

Lexington news

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Mrs. Earl Soward (Alice) is a patient in St. Vincent's Hospital in Portland. Mr. Soward is a new resident at the Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home in Heppner. The sons of the Sowards who have been visiting their parents have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Messenger, Sr., were Pendleton visitors on Friday when Mrs. Messenger consulted a physician.

Kevin Smith of Hermiston spent the weekend with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Jones. His parents motored to Lexington on Sunday to pick up their son.

Lexington Grange will meet at the hall on Monday, February 16, for the regular meeting. Guest speaker for the evening will be Eileen DiCenzo of the Grange Federal Credit Union. Mrs. DiCenzo will speak on the credit union and its function and the help the grangers can receive through this affiliation. The potluck dinner will start at 7:30 p.m. and the program at 8:30 p.m. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

Holly Rebekah Lodge met at the hall on Thursday afternoon for the regular meeting. At this time names were drawn for the 1981 secret sisters and the names of the past ones were revealed. Lovely refreshments were served after the meeting. Word has been received that the assembly president of Oregon will visit Holly Lodge on April 9 at a special meeting. Cards were sent to shut-in members. The card party in the series will be on Saturday, Feb. 14, at 8 p.m. Prizes and refreshments will

be enjoyed. Grange will be on Saturday, Feb. 21, and will start at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments and prizes will be enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson were weekend visitors with friends and relatives in Goldendale, Wash.

Wayne Papineau is recuperating at home from injuries received to a hand while at work. He will be recuperating for several days.

The Cub Scouts met on Monday afternoon for the regular meeting and baked cakes to be served at the banquet held on Monday evening. At this time Kevin Peck and Dean Munkers received their Bob-Cat awards. The scouts meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gary Munkers. Anyone interested in joining is asked to contact Mrs. Munkers.

Let's not forget the St. Patrick's bingo party to be held at the church recreation rooms on Friday evening, Feb. 13 at 7:30 p.m. in Heppner.

Jackie Papineau is at her home again after some time spent at the home of her sister-in-law and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beck in Hermiston.

Five members of the Blue Bird group met at the lone school on Monday and made place mats and Valentines for their parents. The place mats will be used at the family night on Monday. The leader of the group is Margaret Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hunt were Willamette Valley visitors over the weekend, visiting in Eugene with an aunt and uncle of Mr. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunt, Mr. and

Mrs. Elmer Hunt's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. Roy, and a son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hunt, were also present to visit with the guests from eastern Oregon. They also visited Mrs. Dean Hunt's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Key, in Eugene and then went on to Salem where they visited Mr. Hunt's aunt, Mrs. Percy Connor, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Munkers, former Lexington residents. Mr. and Mrs. Munkers are leaving on Monday for a month's stay in Phoenix, Ariz. Where they will visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ross.

Want to spend lunch losing, not gaining?

Like to spend your noon hour losing weight instead of gaining it?

Blue Mountain Community College is considering offering an aerobic dancing class in Heppner during the noon hour or sometime in the morning for those who would like to get some exercise, but who just can't seem to get away in the evenings.

Nancy Brownfield, BMCC area coordinator, says that those interested should call her - and that if enough people indicate interest in the daytime aerobic dance class it may become a reality.

Aerobic dancing is a combination of dance routines and exercises to music. Renee Siminoe would instruct the class, says Brownfield.

Brownfield added that spring term is scheduled to begin in March, and she invites suggestions as to what classes people in the area would like. "Usually if one person is interested, it's something that others are interested in too," said Brownfield.

Anyone wanting to make suggestions, however, only has a week to do it. Schedules are due at BMCC Feb. 18.

To indicate interest in the daytime aerobic dance class, to suggest other classes, or just for more information, call Brownfield, 676-5039.

Brownfield adds that BMCC is still continuing the evening aerobic dance class.

Legion sale to help Girls State delegates

The Heppner American Legion Post 87 and Auxiliary are sponsoring a bake sale on Valentine's Day, this Saturday, at 10 a.m. at Central Market.

Proceeds from the sale will help delegates attend Girls State.

Sifting through the TIMES

With Justine Weatherford

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Loan machinery gets in motion: Mahoney, Cox, Smouse on county committee. E.R. Jackman, Extension specialist in farm crops at Oregon State College, has appointed the committee to administer federal drouth relief in this county and in other counties which will be involved in the relief program.

One of the genuinely encouraging developments in the woolen goods' field is to be found in current fashions reports. The country's authorities on styles in women's wear point out that 1931 spring styles will see a continued strong trend toward woollens and worsteds, particularly knit goods. This news will be welcomed by members of the National Wool Marketing Corporation which has endeavored to cooperated with wool manufacturers and others interested in broadening the market demand for wool.

Saying that its principal object is to work in conjunction with the state and national wool growers' organizations, the Morrow County Wool Growers Association was established in Heppner this week.

An increase of 10 cents a bushel in the price of Pacific Northwest wheat is being sought as set out in a brief prepared for the Eastern Oregon Wheat League and presented to George S. Milnor, general manager of the United States Grain Stabilization Corporation at Portland recently. The brief, a copy of which was received in Heppner this week, states that the Pacific Northwest was unjustly discriminated against by the stabilization corporation when it established the "pegged price"; the brief stated that the pegged price increased the spread between Portland and Chicago prices 10 cents more than before the pegged prices were set. The spread before is given at 3 cents, while after the pegged price Portland was 13 1/2 cents below Chicago.

The brief asks immediate revision of the Portland price to the position it normally holds in relation to the Chicago price. This district, the brief maintains, is the only wheatgrowing section of the U.S. which was not given such consideration.

"The Farmers National Grain Corporation is purely a farmer-owned and farmer-controlled organization" George N. Peck emphasized this statement in reporting a meeting of wheat cooperative directors and managers in conjunction with officers of the North Pacific Grain Growers, regional branch of the national corporation, at Walla Walla last weekend. Henry Smouse, president, R.B. Rice, secretary, and

Emil Swanson, manager of the Morrow County Grain Growers, also attended the meeting. Fifty-two of the 59 local cooperatives operating in the region were represented.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Fair and Rodeo dates announced: Raymond Ferguson named show manager. Dates for the county fair and rodeo have been set for August 30 and 31 and September 1 and 2. It has been announced by the county fair board and the fair and rodeo committees. The fair will be held on the first three days and the rodeo on the last two.

The board appointed Raymond Ferguson of Heppner as show manager. This is a new position created this year. He will be in charge of operation of the show and will be responsible to the fair board. He is a member of the fair committee and will continue to serve in that capacity.

W.E. Hughes, Heppner, was re-elected chairman of the county fair board which includes Charles Carlson, Ione, and Willard Jones of Irrigon. Re-appointed to three-year terms were John Graves of the fair committee and Jack Van Winkle and William Smethurst on the rodeo committee. The group approved one major change in plans for this year's show, deciding not to have a carnival as it has during past years. The board approved the rodeo committee's budget of \$1,050 for rodeo stock.

Pacific Oilseeds, Inc., is again making contracts with Morrow County farmers for the production of safflower for 1956. It was revealed this week by county agent N.C. Anderson. Most farmers who grew the crop last year are making contracts for production again in 1956. It was said.

To date contracts have been signed for 380 acres and contracts must be signed before March 1 in order that there will be sufficient time for seed to be shipped into the area in quantities needed.

Contracting price for 1956 is a minimum of \$70 with a maximum of \$100 per ton. This is the same contracting price as last year and the price received for the 1955 crop was \$7 per ton.

It is understood that those who grew safflower in 1955 felt that even with the shortage of moisture, income per acre compared to barley. Production of the crop requires no additional machinery over that used for wheat production.

The Heppner chess team played the Washington State Prison team at Walla Walla last Sunday and came home winners by a wide margin.

Members of the Heppner team include LaVerne Van Marter, James Popham, John Snyder, M.D. Bauman, Wayne Harsin and Case Adams, all of Heppner, and Joe Winslow of Pendleton.

FIVE YEARS AGO

W.W. "Bill" Weatherford, Heppner, has filed for the position of Morrow County Judge.

The theme for this year's county fair and rodeo has been selected. Of the 25 suggestions submitted the fair committee chose Gladys Van Winkle's "We've Come a Long Way." Newly appointed fair board members are Mrs. Sullivan, Boardman, and Phyllis Piper, Lexington. The Heppner-Morrow Chamber of Commerce has appointed Jim Wishart as the new parade chairman.

In the past three years the Columbia Basin Electric Co-op has cut its system losses for delivery of service along the lines from 13.5 to 6.4 per cent. Thus the local utility has saved approximately 9,271,000 kwhs in 1975 compared to the 1972 loss rate.

Bob Adelman of the Soil Conservation Service told the Chamber of Commerce that the Heppner Critical Area Treatment Project would initially consist of 324,000 square feet of diversion ditches and 89 erosion control dams. It will include 16 landowners.

Oregon's oldest twins celebrated their 88th birthday in Heppner. Mary Bailey and Maggie Reynolds were born in 1888 in Waushara County, Wisconsin.

Shirley Palmer, Heppner, coordinator for the group of Japanese exchange students coming into Morrow County next summer, recently returned from a meeting in Corvallis with information that ten young people, accompanied by a chaperone, will be assigned to our county.

There will be a special meeting at the Lexington Grange Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 17, to discuss the Farm Corporate Act. This related to the problem of large corporate developments. Speakers will be W.C. Harris, master, Oregon State Grange; Bob Elkins, state president of the Farmer's Union; and Don Willner, candidate for attorney-general and legal counsel for sponsors of the referendum to change the state constitution.

Women's Aglow to meet Tues.

A dinner and fellowship meeting of the Heppner Women's Aglow has been scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 17, at the Episcopal Church hall.

Dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. and the meeting will follow at 7:15 p.m. Lovett of Hermiston.

PUBLIC NOTICES

This legal notice is to be published in the Heppner Gazette-Times, Heppner, Oregon.

Beverly Gunderson, Chairman

Barbara Bloodsworth, Morrow County Clerk

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of March, 1981, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., at the front door of the Morrow County Courthouse in Heppner, Oregon, I shall sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, lien, estate and interest of Edward V. Strahm in the following-described real property:

Lot 6, Block 5, in Heppner Heights Addition to the City of Heppner, also known as 160 North Gilmore Street.

Said sale is made pursuant to a writ of execution in foreclosure issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Morrow on the 5th day of February, 1981, in the case of First National Bank of Oregon v. Edward V. Strahm, et al, Morrow County Circuit Court No. 6490, wherein First National Bank of Oregon, a national banking association, is plaintiff and Edward V. Strahm, Barbara L. Strahm, now known as Barbara L. Howard, Raymond P. Thorne, Administrator of the Employment Division of the State of Oregon, and Robert B. Abrams and William J. Kuhn, doing business as Abrams & Kuhn, are defendants.

DATED this 6th day of February, 1981.

SHERIFF L. D. Fetsch, Morrow County, Oregon

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NOTICE OF ELECTION OF BOARD MEMBERS

Heppner Water Control

Notice is hereby given that on March 31, 1981, an election will be held for the purpose of electing 2 Directors to fill the following positions and terms, including any vacancy which may exist on the Board of Heppner Water Control District:

1 Director - 4-year term,
1 Director - 4-year term.

The polls will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Each candidate for an office listed above must file a declaration of candidacy or petition for nomination for office with the Elections Department of Morrow County, Oregon, not later than the 35th day before the date of the election. The filing deadline is 5:00 p.m. on February 24, 1981.

This legal notice is to be published in Heppner Gazette-Times, Heppner, Oregon.

D. Osmin, Chairman
Authorized signature for District Election Authority

Barbara Bloodsworth, Morrow County Clerk

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NOTICE OF ELECTION OF BOARD MEMBERS

Heppner Rural Fire

Notice is hereby given that on March 31, 1981, election will be held for the purpose of electing 3 Directors of the Heppner Rural Fire District for 4 year terms to fill the following positions and terms, including any vacancy which may exist on the Board of Morrow County, Oregon, not later than the 35th day before the date of the election. The filing deadline is 5:00 p.m. on February 24, 1981.

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Director - Four year term,
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Howard Pettyjohn, Director,
Authorized signature for District Election Authority

Barbara Bloodsworth, Morrow County Clerk

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MORROW

NO. 6492

STATE OF OREGON, Acting by and through the Director of Veteran's Affairs, Plaintiff,

vs.
DAVID E. GILLIAM and ANNA L. GILLIAM, husband and wife, WEST EXTENSION IRRIGATION DISTRICT; BERRY KIRKPATRICK and LISA KIRKPATRICK, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of an Execution issued out of the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause to me directed and dated the 6th day of February, 1981, based upon a Judgement rendered and entered in said Court on the 21st day of January, 1981, in favor of the State of Oregon, Acting by and through the Director of Veteran's Affairs, commanding me to make sale of the following described real and personal property, to-wit:

All of Lot 12 and the West 1/2 of Lot 13, Block 1, Osterkamp's Addition to the City of Irrigon, Section 25, Township 5 North, Range 26, E. W. M., Morrow County, Oregon

together with the following described mobile home which is firmly affixed to the property:

1979 BELMONT, 24 x 48, Serial No. 8096.

to satisfy a judgement against defendants, David E. Gilliam and Anna L. Gilliam, for the sum of \$31,727.56, together with interest on \$31,727.56 at 9.0 percent per annum from date of judgement until paid, and for plaintiff's costs and disbursements incurred herein in the amount of \$77.50.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of said Execution and Judgement and in compliance with the command of said Writ, I will on the 26th day of March, 1981, at 11:00 A.M. at the front door of the Courthouse, Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, sell at public auction and subject to redemption to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest which the above named defendants had on the 21st day of January, 1981, the date of the Judgement, and thereafter had in and to the above described real and personal property or any part or portion thereof, to satisfy said Execution and Judgement and interest, costs and accruing costs.

DATED at Heppner, Oregon, this 6th day of February, 1981.

LARRY D. FETSCH, Sheriff

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Heppner Cemetery Maintenance District

Notice is hereby given that on March 31, 1981, an election will be held for the purpose of electing two members of the Board of Directors to fill the following positions and terms, including any vacancy which may exist on the Board of Heppner Cemetery Maintenance District:

Board Member Four-year term

Board Member Four-year term

The polls will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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