



"COMIN' ROUND THE MOUNTAIN", a comedy benefit play to be put on next Thursday evening by the Lexington Three Links club promises to provide an evening full of laughs, if this cast of "characters" have their way. Main participants in the evening's entertainment are, left to right: Earl Miller as Sammy Foster, George Irvin as Pa, Delpha Jones as Ma, Clarice McFadden as Dizzie Mae, Barbara Cutsforth as the bride, June Cooper as Ellie Lou and George Herman as Curley.



AN OLD CURTAIN provides the veil for "The Bride", played by Barbara Cutsforth in Lexington's play "Comin' Round the Mountain." Shown with her are Pa and Ma, played by George Irvin and Delpha Jones. (GT Photos)

Willow Creek Home Scene of Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cleveland were host and hostess at a dinner party Saturday night at their home on Willow Creek.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Winkle, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb, Mr. and Mrs. James Healy, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan McCurdy Jr. of Ione, and Mr. and Mrs. William Labhart.

Following the dinner bingo was played.

Gene Wells Entertain Saturday With Cards

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wells had as their guests at a pinocle party at their home Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. John Hartman, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marshall. High score for the evening was received by John Hartman and Alex Thompson.

Following the card game refreshments were served to the group by the hostess.

Social Happenings . . .

Union Missionary Society Appoints New Officers Monday

An executive committee meeting of the Union Missionary Society was held in the Christian Church Monday afternoon with the officers of the past year presiding.

Newly appointed officers for the society are president, Mrs. Roy Neill; first vice president, Mrs. Paul Brown; second vice president, Mrs. Ben Anderson; and secretary, Mrs. R. Edwin Walker.

Committees appointed were: program, chairman, Mrs. Jarvis Chaffee to be assisted by Mrs. Lester Boulden, Mrs. A. D. McMurdo, and Mrs. William Rawlins of Ione. Refreshment chairman, Mrs. Joe Devine, to be assisted by Mrs. Walter Becket, Mrs. P. W. Mahoney, and Mrs. Leonard Carlson of Ione.

Churches comprising the Union Missionary Society are the Christian, Methodist, and Episcopal churches of Heppner and the Valley Lutheran church of Gooseberry.

The first regular meeting for the year will be the observance of "The World Day of Prayer" at the Christian church on March 5. Plans were made at the executive meeting to hold the May meeting in the Valley church.

Refreshments were served to the eleven ladies present by Mrs. Clive Huston and Mrs. Joe Devine.

Triple Links Party Attended by Many

The Triple Link Club of the Rebekahs sponsored a public card party Friday night at the I. O. O. F. hall.

With thirteen tables of pinocle and four of bridge in play, Mrs. Charles Becker received high score and Frank Turner low in pinocle. Bridge prizes were won by Mrs. Earl Gilliam, high, and Mrs. Emilie Groshens, low.

Mrs. Dick Wells received the door prize.

Hostesses and serving committee were Mrs. Adelle Bailey, Mrs. Victor Groshens, Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, Mrs. Sara McNamer, Mrs. Sie Walker and Mrs. John Bergstrom.

Soroptimist Club To Study Revision of Constitution-By-Laws

The Soroptimist club heard Mrs. Jack Loyd speak briefly on the March of Dimes program at their Thursday luncheon meeting at O'Donnell's. She told what the March of Dimes had been doing and what they hoped to do.

Mrs. Mary Van Stevens announced that the bloodmobile will be in Heppner on February 8 and asked all who could, to volunteer to help.

Mrs. W. O. George was introduced and reviewed the constitution and by-laws of the club. The Federation by-laws are to be revised and will be voted on at the meeting at Banff this summer. All delegates must be informed on the subject so as to know how to vote.

Birthday cake was brought by Mrs. Floyd Adams in honor of the January birthdays. Those who had birthdays last month were Mrs. Loyal Parker, Mrs. Harold Sanders, Mrs. Harold Evans and Mrs. Frank Andresen.

DUPLICATE CLUB AT McMURDO HOME

Mrs. A. D. McMurdo was hostess to the Duplicate Bridge Club at her home Thursday, January 28.

Members present were Mrs. Lou Bisbee, Mrs. Grace Nicker, son, Mrs. Earl Gilliam, Mrs. Loyal Parker, Mrs. Fred Parrish, Mrs. Frank Turner and Mrs. Sara McNamer.

P-TA Chili Supper Attracts Over 200

Approximately 200 persons were served at the highly successful P-TA sponsored chili supper on Saturday night at the Heppner school cafeteria. Immediately preceding the Ione-Heppner basketball game. Another 50 persons were turned away because of lack of food, the committee announced.

Mrs. Kenneth Keeling was general chairman for the affair and members of the serving and kitchen committee were Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Gribble, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Bechtolt, Mrs. Carl McDaniel, Mrs. John Pfeiffer, Kenneth Keeling, Nels Anderson, Rev. L. D. Boulden and Rev. Earl Soward.

The committee extended its thanks to Hager's Dairy for donating all the milk that was served at the supper. The project netted over \$120 it was said.

Legion Auxiliary Met At Gardner Home

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Lelloy Gardner Tuesday night, with twenty-two members in attendance.

Preceding the business meeting Mrs. Clarence Johnson, program chairman presented the following program. Dolores Easter gave a humorous reading "First Driving Lesson" and Jeanne Collins, Vicky Barger, Carol Anderson, Judy Cochell and Brenda Townsend sang several songs, accompanying themselves on the ukuleles.

During the business meeting, plans were discussed for the serving of the Chamber of Commerce banquet March 1. A thank you letter from the Portland Child Welfare center was read thanking the unit and Mrs. Dick Wells local Child Welfare chairman for the \$68.00 worth of used clothing and yarn caps.

The kitty was won by Mrs. William Heath.

It was announced the next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. James Driscoll, February 16.

Mrs. Jack Van Winkle assisted Mrs. Gardner in serving refreshments to the following members present: Mesdames Don Munkers, Dick Wells, Gene Ferguson, William Heath, James Driscoll, Mike Fullerton, Clarence Johnson, Alex Thompson, Frank Davidson, Jack Bailey, Don Bellenbrock, Kemp Dick, Creston Robinson, Ned Sweek, James Farley, Nelson Bailey, Gene Wells, James Healy, Walter Becket and William Labhart.

Following the refreshments, cards were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Driscoll, Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Don Bellenbrock.

Douglas Gribble Has Thirteenth Birthday

Douglas Gribble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Gribble, celebrated his 13th birthday Sunday, January 24 with a supper and a theater party.

Those present were Jack Eberhardt, Dwayne Alderman, Dick Robinson, Dick Ruhl, Janice Martin, Cecelia Boulden, Carol Ann Anderson, Peggy Applegate and the guest of honor.

LEX GARDEN CLUB TO HOLD HOUSEPLANT SHOW

The Lexington Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Lewis Wetzel Tuesday, Feb. 9 at 2 p. m. and members are reminded to bring their houseplants for the houseplant show. Prizes will be awarded, it was announced.

Coming Events

Friday Feb. 5—Sans Souci Rebekah lodge

Saturday Feb. 6—Polio benefit party, Rhea Creek grange hall

Monday Feb. 8—Chamber of commerce, noon at O'Donnell's All Saints Episcopal auxiliary, 8:00 p. m. Parish house

American Legion business meeting

Tuesday Feb. 9—Bookworms Degree of Honor

Wednesday Feb. 10—P-T-A school at 8:00 p. m.

Thursday Feb. 11—Soroptimist, noon at O'Donnell's Elks

Friday Feb. 12—Ruth chapter No. 32, OES

Wednesday Feb. 17—All Saints Episcopal auxiliary card party, 8 p. m., parish hall.

CALENDAR OF Youth Activities

Saturday, Feb. 6—Basketball Fossil at Heppner.

Sunday, Feb. 7—Y. P. S., Episcopal church 7 p. m.

Christian Young People, Methodist church 8:30 p. m.

Monday, Feb. 8—Photography club, high school lab., 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, Feb. 9—Volleyball, Pilot Rock at Heppner, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, Feb. 10—Volleyball, Wasco at Heppner, 7:30 p. m.

Boy Scout troop 61, 7:30 Legion hall.

Dessert Party Held At Ferrell Home

On the evening of Wednesday, January 27, Mrs. Robert Ferrell entertained at her home with an 8:00 dessert and bridge party.

Guests were Mrs. Floyd Jones, Mrs. William Cox, Mrs. Cornett Green, Mrs. Howard Bryant, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. Ed Dick.

Mrs. Floyd Jones received high score for the evening while Mrs. Bryant was second high.

DINNER PARTY FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Reed entertained with a dinner on Friday evening January 29 at their home on Gilmore street.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Graham, David Reed and the host and hostess.

Thomson Home Scene Of Bookworms Meet

Mrs. James Thomson was hostess to the Book Worms club which met at her home Tuesday, January 26.

Mrs. Ture Peterson gave a review of the book "I'm Telling You Kids For The Last Time", by Parke Cummings.

Refreshments were served to the following members, Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Sara McNamer, Mrs. J. O. Turner, Mrs. Fred Parrish, Miss Lulu Hager, Mrs. Luola Bengtson, Mrs. Ted Smith and Mrs. Floyd Jones.

Mothers Club Meets At Lexington Home

Mrs. Lewis Wetzel was hostess to the Heppner Mother's Club which met at her home in Lexington Monday night.

Members present were Mrs. Willard Warren, Mrs. Robert Wal, Mrs. Robert Ferrell, Mrs. Clem Stockard, Mrs. Douglas Drake, and Mrs. Fred Sanders was a guest.

Following the business meeting a discussion was held on etiquette led by Mrs. Drake. Refreshments were served to the group by the hostess.

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