Livestock specialist to advise 4-H'ers

"Select 'em, Feed 'em, and Eat 'em" will be the topic of a special program for all interested persons on Monday, October 6, at 7:30 p.m. at the fairgrounds in Heppner.

Dr. Bill Zollinger, Oregon State University Extension Livestock Specialist will address the problems of selection and feeding market animals to produce an animal that will provide the best carcass. His program will include a wide variety of slides as well as information to assist 4-H leaders, parents, members, and prospective 4-H members as well as FFA or others interested.

Right now is the time for the consideration and selection of animals, as youth look ahead to market animals for next year's project and county fair. Adults, too, will find his program informative.

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Heppner Happenings

By Mary Bryant, 676-9493

-Overnight guests of Mrs. Merna Toll were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Grafft from Payette, Idaho. They also visited Ted and Trish Toll while here.

-Leon and Selma Canoy of the St. Paul, Minnesota, area visited Mrs. Sara Adkins this week. Mr. Canoy is a nephew of Mrs. Adkins. He was raised in the Pasco area. He and his wife had been visiting relatives in the Carolinas before coming here. He is also a cousin of Mrs. Joyce Breeding.

-Mrs. Nina Denton was pleased to have her daughter, Claudia Sherman, as guest for several days last week from her home in Spokane. Donna Noland also visited for a week recently. She is from Auburn, Washington.

-Mrs. Millie Evans is going to Salem to be with her sister, Mrs. Martha Carr, for a short time, while Mrs. Carr's husband receives medical care.

-Tom McConnell was home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McConnell. He is attending Blue Mt. Community College again this year.

-The 25th wedding anniversary of Richard and Klara Kinzer was celebrated with a party given by Marilyn Childers, Lorene Montgomery, Sherree Mahoney and their husbands, at the Mahoney residence. A lovely tiered wedding cake was served with Pat Doherty, Beverly Steagall, and Jan Stroeber serving and pouring coffee. Approximately 45 to 50 people attended.

-Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reynolds from Cloverdale were recent visitors at the home of Carl and Sylvia McDaniel. They had been visiting her mother in Idaho and stopped in on their way home. Mrs. Reynolds is a niece of Mrs. McDaniel's father.

-The Heppner Masonic Lodge A.F. and A.M. will be host for a Masonic District No. 28 meeting, Tuesday, Oct. 7. Members from Fossil, Condon, Arlington, Ione, and Heppner Lodges will be in attendance. At this time there will be an official visit from the Grand Master of Masons in Oregon, Monroe B. Morton.

All Masons and wives are invited to a dinner at 6:30 p.m. to be prepared and served by members of Ruth-Locust Chapter No. 32, O.E.S.

-Ruth Locst Chapter No. 32 will hold a regular meeting, Monday, Oct. 13. At this time they will make plans for the annual District Meeting, which is scheduled to meet in Heppner, Monday, November 10. Members from Hermiston and Umatilla will be attending along with several O.E.S. Grand Officers from different areas of the state.

-Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gonty recently returned from the Seattle, and Edmonds, Washington areas. In Seattle, the Gontys were overnight guests of son, Ray, and brunch guests of Mrs. Irene Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gonty, and Ramona Rafferty, son and daughter of Ray Gonty. In Edmonds, the Ed Gontys attended the wedding of their niece, Michelle Gonty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gonty, to David Franchie. The reception was held at Mr. and Mrs. Al Mateau's home in Bellevue, Washington. Mrs. Mateau is a daughter of the Tom Gonty's. The Ed Gontys were overnight guests of the Tom Gontys. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gonty also attended the reception.

-Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Cox have recently returned from a trip via the Inland Passage to Alaska. The tour was an anniversary present from their boys. They left and returned from Vancouver, B.C. after flying from Seattle.

-Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Nash and Mrs. Dean Connor were in Hood River over the weekend visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Springer. She is the sister of Mr. Nash. Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Applegate, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Vosberg, Mrs. Vosberg's sister, Audrey, and Mr. and Mrs. Royal Nash. He is a brother of Mr. Nash and Mrs. Springer. The Nash's visited with Mr. and Mrs. Art Anderson during their stay.

Around About

By Justine Weatherford

As soon as last winter's snow left Morrow's mountains and the high roads became passable, groups of prudent people began hauling firewood downhill. All summer long individuals and family groups worked at cutting and hauling wood, and now that winter is approaching again a constant stream of pickups, trucks and trailers loaded with wood move into and through Heppner.

It wasn't too many decades ago that people everywhere did all their cooking, water heating and home heating with wood. Now it seems that many have returned to heating homes with it. How wonderful it is, however, that most of us don't depend on wood for cooking and for hot water anymore.

Each season has its regular community rituals. Late spring through summer has been the time that we feel the pressures related to school financing.

It has been so delightful to learn a little about far away places through the eyes of young travelers Ken Curtis and Nance Wright who have shared their summer experiences in Thailand and Japan with this community before plunging into their school activities again. We are certain they were good examples of Eastern Oregon youth for the people of Asia to meet.

During June, July and August groups' activities are not all regularly scheduled, but now that September has passed these groups, boards and committees are again back to their nine-month regular meeting times. We are proud that nobody of any age need feel lonely in Heppner because there are groups and activities that are so easy to join.

Our many fine churches are eager to have anyone come for fellowship, education and inspiration. The very helpful Neighborhood Center urges women who enjoy companionship to come there on Thursday afternoons. The Senior Citizen Mealsite welcomes all men and women over 60 years to the Monday noon meals, presently held at the fairgrounds, and to join in the senior activities. They have a big annual fund-raising rummage sale coming on Saturday, Oct. 18.

The fine 4-H and Home Extension programs are again underway and information about these can be obtained from the OSU Extension Service's Morrow County office in the Pettyjohn Building or by phoning 676-9642. It is through these programs that some lucky youth and occasionally adults have gained wonderful travel experiences. The Extension Service always encourages involvement in the county fair. Last Sunday, Sept. 28, the Fair Appreciation potluck dinner honored persons of all ages who worked on the 1986 fair. The fair and rodeo boards are already meeting to plan for next year's annual excitement.

Don't forget that there is still time to enroll in some of the great classes offered hereby Blue Mountain Community College. For complete information about the classes telephone Marie Lane at 676-5039 soon.

This coming weekend will see the annual influx of deer hunters come to our area. On Sunday, Oct. 5, at 1 p.m., the annual meeting of the Morrow County Historial Society will follow a turkey-centered potluck dinner in the Lexington Grange Hall. The fifth volume of the Morrow County Chronicles will be unveiled and ready for buying. Dr. E. G. Chiniard will show slides and talk about the Lewis and Clark Trail.

State library administrator of public services speaks to Topic Club

By Eva Hamlett

Marge Wright, Administrator of Public Services for the Oregon State Library attended the meeting of the Ione Topic Club at the home of Kerry Rietmann on September 24. Monica Swanson assisted the hostess. She explained that the Library is organized into three service units: State Library Services, Library Development Services and Blind and Physically Handicapped Library Services. Besides having books on all subjects available the library has a very complete records and chronicles of Oregon history since the early 1900s, books by Oregon authors and a microfilm newspaper clippings file of editions dating back to 1850 from the Oregonian, Oregon Statesman, Capitol Journal and the Portland Oregon Journal.

List of catalogs, books, collections are now on computer-output-microfiche or are being converted to this as soon as time allows.

Mrs. Wright emphasized that the services of the Oregon State Library are available to anyone in Oregon merely by contacting any local library or contacting the state library directly.

Christy Crowell, club librarian, reported that Edith Matthess has been selected as the new librarian in place of Grace Byrnes who has moved from the community. The regular hours will be 3-5 on Monday and Wednesday and 10 a.m. Tuesday morning or by appointment with the librarian.

Special committee reports included the selection committee for the clock in memory of Vera Rietmann; Tanya Heidemann reported a successful float for the Fourth of July parade; two new trees will be planted at the library to replace those taken out this last spring; and it was reported that Beulah Lundell, an honorary member, has died recently and a memorial will be established for her.

Chief Rathbun's Tips

Confronting the Burglar

Don't go looking for a confrontation with a burglar. If you come home and find a door or window unexpectedly open, Don't go in. Instead, go quickly to the nearest phone and call the Heppner Police Dept. If you see or hear a prowler in or around your home Don't investigate yourself...Call the Heppner Police Department.

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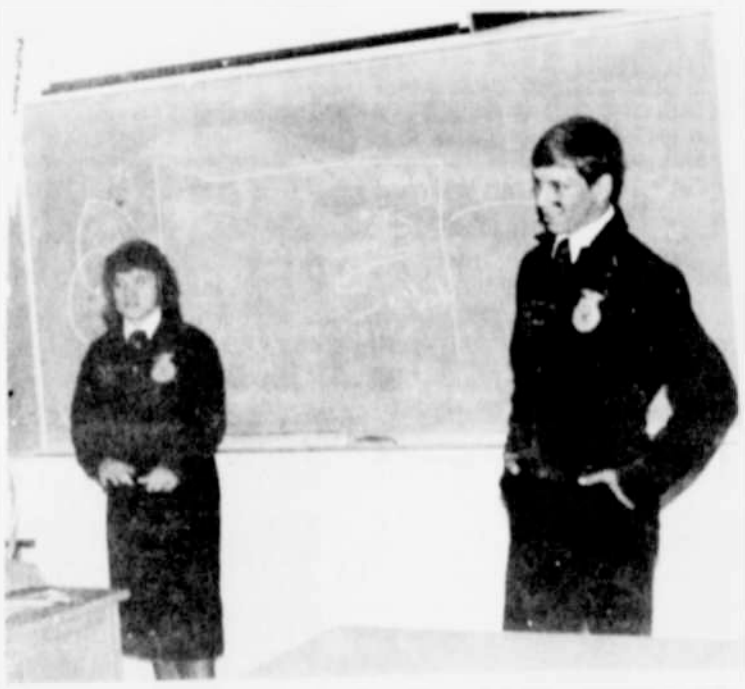

State FFA officers visit Heppner

State FFA Sentinel Cindy Humbert of Milton-Freewater, and State FFA Vice-President Wes Sands from Roseburg spent the day with Heppner High School Vocational Agriculture students on Friday, September 26. They told FFA members about opportunities available to them through involvement in the FFA.

Sands and Humbert are part of the six member State FFA Officer team that were elected last March at the State FFA Convention. The state officers are currently conducting their leadership stopping at every FFA Chapter in Oregon to promote the FFA to high school students.

School Lunch Menu

Heppner Elementary School

Monday, Oct. 6 - pizza, relish plate with dip, fruit and milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 7 - tuna noodle casserole, mixed vegetable, rolls, butter, fruit and milk or salad bar and milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 8 - hamburgers, french fries, pickles, cheese, fruit and milk.

Thursday, Oct. 9 - soup, sandwich, salad, fruit and milk.

Friday, October 10 - teachers in service no school.

Heppner High School

Monday, Oct. 6 - weiner wraps, french fries, vegetables, gelatin and milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 7 - pizza, green beans, fruit, cookie and milk or salad bar and milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 8 - potatoes and gravy, rolls, cabbage salad, fruit and milk or salad bar and milk.

Thursday, Oct. 9 - clam chowder, choice of sandwich, salad, dessert and milk.

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