

**IONE NEWS NOTES**

By Mrs. Echo Palmateer

Harvest operations are practically over in this vicinity the wheat ranging from 15 to 28 bushels per acre. The weather has been almost ideal for harvesting and very few fires. A fire was reported to have burned about 150 acres for Alfred Nelson and sons of Sand Hollow.

The people of Ione will be interested to know that George Griffith's picture is shown in the show "To the Shores of Iwo Jima" which is coming to Heppner Aug. 21. George is with the Marines that landed on Iwo Jima.

Mrs. Ruby Kincaid and Mrs. Norton Lundell arrived in Ione last Friday evening from Los Angeles Calif. Mrs. Kincaid attended a Bible school for six weeks.

Robert Perry and Phyllis Crowder were married at Arlington last week. Robert is in the U. S. navy and is on a 30 day leave. He attended school in Ione and Morgan and is the son of Ross Perry who is in the Merchant Marines.

Patty and Quincy Morgan, who have been visiting several weeks with their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Seehafer, returned to their home in Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Post Falls, Ida. were visitors at the Elmer Griffith home last week. Mrs. Smith is a niece of Mrs. Griffith.

Mrs. Marjorie Peterson of the Waves left for her duties in Cleveland Ohio last Thursday night.

Allen Howk who has been staying with relatives and working in the harvest fields left last week for his home in Troutdale, Ore. He plans on going into military service soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gerdes and two grandchildren and daughter Mrs. Smith and son Bob are spending two weeks in La Grande and Portland.

Mrs. Mabel Tachell, nee Cool, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heliker.

Mrs. Ted Smith and Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen went to The Dalles Tuesday for check-ups.

Joel Engelman MSP 1-c, left Monday for Moffatt Field.

The Maranatha club met at the home of Mrs. Marion Palmer Friday, with nine members and one guest present. Delicious refreshments were served after the business meeting.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rietmann were their son Robert who is home on furlough, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engelman and son Joel, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholson and daughter Alice and G. A. Pettys.

Billy Joe and Pvt Robert Rietmann went to Spokane one day last week to visit their cousin, Van Rietmann at the Baxter hospital. Van was injured while in the service. They found him in good spirits.

The following books were purchased by the Ione public library: Ponies on Parade, Those Smith Kids, The Singing Cave, Mickey the Horse that Volunteered, Turn to the Sun, Bronze Arrow Mystery, South of the Paso and Report on the Russians.

The city council voted to have the weeds cut along the street. The weeds have grown to such a height that they have endangered traffic.

David Gordon spent one day last week visiting friends in Ione. He is the son of Mrs. Vera Warfield formerly of Ione but now lives in Pasco, Wash.

Mrs. Mabel Davidson received word that her son Herbert was killed in Europe. Lt. Davidson was a bombardier.

Mrs. Joyce Darst left for San Diego Saturday to meet her husband who is in the navy. She received a cablegram from him stating that he was having his leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Caples of Portland visited at the Cotter home a day last week. Mrs. Caples is a sister of Mrs. Cotter. They left to join Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mason at Lehman Springs, where the Masons are spending a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Markham Baker entertained her Sunday school class at a chicken dinner. Games were played in the afternoon. Those present were: Dolores Drake, Joan Coleman, Leta Linn, Jane Seehafer, Willard Waddell, Roger and Ralph Kincaid, Donald and Johnny Bristow, Richard Rea, Lee Palmer, Quincy Morgan and Ronald Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Philips and daughter Lorraine of Portland were recent visitors of Mrs. Anne Smouse.

Mrs. Agnes Wilcox left for Portland Saturday with Mrs. Earl Blake and daughters Mary Kay and Joanne of Heppner. Mrs. Wilcox was present at the Currin reunion at Eagle Creek, Oregon Sunday Aug. 12. It has been 100 years since her grandfather, Hugh Currin came to Oregon from Virginia and settled in what is now known as Currinsville.

Miss Margaret McGreer of Portland spent the week-end in Ione visiting friends.

Phil Emert and wife have been visiting relatives and friends the past week. Mr. Emert is with the armed forces.

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The Past Noble Grand club will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn Aug. 24.

Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Waddell, Mrs. Olive Engelman, Mrs. Dale Ray, Mrs. Ada Cannon and Mrs. Echo Palmateer drove to Heppner a week ago Monday evening to hear Mrs. Hattie Menges, a missionary from India. They enjoyed a very pleasant time.

The Topic club held their social meeting at the home of Mrs. Echo Palmateer Aug. 10. Twelve members were present. The following interesting reports were given.

"Mexico Marches" given by Mrs. Elmer Griffith, "Education and Social Welfare in Mexico" Mrs. Franklin Ely and "Mexico Today" by Mrs. Omar Rietmann. Refreshments of ice cream, cookies and coffee were served.

but Mrs. Bunch will remain with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mankin.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Heliker left Monday morning for Pendleton. Continued on Page Seven



**Stay with him, Newt!**

He's headed for the

**Fair Pavilion**

where the gang will assemble

**Saturday Evening**

August 18

for the Lena Attendant dance.

The Ione Orchestra will accentuate the positive and the C.A.P. will serve refreshments.

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