

## Program, Open House end Centennial study



Elementary students perform grand march for parents and guests

The lone Elementary School held a program and open house as a culmination of an all-school study during Morrow County's Centennial year. The program began with "The Grand March" performed by all students in Kindergarten through sixth grade. Diana Kincaid accompanied this and other musical numbers on the piano. Marlene Davison's kindergarten modeled paper doll cut-out costumes depicting the pioneer occupations they had studied. Betty Rietmann's first grade gave an original reading in honor of the Morrow County Centennial. They also sang "Bicycle Built for Two" and "The Band Played On" which were turn-of-the-century songs. Laura Broderick's second and Sharon Morris's third grade

demonstrated the "Virginia Reel" and "Bingo" which were dances performed by pioneers at social gatherings. Deana Kincaid's fourth grade sang "The Good Old Summer Time" and "Take Me Out To The Ball Game." In remembering lone's history of town championship baseball teams they acted out the poem, "Casey at Bat." Karen Beck's fifth grade re-created Lewis and Clark's journey to Oregon. The students wore costumes depicting the era and re-enacted information from the Oregon Historical Society which included Sacajawea and her child and husband. The class sang "Roll On Columbia, Roll On" accompanied by Kari Morgan and Heather Kandle on flutes and Nancy Morter on the autoharp.

## Spray rodeo gets underway

The 38th Annual Spray Rodeo which is approved by the NRA and ICA will be held May 25 and 26, this Saturday and Sunday.

The festivities will begin Friday evening May 24 when a Queens dance will be held in the High School Gym. Candidates for Queen are: Betty Jo Colvin, Long Creek; Jennifer Taynton, Dayville; Sherry Williamson, Condon; Michelle Powell, Monument; Monica Brown, Mitchell; and Cindy Dougherty of Mr. Vernon. Music will be provided by Badger from Prineville.

Saturday morning at 6 a.m. a buckaroo breakfast will be held in the school cafeteria and sponsored by the Mitchell Lions and Lioness from Mitchell.

At 8 a.m. the 20th Annual Eastern Oregon Half Marathon will begin at Service Creek and end in Spray. There will be a lot of prizes and t-shirts to those who want them by paying a higher entry fee. There will also be agate pen holders for the winners. Marathon directors are Dick and Janie Allen. For further information call 468-2133.

At 11:30 the parade will begin starting at the Spray General Store and ending at the rodeo grounds. Grand Marshall will be Dick Wight

formerly from Spray now living in Redmond. There will be trophies for each category in the parade each day. Parade director is Valarie Howell at 468-2737.

The rodeo begins at 1:30 with stock being furnished by John Rattray of Condon. Announcer for the weekend is Jake Grossmiller from Wasco. Clown and Bull Fighter is Joe Sanford from Pasco, WA.

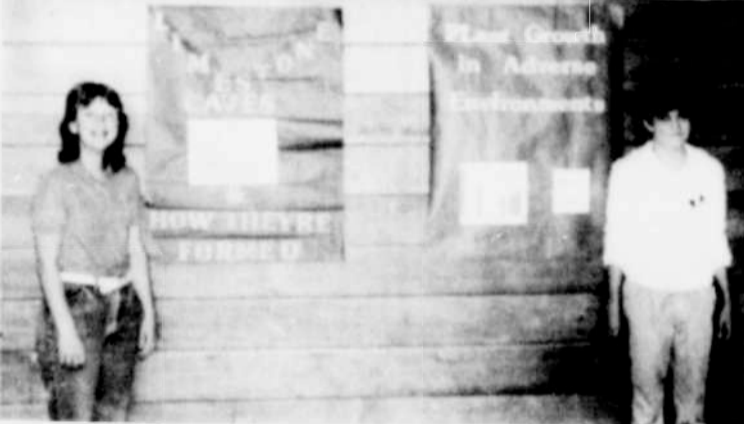
The rodeo events are: Bareback Riding, Calf Roping, Saddle Bronc Riding, Bull Dogging, Wild Cow Milking Barrel Racing, Bull Riding, Wild Horse Race, Kid's Quarter-mile race, Ladies Quarter-mile race, Men's Half-mile race, and Three-quarter mile relay race. Joann Griffith is rodeo secretary and for more information call 468-2442.

Saturday evening another big dance will be held, with another buckaroo breakfast bright and early Sunday morning beginning at 6 a.m.

Also on Sunday morning a Cowboy church service will be held in the grandstand.

Another parade will be held at 10:30 followed by the final performance of the rodeo at 1:30 with trophies being awarded to the event winners and a hand tooled clock to the All-Around Cowboy.

## Heppner Elementary science fair a success



Overall science fair winners for the seventh grade were Carr Brownfield - first, John Steagall - second, and a tie between Wayne Plocharsky and Nicole Wilkie for third place.

Overall eighth grade science fair winners were J.J. Shaw - first place; Benji Pearson - second place, and a tie for third place between Susan Plocharsky and Bryan Padberg.

By MICHELLE WALLIS and NANCY TAYLOR

The 1985 science fair was a great success!

The science fair was put on by Heppner Elementary school. There were individual and class projects displayed.

Mrs. Christensen's second grade class did a project on solar drying of wool. Mrs. Payne's fourth grade class did a project on the solar system, and Mrs. Haguwoods class did a project on bacteria. Mrs. Duncan's third grade made health and safety signs.

Individual projects were submitted by Mrs. Calvert's fifth grade class and by the seventh and eighth grade science students.

The individual projects were chosen by the students and worked on for about a month before the science fair. The students were required to keep a log book of their experimental observations.

The students also made a poster containing information about their projects that were displayed at the science fair.

The seventh and eighth grade projects were submitted to the judges in the categories of earth science, physics, chemistry, and life science.

The projects were judged by Mr.

## Missionary film slated at Nazarene Church

On Sunday, May 26, Wycliffe Bible Translators presents the film "Mountain of Light" at the Nazarene Church in Heppner. This forty-two minute, full-color documentary tells the story of the Sepik Iwam people and their response to the New Testament as Marily Laszlo translates it into their own language. The film has been heralded by many as the best missionary film they have ever seen. The public is invited to attend, states Floyd Wilks, Nazarene pastor.

The Sepik Iwam people are just one of seven hundred different lan-

guage groups in Papua, New Guinea. They live five hundred miles up the Sepik River, ten hours by motor canoe from the nearest airstrip. Until a few years ago, these people had almost no contact with the outside world.

Wycliffe Bible translator, Marilyn Laszlo, has lived with the Sepik Iwam people since 1969. She has studied their language and culture, established an alphabet, and reduced the language to written form. Now begins the process of translating the New Testament into the Sepik Iwam language.

## Volunteers recognized by Pioneer Memorial

On Monday, April 22, Pioneer Memorial Hospital and Nursing Home recognized its volunteers in honor of National Volunteer Week. As a part of the ceremony, a seminar was conducted by Connie Hammons on how to work with nursing home residents. Following, pins were awarded and certificates were given out.

Irene Anhorn of Heppner was especially honored for her many hours over the years spent at the nursing home every week with a letter of recognition from Governor Vic Atiyeh. Other nursing home volunteers named by Pioneer Memorial are Betty Forrar and Helen Graham.

Awarded with pins for their participation with the Pioneer Memorial Auxiliary are Carley Drake, Kay Anderson, Faye Ruhl, Norma French, Fay Pierce, Hazel Mahoney, Leila Palmer, Harriet Pierson, Susie Ward, Nina Denton, Betty Brown, Renee Siminoe, Anna Johnson, Alma Green, Kathy Clark, Verna Brinda, Irene Swanson, and Pat Thompson. Thompson is also the coordinator for the newly formed

### Junior Auxiliary

Junior Auxiliary members named include Jenny Tanner, Val Hager, Yvette Cowette, Angela Lewiston, Natalie Robinson, Sheri Coe, and Marcie Stookey. According to Hammons, spokesperson for Pioneer Memorial, anyone between the ages of 13 and 18 are still welcome to join the Junior Auxiliary by calling her at 676-9133.

Others honored for their volunteer work as either ambulance drivers or providing entertainment at the nursing home includes Don Bristow, Ron McDonald, Rhea Creek Grange, Joe McDonald, VFW Womens Auxiliary, DON Shelton, Kathy Barker, Terry Voltz, Jim Bier, Mike Smith, Dale Holland Sr., Harry O'Donnell, Rick Curtis, Ted Toll, Lonny Watne, Ken Nairns, Peggy Lauritsen, Rick Smith, Jean Strange, Carl Lauritsen, Thomas McElligott, Matt Greenup, Linda Baird, and Merle Cowett.

The following churches were recognized for their serving the Pioneer Nursing Home - Christian Life Center, Ione United Church of Christ, Hope-Valby Lutheran Churches, St. Patrick's, Seventh Day Adventist, Lexington Baptist, First Christian Church, United Methodist, Church of the Nazarene and All Saints.

## Lexington News

By Delpha Jones 989-8189

CWA met at the home of Josie Peck for their regular meeting. Plans were discussed for a fair booth at the Morrow County Fair. A picnic is planned for a summer meeting. Refreshments were served to Geri Martin, Virginia Peck, Jean Nelson, Frances Smouse, and Delpha Jones.

Holly Rebekah Lodge met for the regular meeting on Thursday evening. The meeting was conducted by the V.G. Kathy Tellekeka. Plans were discussed for a fair booth with Fran Peck Chaanean. The

next meeting is a pot luck picnic at Cutsforth Park. The delegates Virginia Peck and Delpha accompanied by Lula Pamer and Dorothy Burcham announced plans to attend the Rebekah Assembly in Portland. Refreshments were served.

Doris Vinson of Monument visited this week with her mother Catie Padberg.

Don't forget the Memorial Day Flower sale at the Rebekah Hall, Friday, May 24, from 1 to 4 p.m.

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