

## Sifting through the TIMES

With Justine Weatherford

### FIFTY YEARS AGO

MacMarr Stores offer MacMarr Coffee at 3 lbs. for \$1.; Gold Medal mayonnaise at 35 cents a pint) 40 lb. sacks of quality flour at \$1.23, Sperry's eastern white or yellow corn meal, 9 lb. bag, 39 cents.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The value of and the need for the new addition to Pioneer Memorial hospital which was completed last year, was well demonstrated this week when the institution operated for a few days at over 100 percent capacity.

### FIVE YEARS AGO

The annual Future Farmers of America banquet was held Tuesday evening at the Heppner High School cafeteria with honors going to Bill Van Schoiack, Star Chapter Farmer and Ken Grieb, Star Green Hand.

## Get acquainted with Japan Labo program

By BIRDINE TULLIS,  
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Liz Curtis, Heppner, county coordinator for the Oregon 4-H-Japan Labo exchange is ready now to accept applications from local residents to host an in-coming Japanese student next summer. Arrival date is targeted at July 28, with the young exchangees staying in the county about three weeks.

Application to host one of the students is simple... and forms are available from Liz or the Extension office. The young Japanese are aged 12 through 17 years, and hosts may choose either a boy or girl. They come to live with the family to learn our culture, and the ways of American youth in their age group. Basic thought of the

exchange program is the learning of English language. While the youth may know only written English when they arrive...they soon become proficient in English. There is seldom a communication gap.

Morrow county has participated in the exchange every year since the beginning. Many local families have enjoyed and benefitted from hosting Japanese students, or by sending their young people to live with Japanese families in return.

If you would like an international adventure without leaving home...now is the time to get your application in for this exchange. The last date applications may be accepted is April 15. Call Liz at 676-9454 for full details.

## M.J. Kilkenny joins Western Heritage

As of March 2, Michael J. Kilkenny, a local investment consultant with Blakely, Strand & Williams, will join

Western Heritage.

The Kilkenny family comes from a long line of ranchers and community leaders in the Heppner, Echo, Pendleton and Hermiston areas.

Presently Michael and his wife Julie live in Pendleton with one daughter. Four other children are also presently in college or business, one of which, Michael L. Kilkenny, is a loan officer at the home office of Western Heritage Savings.



Michael J. Kilkenny the executive staff of Western Heritage Savings as their Investment Trust Officer.

Kilkenny's portfolio will include servicing in the areas of Money Market Management, IRA, Keogh & corporate retirement programs as well as developing formal trust management services for

## Morrow County Search and Rescue Posse formed in 1972

By MARY ANN CERULLO

The Morrow County Search and Rescue Posse was formed in May 1972 by Morrow County Sheriff John Mollahan and a group of 34 concerned citizens, with the help of Gus Peterson, a member of the Grant County Posse.

The formation was a reaction to the tragic mountain search for Dr. Archie D. McCurdo during the hunting season of two years previous, 1971.

Dr. McCurdo's body was discovered by hunters Oct. 11 in the rugged Big Potamus Creek area.

He had disappeared Oct. 3 while hunting in the area with his son.

Today the Search and Rescue Posse has 29 members. Teamleader is Dan McBride. Members are Chuck Thomason, Harlan Dunaway, Don Stroeber, Art Warren, Bill Peutz, K. Kenton, E. Ming, R. Booth, S. Sawyer, R. Steinke, W. Sharkey, Rod Flug, Joel Lydy, K. Thomason, and Jerry Brace.

The command team includes Bill Nichols, captain; Bob Montgomery, first lieutenant; Gary Munkers, secretary; Ed Baker, treasurer; and Jim Launer, coordinator.

The board of control is David Winters, Simon Winters, Fred Breeding, with

## Navy Seaman reports for ship duty

Navy Data Processing Technician Seaman Recruit Perry R. Wilson, son of Thomas R. and Dorothy M. Wilson of Heppner, has reported for duty aboard the amphibious command ship USS Blue Ridge, Yokosuka, Japan.

A 1980 graduate of Heppner High School, Wilson joined the navy in August 1980.

## 'Spend All Your Kisses Mr. Smith' reviewed

"Spend All Your Kisses, Mr. Smith" by Jack Smith was reviewed by Rose Baker at the regular meeting of the Lone Topic Club on Wednesday, February 25.

Vera Rietmann, Rose Baker and Jean Nelson acted as hostesses. Smith, a popular columnist on the Los Angeles Times, hilariously recounts the joys and small tragedies of domesticity as he observes his son abandon his motorcycle to marry a very French woman. She eats snails and little birds with their heads on and cannot understand American movies and professional football. The grandchildren inevitably arrive and Smith discovers the perils of grandfatherhood. Along the way he learns that you can't take your money or your love with you in the end. He must spend all his kisses now.

During the business meeting plans were discussed for a food sale and bits and pieces sales this spring. It was announced that the furnace is still not working properly at the library but anyone who wishes books should contact Mrs. Sam Byrne or call 422-7449

Mike Olsen as historian.

The posse is a non-profit service to the county. All expenses are paid for by the members themselves. Two fully equipped vehicles, a van and a bronco, have been assigned to the posse by the Department of Emergency Services, to be maintained at the posse's expense.

Search and Rescue holds one business meeting per month, one board meeting per month and one training session per month. First aid and cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) are held when needed.

The posse also has renewals of "Crash Injury Management" which is accredited by the Bureau of Police Standards and Training. The Department of Emergency Services requires the posse to have 30 hours per year of training in all fields plus 10 hours of man tracking.

The Search and Rescue Posse's planned activities for March include a one-day training course for map and compass and aircraft emer-

gency location plus a tentative first aid refresher course.

The posse spends what free time it has working on the St. Jude Bikeathon and giving safety courses to young hunters.

All together the Search and Rescue Posse spent a total of 1,132.30 hours in searching practice, instruction and civic activities:

Man Hours 1980 - Search and Rescue Posse

60 hours - rappelling training, - called to search for 2 boys; 64 hours - training session; 63 hours - training; 14 hours - climbing training; 190 hrs. - training; 88 hrs. - first aid training; 30 hrs. - training C.P.R.; 68 hours - climbing training; 60 hours - road patrol; 216 hrs. - summer training seminar; 35 hours - road patrol; 45 hours - hunter's safety course; 70 1/2 hrs. - tracking training; 12.8 hrs. - search for lost hunter; 16 hours - instructor training C.P.R.; 56 hours - hypothermia Class; 40 hours - delivered food baskets.

## Lone Extension Club has monthly meeting

The Lone Extension Club held its monthly meeting on Monday evening, Feb. 23 in the home of Debbie Morgan. Sponsored by the Oregon Extension Homemakers Council, the club has been active since last fall.

Monday evening meeting was presided over by Secretary Lucy Tworek, in the absence of the chairman and vice-chairman. Members present were Lucy Tworek, Nancy McElligott, Marnie Anderson, Sheila Boetchar, (the newest member) Della Heideman, Debbie Morgan, Lisa Nelson, Sue Proudfoot and Jeri McElligott.

The club's newest project, an Easter Egg Hunt for the children of the lone area was discussed, and co-chairman, Jeri McElligott and Debbie Morgan, were chosen. Marnie Anderson and Monica Swanson were selected to handle "special events" and Della Heideman volunteered for handling publicity for the

club. The Easter Egg Hunt although still in the early planning stages, was a topic of vivid conversation and discussion at the meeting and the club members have great hopes that it will prove to be an exciting event for the youth of lone and vicinity.

The club's long term project, the compilation of a community cook book was discussed at length and a list of the recipes already compiled from members of the community was provided for the club to look over.

Everyone in lone is encouraged to submit their favorite recipes to Sue Proudfoot, chairman of the cookbook committee. Club members have great hopes of having the book assembled and prepared for printing by early summer, and be ready for sales by this coming fall. Proceeds from the book will be donated to some charitable organization or cause, to be decided upon at a later date.



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46oz

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16oz

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