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Sheriff's Report

The Sheriff's department at the courthouse in Heppner reports dispatching the following business during the past week:

Dec. 20: Morrow County deputy investigated a motor vehicle accident that occurred in Irrigon.

Dec. 21: Morrow County deputy arrested Oren Andrew Whitbeck, 25, Irrigon, on charges of Rape II, Sexual Abuse II, Attempting to Elude, Resisting Arrest and Recklessly Endangering.

Morrow County deputy arrested Cruz Navarro-Flores, 47, Boardman for Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants, No Operators License and Open Container.

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman Fire department to report of a structure fire at Mt. Hood and Wilson Road.

Morrow County deputy assisted Boardman Police department on a disturbance at the H Bar W in Boardman.

Dec. 22: Morrow County Sheriff's office requested the Boardman ambulance to respond to the Boardman Clinic for a transfer.

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a complaint of harassment.

Dec. 23: Morrow County deputy investigated a car in the ditch in Irrigon.

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to transport a male patient to Pendleton.

During the week of December 18-25, Morrow County deputies assisted one disabled motorist.

Births

Kelsea Kathryn Rodriguez-a daughter, Kelsea, was born to Tosha R. McLeod of Boardman on December 15, 1989 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 13 ozs.

Ashley Marie Blackburn-a daughter Ashley, was born to Tonya Y. McLeod of Boardman on December 16, 1989, at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 6 ozs.

Shelby Clare Kilkenny-a daughter Shelby Clare, was born to Lindy Lou and Russell Robert Kilkenny of Portland, December 18, 1989 at St. Vincent Hospital and Medical Center in Portland. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 13 ozs.

She joins a sister Taylor Ann at home.

Health Dept.

The Health Department reports their following monthly schedule for the month of January:

Jan. 3: home blood pressures.

Friday, Jan. 5: blood pressures and immunizations, Heppner office, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 9: blood pressures and immunizations, Irrigon County offices, 1-4 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 12: blood pressures and immunizations, Heppner office 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 15: closed holiday.

Tuesday, Jan. 16: blood pressures and immunizations, Boardman City Hall 1:30-4 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 17: blood pressures, lone Bank of Eastern Oregon kitchen 2-3 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 19: blood pressures and immunizations, Heppner office 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 23: blood pressures and immunizations, Irrigon County offices, 1-4 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 26: blood pressures and immunizations, Heppner office, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Resolutions

'Tis the time to make New Year's Resolutions.

I'm not big on resolutions but this year I'm making one.

I do hereby resolve not to start any new project in 1990.

Well, that does not include the one I've started in 1989 that you won't see until 1990. But aside from that, I will not start anything else, period.

Let me tell you about this one.

This is a project I thought about a couple of years ago. But it was just too big, too expensive, requires too much hard work, and skills I don't have. But then a couple of months ago, a friend of mine, (there is more and more evidence bringing that into question) suggested that I take this project up again. I'm a real sucker for a little encouragement. All it ever takes is someone to say "Ed, why don't you do (any fool thing)," and I can never think of a good reason not to at the time.

Take the vineyard and winery. Some guy in Salem told me I couldn't grow winegrapes in Eastern Oregon. Now how could a fellow like me resist a challenge like that? And then there was the box company. It started out to make gift boxes for our little winery. Somebody said, "Well, why don't you sell some of those to other wineries?" No good reason not to. The next thing I knew, I was eyeball deep in wood boxes bound for half the wineries in the Northwest.

Then one year not so long ago, we packaged up some herbs in some little jars for Christmas gifts. It was my sister, I think, who said, "You know, I bet you could sell these." And she was right, we did and do.

Well, here we go again. The new project is far enough along that I think we're committed.

We had to buy a few new things, of course. Francie insisted on a budget this time so I made one out. I didn't really know what I needed nor how much it cost, so we exceeded the budget a little. Francie says it's that way with all my new projects.

I decided the old winery building would be a good place to set up this new project but it needed to be finished. Yes, that's right. We never did finish the winery in the six years we made wine there. Well, now we needed to finish the job. My brother brought over a couple of sheets of dry wall, a bucket of mud and some tape. We had some insulation left over from the first half. "Honey, we can finish the winery with just a few bucks in materials," I said.

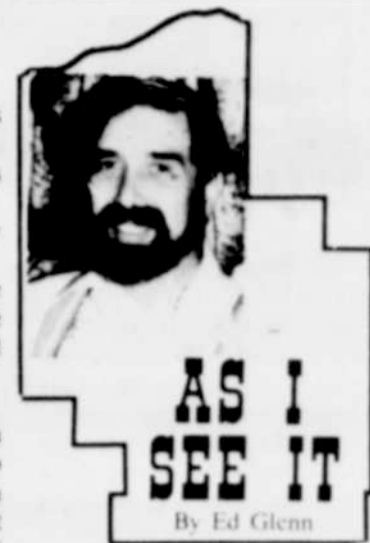
A few hundred it's turned out to be and we're still not done. But only paint and that left. And we've spent so much now that we can't stop now, right?

I needed some technical stuff too, and sure enough, I had no idea how much until I'd already bought so much that I couldn't turn back. You just have to have the right tools to do the job. Everyone understands that. And boy does it cost. Everything seems to go up just when I get ready to buy it.

I needed some more knowledge too. There's a lot about this new project I don't know. But I read books. And I get most of them from my local library. The librarian says she is always surprised when I come in because she can never guess what kind of far-out subject I'm on to this time. I've been practicing some of my new skills, some of them need a lot more.

This new project hasn't really come together yet. There is still some doubt that it will. There is still a lot to do and a lot to be and the plan, as they say, hasn't yet come together. So everyone at my house is in a major dither.

I hereby resolve, no new projects for 1990. Unless.....



Letters to the Editor

People show holiday spirit

To the Editor:

The people of this area again showed they have the holiday spirit. Due to the generosity of the churches, schools, organizations, merchants, private and anonymous donations, our youth and the many volunteers, the Neighborhood

Center was able to make wishes come true and fill 69 Thanksgiving and 71 Christmas baskets in this area.

(s) Nadine O'Brien
Heppner Neighborhood Center

Republican group meets

The Morrow County Republican Central Committee met

Plans were made for the annual Lincoln Day Banquet and Auction to be held in Boardman at the Dodge City Restaurant on Saturday evening, February 24.

The following are the officers and committee chairpersons for 1990: chairperson-Bob Jepsen, Heppner; vice chairperson-Margaret Murray, Heppner; secretary-treasurer and finance-Kay Proctor, Heppner; county platform-Gene Allen, Boardman; Republican booth-John and

Erin Lovette, Ione; voter registration-Mark and Tami Rietmann, Hardman; publicity-Suzanne Jepsen, Heppner; candidates-Dorothy Krebs, Boardman; parades-Ed Glenn, Boardman.

The next meeting will be held on January 16 at Dodge City restaurant. There will be a no-host dinner at 6 p.m. with the meeting to start at 7 p.m.

BOWLING

Spare Time Bowlers
December 12

	Won	Lost
Gazette-Times	37	23
Gardners	37	23
Country Rose	31½	28½
Central Market	31	29
Les Schwab	31	29
Petersons	27	33
No. 7	16½	43½

High game: Carol Norris 195
High series: LoRayne Bowman 512.

Koffee Kup Keglers
December 14, 1989

	Won	Lost
M.C.G.G.	39½	20½
Gutter Dusters	39	21
Three J's	33	27
Beechers Alley Cats	29½	30½
The Dregs	28	32
No Pin Hitters	26	34
The Hopfuls	24	36
The Hi Ho's	21	39

High Game: Billie VanArsdale 203
High series: Billie VanArsdale 508
Splits Converted: Linda Schultz 5-30; Rene Ledbetter 3-10; Janet Beamer 6-8-10.

In the Service

Army Spec. Donald E. Doherty has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal in West Germany.

The award was presented for exemplary conduct while in the active service of the United States.

Doherty is an infantryman with the 9th Field Artillery.

He is the son of Charles and Beverly Doherty of Ione. The specialist is a 1985 graduate of Ione high school.

Pvt. Robert L. Zinter has completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

He is the son of Nancy J. Rounsefell of Boring and Bill A. Zinter of Ione.

The private is a 1974 graduate of Sam Barlow High School, Gresham.


Pvt. Shawn C. Donovan has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

He is the son of Sue M. Oliver of Irrigon.

Christy Kenny wins BMX bike


Christy Kenny, 9, Heppner is the winner of a BMX bike drawing sponsored by Central Market.



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87 - 89
Friday 7:30 p.m.
83 - 86
Saturday 1:00 p.m.

80 - 82
Saturday 9:30 a.m.
76 - 79
Saturday 4:30 p.m.

72 - 75
Friday 9:00 p.m.
68 - 71
Saturday 2:45 p.m.

64 - 67
Saturday 11:15 a.m.
Non-Lettering Alumni
Saturday 6:15 p.m.

More Basketball.....

Saturday, Dec. 30
8:00 p.m. - 3 Point Contest
8:30 p.m. - In-Laws vs. Outlaws
Sunday, Dec. 31
12:30 p.m. - Heppner Alumni vs. Condon Alumni
2:15 p.m. - Girls - Odd vs Even
4:00 p.m. - Slam Dunk Contest
Presentation of Awards
4:30 p.m. - Championship Alumni Game

Cost: \$2.00 Adults all day
\$1.00 School age children all day
\$10.00 Family Pass (whole tournament)

Children must be supervised - balcony closed

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Obituary

Violet I. Swaggart

Funeral service for Violet I. Swaggart, 74, Pendleton, was Wednesday, Dec. 27 at the Bishop Funeral Chapel. Vault interment Dec. 27 at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery.

Mrs. Swaggart was born January 4, 1915, to W.W. and Vina I. (Kinder) Hinton at Range, Oregon.

She attended school at Ukiah and graduated from Heppner High School. She was married to Gerald Swaggart on June 17, 1930, in Walla Walla, Washington. They farmed on Butter Creek and then moved to Hood River in 1933. They moved to Ukiah in 1938 and then to Little Butter Creek in 1941. They retired from the ranch in 1972 and moved to Pendleton where she resided until her death.

Mrs. Swaggart was a member of the Pendleton Women's Club, the Pendleton Country Club and was past president of the Morrow County Cow Belles. She enjoyed hunting, especially elk hunting, golf, gardening and music.

Mrs. Swaggart is survived by her husband, Gerald Swaggart at the home in Pendleton; daughters Lauraine (Mrs. Norm) Peterson of Newberg, Christine Norden of Seattle, WA., and Geri (Mrs. John) Burgess of Boise, Idaho; brother Elmer Hinton of Prairie City, seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one son, Paul Swaggart.

Those who wish may contribute to the Paul Swaggart Memorial Fund at the Blue Mountain Community College, directly or through the Bishop Funeral Chapel, Box 325, Pendleton, OR 97801.

TACO FEED FOR CAROL ANN REA (PALMER)

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•Heppner High School Cafeteria
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