

Forum to consider elk management plans

Management of the elk herds in Eastern Oregon will be the subject of an Oregon Forum program to be held in Heppner, at the high school, the afternoon of Sept. 22.

Speakers will represent conservationists, the timber industry and sportsmen, said Alwin-Marie Turiel, assistant director of the Oregon Forum, who was in Heppner this week. She is hoping for an attendance of 75 to 100 people from Morrow and Gilliam counties and parts of Umatilla County.

Bill Hunter of Eugene, the Forum director, is expected to open the workshop with an explanation of its purpose and to present the speakers.

The agenda will be Warren Aney of LaGrande, regional director of the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Department; Jack Ward Thomas, biologist with the U.S. Forest Service research station at LaGrande; Jim O'Donnell of Spokane, representing the Northwest Pine Association and Beryl Stillman of Heppner, chairman of the Elk Foundation.

Turiel said the workshop

Engaged to Marry

Miss Rhonda Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris of Heppner, and Mr. James F. Wishart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wishart, also of Heppner, will be united in marriage on Saturday, Sept. 8, at 2 p.m. at the First Christian Church in Heppner.

All friends and relatives are cordially invited to the wedding, and to the reception immediately following.

Wheat....

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sticky feeling in the fields are still with the wheat farmer. Looking out across the fields there is always a shimmer of heat, but hot weather is good for the harvest, and necessary, for the wheat does not thresh out easily, or cut as well when weather is cold or damp. The farmer cuts the wheat with one eye on crops and machines, and the other on the sky, watching for the unwanted clouds and storms.

The harvest goes on, day after day. The routine is disturbed only by breakdowns and weather. The crew gets tired, and tempers get short as the work goes on...but they are still a team. Urgent! Get the crop in...all else can wait!

Eastern Oregon is summer-fallow country. This means only half the acres are seeded to crops each year. The other half is plowed in the spring and lies "fallow". This half of the farm is kept clean of weeds which would use the moisture needed for next year's crop. The land is "weeded" as often as necessary...another costly operation. Good rains or moisture in the summerfallow means going over the unseeded land many times to keep it weed free. Fertilizer is applied to the summerfallow land, so it is ready for the seed in fall. The yearly harvest is the product of two years work by the farmer.



Alwin-Marie Turiel

would also have a speaker representing ranching interests.

The Oregon Forum is a program funded by the National Science Foundation to conduct a series of public education workshops on the state's forestry resources. The effect on the elk herds of forest clearcutting is a matter of

News Editor to work in Tacoma

Jim Hackett, Gazette-Times news editor, has announced his resignation effective September 15 to assume a public affairs position with the Department of the Army, Madigan Hospital at the Ft. Lewis Military Reservation, Tacoma.

He will be moving to the Lakewood area in Tacoma, about 30 miles from his hometown of Bremerton, Wash. Many of his duties will continue to involve newspaper work.

Hackett said he has enjoyed his brief period of reporting and editing in Morrow County and feels the Gazette-Times is one of the outstanding publications in the Northwest. A news writer since 1970, Hackett has worked on dailies and weeklies in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, serving as news editor for one daily and two

weeklies. "Heppner and every community in Morrow County are seeing the first signs of the overall Eastern Oregon potential of the 1980's and still have tremendous liveability standards. I am hopeful that Morrow County will retain its natural beauty and ensure jobs for its young people," Hackett said.

"Enough for the rhetoric. Good luck to the Heppner Mustang and the Ione Cardinal football teams. They should go all the way this year in football and thanks for the great fair and rodeo staged this year."

Office relocates to Hermiston

The Department of Commerce, Building Codes Division, Boardman Office, formerly located in the Nelson Square Building, Room 18, in Boardman, has relocated to Hermiston in the Northwood Building, 1050 NW First, Suite 115, Hermiston.

The new Hermiston Office will be serving all of Morrow County and the West end of Umatilla County.

Office hours will be 8 a.m. to noon and from 1-5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

DMV office closed 2 days

The Heppner Department of Motor Vehicles will be closed September 12 and 13.

The office is closed so the driving examiner may travel to Fossil and Condon.

Potluck Dinner for O.E.S.

Katherine Lindstrom, Worthy Matron of Ruth-Locust Chapter No. 32 O.E.S. reminds members that on Monday September 10 there will be a potluck dinner before the regular meeting. The dinner is slated for 6:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall dining room.

The worth matron cordially invites any new or visiting members of O.E.S. to come get acquainted and to enjoy the potluck with the regular members. The Ruth-Locust Chapter meets each second Monday in Heppner's Masonic Hall.

Woods Are Parents of a daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood (Karen French), Beaverton, welcome a daughter Megan Rose, born August 24. She joins a brother Gavin, five. Megan Rose's grandparents

are Norma and Raymond French, Buttercreek, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood, Philomath. Rose Francis, Irrigon, and Inez Beattie, Philomath, are her great-grandmothers.

Chuck & Kay

want to thank all the girls from Winnemucca for their part in the Rodeo Parade and making our float a boomer. Thanks to "Belle" Morgan, Jessie Scott, Linda Connor, Rose Applegate, Terry Smith. A very special thanks to Garland Potter and his bride Myrtle. Thanks again gang, it was fun.

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State Fair results told

by Birdine Tullis

State Fair Results Results are pouring in daily from 4-H events at state fair, and Morrow County names are appearing often.

Intermediate foods judges Elizabeth McElligott and Diann Morter, Ione, have blue ribbons to prove they know about nutritional snacks, muffins, food safety, and kitchen appliances in terms of energy conservation, as well as nutritional values of foods.

Jyl Hobbs, Irrigon, knows all about drying foods and planning a hiking kit that will last several days in the wilderness. Her blue ribbon hiking meal was carefully packed in a backpack for the trip to Salem!

Blue ribbon winner with her canned vegetable entry was Becky Hobbs, Irrigon.

Dresses and sports clothing brought blue ribbons to Lori Phillips, Boardman, Shelley Stroeber, Paula Plocharsky, Trisha Mahoney, Ann McLaughlin, Michele Saling, Heppner; Ann Evans, Irrigon, Jodi Padberg, Kathy Lindsay, Lexington, and Diann Morter, Ione. Morrow County's famous tile painters continued their domination of the decorative painting classes. As they did in 1978, they claimed the

majority of top placings. Champion honors went to Diann Morter, Ione, LeAnn Quigley, Deann Connor, Cindi Bergstrom, and Alice Abrams, Heppner; Jodi Padberg and Janette Piper, Lexington; Sheri McMinn, Heppner received a reserve championship; blue awards went to Debbie Paustian, and Linda Keithley, Heppner.

Top honors in the Foods II went to Ken Curtis, Heppner, who made a raspberry coffee cake to earn the purple. In the same category, Missy Turner, Heppner, received a blue ribbon. Ann McLaughlin received a blue in the foods IV exhibit class. More results will be coming as Morrow members descend on Salem to give presentations, participate in style show and food preparation classes.

State Fair is a big moment in the lives of 4-H members—our congratulations go to all participants!

Undergoes hip surgery at hospital

Ray Quackenbush of Heppner underwent hip surgery and is recuperating at The Dalles General Hospital.

Rodeo Court hosted to luncheon

Mrs. Harold (Irene) Holtz was hostess for a luncheon for the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Court and their pennant bearers on Tuesday, August 28 at the home of Mrs. Laura Holtz in Ione.

The tables were decorated in a western theme using this year's colors of peach and rust. Each girl was presented a gift from Mrs. Irene Holtz, the hostess.

Those present were Queen Deborah and her mother, Mary Ann Palmer, Princess Lori Edwards and her mother, Dorothy Edwards. Princess Jennifer Wenzholz and her mother, Jeanette. Pennant bearers present were Anita Palmer, Nancy Miller, Tammy Holtz, Sylvia Ladd and her mother, Lorraine.

On Wednesday, August 29, Stan Kemp took the queen and the princesses to Walla Walla for dinner and to the Eddie

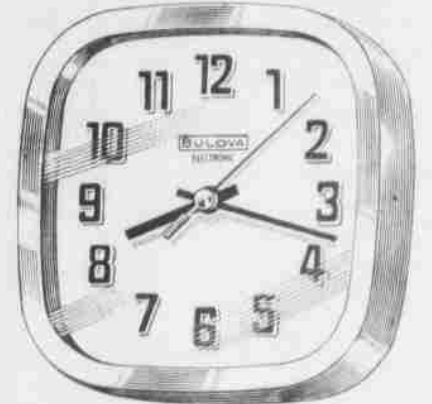
Rabbit and Tommy Overstreet Show.

Next appearances will be on September 8 when the court attends the Boardman Harvest Festival Parade and from

there goes on to the Pendleton for the Dress-up Parade that evening.

On September 14, they will attend the Westward Ho Parade in Pendleton.

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