

Irrigon news

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The Irrigon Assembly of God has had 3 missionary guest speakers during the last 2 weeks, according to Pastor Robert Schmoll.

Margaret Carlow was here May 25 and has ministered to Japanese people for some 30 years in America, Hawaii, Korea and for the past 5 years in Tokyo, Japan. She expects to return in September and will continue to teach in a Bible School. She also teaches English to a group of doctors and helps to publish Christian literature.

Carol Zeedar spoke in Irrigon May 31 concerning her mission field of Dakar, Senegal in Africa, where she will return with her 9-year-old son, Marc. Her husband was killed in an accident.

She is a musician and a teacher and expects to minister through television, which

is new in Africa. When she was in Africa before, she taught missionary children and children from the American Embassy. She will continue to teach music.

Evangelist G.D. Numbrere, the Director of Greater Evangelism Crusade in Nigeria, Africa, spent 10 days in Irrigon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Warner. He ministered two Sundays and several days during the week at the Assembly church.

A new 4-H Club will be starting this month for 4th, 5th and 6th grade youngsters. This will be a Macrame Club, making wall hangings and plant hangers.

They will meet every Thursday afternoon at the Irrigon Park on the Columbia River, according to Francine Evans, who will be their leader.

Kinzua will barge logs on Columbia

The Port of Umatilla may add a new dimension to its industrial base—logging.

Kinzua Corporation, Heppner, requested Monday the use of the port's dock immediately above McNary Dam for the purpose of unloading barged logs from the Clarks-ton, Wash. area.

This would be the firm's first attempt at shipping logs by water.

Milo Prindle, Kinzua spokesman, said the logs would be unloaded at the port site and transported by truck to the Kinzua plant in Heppner. The firm hopes to receive about one million board feet per month at the Columbia River facility.

As envisioned by Prindle, three barges per month would unload at the port facility. Each barge would carry about 350,000 board feet of lumber. Most of this would be in the form of small firs with an average length of 35 feet.

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phase of the project. He has a \$12,000 contract with the city to complete this phase. He expects the project to go out for bids sometime this fall.

In other action the council:

- Approved a resolution to install traffic stop signs at the West Kinkaid and Main, Mt. Hood and Wilson and Mr.

Kinzua will add three to four trucks to handle the increased work load. They will operate between Heppner and the Columbia River facility about four to five days a week. Based on one million board feet, this would mean about 250 trips per month.

Prindle said the wood products firm would have to contract for the trucks. He mentioned the possibility of nighttime operations if arrangements for the rigs could be made through the outfit that's now hauling logs for Kinzua.

These trucks represent a \$55,000 investment and the contractors "like to keep them running as much as possible," he noted.

Prindle explained there was some uncertainty as to the volume of lumber Kinzua would be receiving by barge and how long the effort would last.

Some of the logs, that will

be barged to the port site, have been going to Japan. But this market is off a little now, Prindle said, adding that Kinzua has been assured that in the event this overseas market recovers it won't be left in the lurch.

We'll be competing with the Japanese market and that's a pretty tough market," he noted. Prindle said the Heppner based mill would "try to get all the logs it could."

Kinzua is currently signed up for 90-day contracts with two firms—International Timber Transporters and Cafel Brothers. "We contemplate a steady operation," Prindle said. "But we can't guarantee it because we don't know what the suppliers will do."

In addition to the dock, Kinzua is seeking land next to the facility to store logs between pick ups. But Prindle assured port commissioners that the firm wouldn't let the

logs sit more than five days. The firm would be responsible for cleaning up broken

chunks of logs at the port site and keeping the gravel reasonably clear of debris.

Commissioners instructed Stephen Lindstrom, new port manager, to meet with Kinzua officials and finalize the de-

tails of the proposed use of the dock. If he is satisfied, it will then be up to the port's attorney to draft a formal lease agreement and have it signed by the commission's president, Art Holmes of Pendleton.

Rev. Gaire retires

A Mass and dinner were held in Prineville on June 1 for the retirement of Very Rev. Patrick Gaire, who will be leaving June 17 for Ireland.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond French and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kenny, Heppner, attended along with numerous priests. Bishop Thomas Connolly of the Baker Diocese announced the high honor for Father Gaire as Monsignor.

Many friends of Father Gaire remember him as the Pastor of St. Patrick's Parish in Heppner.



The gospel magician will be in Heppner at the Christian Church all next week. The public is invited to attend the evening programs.

Gospel magician coming to Christian Church

Each evening next week, Monday, June 13, through Friday, June 17, at 7 p.m., families are invited to magic shows at the Heppner Christian Church.

Penny Collier, Madame Shek Ky Chang, will be the featured magician. She has performed gospel magic programs for 24 years all over the United States and Canada.

Mrs. Collier is the past president of the Pacific North-

west Fellowship of Christian Magicians and Ventriloquists and a member of the International Fellowship of Christian Magicians and the Society of American Magicians.

The congregation of the Christian Church invites family members, or single folk of any age to come each evening next week and enjoy these "Magic With a Message" programs.

Accident claims

Kelly Hughes

Kelley Jo Hughes, 19, Red Bluff, Calif., formerly of Heppner, died June 1 in a traffic accident in Sacramento, Calif.

She was born Feb. 8, 1958, at Sunnyside, Wash.

She was the valedictorian of her eighth grade class at Red Bluff, and attended Heppner High School.

Memorial services were held Tuesday, June 7, at 2:30 p.m. at Sweeney Mortuary Chapel, with the Rev. Edwin Sikes of the First Christian Church officiating. Sacred selections were played by Kath-

ryn Hoskins, pianist.

Private concluding services will be held at a later date.

Mrs. Hughes is survived by her husband, Robert, Heppner; her mother, Frances Lapka, and her son, Curtis, both of Red Bluff; three sisters, Shelley Hausauer, Lexington; Tomi Lopez, Sacramento; and Katrina Lapka, Red Bluff; four brothers, Billy, Chris, and Michael Wagner and Robert Lapka, all of Red Bluff; and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marlatt, Heppner.

Troedson grants awarded

Carl W. Troedson Educational Fund grants-in-aid for the 1977-78 school year have been awarded to 24 students from Morrow County.

Graduating seniors first learned of their awards during commencement exercises at their respective high schools.

Students receiving awards included: Carl Christman, Darla Cooper, Deborah Holland, Chris Rauch and Mark Sargent, all from Heppner High School; Arlene Cannon, Ashley McCabe, Joan Doherty and Dawn Peterson, all from Lone High; Kathleen Evans, Linda Jones, Cecil Rock, Linda Skoubo and Linda Sullivan, all from Riverside High.

These students will be eligible to apply for renewal of their grants, provided funds are available and good academic standing is maintained. College students receiving renewal awards included: Arlynda Aldrich, Linda Cooper, Richard Keene, Catherine McElligott, Michael McElligott, Theresa McElligott, Sandra Palmer, Pamela Schmeder, Timothy Skow and Jerry Zielinski.

Mr. Troedson established the scholarship fund as a provision of his last will and

testament in order to assist the youth of Morrow County in obtaining training beyond high school. The grants-in-aid are financed by the interest earned on a principal amount.

The selection committee includes the Morrow County School District Superintendent, the Pastor of Valby Lutheran Church and the Morrow County Judge, as stipulated in Mr. Troedson's will.

Adams and Wilson intersections. The city had earlier cited these locations as points of traffic congestion.

• Approved payment of a \$5,610 to A.J. Zinda Corp. for 6,600 square yards of aggregate gravel spread around the city water chlorination cham-

ber. The rock was used to stabilize the sand surrounding the chamber.

• Set a June 21, 7:30 p.m. public hearing for Earl Trudeau. He is proposing a zone

change from residential to commercial on a lot adjacent to his hardware store.

Morrison services held

Memorial Services for Jodie K. Morrison were conducted by the Heppner Elks' Lodge officers at the lodge at 2:00 p.m., May 12. Tass and David Beckham delivered the eulogy for her father and Gene Rietmann was organist.

Kinzua earns award

Kinzua Corporation was recently presented a safety achievement award at the annual Forest Products Safety Conference held in Eugene.

The award is in recognition of outstanding achievement in maintaining a zero injury frequency during 1976.

The management of Kinzua congratulates the day and swing shift personnel for their safety-conscious efforts during the year.

Court News

Justice Court proceedings for the past week include:

—Charles C. Terry, 41, Umatilla. Pled guilty to driving under the influence of intoxicants (DUI) and driving while suspended (DWS). Sentenced to three-month jail terms on each count, to be served consecutively.

The jail time was suspended in lieu of participation in a halfway house rehabilitation program.

—Dixie L. Allen, 52, Heppner. Cited April 27 for DUII.

Pled guilty and fined \$305.

—Delbert McLachlan, 45, Heppner. Cited May 13 for DUII. Pled guilty and fined \$305.

—Johnny G. Philips, 17, Irrigon. Cited April 17 for DUII. Found guilty in Irrigon Justice Court. He was not fined but was urged to attend a driver education program.

—Marvin E. Doolin, 53, Boardman. Cited last November for DUII. Found guilty and fined \$305 with a 10-day suspended sentence.

Baby boy arrives

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Skroch, Island City, Ore., are the parents of a son, Chad Ray, 8 lbs., 3 oz., born May 20. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allstott, Heppner,

and Mr. and Mrs. Emile Skroch, Darby, Mont. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Dolly Allstott, Heppner, and Mrs. Christine Schmidt, Lewiston, Ida.



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WE NEED YOU

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO KEEP THE HEPPNER LIBRARY OPEN ON A LIMITED BASIS— WE NEED YOUR HELP.

The Library Board of the Heppner Public Library is considering the possibility of operating the library using volunteer help.

Anyone who is interested in volunteering to help staff the library is asked to contact the library-676-9964 or Mary Pat Lande-676-9752 as soon as possible.

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