newspaper can supply them.

But the annual chore will be somewhat lighter for the local postman this year because of a new cooperative system worked out between the Oregon Department of Revenue and the U. S. Postal Service.

Under this plan each packet is addressed to "Residential Customer, Local" thus eliminating the need for individual address and zip code labels.

In addition, there is an advantage for the post office, says John Lobdell, Director of the Department of Revenue. "The post offices will not have to sort the packets to each carrier, and the carrier will not have to make a route sort in order to leave them at the correct addresses. The department gains, the post office gains, and most of all the taxpayer gains," he said.

The biggest gain will be to those taxpayers living in new apartment houses, mobile homes and other new dwellings and those who receive their mail in post office boxes. Many of these persons formerly had to pick up their forms at banks or post offices. This year an additional 100,000 returns will be delivered directly to these residences and post office boxes.

So, from Dec. 26 until Jan. 3 small and large sacks of tax packets will be on their way. The little hamlet of Medical Springs, near Pendleton, will get the smallest number since it has only two residences. Friend, in the rural Portland area, runs a close second with three residences. While large metropolitan Portland will have 260,000 forms for distribution.

Unemployment up during November

The unemployment rate in Morrow County was estimated to be 10.7 per cent during November as compared to 6.6 per cent in October and 5.7 per cent during November a year ago, according to the employment division, Department of Human Resources.

The substantial increases in unemployment experienced in Morrow County during October and November were the result of the large layoff which occurred in the Kinza Corporation plywood mill in Heppner. The closure occurred because of boiler malfunctions and not the result of market conditions.

Two of Umatilla County's largest employers will shut down over Christmas, one citing poor market conditions,

and the other citing the holidays. Lamb-Weston Potatoes Processors of Hermiston, largest payroll in the county closed Dec. 22 to reopen Jan. 5. The firm normally operates some during those two weeks but the manager states that "this year the market is soft and the pipelines are full."

Marlette Mobile Homes, also of Hermiston, closed Dec. 20 to Jan. 6 for a normal holiday vacation. The plant had closed briefly this fall because of faltering market conditions, but the Christmas shutdown is a normal pattern. The Lamb-Weston manager states the plant is "in a relatively better position than our competitors because of our strong marketing orientation."

"WHO'S WHO IN MORROW COUNTY" CONTEST

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Where to look for clues:

Clues may be hidden in any ad in this section of 30 merchants whose ads are printed below. When an additional ad from one of these sponsoring merchants appears elsewhere in the paper, they too may have clues hidden in them.

Clues will be scattered. There may be from one to five in any ad—or none. This is a contest of skill, and we intend to do our best to outwit you! We invite you to do your best to outwit us.

Contest rules:

1. This is a family fun contest. One entry per person (a family of four could submit four entries). Anyone may enter unless a member of your family is employed by the merchant whose ad is heavily bordered this week (this applies ONLY during the week this ad is bordered). Employees of other sponsoring merchants are eligible.
2. Nothing to buy. Use any slip of paper for entry blank. It is not necessary to be present to win. It is not necessary to be a subscriber to the Gazette-Times to enter.
3. The Mystery Person may be anyone in Morrow County. Clues for his or her identity will be hidden only in ads for sponsoring merchants. If by coincidence the name of the Mystery Person (or other facts about him or her) happens to appear in news items, editorial matter or other places in this newspaper, these will not count as clues in this contest.
4. To enter, write down the name you think to be the Mystery Person. Add the total number of clues you can find in ALL the ads of sponsoring merchants in this issue. You do not have to list all these clues, just give the total number of them. Don't forget to add your name and address. Then drop your entry in the box located at the sponsoring merchant whose ad is bordered with a dark border in the ads listed below in this issue.
5. There is no other place where entries will be accepted. Any member of the family may bring in all the entries for that family. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.
6. This week's contest starts when you receive this issue and closes at 5 p.m. Friday of this week.
7. At that time (5 p.m., Friday) a drawing will be held at the store where entries have been received for this week's contest. The first entry drawn that correctly identifies the Mystery Person will win \$20 in cash. If that entry also lists the correct number of clues hidden in all ads of sponsoring merchants, a bonus of \$7.50 will be paid. Whenever this bonus is not won, it will be added to the following week's bonus, which will continue to grow until it is won.
8. Every precaution will be taken to prevent typographical errors that might be mistaken for clues, but errorless typography cannot be guaranteed—by anybody. The publisher of the Gazette-Times will be the judge in all questions and his decision is final.

Family participation gives you a better chance to win the jackpot. Your wife, husband or some bright-eyed youngster may spot a clue that you miss!

Think you can outwit the contest? You can't win if you don't enter.

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