

**with Justine Weatherford**  
 Many county ladies are set for a busy weekend. Soroptimists are baking cherry pies to sell at the Coast-to-Coast Store starting tomorrow, Feb. 18, at 10 a.m. Rebekah Lodge members will congregate in Lexington on Saturday, Feb. 19, for a district meeting. Because of the three-day holiday, some families might leave town, but many hope to catch up with yard work or chores at home.

New in town is Paul McCarthy, who came from New Jersey via a stop in Wallowa County. He is employed by the State Highway Department, has found an apartment and is all set to get to Ione tomorrow night (Friday) for the big Square Dancing Valentine Party. Many square dancers from Heppner and a

## Around About



good group of guest dancers from Hermiston will gyrate at the Willows Grange Hall.

Alberta Johannes of N. Gale St. is an unusual artist. She does sand paintings in glass jars. Her multicolored creations feature landscapes, animals and other interesting subjects. She has instructed friends in this old art form. The "Relics Magazine" of December 1976 has an article about bottled sand paintings done in the 1880's.

Expert horticulturist Bill Rawlins assures us that watering shrubs and bulbs and lawns now is good, that they won't be damaged by freezing weather that may be ahead. Many homeowners began sprinkling last weekend.

On Heppner's first really warm day of 1977, last week Friday, folks on Main St. watched a huge tumbleweed (Russian thistle) come northward, pushed right down the center of the street by the south wind. It must have looked menacing to the little Datsun I was driving.

A Spring "clean up litter" campaign may soon be announced. This effort may involve grade school children and the Garden Club and the Lions Club.

We are expecting to learn of some big changes ahead for the Heppner Child Development Center quite soon.

The new Cleveland Duplex will soon be occupied by renters who will move from a new apartment and a private home, which will give others a chance to move, too. Then two new families may gain housing. Thus, it appears that the opening of the two new units on the old Gilliam-house property near the corner of Church and Jones Streets may be the happy cause of about six movings. We hope that more housing units will be built on that property soon.

Nothing shows up dingy window-panes like our recent sunshine. The windows at our house look so awful, I am almost tempted to get at washing them during part of my long weekend.

Don't plan on doing any business at state, county or city departments on Monday, Feb. 21. All county schools will be closed then, too.

# Community clean-up campaign proposed

The Heppner Garden Club's February meeting was held at the Alvin Johannes' home on Monday evening, Feb. 14. Jane Rawlins presided at the session, which saw several new projects discussed.

Reports were given by Irene Nolan, who has been taking pictures of historic trees and by members who are growing Peperomia plants, which will be judged at the Spring District Meeting in Ione on

Apr. 21. The matter of a community working to heighten public awareness of the critical and

cleanup campaign was proposed by Irene Swanson and a committee of four was appointed to work toward implementing this project.

urgent need to preserve our nation's last environmentally and ecologically unique land areas.

paintings in jars to lucky members Irene Nolan, Ida Farra and Eleanor Gonty.

The evening concluded with a buffet dessert from a Valentine-decorated table. The club's next meeting will be Mar. 14 and will feature County Agent Harold Kerr telling of garden pests.

After the business meeting, the hostess, Alberta Johannes, demonstrated the art of sand painting. She gave three of her

## Library hours

The Heppner Library is open to the public on five days each week, year 'round. Mon. and Wed. from 12:30-5:00, Sat. and Sun. from 2:00-4:00, and on Thurs. evenings from 7:30-9:30.

Barbara James told of the 4-H Garden Club for fourth and fifth graders that she and Liz Curtis have begun. The Heppner Garden Club voted to sponsor this junior group, to encourage them and to include them in some of the adult club's meetings and projects.

The club also voted to support the American Land Trust, headquartered at Arlington, Va., with a financial contribution. This trust is

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# Three Links Club discusses \$ project

Three Links Club met at the home of Eula Bloodworth on Thursday afternoon for their regular meeting. Chairman Ruth Robinson presided. Plans for the Rebekah Con-

vention Mar. 19 and for initiation Mar. 3 were discussed.

A committee, to buy materials to make a quilt for a money-making project, was appointed. Members are Florence McMillan, Leila Palmer and Irene Padberg. It was announced that Past Noble Grand Club will meet at the home of Freda Majeske Mar. 2 at 12 noon. Door prize was won

by Ruth Robinson. Guests for the afternoon were Melba Fish, Deniece Sands and Mary McMurtry. Lovely refreshments were served the guests and mem-

bers Irene Padberg, Florence McMillan, Marion Robinson, Carolyn Howard, Delpha Jones, Leila Palmer, Freda Majeske and hostesses. Next meeting will be at the home of Leila Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Van Winkle and daughter, of Paulina, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Van Winkle, over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hudson of

LaGrande were weekend callers at the C.C. Jones' home. Chet Nelson of Wenatchee, Wash., and Mildred Yocom of Portland spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yocom. Sunday Mrs. Yocom and daughters motored to Portland, taking Mildred back to school there.

Jerry Messenger from Portland spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Messenger, Sr.

Lexington Grange will meet Monday for their regular meeting, beginning with a potluck dinner.

The program will start at 7:30 p.m. and will consist of a talk by Clifford Williams on coin collecting. He will show some coins and explain how to get started with the fascinating hobby. There will also be special music provided. The program is open to the public.

## Lexington news

• Delpha Jones • 989-8189

Wash., to attend the funeral of her aunt, who was fatally injured in an automobile accident in California.

Glen and Nancy Emert arrived late Friday night to spend the weekend with his sister Betty Benson and her husband Junior. Saturday morning Glen and Ronald Benson went fishing at Butte Creek while Betty and Nancy, accompanied by Jill Benson and Jared, went to The Dalles

on business. The Emerts returned to Portland Sunday. Don and Jackie Nickelsen went to The Dalles Saturday for eye care.

Mrs. Mable Erickson, Prineville, is in Kinzua visiting with her daughter and family, Gordon and Shirley Orr. Mrs. Erickson, who arrived Friday, plans to return home on Tuesday.

Patty Burres and Jackie Nickelsen were in Pendleton Thursday on business.

# Kinzua scene of visitors

David and Sue Mattison went to Odell Saturday to spend the day helping Marger-

morning with Orvis Pike for Laurel, Mont. At Laurel, Don and Lance started back to

and Grady Rogers move into their new trailer-camper. The former Kinzua residents sold their large mobile home in favor of the smaller, more mobile camper.

## Kinzua news

• Barbara Pike • 768-2861

Don Pike and Lance Van Meter, Heppner, left Friday

Oregon and the elder Mr. Pike went on to the Big Horn Basin area of Wyoming, where he will visit with a number of old friends. While Lance was gone, his wife Hollie and son Clay joined other members of her family for a trip to Seattle.

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## Singspiration to be held

The Kinzua Community Church will hold a potluck dinner and Singpiration at the church annex Feb. 23 at 6 p.m. The public is invited.

Winners of high were Roberta Conlee and Earl Norris. Low was taken by Jim Klukert and Tammy Osburn. Don and Vi Slinkard won the Pinochle. Door prize for the evening went to Don Slinkard.

### CARD PARTY FUN ENJOYED

The card party sponsored by the Camp Five Women's Club at the Camp Five Hall on Feb. 12 was a great success and lots of fun if the reports I've heard from some of the eighteen couples in attendance are to

be believed. The players were served Valentine cake, jello and ice cream by the club members.

The Women's Club will hold another card party at the Camp Five Hall Mar. 5 at 7:30 p.m.

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