

Strictly— Off the Record

LOST YOUTH



Linda Shaw

Last Wednesday, Jan. 25, was declared "A day of mourning for Linda Shaw's lost youth" at Heppner Elementary School.

In recognition of Shaw's 40th birthday, fellow teachers and school personnel wore black arm bands and many dressed in black.

The teachers' lounge was decorated in black crepe paper and signs, and Shaw was presented a black crown decorated with 40 silver stars, as well as a bouquet of dead flowers in a black basket.

The event was more complete with refreshments of a dark cake, chocolates and black licorice.

We'll be looking forward to the day when you hit the half-century mark, Linda.

WHAT A RECEPTION

Dale Thompson, manager of Les Schwab Tire Center in Heppner, and his wife Pat, hardly expected the reception they would receive at Portland International Airport upon their return from a recent company meeting in Hawaii. Dale says the plane was met by an armada of firefighting equipment and rescue vehicles after touchdown, and was escorted to an isolated area of the runway before passengers were allowed to disembark. The cause of all the fuss? A piece of debris found on the runway after takeoff in Hawaii, which airport officials feared may have been from a blown tire on the Thompson's plane. "There were even television news people there to interview us when we got off," said Dale.

SHE GETS HER CHANCE

Betty Carlson of Ione got the chance to turn the tables on husband Louie Tuesday while speaking to the Heppner-Morrow Chamber of Commerce. Louie has long been an active member of many boards, groups and committees, and as such has the opportunity to speak before crowds quite often. Being a good speaker, he always takes a moment to introduce "my spouse," Betty, Tuesday, Betty, who was speaking on "Agriculture in the Classroom," got her chance. "I'd like to introduce 'my spouse,' Louie," she said. Adding — "That's something I've always wanted to do."

MORE ON "BRANDED"

Orville Cutsforth has explained why he "branded" a 14-ton rock:

Before the newly constructed John Day Dam began flooding the area, Orville and his wife gathered impressions of some old Indian petroglyphs along the river bed which were to be covered by the rising water.

According to Orville, the "brand" of the thunderbird was reproduced from the lost petroglyphs in an effort to preserve the Indian art in some way. It took him three days to carve it, he says.

"As you probably know, I can't crawl around on rocks the way I used to... if I can just find a man that's half the artist I am, I'd like to have some more carvings done," he said.

And about the rancher who hauled off the 14-ton branded rock, Orville says, "He's a nice old guy — even if he did steal my rock."

What's Your Opinion?



Question: "How do you feel about the presidential campaign now that Reagan has joined the race?"

"I haven't been paying much attention," said Maggie Henderson of Lexington. "I hope Reagan wins though. He seems to be doing okay, so why take him out (of office)?"

Wheatland Pomona Grange holds Jan. meeting

January 28 found Wheatland Pomona Grange District No. 29 in session at Greenfield Grange Hall in Boardman with the Master, Rolland Johnson, presiding.

Officers acting pro-tem were Freida Pattee as Flora, Berl Akers as Executive Committee member

The Worthy Master thanked Greenfield Grange members for hosting this meeting, as it was not their turn yet. Willows Grange Hall was having problems with water and they could not meet there.

Distinguished guest, introduced and escorted to the master's station was Morton Wolverton, Eastern Oregon state deputy, and honored guests: Barton Clark, state agriculture vice-chairman; Joe DuPuis, Umatilla County Pomona master; Dorris Reid, District No. 6 C.W.A. chairman; Perry Reid, Umatilla County deputy; Vernon Root, master of Rufus Grange; Martha Baker, of Greenfield Grange; J.T. Campbell of Cold Springs Grange and Delpha Jones of Lexington Grange.

The officers gave good re-

ports. Ag Chairman Vernon Root talked of the storage in the counties and the plans for more storage. Sherman County is only 80 percent from full storage; farm storage is good with a good crop outlook; Morrow County has three-fourths of a million bushel still outside, and an excellent future; Gilliam Co. has 60 percent storage, farmers have good storage and plans are being made for new storage facilities. There is a question of what will happen if the crops grow back due to the weather. The question is, Are farmers able to plan financially for such a future? Consequently, one must examine the future.

Kenneth Smouse spoke about the farm program, stating that February 26 is the deadline for signing into the program. Joe DuPuis stated that there is further study of the making of alcohol from wheat.

The Pomona C.W.A. Dot Halvorsen reported that all the granges are doing well and that money is being turned to the subordinate granges by the C.W.A. chairman.

A resolution committee of

Cecil Jones, Clara Huston and Barton Clark was appointed.

The Legislative Committee Chairman, Wilma Martin gave a very fine and informative report concerning the sales tax, pro and con. She also stated that there has been a tax freeze passed without the vote of the bill and it is already a law. She urged all grangers and others to really study these tax laws before voting.

The water and electricity plans for the Deschutes River is in the hands of long range planners and we must keep abreast of this project. Bob Harper, state representative from Dist. 57 of Helix has asked anyone in Eastern Oregon with comments or suggestions to please get in touch with him. Barton Clark also told of the study and research of stream flow being conducted in the John Day area. He also brought to the group's attention the fact that taxes are paid several times on some articles between the manufacturer or producer before they get to the consumer.

A letter was read from the Past Master's Club of Umatil-

la stating it was dropping the names from Morrow Co. It seems that because of traveling expenses, the Morrow County residents are not attending.

Delta Johnson, the C.W.A. chairman, announced that the C.W.A. conference will be held in Lexington on Friday, Feb. 24, at 10 a.m. with Delta and the District No. 4 Chairman Verla Larson present. The fifth degree (Pomona) will be given at the Lexington Grange Hall on Sunday, March 4, at 2 p.m.

There were seven resolutions presented:

A thank you to Greenfield was found favorable with a standing thanks.

No. Two Constitutional rights, concerning the election of the L.C.D.C. members other than appointed.

No. Three Registration to vote 20 days previous to the voting of the day.

No. Four Hunting in the Eastern Oregon (Drews) area.

No. Five Social Security taxation.

No. Six Balanced Budget Amendment.

No. Seven Term in office for legislators.

The resolutions committee reported on these and the group voted in favor of the committee's recommendations.

Greenfield Grange will be 65 years old in April and grangers will be notified of their celebration plans.

The following guests spoke on their respective works: Doris Reid on the activities of the C.W.A.; Perry Reid on the plans of the grange and some of the rules; Morton Wolverton on grange policies, and he encouraged the group to keep up the good work as he thought we were on the up grade; Joe DuPuis invited the group to attend Pomona in Umatilla Co February 25; Mr. Campbell invited those with campers to attend at Cold Springs when

the members would open the grange hall and all could enjoy a fun time as well as attend Pomona.

Delta Johnson was in charge of a fine program starting with a reading concerning the New Year by Dot Halvorsen and Delpha Jones; a talk by Ray Hughes, state ag chairman, of Mill Creek Grange, a reading "My Old House" and several violin selections by Frances Smouse, and a skit, "My Father" with Rolland Johnson, Glen Pock and Dagny Swigerl, a ready by Freida Pattee, and the lighting of the 1984 candle by Mildred Wright.

There were 36 regular members and 14 visitors present.

The next meeting will be in Rufus on April 28.



The first nation to receive foreign aid from the United States was Venezuela. The money was appropriated in 1812 to help victims of an earthquake.

Bowling News

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Dime A Dozen
January 29

	Won - Lost
No. Two	12 - 4
No. Four	12 - 4
No. Seven	10 - 6
No. Six	10 - 6
No. One	6 1/2 - 9 1/2
No. Five	6 - 10
No. Three	5 - 11
No. Eight	2 1/2 - 13 1/2

Splits: Betty Christman - 5-10; Billie Doherty 4-5; and BeBe Munkers 5-6.

High game: Riley Munkers 201 and LaRae Kindle 184.

High series: Elmer Heath - 554 and Betty Snow - 462.

High team game: No. Two - 775.

High team series: No. Two - 2,247.

Blue Mt. Men's League
January 25

	Won - Lost
Heppner Bowl	13 1/2 - 6 1/2
Gar Aviation	12 - 8
Bowl for Fun	12 - 8
Central Market	9 1/2 - 10 1/2
Cal's Lounge	9 - 11
Cast Offs	9 - 11
Bucknum's Tavern	8 - 12
Big Five	7 - 13

High series: Elmer Heath - 616, Gene Doherty - 568 and Merl Cantin - 550.

High game: Elmer Heath - 217, Dave Gunderson - 212 and Elmer Heath - 202.

Scores: Cal's Lounge over Bucknum's Tavern 4-0, Heppner Bowl over Cast Offs 3-1, Gar Aviation over Bowl for Fun 3-1, and Central Market over Big Five 2 1/2 - 1 1/2.

Koffee Kup Keglers
January 26

	Won - Lost
Hi-Hos	13 - 7
No-Pin Hitters	12 - 8
M.C.G.G. No. 2	10 - 10
The Dregs	10 - 10
Gutter Dusters	9 - 11
The Pytts	8 - 12
NewComers	8 - 12
Three Holers	8 - 12

Splits: Linda Schultz 5-7-9; Ruth Bergstrom 5-7; Eva Griffith 3-6-8; Lucille Massey 2-7; Martha Doherty 5-7; Billie Doherty 6-7-10; and Betty Snow 5-7 and 4-5-7.

High game: Betty Snow - 187.

High series: Betty Snow - 528.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Heppner High School

Thursday, Feb. 2 - lasagna, green beans, rolls, gelatin and milk, or salad bar.

Friday, Feb. 3 - soup and sandwiches.

Monday, Feb. 6 - wiener wraps, corn, applesauce, cookie and milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 7 - turkey gravy over rice, carrot and celery sticks, rolls, fruit crisp and milk, or salad bar.

Wednesday, Feb. 8 - pizza, peas and carrots, salad, no-bake cookie and milk, or salad bar.



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- Cenex Animal Health ● PPG Industries
- Cenex AG Products ● Dupont Chemical
- Wiese Tillage Tools ● Western Turbo
- Eutectic Welding Products

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Page 3
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