

Oakland A's third baseman Lions donate to Pre-school hunts at TREO



Carney Landsford, third baseman for the American League Oakland Athletics, paid a visit to Heppner last weekend stopping off at TREO Corp for some good pheasant hunting. Landsford, who has a home near Baker as well as in the Bay area, enjoyed a day of hunting at Clint and Phil Carlson's Tours and Recreation of Eastern Oregon ranch near Ruggs. Landsford's group, which also included Representative-elect Mike Nelson, spent the day hunting pheasant and trying their luck at sporting clays.

Elks purchase new eyeglasses



Everett Keithley (L) presents Dr. Robert Rolan with a check from the Elk's Charity Foundation toward the purchase of eyeglasses for a local youth. The foundation was formed four years ago, and interest from the principal is used for local charitable contributions.

A local grade school boy was in need of glasses, said Keithley.

Cracks reported in Balm Fork bridge

Cracks have developed in the Balm Fork bridge at Willow Creek Lake, but the bridge is safe, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers said Monday night.

The corps was in town to hold a public meeting on the recently released Willow Creek Dam study, and made the announcement on the bridge at the same time.

The bridge is made of concrete and was constructed at the same time as the dam. The bridge crosses the Balm Fork of Willow Creek Lake.

"Balm Fork bridge has developed a couple of cracks," said Dennis

Hopman, a safety expert with the corps. "We are investigating those cracks and they were caused by contraction of the bridge in cold weather," he said.

Hopman emphasized that the bridge is safe, and that the corps is doing "continuing study" to watch the problem.

Hopman said that wooden beams would be placed under the bridge "in the next couple of months," and that more permanent repairs, perhaps using epoxy, would begin in 1990.



Heppner Lions Club treasurer Jeff Wallace and Heppner Pre-School children Meghan Bailey and Daniel Records display new "cubbies". The Lions club donated the money to purchase the storage boxes.

The shelving was made and donated by Cliff Janson, Weston. Janson is the father of Debbie Holtz, pre-school teacher.

Pre-schoolers make and eat pies



Heppner Pre-School children and teachers, Toni Watne (left) and Debbie Holtz enjoy a pre-Thanksgiving pumpkin pie feast. The pies were made by the children with the teachers' assistance.

Engagements



Fletcher — Sherer

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fletcher, Tillamook, announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Kristi to Brett Sherer, Tigard son of Richard and Margo Sherer of Ione.

The bride elect is a graduate of Tillamook High School and is attending Oregon State University.

The groom elect graduated from Heppner High School and Oregon State University. He is employed by Bonneville Power Administration as an environmental engineer.

The wedding will be held at St. John's United Church of Christ in Tillamook on December 17 at 8 p.m.

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