

LEXINGTON NEWS

New Leaders Set For Rebekahs, I.O.O.F.

By Bertha Hunt
The I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges of this community went to Heppner Wednesday evening, Jan. 12, where joint installation was held.

G. A. Olssen, chief clerk of the railway mail service and Chas. Cox, Heppner postmaster, called at the local postoffice one day last week. The Home Economics club met at the home of Mrs. Laura Rice Thursday, Jan. 13, with Mrs. Ann Miller and Mrs. Margaret Miller assisting hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Pieper and family motored to Hermiston on Saturday.

Ralph Jackson and his daughter, Marcella, spent the week end in Portland.

Otto Eugene, weight 8 1/2 pounds, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Ruhl at the home of Mrs. Corda Saling in Heppner Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Helms of Pendleton spent one day last week in this community visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lasich and Harry Dinges made a short business trip to Portland Saturday.

Edward Rice who has spent some time in Portland has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hunt and daughter and Mrs. Eslie Walker and children motored to Hardman Monday. They were accompanied by J. C. Walker who returned to his home after spending several days visiting at the Walker home.

Mrs. Sarah White is driving a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunt entertained Mr. and Mrs. James Leach and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Campbell at their home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Van Winkle entertained a group of youngsters at her home last Sunday afternoon with a party honoring her daughter Lorine, who celebrated her ninth birthday on that day. Besides games, a taffy pull was enjoyed. Refreshments of cake, salad and punch were served. Those present were Marion Miller, Laurene Van Winkle, Marcille Pieper, Audrey Majeske, Jean Rauch, Patricia Majeske, Louise Hunt, June Van Winkle, Lavonne McMillan, Betty Jean Graves, Rena June Messenger, Betty Ann Smethurst, Dorothy Cutsforth, Carolyn Bauman, Jo Ann Graves, Colleen Miller, Roberta Miller, Truman Messenger, Billy Scott, Wesley Fenore, Archie Padberg, Faye Cutsforth, Marjorie Bauman, Eileen Biddle, Marcella Jackson, Jimmy Bauman, Norman Ruhl, Reita Graves, Dean Graves, Buddy Peck, Jean Cutsforth, Buster Padberg and Roger Campbell.

Among those attending the dance at Hermiston Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Whillock, Helen Breshers, Doris Klinger, Lyle Allyn, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rauch and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Way and family.

Mustangs Trounce Fossil Quintet

The two cellar teams of the Upper Columbia Athletic league met here last Friday on the local court, and while the lowermost team could have descended farther into the gloomy depths of the league standings, it went the opposite way, with the favored team losing, as Heppner won its first conference game of the season by trouncing Fossil, 40 to 23.

Occasionally, Heppner displayed the same championship stride that carried them to their last victory, that over Grant Union of John Day, one of the ranking teams of this district. The Mustangs were a scrapping team, seeking their first conference win over the team that had previously defeated them.

Fossil was the favorite of local fans because of its early season win, plus the fact that Arlington had beaten Fossil by a much smaller

score than it did Heppner. The Mustangs got the jump on the boys hailing from Wheeler county by the baskets of Van Marter and Barratt, and at the end of the third quarter, Heppner's half-time lead of 19 to 15 was increased to 33 to 19. From there on, Heppner coasted to victory.

Lanky La Verne Van Marter, Mustang center, accounted personally for 24 points in this game, one more tally than the entire Fossil quintet scored during the evening.

ALL-DAY MEETING SET

Willows grange home economics club will have an all-day pot-luck dinner meeting at the home of Mrs. George Krebs at Cecil on Friday, Jan. 21. A white elephant party will be a part of the amusement of the meeting.

GRANGE MEETS 22ND

Willows grange will hold the regular business meeting for January at Cecil, Saturday, Jan. 22.



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