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Weather

by the City of Heppner

High Low Precip

Tues., Oct. 26	55	37
Wed., Oct. 27	54	30
Thurs., Oct. 28	52	40 .91
Fri., Oct. 29	43	40 .13
Sat., Oct. 30	51	34
Sun., Oct. 31	49	40
Mon., Nov. 1	52	29

Sandy woman burned in propane explosion at Cutsforth Park



Propane explosion caused extensive damage to trailer at Cutsforth Park Friday night.

A Sandy woman received burns on her hands Friday evening when propane in her camp trailer blew up at Cutsforth Park. Joann Dries was lighting a stove in the 1968 21-ft. Kenskill when the propane ignited. Neighboring campers put out the small fire

with fire extinguishers. Mrs. Dries was taken to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner where she received treatment and was released the next day.

Dan McBride of Ron McDonald Chevrolet Towing said he was contacted to re-

move the trailer from the park. McBride said the trailer was a total loss. Glass was blown 50 - 60 feet away from the sides of the trailer, which were also extensively damaged, he said.

McBride took the trailer to a body shop in Heppner.

New service available at P.M.H.

Through a special arrangement with the Cardiology Department at St. Vincent Hospital and Medical Center in Portland, 24 hour ambulatory heart monitoring is available in Heppner at Pioneer Memorial Hospital, announced a hospital spokesperson.

When a patient's physician needs a record of a patient's

heart functions during a normal day, at home, work, or while sleeping, the hospital can attach a monitoring unit for the patient to wear for a 24 hour period.

At the end of the 24 hours the monitor will be removed and a taped record dispatched to St. Vincent's Cardiology Department where it will be processed by their reading equipment. The result will be returned to the attending physician.

"This development will make a valuable service available to our patients without the cost and inconvenience of traveling to Portland," the spokesperson concluded.

Most elk hunters not too successful

The first elk season opened last Saturday and according to reports, many hunters haven't been too successful. The first season ended Wednesday, and the second season will run

from Saturday, Nov. 6, to Sunday, Nov. 14.

Many hunters sought their game in snow, which in some areas was fairly deep.

M.C.G.G. posts 2nd largest earnings record in history

The Morrow County Grain Growers Inc. posted its second largest earnings record in history during fiscal year 1982, co-op members were told at the annual meeting Monday night.

The co-op showed a profit of \$512,203 on gross income of \$40,021,480, this was down

from last year's high profit of \$963,338 on \$39,988,175 of income.

The co-op's fiscal year ended May 31, 1982.

The fertilizer department showed an increase of over \$13,000 last year, while the grain and farm supply departments all showed decreases.

High interest rates was the main reason given for the decrease in earnings last year.

Co-op accountant Steve Green gave a financial report on the corporation, and said that a new allocation method will be used where members will not be liable for income tax on the allocations.

About 250 people attended the meeting which featured a roast beef dinner and a slide show and speech on the importance of the American farmer by guest speaker Dr. Ernest Briskey, dean of the Oregon State School of Agriculture.

Following the meeting, the board of directors met and elected the following officers: President - Gene Majeske, Vice-president - Gary Grieb, Secretary Lyle Peck and Treasurer - Larry Mills.

Wheat League to meet

By ROBERT COSTA
Morrow Co. Extension Agent

The Morrow County Wheat Growers League fall meeting and banquet will be held on Friday, November 12, at the Elk's Lodge in Heppner. A noon lunch, sponsored by the Wheat League, will be followed by committee meetings at 1 p.m.

A social hour will begin at 5:30 and dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. The social hour is

hosted by the Wheat League and the Morrow County Grain Growers. The Wheat League will sponsor a portion of the meal to keep the cost to \$3 per plate.

The speaker for the evening will be Harold Kerr, Associate Director of the OSU Extension Service. Kerr served as extension agent for Crook, Morrow and Wasco counties before his recent appointment as extension associate director.

New lone postmaster appointed

Margaret Lindley of Seneca has been appointed as Lone Postmaster, the U.S. Postal Service announced Monday. Lindley replaces June O'Connor, lone, who retired

August 13 after 19 years of service.

Laurel Cannon, an employee at the lone office, is in charge until Lindley arrives.

The new postmaster received her appointment under the Postmaster Selection Program of the U.S. Postal Service. She will assume her new duties November 29 after

extensive postal experience since entering the service in May 1971, said a Postal Service spokesperson.

Lindley's last assignment was postmaster of the Seneca office.

The Idaho native has three sons, one daughter and six grandchildren, the spokesperson concluded.

Parent's Night slated at HHS Nov. 9

A parents' Night will be held at Heppner High School on Tuesday, November 9, beginning at 7:30 p.m. All parents who have children attending Heppner High School, and other interested community members, are invited to attend.

Those attending are asked to meet at the school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Parents will have the opportunity to attend their child's classes. At that

time, teachers will distribute the first quarter report cards and give a brief explanation of the course and grading criteria. Parents wishing to arrange a conference with individual teachers may do so at this time.

All parents are encouraged to attend. Students may attend with their parents. Any questions regarding the open house may be directed to Jim Bier or Michele Portmann.

Some area businesses to close for Veterans Day

Some local businesses will be closed to honor Veterans Day next Thursday, Nov. 11. All banks, post offices and

schools will also be closed. However, all grocery stores in Heppner, Lexington and Lone will be open.

Hunter robbed, fired at,

Hermiston man in custody

Earl J. Smith of Bay City was robbed last Friday near Cutsforth Park and he and his camper were shot at, reported Morrow County Deputy District Attorney Harold McLean and the Hermiston Oregon State Police office. Smith was camping, awaiting the opening of elk season, when the incident occurred.

The Hermiston OSP office said Smith was robbed of \$9, then shots were fired outside his camper, and then one shot was fired at Smith but missed.

Based on a description of the suspect and his vehicle, the suspect was located, taken back to the scene and then arrested, the Hermiston office reported. The arrest followed an investigation by OSP Trooper Terry Springer of Heppner, McLean said.

Arrested was James Benjamin Eaton, 31, of Hermiston. He was arraigned in Morrow County Justice Court (Heppner) on Friday, Oct. 29, on a felony complaint charging him with alleged First Degree Robbery and Attempted Murder, the deputy D.A. said.

Eaton was lodged at the Wasco County Jail at The

Dalles on \$100,000 bail. An attorney from The Dalles was appointed as counsel for him, McLean said.

The case was continued pending the defense council's decision on whether a preliminary hearing is necessary.

Heppner student named 'CO-ED' correspondent



Ryan Duncan

Ryan Duncan, a seventh grade student at Heppner Junior High, has been named "CO-ED" correspondent for the 1982-83 school year, according to an announcement by Kathy Gogick, editor of "CO-ED." "CO-ED" is published nationally by Scholastic, Ind., for home economics

students. It contains features on personal development, careers and consumer awareness as well as the latest trends in fashion, food, beauty and home furnishings.

Ryan is the son of Bob and Sue Duncan of Lexington. He was elected correspondent by his classmates and was selected for his qualities of leadership and enthusiasm. He will serve as a junior advisor to "CO-ED" editors. Like the other "CO-ED" correspondents throughout the United States and Canada, he will keep the editors informed of activities in his school.

Ryan's homemaking teacher, Liz Curtis, reported that this is the third year a student has been a "CO-ED" correspondent from Heppner Jr. High.

NOV. 2 GENERAL ELECTION	BOARDMAN	IRRIGON	IONE	LEXINGTON	HEPPNER	HARDMAN	TOTALS
VIC ATYEH	332	322	227	163	606	15	1665
TED KULONGOSKI	177	266	65	52	268	6	834
BOB SMITH	296	259	195	142	546	8	1446
LARRYANN WILLIS	209	342	102	89	331	13	1086
DOROTHY KREBS	272	310	224	98	366	15	1265
IRVIN RAUCH	237	284	76	156	517	7	1277
CATHIE POINTER	*	*	*	78	*	*	78
SHIRLEY MC CARL	*	*	*	91	*	*	91
MARGARET HENDERSON	*	*	*	16	*	*	16
ELMER HOLTZ	*	*	75	*	*	*	75
BILL RIETMANN	*	*	125	*	*	*	125
HARVEY CHILDERS	*	*	86	*	*	*	86
WAYNE HAMS	*	*	132	*	*	*	132
Heppner City Charter amendment	*	*	*	*	445	*	445
Ballot Measure 3	168	276	81	72	178	9	861
NO	349	335	218	162	630	14	1708
Ballot Measure 6	292	384	143	131	420	15	1385
NO	223	224	147	100	459	9	1162