

**Monument Notes**

**MM MClub To Start Quilting**

**By Millie Wilson**  
The M.M.M. Club met at the home of Millie Wilson last Thursday with eight members present. Beside the hostess there were, Martha Matteson, Lizzie Copper, Grace Stirritt, Goldie Round, Doris Capon, Lois Hill and daughter, Delcie Sweek. The election of officers was postponed until the next meeting which will be held on October 4th at the home of Martha Matteson. At that time a quilt will be put in the frames for quilting. It is hoped all members will attend this meeting.

Iffie Stewart of John Day spent two nights last week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Grace Stirritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Verl Thompson took their two-year-old daughter to the hospital in Heppner last Friday. It is feared she is suffering from rheumatic fever. They will move her to a hospital in Spokane.

Mrs. Anna Bayless of Heppner came to Monument with Chris Hamilton. She was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnard. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Barnard to John Day on Saturday.

Elmer Matteson and son Dale drove to Nampa for a load of peaches, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ferguson of Dayville spent last weekend with Mr. Ferguson's mother, Mamie Ferguson and his grandmother, Josie Round.

Mr. S. E. Lewis is painting the kitchen in the new home recently purchased from Ruth Sweek by Mr. and Mrs. Mead Gilman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sweek returned Thursday from a week's vacation spent in Washington, in Portland and at the coast. While in Portland they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cork.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Campbell of Kimberly were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Brown Wednesday evening. Mr. Campbell showed some moving pictures of their recent trip through Yellowstone Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Tunis Round and daughter Ireta Ann and Mrs. Betty Round were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stirritt and Mrs. Fred Shank and daughter Laura Lee on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Robertson and daughter of Long Creek and Criss Hamilton were business visitors in Mitchell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Moline have moved from the Patzer apartments to their new home north of town.

Mrs. Lydia Capon and Mrs.

Clara Streeker were hostesses at a Pink and Blue Shower in honor of Mrs. Clarice Campbell. It was held in the Grange Hall Friday afternoon. Mrs. Campbell received many lovely gifts. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Engle and children of Cottonwood drove to the Lyle Van Dusen ranch on Wall Creek last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Round attended a surprise birthday party at Fox, honoring Mrs. Round's sister, Mrs. Letha Bonifaich.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cox returned Wednesday from a two week vacation in California and Oregon. They drove down the inland route to Watsonville where they visited Mrs. Cox's sister. Their next stop was San Francisco where they visited her brother. Then they came up the coast to Oregon and visited in Springfield and Portland. In Springfield they were the guests of Mrs. Cox's brother and of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sweek.

Bill Lesley received word last Wednesday that his wife, who is in the hospital at Prineville, had presented him with a baby girl. Mr. Lesley drove to Prineville on Thursday to visit his wife and daughter. The baby has been named Anna Sue.

Ed Williams of Portland was visiting friends in Monument on Wednesday. He also visited his two granddaughters, Jeannie and Deana Williams.

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**Lexington News**

**By Delpha Jones**

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Mr. and Mrs. Hermann Wallace were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hays of Irrigon over the week-end.

Jim Pointer of Seattle was renewing acquaintances here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and family of Portland visited here over the week-end.

Art Hunt who spent several days in the hospital in Pendleton has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hughes and son and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marquardt have returned from a vacation spent in Sun Valley.

Mrs. O. G. Breeding and daughter Joan motored to Walla Walla Monday to visit their son, Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMillan were business visitors in Hermiston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Griffen and daughter, Mrs. Robert Buchanan returned Sunday from California.

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report back to duty.

Mrs. W. H. Settle drove to Pendleton on Tuesday for a load of supplies for their store.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lesley and family of Monument, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Sloan and children of Long Creek and Mr. Mrs. Jim Smith and children of Pendleton were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Crum of Monument Look Out.

Last Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Crum at the Monument Look Out had as their dinner guests, Bill Gienger, Ivan Gienger and Mrs. Lavelle Porter and children, Bobby and Donna. On Wednesday George Gienger and Ruby Gienger were dinner guests of the Crums. George Gienger was driving a new Jeep.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood and family of Tillamook visited over the Labor Day weekend with Mrs. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Brown.

Clark College, and Mr. Schwab who returns this year, as principle and will teach social studies, health and P. E. There are 20 enrolled in high school. The bus drivers are as follows, Joe Cornillon, Mrs. Dunbar, Elmer Peterson and Mrs. Roy Martin. The janitor is Joe Thornburg and the cook is Mrs. Elsie Peterson. There are about 95 students enrolled so far this year in the combined grade and high school.

The Lexington Blue Birds were hostesses to a handkerchief shower honoring Miss Sandra Houch who recently moved to Couer de'Alene, Idaho. There were 14 youngsters present to the party which was held on the lawn at the Louis Wetzell home. Games were played and refreshments of ice cream cones, punch, cookies, and nut cups of mixed candy were served.

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recuperating from polio, is well enough to be home for a couple of days, but will have to return to the hospital for further treatment.

Jack O'Hara of Portland is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt O'Hara.

Mrs. Gaylord Prather of Portland, sister of Mrs. Gordon Coles, arrived in Heppner Wednesday to spend the rest of the week visiting at the Coles' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Denny of Gresham were visiting friends in Heppner Saturday.

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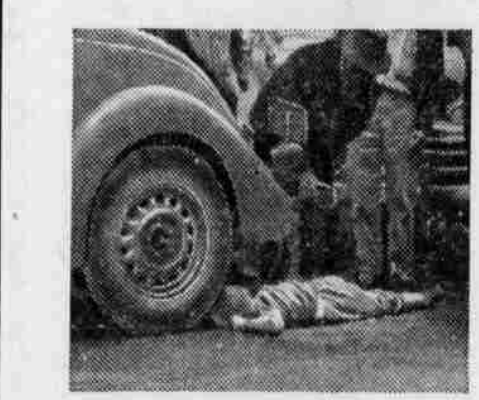
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