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Letters to the Editor

Fairgrounds not a public playground

The Morrow County Fair Board works diligently all year around to keep the County Fairgrounds in good condition and repair for our community.

It has come to our attention that several children are using the fairgrounds as a public playground. Children have been running throughout the buildings, crawling on machinery, and playing in the general area without adult supervision. As most of you know, the liability insurance for all of us is extremely high in cost. Remember that your fairground's insurance is paid for with your tax dollars.

We ask you parents and school ad-

ministrators to watch over the facilities better. We do not have full-time attendants and do not wish to padlock each and every gate and building. Please do not allow your children to run, play, or be destructive on the fairgrounds property.

We believe this is a community project and responsibility. Let's not allow our fairgrounds to become run down or to deteriorate. All of us need pride in our fairgrounds upkeep. Please be helpful and understanding of this situation.

Thank you for your kind attention in this matter.

(s) Marlene Currin
Fair Secretary

Marriage License

The Morrow County Clerk's office at the Courthouse in Heppner reports issuing the following marriage license:

Michael Edward Brosnan, 21, and Cindy Lou Davis, 18, both of Heppner.

Chief Rathbun's Tips

The Heppner Police Department is starting a Volunteer Reserve unit. Persons over the age of 21 may apply at the Police Department for qualification list and application forms.

Justice Court Report

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

Gordon Dean Benson, Peck, Idaho- Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants, \$1055 fine, 30 days in jail, a three-year drivers' license suspension, under go alcohol rehabilitation; No Operator License, \$57 fine; Open Container of Alcohol, \$30 fine.

James Arnold Phegley, Heppner- Violation of the Basic Rule (40 mph in a 25 mph zone), \$57 bail forfeited.

Kenneth Ronald Dowse, Heppner- Violation of the Basic Rule (42 mph in a 25 mph zone), \$30 fine.

Melvin Leonard Roe, LaGrande- Possession of an Open Container of Alcoholic Liquor, \$30 fine.

Larry Scott Korhonen, Hood River- No Stop Light on Trailer, \$13 fine.

Donald Clair Graham, Jr., The Dalles- Expired Truck License, \$13 fine.

Kathryn Ann Trotter, Condon- No Operator License, \$9 fine.

Eric Paul Patterson, Pendleton- Minor in Possession, \$57 fine.

Richard Allan Foster, Spray- Furnishing Alcohol to Minors, \$387 fine and 30 days in jail with the jail sentence suspended on conditions set by the judge.

Shari Lynn Piper, Lexington- Minor in Possession, \$77 fine.

Rodney Scott Cole, Vancouver, Washington- Reckless Driving, \$555 fine and 60 days in jail with \$400 of the fine and the jail sentence suspended on conditions set by the judge.

Peter Malachi Campbell, Eugene- Minor in Possession, \$57 fine.

Calvin Terrill Foster, Spray- Minor in Possession, \$57 fine.

Vernon Shad Jeffreys, Heppner- Minor in Possession, \$57 fine.

Steven Wilmouth, Baker- Negotiating a Bad Check, \$287 fine and 30 days in jail with \$150 of the fine and the jail sentence suspended on conditions set by the judge.

Martie McQuain, Heppner- Assault IV- \$437 fine and 60 days in jail with \$200 of the fine and the jail sentence suspended on conditions set by the judge.

Ty Allen Arbogast, Heppner- Hunting Prohibited Method to wit: with aid of artificial light (headlights), \$30 fine; Possession of Open Container, \$13 fine.

Births

Johnathan Bedolla Navarro- a son, Johnathan was born September 11 to Juan and Maria Navarro of Boardman. The baby weighed 9 lbs. 11 oz. He was born at Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston.

Whitney Nicole Hickey- Steve and Deann Hickey, Aloha, are the parents of a baby girl born Sept. 15 at Bess Kaiser Hospital in Portland. She has been named Whitney Nicole and weighed 7 lbs. 7 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dean Connor, Heppner and Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hickey, Pendleton. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Nash and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Connor, Heppner and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hickey, Hermiston.

The new parents recently moved to Aloha from Pendleton where he attended Blue Mountain Community College and she was employed by Dr. Harper Jones. He is now employed by Tektronix in Beaverton.

Hospital Notes

Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner reports admitting and discharging the following patients during the past week:

Gary Bingham, Heppner- admitted and discharged September 17;

Joseph Harms, Ione- admitted September 17, discharged September 18;

Robert Mugrove, Umatilla- admitted September 17, discharged September 18, and

Peter McElligott, Condon- admitted September 18 discharged September 19.

The following patients were still receiving care at the hospital on Monday:

Myrtle Marshal, Lexington- admitted September 17; and

Vivian Elder, Heppner- admitted September 17.

Cal's Lounge

Extends our sincere thanks to everyone who remembered to **VOTE UGLY** for **MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS** Our Ugly Bartender Party was a great success.

Heppner Police Report

The Heppner Police Dept. reports handling the following business during the past week:

September 15: 1:45 a.m.-Motorist Assist.

September 16: 11:38 p.m.- Ammonia Leak-officer injured.

September 19: 3:06 a.m.-request officer for Security Check; 1:35-Motorist Assist.

School Menus

Heppner Elementary School
Monday, Sept. 28-potatoes with meat gravy, handy dandy rolls, fruit and milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 29-corn dogs, potatoes, celery with cheese, fruited gelatin and milk; or salad bar and milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 30-chicken, potatoes with gravy, green beans, rolls, cake and milk.

Thursday, Oct. 1-sloppy Joes, corn, celery sticks, apples and milk or salad bar and milk.

Friday, Oct. 2-burritos, nachos, mixed vegetables, fruit and milk.

Heppner High School
Monday, Sept. 28-wiener wraps, peas, fruit, cookie and milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 29-barbecue.

Wednesday, Sept. 30-hot turkey sandwiches, mashed potatoes, salad, fruit and milk; or salad bar and milk.

Thursday, Oct. 1-chili, cornbread, coleslaw, fruit and milk or salad bar and milk.

Friday, Oct. 2-brunch.

Ione Schools
Monday, Sept. 28-fish wedges, coleslaw, French fries, bread with butter, fruit and milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 29-chili burgers, cheese sticks, vegetable sticks, fruit salad, cake and milk; or salad bar and milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 30-Minestrone soup, chopped pork sandwiches, or peanut butter and honey sandwiches, pickles, crackers, dessert and milk; or salad bar and milk.

Use their heads

When it comes to defense, some insects really use their heads. According to National Wildlife magazine, the bombardier beetle fights off predators by spraying an irritant from its abdomen while doing a headstand. A related beetle, which has no poison, manages to scare off enemies by imitating the same headstand.

Area residents attend anniversary

A reception honoring Charlie and Dorothy Heard's golden wedding anniversary on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 13 at St. James Episcopal Church in Milton-Freewater, brought together many friends of this active couple from many parts of Oregon.

These former owners of the Hepp-

Obituaries

Alton H. Yarnell
Alton H. Yarnell, 60, of Heppner, died Monday, Sept. 14, 1987 at Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

He was born Aug. 29, 1927, in Heppner, son of Harry and Kathryn Walsh Yarnell. He attended school in Ione and was graduated from Ione High School in 1945. He graduated from the University of Washington in 1949 with a bachelor's degree in economics and business.

He was a member of Heppner BPOE 358 and St. Patrick Church.

He married Mildred Sibley on Oct. 12, 1960, at Reno, Nev. She died in March 1971.

Surviving is a brother, Clifford, of Lincoln City.

Funeral Mass was September 17 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Heppner. Burial was at Highview Cemetery in Ione.

Sweeney Mortuary, Heppner, was in charge of arrangements.

Clyde Cole

Former Heppner resident Clyde Cole died September 6 at the age of 70.

He was born October 31, 1916 in Lake City, California, to parents Emery and Mabel Cole. He married Martha Block November 24, 1937. They lived in Alturas, California, until 1937. He worked as a farmer and cattle rancher on his own and for others.

He then moved to Oregon in 1955 where he was employed as a mechanic and ranch foreman until 1957. From 1957 to 1959, he worked for Fullerton Chevrolet as a mechanic and then for A.M. Ferguson in the logging industry until he was disabled in a logging accident near Heppner in 1962.

He was a member of the Lincoln Street Baptist Church in Portland.

Survivors include his wife, Martha; two sons: Raymond Cole and his wife, Joan, of Las Vegas, Nev., and Navy Lt. Cmdr. John Cole and his wife, Susan, of Bremerton, Wash.; three daughters: Anna Jelley and her husband, Ernest, of Roseburg, Joan Thomas and her husband, Frank, and Rozena Harmon and her husband, J.D., all of Springfield; 17 grandchildren; and 17 great grandchildren.

Memorial services were September 17. Burial was at Surprise Valley, California.

Heppner Hotline

By Joyce Breeding 676-5305

--Bernice Nash and Mildred Padberg went to Hermiston shopping and also stopped in to visit Opal Cook, a former Heppner resident.

--Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Connor and children Mary and Levi along with Micki Cameron went to Mt. Angel to the Octoberfest. They reported having a real nice time.

--Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller and children Roxie, and Kyle; Mr. and Mrs. David Piper and son David all went to the Round-up.

--Babe Harris has recently returned from a six-weeks stay in Albany

with her father who is in his 90's and just had a hip replacement surgery.

--Mildred Padberg had out of town guests recently. They were

Elsie Tucker of Lincoln City, and Woodrow Tucker and Betty Hearne from Stanfield. Elsie has just sold her apartment house and looking for a place to retire. Woodrow isn't ready for retirement yet he says, he still farms and does mechanic work.

Other guests were Eldon Tucker, Mary Widel and Tom Wilson from Ione; and Linda Dunaway and Bill Nichols of Lexington.

Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's office at the Courthouse in Heppner reports handling or dispatching the following business during the past week:

September 16: dispatched the Heppner Fire Dept. to a truck fire near the airport west of Kinzua.

September 16: dispatched the Heppner Fire Dept. to an ammonia leak from a chemical truck.

September 17: a deputy assisted Oregon State Police investigate complaint of a traveling motorist problem involving a possible kidnap victim from outside Oregon.

September 18: a deputy assisted Boardman Police Dept. investigate an attempt to locate a subject involved in a domestic disturbance.

September 18: dispatched the Boardman ambulance to Wilson trailer court. One female was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston.

September 18: a deputy responded to the Irrigon area to report a possible prowler. Report was determined unfounded.

September 18: dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a one-vehicle accident with injuries. Three juvenile males with unknown injuries were transported to Good Shepherd Hospital. Juveniles were from the Arlington area.

September 19: a deputy responded to a family disturbance in the Irrigon area. Joseph R Portillo, 47, Irrigon, was arrested on a charge of Assault IV-Domestic. He was released on his own recognizance.

September 19: a deputy responded to a residence in Ione to complaint of a family disturbance. Leslie L. Thompson, 25, Heppner, was arrested on a charge of Assault IV-Domestic. He was released on his own recognizance.

September 19: a deputy arrested Donald R. Crom, 20, believed to be from the Gladstone area, on Multnomah County Circuit Court warrant for Probation Violation/Burglary II. He was lodged at Umatilla County Sheriff's office. Morrow County issued Crom a citation for Driving While Suspended.

September 20: a deputy and Boardman police arrested Oscar R. Trujillo, 19, Boardman, on a Hermiston municipal warrant for Failure to Pay Fine/Possession of a Controlled Substance and Providing False Information to a Police Officer. He was transported to Hermiston Safety Center.

September 20: the sheriff's office investigate complaint of stolen property from a residence in the Irrigon area. Investigation will continue.

September 20: a deputy responded to a residence in the Irrigon area and investigated report of a missing juvenile.

During the week of September 14-20 the Sheriff's office assisted two disabled motorists.

Meeting Notices

Planning Commission

The Morrow County Planning Commission will hold a study session at 7:30 p.m. in the Public Works Building in Lexington, Thursday, September 24, 1987, to review plan amendment procedures.

Columbia Basin Electric Co-op
Columbia Basin Electric Co-op will hold a public meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 28 at the C.B.E.C. office in Heppner to explain the proposed power rate increases and to receive input from consumers.

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