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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Begin in our area

To the editor:
 According to the newspapers, the City of Heppner is considering the annexation of the Morrow County Fairgrounds into the city limits. This is at the request of the fair board so as to enable them to hook onto the city sewer system.
 In our area, we are within the city limits, but have been refused the right to hook on to the sewer system except at our own expense.
 We pay city taxes on several residences and one business establishment and although we do not pay the monthly sewer assessment, we also get only a bare minimum of city services. Our road (not the State Highway) which is

graveled only, gets a token amount of attention, and maintenance is almost zero. Most of the gravel on this road has been paid for and applied by the land owners individually.
 We therefore believe that if there are any extensions made to the existing "city" sewer system, that they should begin in our area.

Yours truly,
 Concerned Citizens of Lower Shobe Canyon
 James W. Norene
 Corabelle L. Norene
 Ruth M. Nutting
 Eddie Gunderson
 Beverly Gunderson
 Ernest Bigbee
 D.R. Tash

Obituaries

Elmer 'Doc' Byland

Graveside services for Elmer "Doc" Byland, who died September 25, 1983, at Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home in Heppner, were held Tuesday at Heppner Masonic Cemetery. The Rev. Don Shelton officiated.
 He was born June 21, 1899 in Heppner to John and Anna Byland. He lived on his parents' ranch on Upper Willow Creek as a boy and attended school in Heppner.
 He worked on local ranches and also did painting, construction, mill work, tended bar and then worked as a janitor at First National Bank in Heppner until his retirement in 1972.
 His parents and his two brothers, Ralph and Asa, preceded him in death. There are no known survivors.
 Sweeney Mortuary, Heppner, was in charge of arrangements.

Dewey Kennedy chosen Resident of the Month



Dewey Kennedy

Dewey Kennedy was selected as Resident of the Month for October at Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home in Heppner by the nursing staff and other residents of the nursing home.
 Mr. Kennedy was born June 22, 1896 in Minnesota. He moved to Condon at age 15. On December 14, 1925, he married Mary Richardson in Roseburg. They had three daughters and two sons.
 For 35 years, he worked for Sid Seale of Condon farming and herding sheep. Later he worked with his sons, Dewey Jr. and Larry, until his retirement.
 He has 19 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. Mr. Kennedy will receive a gift from the Pioneer Memorial Hospital Auxiliary on October 27 at 2 p.m.

Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's Department office at the Morrow County Courthouse in Heppner handled the following calls, cases and reports during the past week:

On October 3, a one-vehicle accident was reported on Interstate 84 in the east-bound lane. A Boardman ambulance responded and transported a male to Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston.

Also on October 3, James Hollis Nelson, 37, of Ione, reported the theft of \$240, two shotguns and other personal items. Total value of the stolen items was estimated at \$1,740.

On October 6, a Boardman ambulance responded to a report of a female along a roadside in Boardman with an unknown problem. She was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital.

On October 7, the Boardman Fire Department responded to a brush fire in a field just west of Sam Boardman Elementary School. The fire was reportedly started by an electrical wire. Umatilla Electric Co-op was notified.

On October 8, Lisa High, 18, of Boardman, was arrested by Boardman police on a warrant from the Hermiston Police Department for alleged Failure to Pay a Fine for a charge of Second Degree Theft. She was turned over to the Hermiston Police Department by the Sheriff's Department.

On October 9, Betty Jane Corey, 28, of Lexington, was arrested by a sheriff's officer for alleged Fourth Degree Assault. She was released on her own recognizance.

Health Dept.

Friday, Oct. 7 - free blood pressure clinic and immunizations. Morrow County Health Department office, Lexington, 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 11 - free blood pressure clinic and immunizations. Irrigon county offices, 1 to 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 12 - morning immunizations clinic at Riverside High School in Boardman.

Friday, Oct. 14 - Morrow County Health Department office closed for vacation.

Tuesday, Oct. 18 - free blood pressure clinic, Heppner Neighborhood Center, 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 19 - free blood pressure clinic, Ione Bank of Eastern Oregon, 3 to 4 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 21 - free blood pressure clinic, Morrow Co. Health Department office, Lexington, 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 25 - free blood pressure clinic and immunizations. Irrigon county offices, 1 to 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 26 - morning immunization clinic at A.C. Houghton Elementary School, Irrigon, followed by immunization clinic at Columbia Junior High School, also in Irrigon.

Friday, Oct. 28 - free blood pressure clinic and immunizations. Morrow Co. Health Department office, Lexington, 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

D.A.'s Report

Morrow County District Attorney Richard McNeerney reported that a Morrow County grand jury handed down two indictments on Anis Eugene Walker, 38, of Richland, Wash. last Thursday. He is being charged with alleged First Degree Burglary in connection with break-ins at several cabins in the Penland Lake area. Also indicted was Tony Lee Wyatt May, 22, also of Richland. He is also charged with alleged First Degree Burglary of three indictments, stemming from the same case. McNeerney said Walker is being held in the Union County Jail in La Grande and a warrant has been issued for May's arrest. (see related story).

McNeerney also reported: — Jeffrey Koonce, 19, of Hermiston, was indicted for alleged First Degree Theft and Initiating a False Report.

— Arthur Martinez, 24, of Umatilla, was indicted for allegedly Driving While Revoked.

— Joseph Gaustad, 24, of Nolan, was indicted for allegedly Driving While Revoked. He was arraigned on Friday, Sept. 7, on that charge.

Justice Court Report

Morrow County Justice Court at the Morrow County Courthouse in Heppner handled the following cases during the past week:

David Brooks Landon, Hermiston - Permitting Unlicensed Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle, \$29 bail forfeited.

Alonso Glen Edmondson, Heppner - Disobeyed Stop Sign, \$12 fine.

Francis Paul VanMarter, Heppner - Violation of the Basic Rule (49 mph in a 35 mph zone), \$28 fine.

Fredrick Albert Suckow, Pasco, Wash. - No PUC Permit, \$12 fine.

Cliff Joel Dougherty, Heppner - Disobeyed Stop Sign, \$14 fine.

Delia Anna Robinson, Heppner - Violation of the Basic Rule (39 mph in a 25 mph zone), \$28 fine.

John Allen Robertson, Bend - Violation of the Basic Rule (53 mph in a 35 mph zone), \$28 fine.

Jack Dee Baker, Christmas Valley - Violation of the Basic Rule (48 mph in a 35 mph zone), \$55 bail forfeited.

Public Meetings

Monday, Oct. 17 - Morrow County School Board, district office, Lexington, 7:30 p.m.; Heppner Fire Department, fire hall, 7:30 p.m.; Ione City Planning Commission, city hall, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 19 - Morrow County Court, courthouse, Heppner, 9 a.m.

Monday, Oct. 24 - Heppner Fire Department, fire hall, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 26 - Morrow County Court, north Morrow annex, 9 a.m.; Heppner Public Library Board, library, 8 p.m.

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Tuesday, Oct. 25 - Pioneer Memorial Hospital Board, hospital, Heppner, 9:30 a.m.

Hospital Notes

The following patients were admitted and released from Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner during the past week:

Chris Riddle, Heppner, - admitted October 3, released October 5.

Julia Hill, Heppner - admitted October 4, released October 6.

Shawn Cowett, Heppner - admitted October 5, released October 9; and

Vicky Morris, Heppner - admitted October 7, released October 8.

Patients at the hospital that were still receiving care as of Monday, Oct. 10 were:

Linda McDaniel, Heppner - admitted October 5;

Zetta Brosnan, Heppner - admitted October 8; and
 Lola Burres, Moro - admitted October 7.

Farm course open

New students are now being accepted into Farm Management Program at Blue Mountain Community College in Pendleton.

The program is conducted on an individual basis, said a college spokesperson. The in-

structor, Allen Nelson, visits individual farms and tailors the training for each farmer, she explained.

Anyone interested in the course should contact the college at 276-1260, extension 332, for more information.

4-H riding club holds first meeting

A local 4-H riding club held its first meeting of the season at the fairgrounds in Heppner on Sunday, Oct. 9. At the present time the club has 12 members. Club leaders are Al Brazell of Lexington and Gail Papineau of Ione. Merlin Robinson and Cindy Henderson are senior instructors.

During the meeting the members practiced horse riding exercises to improve riding posture and balance. They also played games: water race, a dollar bill race and "musical horse."

Following the games a discussion was held on upcoming activities and members talked about what they would like to accomplish this year.

The next ride meet will be held Sunday, Oct. 16, 2 p.m., at the fairgrounds in Heppner.

Club membership is still open, and a horse is not required to join, said Papineau. Anyone interested in joining the club may contact the extension office in Heppner, 676-9642. For more information about the club, contact Papineau at 422-7518.

Senior News

On Wednesday, Oct. 19, Mary Goheen of Heppner will give a slide presentation of her recent trip to Turkey at the

Heppner Senior Mealsite following the noon meal. The slides will feature Istanbul and Ephesus.

Yard of Month winners to be recognized

All Lexington Yard of the Month winners and the winner of the Most Improved Yard of the season contest will be recognized on Wednesday, Oct. 19, at the I.O.O.F. Hall in Lexington at 7:30 p.m.

All winners will receive an award, said Lexington Garden

Club President Kathy Tellechea.

Del Piper of Lexington will give a slide presentation on wildlife.

Coffee, punch and homemade cookies will be served, and everyone is welcome to attend, Tellechea said.

Sticky Stitchers hold 1st meeting

By DAWN PAPINEAU
 The Sticky Stitchers 4-H sewing group held their first meeting at the fairgrounds in Heppner recently. The leader is Irene Plocharsky of Heppner. Members of the group

are Kerry Bruch, Jodi Wilson, Tricia Coe and Jenni Weygandt. They are in their second year. Dawn Papineau is also in the sewing group. This is her first year.

Rhea Creek Extension group meets

The Rhea Creek Extension group met October 4 at the home of Mary Ella Moyer, and an interesting program, "One Step Away," was presented by Delpha Jones, said an extension spokesperson.

There were 10 ladies present

for the meeting. At noon, a potluck dinner was served with a business meeting following.

A door prize was won by Eloise Gill, a guest, from Wisconsin.



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