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**Obituaries**

**James Joseph Higgins**

**LAGRANDE** James Joseph Higgins, 69, a former Heppner resident, died July 21 at the Walla Walla Veteran's Hospital, Walla Walla, Wash. He was born May 21, 1913 in Heppner to James and Katherine Maguire Higgins. He lived in Heppner and attended Heppner schools. At age 17 he moved to Pendleton, and 17 years later, moved to LaGrande. On June 28, 1952, he married Edna Sheya. He worked for Union Pacific Railroad at LaGrande for 40 years. Mr. Higgins was a member of B.P.O.E. 433, LaGrande, and the LaGrande Country Club.

A memorial Mass at Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church, LaGrande, was said Monday, July 26. Burial was at Olney Cemetery, Pendleton.

Survivors include his wife, Edna, LaGrande; daughters Diane Higgins of Eugene and Sheila Higgins and Coleen Higgins, both of LaGrande; one sister, Kathleen Fehrenbacher of Portland; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions, for those who wish, may be made to the Oregon Health Sciences University Medical School, Development Office, 3181 S.W. Sam Jackson Park Rd., Portland, Oregon 97201.

**Baptism scheduled Sun. at All Saints'**

A baptism will be performed this Sunday, August 1, at All Saints' Episcopal Church in Heppner during the 10:30 a.m. service, announce the Rev. Ed Watts, vicar. Everyone is invited to attend and help celebrate the event. A regular 8 a.m. low Mass is being held each Sunday at the church until further notice, he said.

**Hospital Notes**

Patients admitted and released from Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner during the past week include: Rudy Bergstrom, Ione admitted July 16, released July 20; Conrad Johns, Fossil - admitted July 20, released July 21; Steven Anderson, Arlington - admitted July 20, released July 26; and Jacob Cooper, Hermiston - admitted July 24, released July 24. Patients still receiving care at the hospital as of Monday, July 26 included: Mary Bryant, Heppner - admitted July 19; Amanda Duvall, Heppner - admitted July 20; and Zetta Bronsan, Heppner - admitted July 21.

**DA's Report**

Bill Dale Breeding, 26, of Gresham, was convicted by jury in Morrow County Justice Court (Irrigon) for Driving While Suspended. He was sentenced to pay a \$285 fine and ordered to reimburse Morrow County for court appointed attorney's fees, reported Morrow County Deputy District Attorney Harold McLean. In other Justice Court action, McLean reported Delbert Windell Emert, 76, of Ione, pleaded no contest to reduced charges of No Operators License on Person for incidences occurring on May 29 and April 17. Charges of Driving While Suspended were dismissed. He was fined \$28 for the April incident and \$55 for the May occurrence.

**Sheriff's Report**

The Morrow County sheriff's office at the Morrow County Courthouse in Heppner, handled the following calls and cases during the past week: On July 19, Jeffrey Steven Simmons, 19, of Boardman, was issued a citation for alleged Driving While Suspended by a Boardman police officer. On July 20, Geoffrey Stephen Smith, 32, of Pendleton, was arrested by a Morrow County Sheriff's deputy for alleged Second Degree Criminal Mischief. He was lodged at the Wasco County Jail. On July 23, Dana B. Robinson, 28, of Boardman, was arrested by a Boardman police officer on a Lane County sheriff's office warrant for alleged Failure to Pay a Fine for a Second Degree Criminal Trespass charge and a Marion County sheriff's office warrant for alleged Contempt - Non Payment of Child Support. Robinson was lodged at the Umatilla City Jail.

Also on July 23, a fight occurred at the Hitchin' Post tavern. Boardman at about 1:48 a.m.; involving about 20 people. Donald L. Gilkey, 28, and Dean Q. Gilkey, 19, were arrested by Boardman police for alleged Second Degree Criminal Trespass. Both posted bail and were released.

In another July 23 incident, a fire was reported at the Dexter Miles residence, Fuller Canyon, Heppner, at 2:03 p.m. The Heppner Fire Department responded.

In a fourth July 23 incident, a motor vehicle accident occurred about 6:50 p.m. near the Dodge City Inn, Boardman, involving David R. Harris, 35, of Redmond and Michael G. Vorhees, 30, of Umatilla. Harris was taken to Consolidated Good Shepherd Hospital by a private citizen. Vorhees was cited for alleged Failure to Yield Right-of-Way and Harris was cited for allegedly having No Insurance. The Morrow County sheriff's office handled the accident.

On July 24, vandalism was reported to the Heppner Police Department of signs at the U.S. Forest Service building, Heppner. Broken beer bottles were also found. One sign was destroyed. Value of the sign is \$154. Other signs were damaged.

In a second July 24 incident, Henry Krebs of Ione reported the theft of an unknown amount of gas from his ranch at Cecil A Morrow County sheriff's deputy responded to the call.

**Public Meetings**

Mon., August 2 - Heppner City Council, city hall, 7:30 p.m.; Heppner Fire Department, fire hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Tues., August 3 - Ione City Council, city hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Wed., August 4 - Morrow County Court, courthouse, Heppner, 9 a.m.  
Mon., August 9 - Heppner Fire Department, fire hall, 7:30 p.m.; Heppner Planning Commission, city hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Tues., August 10 - Lexington City Council, city hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Wed., August 11, Morrow County Court, courthouse, Heppner, 9 a.m.  
Thurs., August 12 - Port of Morrow Commission, port office, Nelson Square, Boardman, 1 p.m.; Lexington Fire Department, city hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Mon., August 16 - Heppner Fire Department, fire hall, 7:30 p.m.; Ione Planning Commission, city hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Tues., August 17 - Pioneer Memorial Hospital board of directors, hospital, Heppner, 9:30 a.m.  
Wed., August 18 - Morrow County Court, Morrow County Annex, Irrigon, 9 a.m.  
Mon., August 23 - Heppner Fire Department, fire hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Wed., August 25 - Morrow County Court, courthouse, Heppner, 9 a.m.  
Heppner Public Library board of directors, library, 8 p.m.  
Mon., August 30 - Morrow County Planning Commission, Morrow County Courthouse, Heppner, 8 p.m.; Heppner Fire Department, fire hall, 7:30 p.m.

**Marriage Licenses**

An application for a Marriage License was accepted at the Morrow County Clerks' office at the Morrow County Courthouse from: John Francis Sullivan III, 26 and Bertie Lynn Newell, 21, both of Marcola.

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**Wedding Announcements Peterson-Faith**

Carol Faith of Heppner and Mary Peterson of Ione wish to announce their forthcoming marriage on Aug.-21, at Zion Lutheran Church, Spokane, Wash. Miss Faith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Faith of Spokane, Wash. and Mr. Peterson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peterson of Tacoma, Wash.

**V.F.W. raffle a success**

A Morrow County V.F.W. and Auxiliary No. 4184 raffle, held at the Sidewalk Sale last Saturday was a success, said a spokesperson from the local post. Clayton Sweek of Heppner won the popcorn popper, popping corn and oil. The raffle netted \$21.75 which was sent to a Cancer Aide and Research Fund. The fund is a state-wide project that the V.F.W. and Auxiliary participate in each year.

Thomas Edison had a collection of 5,000 birds.

**Births**

Kimberly Erin Hansen - A daughter, Kimberly Erin, was born to Hoby and Susan Hansen of Heppner on July 20 at Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner. She weighed 9 lbs., 2 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ward of Boise, Idaho, Elmer Hansen of Pilot Rock, and Cathy Hansen of Heppner. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gaston of New Plymouth, Idaho and Lulu Rowin of Irrigon. Kimberly joins a sister, Jayme, two and one-half, at home.

Brad Allen Frey - A son, Brad Allen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Frey of Tule Lake, California, on July 21. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carlson of Ione and Mr. and Mrs. Tom A. Frey of Tule Lake. Great-grandmothers are Dorris Graves of Heppner and Regins Frey of Tule Lake. Great-great-grandmother is Ethel Wilcox of Portland.

Samuel Tyler - A son, Samuel Tyler, was born July 7 to Craig and Melissa Tyler, 235 Mid Mesabi Manor, Eveleth, Minn. He weighed 8 lbs., 14 oz. The Tylers are former Heppner residents.

**Road Report**

The Morrow County Public Works Department has released the following Work Report for the week ending July 24: In the Boardman-Irrigon area potholes were patched on portions of Frontage Road, Homestead Road, Willson Road, Pole Line Road, Irrigon Ordinance Road, Bombing Range Road, Irrigon Paterson Road and Patterson Junction. In the south end of the county cold mix patching was done on M. Baker Road, Ione-Gooseberry, Kilkenny, Upper Willow Creek, Clyers, and Blackhorse Roads. Gravel was spread on Fuller Canyon and Meadowbrook Road.

**Consolidated Report of Condition**

**BANK OF Eastern Oregon**

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AS OF 6-30-82 ASSETS

Cash and due from banks.....	2,004,331.91
U.S. Treasury securities.....	2,658,885.06
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations.....	800,000.00
Other securities.....	3,841,270.48
Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell.....	1,600,000.00
Other loans less reserve for loan losses.....	15,517,552.18
Bank premises, furniture & fixtures, & other assets representing bank premises.....	631,360.38
Other Real Estate.....	218,641.24
Other assets.....	1,017,628.47
<b>TOTAL ASSETS.....</b>	<b>28,289,669.72</b>

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	2,865,661.50
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations....	19,349,009.86
Deposits of United States Government.....	17,832.60
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	2,099,474.20
Certified and officers' checks, etc.....	154,866.10
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS.....</b>	<b>24,486,844.26</b>
a. Total demand deposits.....	3,949,240.28
b. Total time and savings deposits.....	20,537,603.98
Federal funds purchased & securities sold under agreement to purchase.....	712,114.36
Other liabilities.....	366,671.37
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES.....</b>	<b>25,565,629.99</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common stock - total par value..... (No. shares authorized 6,000) (No. shares outstanding 6,000)	150,000.00
Surplus.....	1,700,000.00
Undivided profits.....	874,039.73
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....</b>	<b>2,724,039.73</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES RESERVES &amp; Capital accounts.....</b>	<b>28,289,669.72</b>

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 30 calendar days ending with the call date.....	24,307,087.76
Average of total loans for the 30 calendar days ending with call date.....	15,905,011.50
Standby letter of credit.....	123,451.59

I Patricia Gentry, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

signed, Patricia Gentry

Correct & Attest Directors:  
(s) Howard Bryant, (s) Gene Pierce, (s) Roy W. Lindstrom

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To our valued customers

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Out of today's circular the following items did not arrive:

Pg. 4 Yankee Slide Tray, No. S-100-B. \$2.97

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