

Officers Of State Grange In Lone To Attend Conference

By Echo Palmateer
A grange conference was held at Willows grange hall January 15 with the following state officers present: Morton Tompkins, master; Edythe Boharth, youth superintendent; Hilda Reiker, deputy for eastern Oregon; Agnes Flint, HEC chairman; Garnet Ruckman, lecturer.
Mr and Mrs. Clarence Carter of La Grande were also present. Mr. Carter is the grange deputy from Union county. The afternoon meeting consisted of a conference in each department and in the evening a balanced program was put on and floor demonstrations of opening and closing grange. Dinner was served in the evening to about 60 people.
Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Ely and family of Boardman spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely, at Morgan.
Johnny and Jerry, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Bristow, are recovering from a siege of mumps.
Mrs. Buena Maris Mockmore, dean of women, Oregon State college, addressed the lone high school and the 7th and 8th grades at the schoolhouse Thursday morning, January 15. Her subject was, "What We Want in Life and How We Go About to Get It." Mrs. Lucy Rodgers accompanied her. Several from here attended the P-TA meeting in Heppner on Wednesday evening, Jan. 14, and heard Mrs. Mockmore.
Ball games last week were lone high school, defeated in both games at Stanfield, Jan. 13, the scores being, first team, 29-35, and second, 14-25; they won their second league game at Boardman the 16th, first team, 27-22, and the second team, 28-16.
The town teams defeated Lexington in both games here the 14th and won from Heppner and Boardman here Friday of last week. Lone grades defeated Heppner in a basketball game and the grade girls a volleyball game here Wednesday afternoon, the 14th.
The HEC of Willows grange met at the home of Mrs. James Lindsay Friday, Jan. 16, with a potluck dinner at noon. There were 21 members present. The officers, Mrs. Wate Crawford, president; Mrs. Hershall Townsend, secretary; and Mrs. Lewis Halverson, treasurer, were installed and committees for the coming year were named.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ray and Mrs. Bertha Ray of Hood River spent the week end at the Dale Ray home.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Esteb arrived home last week from a three weeks visit with relatives in the Willamette valley and at Hood River.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lundell gave a dinner at their home on Thursday evening of last week in honor of the birthdays of Mrs.

Darrel Padberg and Mrs. Milton Morgan. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Padberg, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Bristow.
During the month to February the Cooperative church will consider the plan of the church in our modern world. Sermon topics will be: Feb. 1, "How the Church Began"; Feb. 8, "The Program of the Church"; Feb. 15, "The Church and Modern Life"; Feb. 22, "Criticisms of the Church"; Feb. 29, "You and the Church." The church is also conducting a series of Monday evening bible classes, studying the "Minor Prophets," their messages for the world of today. These classes are held in the Congregational church at 8 p.m. Monday evenings, with Rev. A. Shirley conducting them.
The regular meeting of Willows grange was held Saturday evening, preceded by a potluck supper at 6 o'clock. Initiation was held in the 3rd and 4th degrees. There were two candidates from Lexington, two from Rhea creek and one from Willows grange. Seven officers were also installed.
The Maranatha society met at the home of Mrs. Walter Corley Wednesday, Jan. 14. The officers were installed, Mrs. E. M. Baker as president, and Mrs. Noel Dobyns as vice president. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Corley and Mrs. Wm. Seehafer.
At the IMIA meeting at the Legion hall January 14 it was decided to go ahead with the swimming pool. Gravel will be hauled in a few days and work will start on the pool.
Dates to remember: PNG club at Mrs. Chas. O'Connor's, Jan. 23. High school basketball game here with Irigoin, Jan. 23. March of Dimes dance at grange hall, Jan. 24. Regular meeting of Eastern Star, Jan. 27. Lone P-TA at schoolhouse, Jan. 28, at 8 p.m. School budget meeting at schoolhouse, Jan. 28, 7 p.m. Card party and smorgasbord at the Legion hall, Jan. 31 at 8 p.m., proceeds to go to the IMIA.
Kenneth Lundell left Wednesday last week for Salem where he was joined by Miss Eva Swanson and both went to Oakland, Cal. They stopped at Coos Bay to visit a cousin, Leon Lundell.
Miss Mary Brackett spent the week end at the Alcott Lundell home.
Mrs. Milton Morgan is visiting relatives in Portland and also helping take care of her aunt, Mrs. Rodney Crawford Sr., who is ill.
"Pinky" Allen purchased a new Ford deluxe car.
Gene Normoyle, Jimmy Barnett and Ted Palmateer were Pendleton visitors Tuesday night of last week. Gene joined the "40 et 8" of the American Legion while there.
The annual church dinner and meeting of the Cooperative church was held January 18 at the Congregational church parlor. The following committees and officers were elected: Permanent finance committee, Kenneth Smouse, David Rietmann, Mrs. Frank Engelman, Mrs. Dale Ray, E. M. Baker, and Mrs. Della Corson; the alternates are Mrs. Wm.

Mrs. Ansted Given Shower At Lex; Dinners Feature

By Mrs. Cecil Jones
Mrs. Bill Marquardt and Mrs. Homer Hughes were co-hostesses to a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Ronald Ansted at the home of Mrs. Ansted's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Majeske, Thursday. Games were played, after which the bride opened her gifts, which were placed on a table covered with lace cloth and decorated with a spruce tree, covered with bright colored ribbons and bride's gifts. After this lovely refreshment were served.
Mrs. Harry Dinges has gone to Grants Pass where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Gerald Acklen.
Several members of the local P-TA attended the meeting in Heppner where they heard Mrs. Mockmore speak. Those going were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nelson, Mrs. Lon Edwards, Mrs. Lonnie Henderson and Mrs. Cecil Jones.
Mr. and Mrs. Schoonover and family are moving to a ranch in Washington.
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gibson, Seehafer, Marion Palmer and Mrs. Marion Palmer; deacons, Mrs. Engelmann, Mrs. A. Shirley, Mrs. Corson, Mrs. Gladys Drake, Mrs. Echo Palmateer and Mrs. Victor Rietmann. Mrs. Frank Engelman was elected as Sunday school superintendent and Mrs. Noel Dobyns as secretary-treasurer, and Miss Patricia Drake as her assistant. Firtex will be put on the walls and ceiling of the Cooperative church this week.
Mrs. C. W. Burton of Portland is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lana Padberg. Mrs. Earl McCabe was hostess for a birthday party at her home for her niece, Grace McCabe, Saturday afternoon. The girls from the 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades were the guests.
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1948 Chevrolet is Massive



The over-all simplicity and massiveness of the new, 1948 Chevrolet is well shown in this three-quarter view of the Fleetmaster Sport Sedan. Fenders, hood, body and door panels all blend, and the crease moulding, below the windows, is wider than that used in previous models. Note the new T-shaped chrome center bar on the radiator grille.

who have been living here in the Chas. Breshears house, have moved to Wasco where they will make their home.
Kenneth and Joe Way spent the week end in Lexington from Portland where they are attending school.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matthews spent one day last week here taking their 3-months-old son home with them. Mrs. Matthews has been a patient in a Pendleton hospital and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Breeding, have been taking care of their small son.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones entertained with a dinner Friday evening. Those attending were Elmer Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McFadden and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Henderson.
Mrs. Millard Nolan has returned to her home in Lexington after an appendectomy at the hospital in Pendleton.
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News From C. A. Office

Many farmers in eastern Oregon are finding that windbreaks grown from Oregon forest nursery trees pay good dividends in a relatively few years, says C. R. Ross, extension fram forester at O.S.C. Aside from making the farm home more livable and attractive, windbreaks reduce feed costs where used to protect stock corrals and cut fuel costs by protecting homes from driving winter winds.
The Oregon forest nursery, operated by the state board of forestry, will fill orders until March 1 at \$2.50 per thousand plus shipping costs. If planting is not possible that early they can be "heeled in" by placing roots in a small trench and keeping them covered and moist, says Jackson.
Varieties recommended east of the Cascades are Ponderosa pine, Douglas fir, black locust, Russian olive, Austrian pine and Arizona cypress.
Conservation goals for 1948 were set and discussed by supervisors of the Heppner Soil Conservation district at their January meeting. Plans and arrangements for the program of the annual meeting were also made

with Orville Cutsforth, Lexington, in charge of the program. The supervisors approved the purchase of a fertilizer which will be available for rental to cooperators in the district.
In reviewing the conservation goals for 1948, the supervisors felt that the following practices would contribute the most to getting conservation on the land in the Heppner district.
Contour farming, 5,351 A.; crop residue management, 9,924 A.; strip cropping, 150 A.; proper stocking, 35 A.; seeding of pasture, 35 A.; farm and ranch ponds, 3 ponds; terraces, 2 miles; irrigation land preparation, 60 A.; improved water application, 135 A.; fertilizer application, 400 A.; spring development, 6 springs; district soil surveys, 30,000 A.; topographic surveys, 150 A.; number of plans, 10 plans; acres, 23,000 A.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

From Sheepskin to Sheep
There aren't too many college graduates in our town. Good honest thinking, yes...but most folks went from high school into farming.
No harm in that! But I admire veterans like Dick Newcomb...who's 23, but going to college under the G.I. Bill of Rights. Intends to be a sheep farmer—but a better-informed, more scientific farmer, with more know-how!
And veterans like Dick aren't letting anything interfere. What little relaxation they allow themselves is in the form of needed exercise, or books, or conversation and an occasional glass of beer with friends.
Seems as if, just by having their education postponed, they've put a higher value on it...and on things like temperance (that glass of beer, for instance), understanding, and good citizenship. And from where I sit, when Dick gets his sheepskin—he won't have lost much time. He'll be an even better farmer than his Dad. (Exactly what Dad wanted!)

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