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Letters to the Editor

Bikers impressed by Heppner hospitality

To the Editor:
My husband and I were participants in the "Oregon 500", a motorcycle excursion that originated in the Portland area, but had participants from all over Oregon and southwest Washington. Our route took us through your town.
We were met at your city limits by representatives of your Chamber of Commerce, who handed out brochures and coupons for food and merchandise. We were invited to rest at your lovely city park and visit your museum, and when we arrived in your business district, we found nearly every store open and awaiting us, and several stands where drinks and food were available.
I cannot tell you how impressed we were by your hospitality. I'm sure there are plenty of towns in the

state that would cringe at the prospect of 2000 motorcycles passing through, even though most of us are just as responsible and courteous as non-enthusiasts. Citizens of Heppner seemed genuinely glad to see us and were very friendly and helpful. Talk of your hospitality was on the lips of many a motorcycle rider for the rest of the day.
Frankly, my husband and I would have had little inclination to visit Heppner had it not been for this trip, but after the reception we received, I can assure you we'll be back, and I'm sure that's a sentiment shared by many of our group. You have a great town and some of the friendliest people around. Your efforts were enormously appreciated.

Sincerely
(s) Denise and Steve Gustafson
Portland

Proud of Heppner

To the Editor:
I have always been proud of Heppner, but never more so, than during this time of following Sam Worley's death. The outpouring of love and affection that Heppner has shown his family is tremendous. It has been a great comfort to his family to know he was laid to rest in a town that loved him.
My deepest appreciation go to all those who have contributed to the Sam Worley Memorial Trophy Fund

for the Junior Bowlers. Sam always believed that giving recognition to the children for a job well done should come first. I'm very proud that the town has shown such support for continuing Sam's work.
My many thanks to all who have supported me through Sam's death. I'm prouder than ever to call Heppner my home.

Sincerely,
(s) Cyde Skroch



Music Awards

Julie Wild (left), Kathleen Brazell, and Yvette Cowett of Heppner High School recently received music awards for outstanding musicianship and participation. Wild received the choral award, Brazell the director award for band and Wild the John Philip Sousa band award.

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Obituaries

Samuel E. Worley
Samuel E. Worley, 31, of Heppner, died May 9 following a motor vehicle accident on Willow Creek Road.

A graveside funeral was held at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery Wednesday, May 13.

Worley was born July 4, 1955 at Oxnard, Calif., the son of Eldrege and Ruby Taylor Worley. He graduated from Santa Maria High School in California in 1973 and attended Cal Poly State University.

He owned and operated three retail bowling supply shops in the San Fernando Valley from 1975-1980.

In 1982 he was employed at the AMF Pro 300 Lanes in Portland and later worked for Larry's Sport Center in Oregon City. He was a member of the Professional Bowlers Association and participated in national and regional events.

Worley came to Heppner in 1985 and was manager of the Heppner bowling lanes.

He was a member of Heppner Elks Lodge 358.

Survivors include his stepmother, Barbee "Momma B" Blackburn of Santa Maria, Calif; uncle, Corky Taylor of Portland; cousin Linda Clark of Los Alamos, Calif; and other relatives.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Sam Worley Memorial Fund for Junior Bowlers through the First Interstate Bank, Heppner branch, Box 368, Heppner, OR 97836.

Sweeney Mortuary, Heppner, was in charge of arrangements.

Mary E. Bristow

Mary Bristow, 77, of Ione, died Friday, May 15, 1987, at Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland.

She was born June 11, 1909 in Ione, the daughter of Thomas and Ida Hale Grabill.

She married Edmund W. Bristow in 1927 at Ione.

In 1928 the couple moved to Milton-Freewater and in 1929 to Walla Walla, later residing in Baker and Ontario before moving to Nampa, Idaho in 1933.

The Bristow's lived at Nampa until 1943 when they returned to Baker. In 1945 they returned to Ione and assumed ownership of Bristow's Market.

Survivors include a daughter, Mary Jean McCabe of Heppner; sons, Tom of Portland, John and Don, both of Ione, and Jerry at Tillamook; sisters, Anna Wright of Baker, Hazel Ellis of Ione and Helen Keithley of Heppner; 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Her husband preceded her in death in 1979.

Memorial contributions may be made to the National Foundation for Ileitis and Colitis through the Bank of Eastern Oregon, Ione Branch, P.O. Box 106, Ione, 97843.

Funeral services were Tuesday, May 19 at the Ione United Church of Christ. Concluding service and burial was at Highview Cemetery in Ione.

Sweeney Mortuary, Heppner was in charge of arrangements.

4-H News

Two Trackers

Two-Trackers 4-H club will not meet Sunday, May 24 because the Pioneer Picnic. The next meeting will be Sunday, May 31, 4 p.m. at Robinson's feedlot. Remember, the tune-up clinic and fair judging classes are only a month away, leader Al Brazzell said. "Bring your record books to class and let's get ready for summer."

Justice Court

Morrow County Justice Court at the Courthouse Annex in Heppner reports handling the following business during the past week:

Cash Craig Allison, Heppner-Excessive Tire Noise \$17 fine.

Joanne Marie Randolph, Hermiston-Failed to Drive Right of Centerline, \$17 fine.

Craig Fredrick Parks, North Bend-Exceeding the Maximum Speed (65 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$36 fine.

Brian Rietmann, Ione-Exceeding the Maximum Speed (75 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$36 fine.

Lee Adam Ford, Georgetown, South Carolina-Exceeding the Maximum (65 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$26 bail forfeited.

Orville Dale Reiber, Touchet, Washington-Passing on a Curve with Insufficient Clearance, \$31 bail forfeited.

Timothy Joe White, Idaho Falls, Idaho-No PUC Permit, \$57 bail forfeited.

Marvin Danlen Dearr, Pendleton-Exceeding the Maximum Speed (75 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$30 fine.

James Frank Wishart, Heppner-Exceeding the Maximum Speed (72

mph in a 55 mph zone), \$24 fine.

Lana Renea Reid, Heppner-Exceeding the Maximum Speed (69 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$30 fine.

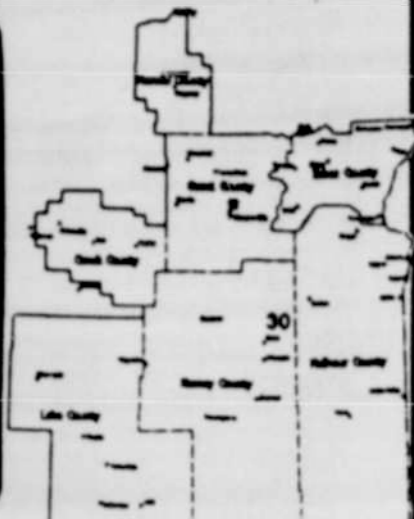
Mark Wendell King, Ione-Exceeding the Maximum Speed (71 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$30 fine.

Tessa Lynn Sherer, Ione-Exceeding the Maximum Speed (69 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$30 fine.

Maxine May Gray, Heppner-Exceeding the Maximum (65 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$13 fine.

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Senator GENE TIMMS

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- The Governor has proposed a regional strategy for economic development which includes regional & county strategies throughout my district. Do you favor this idea?
Yes No
(Number from 1 to 6)
Level or increased revenues to the county
Improved fish habitat
Increased recreational prospects
Maintaining scenic values
- Do you favor a public water right? This water right maybe requested by Fish & Wildlife, Dep. -Environmental Quality, Parks & Recreation or any individual.
Yes No
Increased or maintained levels of jobs in timber industry
Environmental considerations
- Would you like to see more money spent on state prison construction even at the expense of other items in the budget?
Yes No
8. Do you support urinalysis drug testing of employees by their employer?
Yes No
9. Do you support an increase in highway revenues to improve the condition of our roads?
Yes No
if yes, which alternative (s) would you support?
Gas tax increase
2% transfer tax
Increased vehicle registration fees
All of the above
- Presently, the legislature meets only in odd numbered years. Would you support meeting during even numbered years for a limited session that deals only with budgetary concerns?
Yes No
10. Do you think the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction should be an appointed position instead of elected (as it is now)?
Yes No
11. Which of the problems would you consider the most important priorities in your county.
Please rank in order of importance. Number from 1 to 6.
Power Rate Increases
Federal Forest management programs
School Finance
Workmen's Comp.
Escalating Crime Rate
Highways
- Should the surplus state income tax collections be returned to the taxpayers or spent on new or existing state programs.
Yes No
7. Which would you consider the most important priorities when selecting the management plan for the National Forests? Please rank in order of importance:

I sincerely thank you for taking the time to reply - I will personally read each response and share them with my colleagues.

It's through your input that I am better able to represent you and your needs.

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