

Extension Service sponsors Harvest Celebration



Helen Holcomb presents a demonstration "Everything You Never Knew About Making A Cake" during Harvest Celebration held last Saturday at the Fairgrounds in Heppner.

The afternoon event, the first of its kind in this area, featured a variety of demonstrations and "how-to" sessions.

The program was sponsored by the Morrow County Extension Service.

County Historical Soc. meets

By DELPHA JONES

The Morrow County Historical Society met at Irrigon for a regular meeting on Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Don Eppenbaugh were hosts for the evening.

A group of early pictures of Irrigon residents and school activities were greatly enjoyed. These pictures belonged to Marge Lillard, who told the group much about them.

Some meetings back the group voted to honor local families who have owned homes for 75 years or more that are of the original structure. The homes can have been remodeled, but must still have part of the original building and must have a member of that family living in the house. There is one to be honored, the home of Alvin McCabe in Ione. If you have

one of these homes, please send a picture and a short story about the house to the society.

A committee was appointed to get prints of the older buildings in the towns of Morrow County, and an album will be made. If it is found to be feasible, perhaps a small album will be printed for sale. Each town has had interesting businesses and can produce some fine pictures for this project. Please contact these committee members: Ione - Ruth McCabe, Lexington - Delpha Jones, Hardman - Margaret Hayes, Heppner - Barbara Bloodworth and Rachel Harnett and Irrigon and Boardman - Marge Lillard.

The date for the annual meeting was set for Sunday, Oct. 2, at the Lexington

Grange Hall at 1 p.m. The display table this year is under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Don Eppenbaugh of Irrigon. The decorating committee includes Frances Smouse and Jean Nelson. The program will be announced at a later date, but is hoped to feature Indian culture in the Eastern Oregon area.

Lovely refreshments were served by Mrs. Eppenbaugh. Morrow County History Book orders are still being taken and tribute pages will be taken until July 5.

There was some talk about cemeteries in outlying areas which need help, but it is the cemetery district's purpose to take care of these. Perhaps if a cemetery is not in a district, one can be formed, or the area can be joined to an existing district. It is true that these cemeteries should have and do need attention. Contact the Morrow County Historical Society for more information.

Vo-Ag teacher installed as state pres.

Dave Hall, vocational agriculture instructor at Wallowa High School, was installed as the president of the Oregon Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association during a recent conference in Prineville. He will serve in this capacity until the summer Vo-Ag Teachers' Conference to be held in June, 1984, in The Dalles. He will represent the Vo-Ag Teachers of Oregon at state, regional and national meetings.

Hall was also the winner of several awards at an annual awards banquet. He won the Oregon Outstanding Teacher of Vocational Agriculture Award, sponsored by Sperry New Holland and the Oregon Sound Off For Agriculture Award sponsored by Elanco Products. As the state winner of these awards, Hall automatically is considered for re-

gional competition. There have been four areas in which vo-ag teachers could compete on the regional level. Hall has previously won the other two awards.

In 1980 he was named a national winner of the Outstanding Young Ag. Teacher Award and in 1982 was named a national winner in the Career Exploration Award.

For his literary contribution to the vo-ag profession, Hall was awarded a "3 Minute" Award for publishing material within the State of Oregon and received a "30 Minute" Award for an article that appeared in a national professional journal.

He is the son of Gene and Harriet Hall of Heppner.

Christian Women's Club to meet for salad buffet

The Heppner Christian Women's Club will meet for a salad buffet on Tuesday, July 5, 6:45 p.m., at the Degree of Honor Hall in Heppner. Theme for the July meeting will be "Yankee Doodle Summer."

Dawn Hawkins of Pendleton will present a feature on dried foods.

Guest speaker will be Marion Bush of Hood River.

Cost of the buffet will be \$3.75.

Reservations may be made by calling Fae Green at 989-8194.

Next month's meeting will feature wedding gowns. Anyone having a gown they would like to model or have modeled may contact Carolyn Cole, 676-9425.

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By MARLENE CURRIN Publicity Chairman Morrow Co. CowBelles

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The Morrow County resident whose baby is born on Father's Day, June 19, or closest to that date is honored with a Beef Certificate. Beef Certificates can be purchased locally at the Bank of Eastern Oregon in either \$5 or \$10 certificates.



Sandra Patton and her new daughter, Jennifer, receive a \$10 beef certificate from Morrow County CowBelles President Sue Evans. Each year the CowBelles present a certificate to the family whose baby is born closest to Father's Day. Jennifer couldn't have timed her appearance any closer. She was born Sunday, June 19, to Sandra and Mark Patton of Lexington.

I.U.C.C. ends vacation church school with program

Thirty-six children attended Vacation Church School at the Ione United Church of Christ last week, and then shared what they learned during the week with their parents at a Sharing Program Friday evening.

During the program, the students sang songs, teachers were honored, parents visited classrooms and refreshments were served. Also, perfect attendance honors were given to 25 of the children.

Theme for the week was "God's People: Praising God."

Highlights of the school included a field trip to see farm animals, and foot painting.

Teachers for the week were: Kelly Christman and Kim Thompson - pre-schoolers, Debbie Morgan - first and second graders, Cindy Osterlund - third and fourth graders, and the Rev. Cathy

Barker, the junior high class. Tom Fujita, a summer intern at the church, supervised the school.

Through offerings, 108 chicks were purchased for Heifer Project International. In the Heifer Project, groups such as I.U.C.C. purchase farm animals for the project, and the animals are sent to a needy village or family. A member of the effort accompanies the animals to show the new owners how to care for them. Then, to keep the project going, the animals' first born is given back to the project and will be given to another family.



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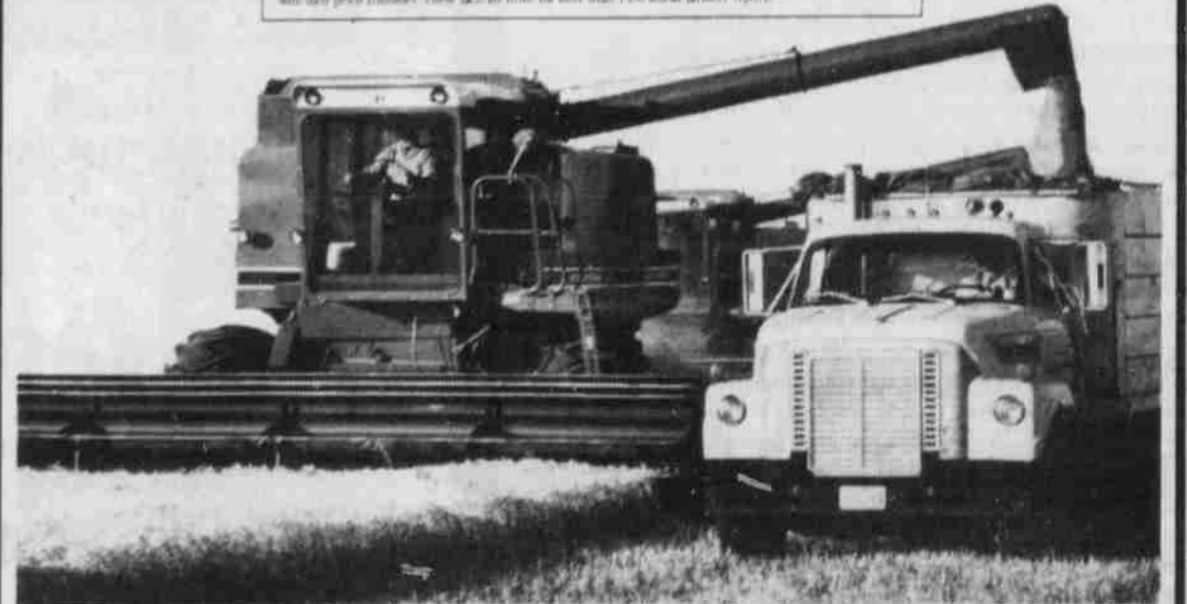
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