

## Engagement Durkee — Norris

Judith Durkee and George Norris, both Heppner, have announced their engagement and upcoming marriage. Judith is employed at Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner. George is head custodian at Heppner High School. The couple plan a June 30 wedding at 3 p.m. on the patio at Pioneer Memorial Hospital. The community is invited to attend.

## M.C. Historical Society meets

By Delpha Jones

The Morrow County Historical Society met at the home of Jean Nelson for the regular meeting of the board of directors. Minutes were read and approved, and the treasurer's report was given.

It was announced that the old city hall building, which is near the Padberg Machine Shop now owned by Carmen and Dan Looslie has been donated to the city of Lexington. The group hopes it will soon be set in another location, available to the tourists and city people. The group has voted to reroof the building as soon as it can be placed and Bob Reaney will work with the group in arranging pictures and other objects of interest in the building. This will include a good part of Sam McMillan's pictures.

The National Parks project is

## Mother's Day at lone UCC

A celebration of women from the Bible will be the theme of a special worship service at Lone Church of Christ on Mother's Day, May 12, at 11 a.m.

Women from the church will share readings as Eve, Rebekah, Martha, Esther, Naomi, Sarah and Anna. Special music will also be shared by women of the church.

## WCCC Golf

### Ladies' Play, April 30

Low gross of the field: Pat Edmundson.

Flight A: low gross Bev Gunderson, low net Juanita Martin, least putts Eileen Padberg.

Flight B: low gross Lynnea Sargent, low net Alene Rucker, least putts Lucille Peck.

Flight C: low gross Doll Campbell, low net Jackie Allstott, least putts Doll Campbell.

Chip in: Eileen Padberg #1, Lois Hunt #4.

Special award: Joyce Dinkins.

### Jack and Jill, Chapman play May 3

Gross: first Dave and Karen Wildman 32, second Adam and Cindi Doherty 33, third John and Pat Edmundson 34, fourth Bob and Suzy Jepsen 37, fifth (tie) Gene and Luvilla Sonstegard, and Earl and Peggy Fishburn 40.

Net: first Earl and Carol Norris, second (tie) Les and Jan Paustian, and Randy and Bernice Lott, fourth Reese and Linda Schultz, fifth Jim and Cam Wishart, sixth Jason Hanna and Sara Greenup.

Special Events: KP #13, men-Norris, women-Sonstegard. KP second shot #11 Paustian.

working on setting aside about 85 acres of the area around Well Springs, which will include Well Springs cemetery and lower campground.

The annual meeting to be held Oct. 6 was discussed and Kathryn Hoskins is to investigate the availability of a speaker. There will be special music and business. A fair booth is planned with the senior citizens essay and a table for articles from the society. The table will be manned by Kathryn Hoskins and Sue Vinson. Barbara Bloodsworth will be chairman. The dinner committee chairman will be Bob Reaney.

Those present at the meeting were Barbara Bloodsworth, Sue and Darrell Vinson, Delpha Jones, Ruth McCabe, and Harold and Edna Peck. Refreshments were served by hostess Jean Nelson.

## Bowling League

### Thursday Nite Mixers week of April 18

	W	L
The Burns	34	26
lone Repair	34	26
Wright's Century	33	27
R&W Drive In	29½	32½
Lancer Lanes	27½	32½
Skaggs Auto Clinic	22	38

High games: Matt Clark 230, Marie Rudisill 185.

High series: Marie Rudisill 512, Jim Eynetch 490.

Splits converted: Matt Clark 2-7-8, Phyllis Piper 7-5, John Breidenbach 4-7-9, Pat Ward 2-7, Bill French 3-10, 5-7-9, 5-10, 3-10.

### week of April 25

	W	L
The Burns	38	26
lone Repair	38	26
Wright's Century	36	28
R&W Drive In	29½	34½
Lancer Lanes	27½	36½
Skaggs Auto Clinic	24	41

High games: Dianna Hoeft 187, Gerald Hoeft 181.

High series: Dianna Hoeft 514, Gerald Hoeft 499.

Splits converted: Gerald Hoeft 3-10, Monique Devin 5-6, Michele Hams 3-10, Marie Rudisill 3-10, Doug Gunderson 3-10, 5-10.

## Weather Report

By City of Heppner

### For the month of April

	High	Low	Precip.
4/1	46	41	.43
4/2	59	37	.13
4/3	54	32	T
4/4	56	34	.00
4/5	63	38	.00
4/6	70	45	.00
4/7	78	48	.00
4/8	78	50	.00
4/9	78	48	T
4/10	68	44	.05
4/11	60	38	.00
4/12	61	38	.19
4/13	55	40	T
4/14	62	37	.00
4/15	75	52	.00
4/16	72	48	.00
4/17	62	35	.01
4/18	59	36	.04
4/19	56	32	T
4/20	53	31	.06
4/21	56	32	T
4/22	56	37	.03
4/23	58	40	.11
4/24	68	44	.38
4/25	59	36	T
4/26	62	33	.01
4/27	59	40	.01
4/28	59	32	.00
4/29	68	45	.00
4/30	68	37	.00

## Off the Wall

By Marilyn Robinson

Seems it's being debated about the continuance of the Forest Service agency as we know it, due to a significant loss of timber revenue. If all trees are to be admired rather than allow some harvesting, perhaps computers will become obsolete and, for lack of paper, we could always doodle on stone slates.

Maybe it should just be renamed "People Service" to justify the lengthy studies about soil, water and wildlife by scientists and other experts on environmental conditions.

Having tromped through windfalls, pole thickets and dead and dying trees, it's difficult to appreciate nature's bounty when one looks like they tangled with a wildcat in the middle of a jungle.

With the vast amount of wilderness areas, current policy seems to be to just let it burn. It would be nice to keep everything pristine, but even the Indians burned the underbrush each fall, not just to smoke venison.

It was mind-boggling when I read about Forest Service personnel and volunteers packing stashed camp gear out of the Naches Wilderness Area on their backs. We're talking about 50 gallon barrels, camp stoves and stashes of canned goods that apparently were dropped by helicopter so that hunters could return to that area. Since it's forbidden to use vehicles in a wilderness area, that article said the use of pack animals would mean cutting a trail through several miles of brushy, uphill ground. Or perhaps they didn't want to diaper those animals.

Apparently this personnel didn't have the latest technology on how to obliterate things. A two-page informational sheet, developed and published by the Forest Service, gives explicit information and diagrams on how to place 55 pounds of dynamite over and under a horse carcass for total obliteration. This hopefully won't be used by amateurs or a mad bomber, since it says it was developed by the USDA Forest Service for the guidance of its employees, its contractors and in cooperation with federal and state agencies.

It does caution to first remove horseshoes, so perhaps there would be no unplanned ringers in a picnic area horseshoe pit. But it says that there are times when it is important to remove or obliterate an animal carcass from locations such as recreational areas where a carcass might attract bears at popular picnic areas or alongside roads and trails.

In the first place, what's a horse doing in a picnic area? Did it just wander in to die hoping for a little sympathy? Furthermore, I don't think I'd care to dine where there are bits of unskewered shish kabobs lying about, whether it's from a horse or an elk.

Once on a wilderness horseback trail ride in the Wallows, we were told that should an unfortunate animal keel over dead, that horse would have to be cut up and packed out. I worried more about my horse getting crippled, causing someone to pack me out dead or alive. Naturally, we didn't leave any gum wrappers or bread crumbs along those sacred trails. Voila, for the latest information that could help to give that favorite horse a proper send-off.

## St. Patrick's Senior Center Bulletin Board

There were 102 people present for the senior dinner May 1. Nine meals were home delivered. Ralph Struthers and Bill Cox set the tables. Members of the Catholic Church helped the cooks, and did the serving and cleaning up. Lynn Bibby, hostess/greeter for the meal site, won the meal ticket.

The menu for May 15 will be sloppy joe on a bun, oven fries, tossed salad, corn, fruit and dessert. Members of the Baptist Church will serve.

Cyde Estes was present to give information on the trip to see the Imperial Tombs of China exhibit at the Portland Art Museum, Saturday, June 22. The trip is sponsored by the Morrow County Unified Recreation District in cooperation with the Morrow County Museum. Registration is from Monday, May 20, through Friday, May 24, at the museum. Other programs are upcoming.

Four seniors played pinochle Friday afternoon. Garden Club members met in the office.

The Garden Club held their annual spring plant exchange in the dining room, Saturday, May 4. It was well attended.

Sunday evening, three ladies watched the movie, "Top Secret," loaned by Callie Huddleston.

The senior bus will depart Heppner Tuesday, May 14, at 9:30 a.m. for the trip to the Monument meal site.

The primary election voting will be in the senior center dining room, Tuesday, May 21.

Other dates to remember: Tuesday and Thursday exercise, 10 a.m.; Wednesday blood pressure clinic, 11 a.m., senior meal, noon; Friday cards, 2 p.m.; Sunday movie, 7 p.m.

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Scrambled Eggs, Ham,  
Potatoes, Pancakes, Muffins,  
Fruit, and Ice Cream  
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