

Social Happenings . . .

Ralph L. Bengé Honored With Party On 90th Birthday

Ralph L. Bengé was honored on the occasion of his 90th birthday Saturday night with a family dinner given by his daughter, Mrs. Luola Bengé at the Bengé residence.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Terrel Bengé, Mrs. Joan Miller and son Terry, Lynn Marie and Ralph Bengé of Condon, Brenda, Brent and Hilda Bengé, Francis Dillier of Condon and Mrs. Bengé.

Ralph Lee Bengé of Condon, grandson of Bengé also was celebrating a birthday, his fourteenth.

Following the dinner a birthday cake was presented to both Ralphs; the top layer was in honor of the elder Mr. Bengé with 1864-1954 iced on the top. The bottom tier had fourteen candles in honor of the younger Ralph.

JayCee-ettes Elect New Officers At Business Meeting

Following the monthly joint potluck with the Jay Cees, the Jay Cee-ettes held their regular business meeting Wednesday, January 20 at the Civic Center.

Election of officers was held and the following were elected to office for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. Herman Green; vice president, Mrs. William Sowell; secretary, Mrs. Phil Blakney; treasurer, Mrs. Fred Gronemyer; board of directors, Mrs. Robert Ferrell, Mrs. E. J. Dobbie, Mrs. Herman Green and Mrs. Roice Fulleton. Mrs. Ferrell is the immediate past president.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Vivian White and Mrs. Clayton Shaw.

Hostesses for the potluck were Mrs. Ferrell, Mrs. Dobbie, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Mike Fulleton.

Theater Party Held For Kit George On Tenth Birthday

Kit George, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. George, celebrated his tenth birthday Saturday evening, January 23 with a dessert and theater party.

Those attending were Marlene, Larry and Bobby Fetsch; Diana and Ruby Ann Fulleton; Dennis, Daryl and Gary Dick; Sheryl Hartman; Michael Healy; Merlin Hughes; Chris Lovgren; David George; Mrs. B. G. Sigsbee; Mrs. V. R. Runnion; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Groshens and the guest of honor.

Degree Of Honor Has Installation Of New Officers Tuesday

The Degree of Honor held their regular social meeting Tuesday January 12 in the basement of the Methodist church.

Following a short business meeting installation of officers and initiation was held.

New initiates are Mrs. Ray Massey, Mrs. L. H. Case, Mrs. Creth Harris, Mrs. Sie Walker and Mrs. Audie Walker.

New officers installed were: president, Mrs. Theta Stratton; vice president, Mrs. Arnold Springer; second vice president, Mary Ann Jensen; color bearer, Mrs. Al Pierson; secretary, Mrs. Bill Farra; treasurer, Mrs. Carl King; inner watch, Mrs. Lloyd Harshman; outer watch, Mrs. Scotty Applegate; pianist, Mrs. Clive Huston; assistant pianist, Mrs. Mel Lavelle; usher, Mrs. Owen Leathers, Jr.; assistant usher, Mrs. Lincoln Nash.

Installing officers were: installing officer, Mrs. Clara Gertson; installing usher, Mrs. Carl McDaniels; and installing past president, Mrs. Vernon Munkers. The immediate past president, Mrs. Jim McCabe presented each of her officers for last year with a personalized apron.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Lincoln Nash, Mrs. Lloyd Harshman and Mrs. Arnold Springer.

Soroptimists Hear Talk On Homemaking

Mrs. Katherine Hager spoke to the Soroptimist club at their Thursday luncheon meeting at O'Donnell's, on her classification, which is education and homemaking.

She said the teaching of homemaking today includes much besides cooking and sewing. It takes in many things such as grooming, menu making, interior decorating, health habits and adjusting to society.

She also is supervisor of the cafeteria. She told of planning and preparing meals for such a large number and how hard it is to work under such crowded conditions as now exist. In November of 1953 there were 760 more meals served than in November of 1949 in the same amount of space and with the same facilities.

She also said that many schools are starting homemaking classes for boys.

W. S. C. S. TO MEET

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church will meet February 3 at 8:00 p. m. with Mrs. Lester Boulton at the church parsonage.

Coming Events

Saturday Jan. 30—Ladies of St. Patrick's church, food sale, Red and White store

Monday, Feb. 1—Chamber of commerce, noon at O'Donnell's Rainbow For Girls American Legion business meeting

Tuesday Feb. 2—Wranglers, club house American Legion auxiliary, home of Mrs. LeRoy Gardner

Thursday Feb. 4—Soroptimists, noon at O'Donnell's Elks Ladies night

Friday Feb. 5—Sans Souci Rebekah lodge

Wednesday Feb. 17—Card party, sponsored by All Saints Episcopal auxiliary, parish house, 8:00 p. m.

60 Attend Ione Masonic District Meeting Monday

Over 60 persons attended the district meeting of the Masonic lodge at Ione Monday evening with representatives present from Condon, Fossil, Arlington and Heppner.

The Grand Master, Tom Lampkin from North Powder and the Grand Secretary, Harry Proudfoot, Portland were also present. Charles O'Connor is Worshipful Master of the Ione lodge.

The ladies of the Eastern Star served refreshments.

Judy Ferrell Has Sixth Birthday Party

Judy Ferrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferrell celebrated her sixth birthday with a party at the home of her parents Monday afternoon.

Guests were Janice Baker, Connie Barger, Nancy Carpenter, Susan Drake, Tricia Farley, Barbara Fulleton, Margaret Green, Barbara Gross, Judy Jones, Leslie Faye Meador, Joyce Nolan, Linda Smith, Joan Stockard, Meredith Webb, Julia West, Rogina Wilson, Erna Lynn Winchester, Brenda Young, Barbara Gribble, Leann Warren, Sharon Hudson, and Nancy Ferrell.

Invited guests unable to attend were Teresa Monahan, Kerry Huggert, Jean Marie Healy, Jennie Smith, Sheridan Wyman, and Judy Groshen.

During the afternoon, "Pin The Tail on The Donkey" was played with Sharon Hudson winning the prize.

Refreshments of birthday cake, cup cakes, dixie cups, and candy were served by Mrs. Ferrell, assisted by Mrs. Marvin Smith and Mrs. Lowell Gribble.

Bill Cox Celebrates Ninth Birthday

Bill Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cox celebrated his ninth birthday Saturday night with a party at the home of his parents.

Following refreshments of ice cream and cake the group went to the show at the Star Theater.

Guests were LeRoy Gardner, Chris Burkenbine, Jay Stratton, Laurence Green, Bob Hager, Mike Williams, Larry Smith, and Laddie Dick.

Card Party Enjoyed At Cox Home Thurs.

Mrs. William Cox entertained at her home Thursday, January 14 with a card party and 8:00 dessert.

Guests were Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Floyd Jones, Mrs. Howard Bryant, Mrs. Cornett Green, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Robert Ferrell and Mrs. Roice Fulleton.

High score was received by Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Floyd Jones had second high score.

Carnation Club Meets At Bergstrom Home

Mrs. John Bergstrom was hostess to the regular meeting of the Carnation Club at her home on Thursday, January 14.

During the business meeting plans were discussed for the building of a permanent meeting place for the Degree of Honor.

Following the meeting games were played and refreshments served by the hostess and Mrs. Mel Lavele and Mrs. Katie Cunningham.

Womens Group Has Missionary Meet

The Womens Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church held a missionary meeting Monday night at the church parish house.

Mrs. Joe Nys, who was in charge of the meeting gave a talk on the ten commandments and the teachings of Christ.

Mrs. Ture Peterson sang two vocal solos and Mrs. Luola Bengé accompanied her.

Mrs. Bengé also gave a short history about three church hymns.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. A. D. McMurdo and Mrs. Grace Nickerson.

Barratt Home Scene Of Dessert Party

Mrs. William Barratt entertained at her home Wednesday night, January 20, with a dessert and card party.

Guests were Mrs. Kemp Dick, Mrs. James Driscoll, Mrs. Howard Cleveland, Mrs. James Healy, Mrs. Alex Thompson, Mrs. William Labhart, Mrs. Willard Blake, Mrs. Bradley Fancher, Mrs. Jack Van Winkle and Mrs. Paul Webb.

CHURCHES

HEPPNER METHODIST CHURCH

Lester D. Boulden, Minister Church School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Coffee and fellowship hour after the morning service.

Intermediate Fellowship 6:00. Family Church Night 7:00 to 9 p. m. Speaker, fellowship, refreshments.

Junior Choir Wednesday 4:00 p. m. Choir Practice Thursday 8:00 p. m.

From an unknown source comes this bit of wisdom: "Parents who find it difficult to send their children to Sunday School should bring them."

IONE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Wilfred C. McKay, pastor Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Evening services at 8:00 p. m. Bible study and prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. Everyone welcome.

HEPPNER ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Willis W. Geyer, Pastor Services:— Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Christ's Ambassadors 6:45 p. m. Evangelistic Services 7:45 p. m. Thursday evening Prayer and Bible study 7:45 p. m.

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Rev. A. Shirley Sunday, Jan. 31 Church school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Choir rehearsal Monday at 8 p. m.

"Now I have a real goal and a reason for life," so wrote an American soldier who refused repatriation and remained with the Communists. There is something here that should cause us to think, and we will think about it on Sunday. Everybody welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Earl L. Soward, Pastor Services begin at 9:45 with the opening of Bible School. Classes for all ages and grades.

Morning Worship at 10:55. The pastor will preach on, "Such as I Have." Installation of church officers will take place during the morning services. No night service.

Choir rehearsal at 8 p. m. Wednesday. Church Night Fellowship supper and monthly business meeting Thursday.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Robert Becker, Pastor Saturday Services: Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m. Sermon, 11 a. m. Prayer Meeting Monday, at 7:30 p. m. Study of the Beatitudes.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Episcopal John R. Reeves, Rector 8:00 a. m. Holy Communion 9:45 a. m. Church School 11:00 a. m. Morning Prayer 7:00 p. m. Young People's Fellowship

First Sunday of Month—Choral Holy Communion Wed. 10 a. m. Holy Communion Wed. 4:00 p. m. Junior Choir Thurs. 8:00 p. m. Choir practice

IONE School News

The Ione High School basketball team won from Lexington and Heppner last week. The B string was defeated in the game with Heppner here Saturday evening. The school wishes to compliment the people, the coach, team and student body from Heppner for their fine co-operation and sportsmanship here Saturday evening. The game was clean and fast. The school appreciates the fine support given to them by the entire community, and for the good attendance at the sock dance after the game.

To date the high school has played 10 games and has lost none. 6 were league games with no losses.

The grade school played two games with Heppner here Saturday afternoon but lost them. They were hard fought games

and were well attended by the people of the community. Work has begun to give basketball training in the 5th grade Physical Educational classes. Ione will go to Stanfield Jan. 29 and to Heppner Jan. 30.

The Second Semester began Monday Jan. 25 with 53 in high school and 100 in the grades.

HEPPNER VALLEY 4-HRS

The Heppner Valley 4-Hrs organized at the home of their leader, Mrs. Earle Kendall.

We elected officers and those elected were: president, Mary Tucker; vice president, Shirley

Van Winkle; secretary, Carol K. Anderson; news reporter, Connie Anderson and song leader, Vicki Barger.

The members that were present were Margaret Simmons, Bonnie Hannon, Shirley Van Winkle, Vicki Barger, Connie Anderson, Carol K. Anderson, Jeanne Collins, Shirley Nash, Mary Evelyn Tucker, and Sharon Keithley. One member, Wilma Bothwell was not present.

Our next meeting will be February 9 at the home of our leader, Sharon Keithley and Vicki Barger will demonstrate making toast at our next meeting. Connie Anderson, reporter

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