

**LEXINGTON NEWS**

**Lex Man's Mother Passes in Missouri**

By MARGARET SCOTT

Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Ruhl are the parents of a 7 3-4 pound son, Richard Elmer, born Sunday, Dec. 1, at the Aiken maternity home in Heppner. Their other son, Skippy, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gray in Stanfield.

Harry and Dan Dinges attended the Oregon-Oregon State football game in Corvallis Saturday. They were accompanied to Albany by Mr. and Mrs. William Steagall and son.

Mrs. Charles Marquardt is visiting in Portland.

The Ralph Scott family spent Sunday in The Dalles.

Pendleton visitors Thursday were A. M. Edwards and daughters Edith and Jerrine, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cutsforth.

Rae Cowsins spent the week end in Heppner.

Dona Barnett has been confined to her home by illness this week.

The Study club will meet next Monday evening, Dec. 9, at the Emma Breshars home.

Don't forget the high school play, "3 Taps at Twelve," on Friday night, Dec. 6, at the high school auditorium.

George Peck, R. B. Rice, Orville Cutsforth, and D. W. Glasgow attended a manager's meeting in Walla Walla Saturday.

Mrs. Edna Turner was honored last Friday afternoon with a surprise birthday party given by the mothers of the first and second grade pupils.

The Girls League sponsored a scavenger hunt Friday evening at the local gymnasium. Those on the winning team were Juanita Bellenbrock, Marcella Jackson, Duane Johnson, and Roy Martin. Honorable mention was given Jerrine Edwards and Don Peck. Refreshments of hot dogs and coffee were enjoyed later in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Breshars and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Steagall, enjoyed a dinner Sunday in honor of their wedding anniversaries which were the previous Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Breshars have been married 31 years and Mr. and Mrs. Steagall have been married 9 years.

The Ladies Aid sponsored a bazaar and pot luck dinner at the aid room Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Padberg is reported much improved after a recent operation in The Dalles hospital.

Word received from Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duvall told of the passing of Mr. Duvall's mother Nov. 22 with funeral services Nov. 25 at St. Joseph, Missouri.

**IONE NEWS**

**Andrews-Smith Rites Recent Social Event**

By MRS. ELMER GRIFFITH

A recent wedding of interest to their many Morrow county friends occurred recently in California when Harvey Smith of Ione wedded Mrs. Virginia Andrews of Anaheim, Cal. They have returned here to make their home on the Smith farm where Mrs. Andrews (nee Virginia Wilson) was born when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson were owners of the place.

The union missionary society will hold a tea Decemehr 12 at the Christian church, with Mesdames Engelman, Corson and Grabill as hostesses.

Mrs. Fred Mankin went to Portland Friday to consult a doctor.

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The jury list for the Ione district for the December term of circuit court starting Monday includes E. R. Lundell, Mrs. P. C. Peterson and Laxton McMurray.

Mrs. Jack Bailey went to The Dalles last week end to attend the wedding of her sister. Mrs. Bailey's grandmother passed away the day before the wedding and the funeral was held the next day after the wedding.

E. J. Bristow took suddenly ill at the store on Tuesday and had to go home.

Ione is on the move. Mrs. J. O. Kincaid is fixing up her home in town and will move in from the ranch. F. A. Ross, depot agent, has been transferred to Pendleton, leaving the Howell house which will be occupied by Walter Bristow. Erret Hummel has moved from the Harris apartments to the Frank Lundell estate house. Clarence Brenner has moved into the house formerly occupied by W. E. Eubanks. J. P. O'Meara purchased the house formerly occupied by the Brenners and moved in Tuesday.

The program and basket social at the Lutheran church in Gooseberry Saturday evening was a perfect success. A nice large crowd attended and \$35 was taken in on the social.

Robert Rietmann left today for Portland. From there he will go by train to San Francisco, and sail from that port on December 6 for the Hawaiian islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith drove to Hoquiam, Wash., Sunday, taking Mr. Smith's father, Robert Smith, to attend the funeral of a niece.

W. J. Blake was pleasantly surprised Friday night with a dinner

party at the home of his son, Ted W. Blake, honoring his birthday. Others present were Mrs. W. J. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blake and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blake.

Willows grange is holding a bazaar at the hall here on December 14. There will also be a fish pond, grab bag, bingo, and other carnival features. Supper will be sold and later in the evening, a dance. The grange announces that the receipts from the benefit dance Saturday evening totaled \$72.60. Next Saturday evening will be the regular meeting of Willows grange, and there will be work in the third and fourth degrees.

The Womens Topic club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Garland Swanson. Other hostesses were Mesdames Frank Lundell, Elmer Griffith, and Clel Ray. The book, "How Green Was My Valley," by Richard Llewellyn, was reviewed. Mrs. E. M. Baker, Mrs. Erling Thompson and Mrs. Frank Lundell were appointed the new program committee. Members and guests present were Mrs. E. R. Lundell, Mrs. Dorr Mason, Mrs. J. E. Swanson, Mrs. C. W. Swanson, Miss Emmer Maynard, Mrs. Henry Gorgor, Mrs. Milton Morgan, Jr., Mrs. E. M. Baker, and Mrs. Omar Rietmann. The December study meeting will be at the Victor Rietmann home on Friday, Dec. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nickle of Sumner, Wash., left for home Friday after visiting here at the home of Mrs. Nickle's brothers, C. W. and J. E. Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely of Morgan have returned from an extended visit at the home of their son-in-law

and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Matthews.

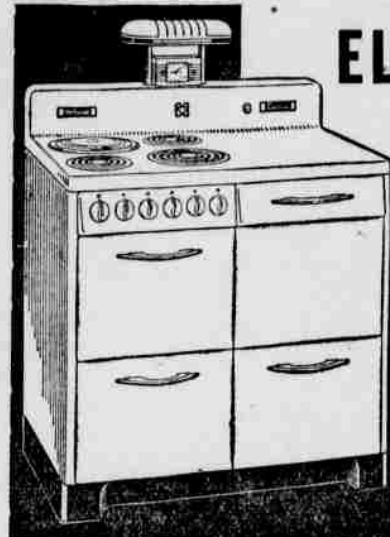
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