

Heppner Happenings

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Mrs. Mary Goheen returned Saturday from a visit to the Expo Center in Vancouver, BC. She took advantage of a tour and traveled with a group that she had gone with before. Their first stop was at Harrison Hot Springs on the Frazer River. They spent two days at the Expo site on False Creek. The Monorail was quite an attraction with lines of people waiting to board. There were 60 or 61 pavilions and at least 50 eating establishments with fireworks every night. Various conveyances were used to transport people from one end of the site to the other, such as a sternwheeler and a ferry boat. The Egyptian Omnimax Center has a projection system which creates an image nine times larger than a 35mm. camera and has a gigantic hemispherical screen. One of the largest pavilions is the Canadian Pavilion which is not on the site. Mrs. Goheen's party had dinner at The Prow, overlooking the river. They returned home by way of Victoria, British Columbia, where they toured the Butchart Gardens. They crossed the ferry to Port Angeles and on home.

Mrs. Mary Bristow, of Lone, sister of Mrs. Helen Keithley of Heppner and mother of Mary Jean McCabe of Heppner, had surgery recently at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland. She is reported as doing well, but will not be home for some time.

Mrs. Elmer Knighten, of Condon, visited with Ida Lynn and Mary Bryant one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Connor hosted a dinner on Friday night in honor of Mary Connor's completing the eighth grade. Present were Mr.

and Mrs. Truman Messenger Jr. of Hermiston, grandparents. Other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Connor and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Messenger Sr., were unable to attend. On Saturday the Connors attended the auction and dinner at Lone. Later that evening they drove to Hermiston to Mrs. Connor's parents and they all went to the Tri-Cities to Kadlec Hospital where Truman Messenger Sr. is a patient.

Mrs. Ruth Nutting and Mrs. Hazel Mahoney were in John Day Sunday to attend the high school rodeo. Mike Mahoney took first place in calf roping at Burns on Saturday and first place in team roping in John Day Sunday.

Mr. Harold Stevens of Hardman is home now from the hospital after suffering a heart attack. He is improving and is happy to be home. He would appreciate cards.

Darrell and Sue Vinson have returned home from Kansas and attended the auction and dinner at Lone on Saturday. Mrs. Vinson celebrated her birthday on this day.

Frequent spraying key to pest control

Now is the time to start spray programs for two of the area's major pests, the cherry fruit fly and the pine shoot moth, according to Luther Fitch, Oregon State University Extension Agent in Hermiston.

Cherry Fruit Fly, the "cherry maggot" fly can best be controlled by frequent sprays of the cherry trees and all surrounding foliage with any one of several general use insecticides including diazinon, methoxychlor, sevin, or malathion.

The secret to success is in frequent spraying. Fitch advises spraying according to the label of the product being used which may be as frequent as every three to five days. He cautions to be sure and follow the label interval between last application and harvest.

The European Pine Shoot Moth is a quarantined insect that can have a devastating effect on both ornamental pine trees and commercial pine timber. It was held in check successfully for many by a spray program mounted by the Oregon Department of Agriculture in the

Hermiston, Boardman, Echo, Stanfield, Umatilla area.

After some 10 years of spraying all pines in the region, the Department had reduced a then heavy population to an occasional adult moth. Since the discontinuation of the spray program nearly 10 years ago, the insect has been on the increase, according to Fitch, and is again reaching epidemic proportions. It kills the new growth tips of all species of pines and Fitch has seen some small ornamental pines so heavily infested that they have died. Many pines around the region are becoming severely disfigured he says.

The control recommendation calls for using cygon spray as a 23.4% liquid concentrate at the dilution rate of 4 teaspoons per gallon of water. Spraying should begin immediately and should continue at intervals of once every 2 weeks through mid-July. Emergence of the shoot moth is starting now, but will continue for several weeks. The every-two-week spray interval is aimed at controll-

Acid rain

The Swiss government is charging that acid rain and other air pollutants have increased the possibilities of avalanches and landslides, says an international wildlife magazine. Declining tree counts, due to air pollution problems, provide fewer natural barriers against heavy snows and rains.

Tips on evaluating clothing construction

Consumers interested in how to evaluate the quality of clothing construction can get help from the Oregon State University Extension Service.

"Quality Standards in Clothing Construction," PNW 0197, is a revised publication designed to assist consumers in making objective evaluations of both ready-to-wear and home-sewn garments, points out Ardis Koester, Extension textiles and clothing specialist.

Prepared by Dorothy Ettl, Washington State University Extension

clothing specialist with assistance from Koester and Ernestine Porter, University of Idaho clothing specialist, the five-page publication is a description of standards that can be used to evaluate clothing construction.

Some standards apply to nearly all construction techniques, the publication notes. The construction technique should result in a detail, finish or area that is attractive and inconspicuous, functional and durable. The publication includes ideas for

evaluating the quality of such construction techniques as buttonholes, seams, hems, casings, fusing and pockets. It also describes what to look for in the fit of garments.

The publication, which costs 25 cents, may be obtained through county Extension offices in Oregon, Washington, and Idaho. Oregon residents may order by mail from the Bulletin Clerk, OSU, Corvallis 97331. Mail orders should include an additional 25 cents to cover the costs of postage and handling.

Second Jack'n Jill slated

Willow Creek Country Club golfers will hold their second Jack and Jill Mini-tournament on Friday

Eastern Oregon presents awards

Eastern Oregon State College faculty, staff and students were honored Thursday at the 1986 awards assembly at Inlow Hall.

Student Academic Awards went to Jerry D. Donovan, Boardman- Outstanding Regional Business Student; Cindi Bergstrom, Heppner- Outstanding Business/Economics Student.

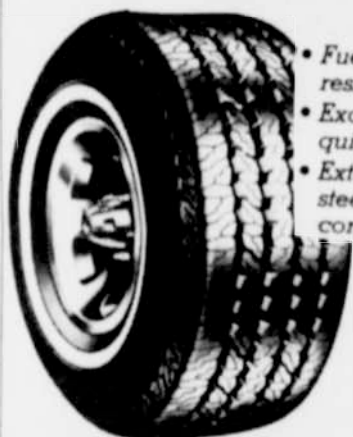
Student recognition awards went to Cindi Bergstrom, Heppner and Sandra Ward, Heppner-student government awards.

Locusts eat weight daily

A single locust can eat its weight everyday. And, in one day a swarm, which typically contains about 2.5 billion locusts, can consume enough food for 1.5 million people, says International Wildlife magazine.

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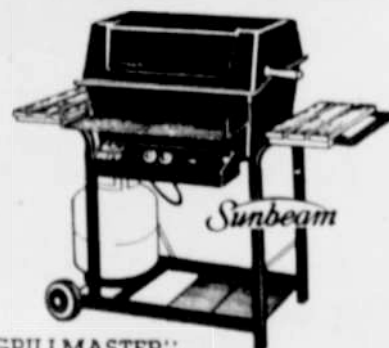
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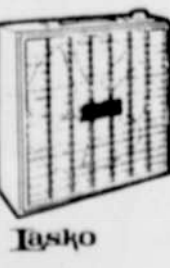
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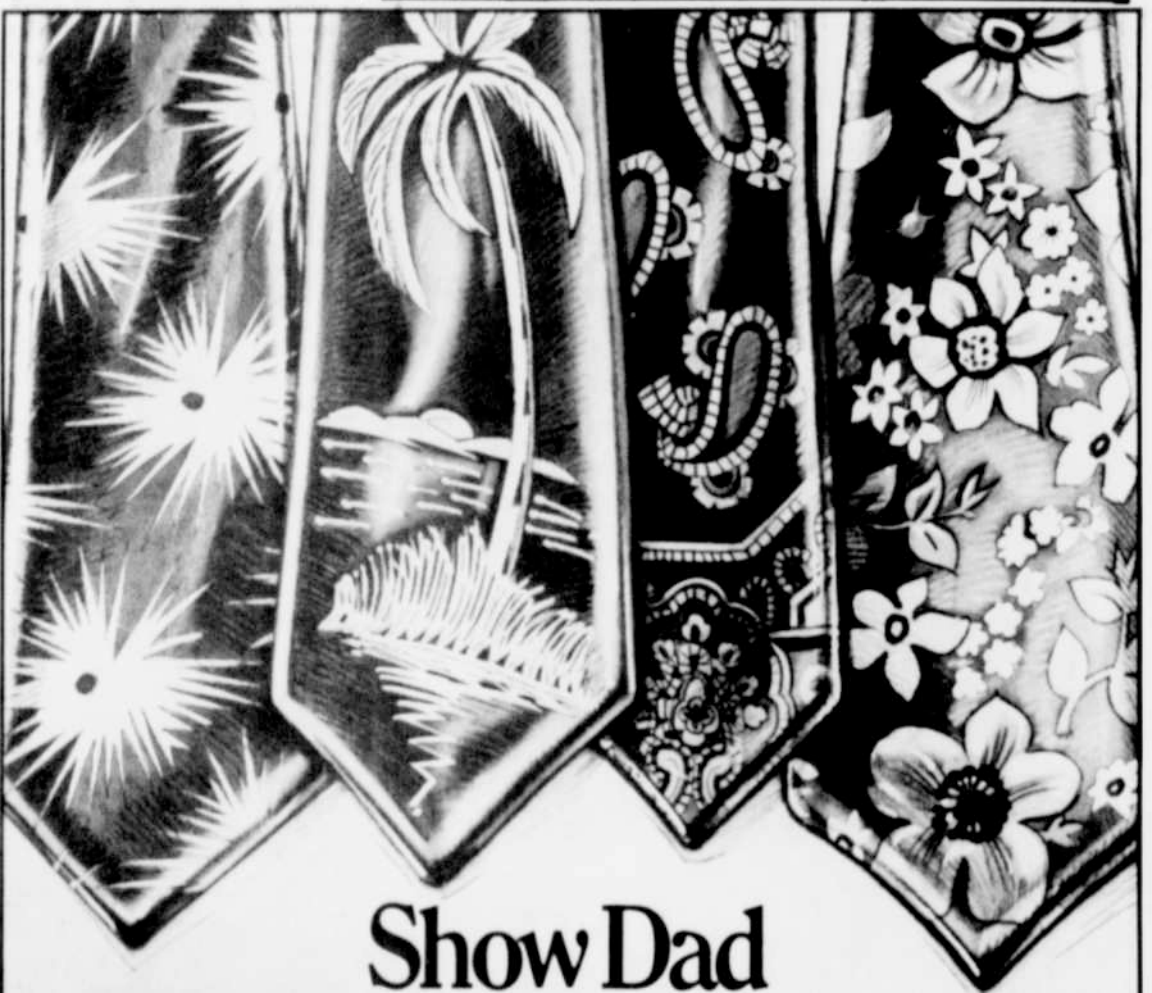
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