

Ione Elementary students



Grade schoolers do the cakewalk

Ione elementary students kindergarten through fifth grades celebrated "Black History" month with a special assembly. Classes studied famous black Americans during the month of February.

Library aide, Betty Carlson, planned the assembly. She read each class the story "Miranda

and Brother Wind" by Patricia C. McKissack. The book is a Caldecott Honor book and is based on history of the author's family. It is about the cakewalk which is a tradition brought to America by African slaves. Mrs. Carlson met the author at a librarian's workshop and decided to in-

celebrate Black History



First graders dance the Hokey Pokey

troduce the book and the cakewalk as part of the month's study.

During the assembly students participated in a cakewalk to win cupcakes. They also danced the Hokey Pokey which originated as an Afro-American dance.

Students sang "Wake Up This

Morning," which is a 1960's civil rights movement song and the Negro Spirituals, "Ezekiel Saw The Wheel," and "Now Let Me Fly", directed by music teacher Geneva Mathews.

Both students and teachers said the assembly was an entertaining addition to their studies.

George Miller announces write-in

George Miller, Ione, has announced his candidacy as a write in candidate for an Ione Rural Fire Protection District director

at large position. Roland Bergstrom and Bill Rietmann are the other two candidates running for the three directors' positions.

Sheep dog trials draw from all over U.S., Canada

Participants are coming from Oregon, Washington, Idaho, California and British Columbia to attend the sheepdog trials at the Morrow County Fairgrounds all day Saturday and Sunday, March 13 and 14 during the St. Patrick's festivities. Novices will be first and the open class will be last.

The shuttle service provided by the Senior Center will be traveling back and forth to the fairgrounds on Saturday for spectators.

"Old time favorites" at the trials will be Scotty Stewart from

British Columbia, Cliff Steelman from Washington and Patrick Shannahan from Idaho. Judge is Frank Brunetto from Oregon City. The sheep are furnished by Krebs Ranch.

"It's quite a challenge with no fences at the fairgrounds but trusty volunteers will be hard at work," said Sandra Rill. Chairpersons are William and Sandra Rill. Committee members are Brian Thompson and Susan Evans. To volunteer call Brian Thompson.

'Why' topic of Lutheran church sermons

Have you ever asked yourself some serious questions like, "If God is so loving and so gracious why does he allow humankind to suffer?" or "If God is so holy and all powerful why does he not intervene when there is trouble in the world?"

These and other "Why?" questions will be discussed this Sunday at the 9 a.m. worship service of Valby Lutheran Church and at the 11 a.m. worship service of Hope Lutheran Church. Pastor Stan Hoobing will be preaching on the theme of "Why, O Lord, Why?" based on scripture reading of St. John 9:1-41.

This Wednesday evening at Valby and Thursday evening at Hope special mid-week Lenten services are planned. The evening events begin at 6 p.m. with a soup and bread supper followed at 7 p.m. with a worship service. The general theme of the services is "Personalities Around the Cross of Jesus." This week there will be a dramatic monologue by James, one of the disciples of Jesus and a brother to John entitled, "As We Take Our Rest", and it is based on the scripture reading of Matthew 26:30-50.

Hospital auxiliary to raffle quilt



Dee Dee Jones displays a quilt being raffled by the Pioneer Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. Tickets are on sale for \$1 each or six for \$5 and may be purchased at Gardner's Men's Wear, where the quilt is on display.

Pipeline construction in full swing

The N.W. gas pipeline construction is in full swing in Morrow County. The work requires use of county roads for the hauling of materials and access for crews. Road conditions have not been good for hauling heavy loads and an eight ton weight limit has been imposed.

The pipeline company has been permitted to exceed the weight

limit under an agreement whereby they will repair all road damage caused by their use at no cost to Morrow County taxpayers according to Charles Malcolm, Public Works director.

The pipeline company is presently in the process of rerocking some of the roads which were damaged, he said.

Bud's Pub is hosting a special surprise party for a very special husband.

**April 4th
2 p.m. Until ?**

Door prize tickets will be given out everytime you come into Bud's. Start collecting them now. Must be present to win.

**DANCING—POT LUCK
SPECIALS—DOOR PRIZES**

Lenten prayer study set at IUCC

A four-week adult study series on "Prayer and Meditation" will be held on Sundays from 9:45-10:30 a.m. at Ione United Church of Christ. The series will

begin on Sunday, March 14 and conclude on Sunday, April 4.

Topics will include definition and methods of prayer and meditation, and investigation of Christian mystics Meister Eckhart and Julian of Norwich. The class will be led by the Rev. Lea Mathieu.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Market Report

Compliments of the Morrow County Grain Growers

Tuesday, March 9, 1992	
Soft White	
March	\$3.89/\$3.92
April	\$3.94
May	\$3.93/\$3.80
July	\$3.50/\$3.48
Aug.	\$3.46
	\$3.48/\$3.50
Barley	
March	\$100
April	\$100/\$99
May	\$98
New crop July	\$96

Craft fair set at Episcopal church

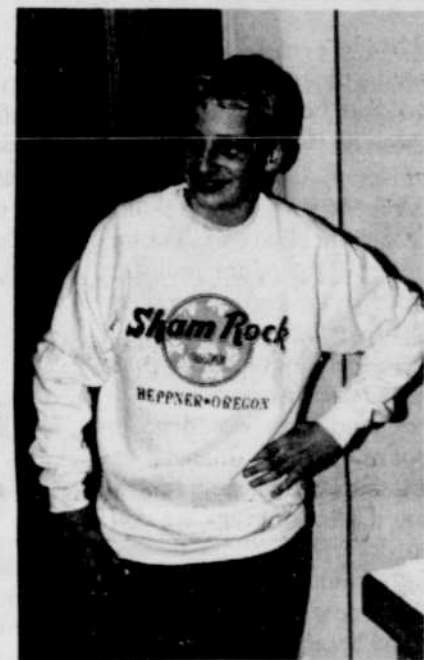
The St. Patrick's craft fair sponsored by the Soroptimist International club of Heppner will

be held Saturday, March 13 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at All Saints Episcopal Church.

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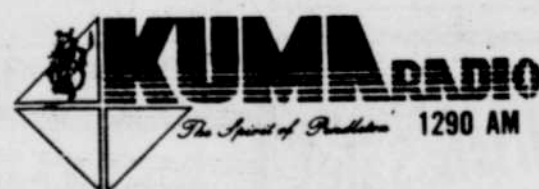
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