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"It's been a pretty successful organization over the years," says Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc., Board of Directors President Gene Majeske.

Gene, who has been president since 1978 and a member since 1947, was also a member of the old Lexington Oil co-op

board until its merger with MCGG in 1967.

"It's grown real well over the years," he says of the Grain Growers. "It's put out a lot of services over the years that we wouldn't have had without it."

Gene, who was born and raised on a farm near Lexing-

ton, says the co-op still has growth ahead in its future.

"We need to expand into more handling facilities, so we can handle the grain in a more orderly fashion," He says with the harvest time cut down from 60 days, what it used to take, to the 25-30 days it now takes to get the crop in, the

MCGG has to up-grade its facilities to take care of the pressure.

more storage space on the river to relieve pressure in other areas of the county.

"We have to have a well rounded operation here," he says of the co-op. "Other equipment dealers and such have gone by the wayside over

the years and we have to take up the slack."

"What if there was no Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc?" Gene was asked. "We would be in serious trouble," he says. "There would be no implement dealers, and we would be at the mercy of private companies."

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MCGG hardware store offers wide selection



Clerk Judy Osmin

The Morrow County Grain Growers Hardware store is located at the main office in Lexington. The store offers farmers and others a wide section of hardware and other items for sale.

Clerk at the store, Judy Osmin, who has been with the company for one year, lists those things available as: animal health goods (just

recently added), housewares, radios, tools, gardening equipment, electrical and plumbing supplies, irrigation equipment, hunting and fishing goods, toys, paints, automotive supplies, rope, cable, garden supplies and much more.

The store was opened in 1971 when the MCGG moved its offices to the present location.