

Social Happenings

SUNDAY RECEPTION HONORS 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF E. R. LUNDELLS

By Echo Palmateer

A golden wedding anniversary reception was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Lundell in the Ione Community church parlors Sunday Dec. 26 from 2 to 5 p. m. Around 150 people attended.

The rooms were decorated in the Christmas motif and the table, covered with a lace cloth, was centered with the three tiered anniversary wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and surrounded with gold carnations and holly. Gold candles were also on the table.

After Mr. and Mrs. Lundell cut the first piece of the cake, the rest was served by Mrs. Mary Swanson assisted by Mrs. Adon Hamlett; Mrs. Algott Lundell served the groom's cake. Mrs. Lester Baker poured the coffee and Mrs. Anna Lindstrom poured the tea; Mrs. Oscar Lundell presided at the punch bowl; Mrs. Eldon Tucker and Mrs. Dolores Rowell had charge of the gift table and Dianna Pettyjohn and Judy and Geraldine Morgan welcomed the guests and had charge of the guest book. Later Mrs. Garland Swanson served the wedding cake. Mrs. Raymond Lundell served the groom's cake, Mrs. Milton Morgan and Mrs. Franklin Lindstrom poured and Mrs. Roy Lindstrom served the punch.

A wedding picture of the Lundells and pictures of their children were on one of the tables, also, gifts they received 50 years ago. Assisting about the rooms were Mrs. Wallace Matthews, Mrs. Berl Akers, Mrs. Earl McCabe and Mardine Baker.

The following program was given during the reception: Miss Esther Mae Baker sang "Because" and "God Gave Me You" and Adon Hamlett sang "O Promise Me" and "The End of a Perfect Day". They were accompanied by Mrs. Cleo Drake; Mrs. E. M. Baker played "Liebestraum" on the piano and Rev. Alfred Shirley gave a few remarks suitable for the occasion.

Ernest Richard Lundell and Lena Pearl Baker were married at the Valley Lutheran church in Gooseberry, Dec. 25, 1904. They lived in the Gooseberry community until 1915 when they moved to their present home in Ione. Their six children were all present at the reception. They are Richard Lundell of Pendleton, Frank Lundell of Milwaukie, Mrs. Gladys Drake, Mrs. Mildred Morgan, Mrs. Helen Pettyjohn and Norton Lundell of Ione. 14 of

Frank E. Parkers Honored At Party

Nearly 100 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Parker honored them with a potluck dinner and party on Saturday December 18 at the Rhea Creek grange hall in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

After dinner a Christmas tree and program was enjoyed and the Parkers were presented a gift.

Out of town guests attending were Maud Rugg of Hermiston, Fay Ward, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell, Tacoma; Mr. and Mrs. Onex Parker and family, Everett, Wash.

their 16 grandchildren and 3 of their 5 great-grandchildren were present. Mrs. Lundell's brother, Lester Baker of Walla Walla and Mr. Lundell's brothers and sisters, Mrs. Anna Lindstrom, Mrs. Mary Swanson, Oscar Lundell and Algott Lundell were present.

Mrs. Lundell wore an orchid and Mr. Lundell a gold carnation for the occasion.

Those attending from a distance were, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baker and daughter Esther Mae, of Walla Walla; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lundell and sons, William and Merle, of Milwaukie; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lundell and children, Michael and Richard, of Pendleton; and Mrs. Dolores Rowell of Pendleton.

Orville Smiths Given Dinner Party Before Hawaiian Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. George and Mr. and Mrs. Emile Goshens entertained Thursday evening with a dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith, who leave Friday for a three months stay in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Leis and straw hats were given the guests and the tables were decorated with Hawaiian favors.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rynnion, Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Schaffitz, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Penland, Mrs. J. Pfeiffer of Seattle, Mrs. S. M. Sigsbee, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hisler, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cohn, Mr. and Mrs. Verner Troedson and Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Morrison all of Ione, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. James Farley, Mr. and Mrs. James Thomson, the guests of honor and the hosts and hostesses.

22 Enjoy Christmas At Harry Duvall Home

On Christmas day a tree, program, group singing and dinner were enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duvall by Mr. and Mrs. Niel White, Pilot Rock; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waid, Ukiah; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tubbs, Portland; Mrs. Nannie Waid, Yakima, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waid and Jim, Portland; Miss Lenna Waid, Stanfield; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wickersham, Lois and Loren, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Vivian White, Brad and Craig, Heppner; Karla Waid, Arlington and the host and hostess.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet in Homes

Due to weather conditions, meetings of the American Legion auxiliary will be held in private homes for an indefinite period.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, January 4 at the home of Mrs. Dick Wells, with Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Gene Ferguson acting as hostesses.

After the regular business meeting bridge and pinocle will be played.

Need Letterheads? Phone 6-9228

Coming Events

Friday Dec. 31—Elks New Year's Eve dance

Saturday, Jan. 1—HAPPY NEW YEAR

Monday Jan. 3—Chamber of commerce, noon at O'Donnell's Rainbow for Girls

American Legion business meeting

Tuesday Jan. 4—American Legion auxiliary, home of Mrs. Dick Wells.

Wranglers, club house

Thursday Jan. 6—Soroptimists, noon at O'Donnell's

Elks Ladies night

Lions club, O'Donnell's, 6:30 p. m.

Friday Jan. 7—Sans Souci Rebekah lodge

Lex Garden Club Has Christmas Party

The Lexington Garden club met at the home of Edith Miller Tuesday Dec. 14 for their regular meeting and Christmas party.

Twenty one members and one guest, Marjorie Beach, enjoyed singing Christmas carols and a surprise visit from Santa and Mrs. Santa.

Everyone was asked to do some humorous thing before Santa gave them their gift.

Frances Schrag received the door prize.

Next meeting will be at the home of Edna Wetzel.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses Edith Miller and Millie Evans.

Open House Held At Nickerson Home

Mrs. Grace Nickerson entertained Christmas Day with an open house honoring her children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nickerson of West Fir and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hayes of Condon.

Friends called after 4:00 p. m. on into the evening.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Breeding of Lexington are announcing the engagement of their daughter Joan to Floyd Smith of Glide, Oregon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith of Glide.

No date has been set for the wedding.

CARTERS HAVE DINNER GUESTS

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Carter on Christmas day were Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Schaffitz and Jimmy and Diane, Mrs. Mary Carter of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Penland and Neal, Jeffery, Gregory and Mike Carter and the host and hostess.

DICKS HAVE GUESTS

Christmas visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dick, Jr., were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forsythe and children Lynn and Nancy of Portland and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ben Forsythe of Rydewood, Washington, who are remaining for a few days.

CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Earl L. Soward, pastor
Sunday services begin at 9:45 with the beginning of Church school. Morning worship at 10:55. There will be a potluck dinner following the church services.

The annual meeting will be held at 2 p. m. All members are urged to be present. Visitors are welcome.

HEPPNER METHODIST CHURCH

Lester D. Boulden, Minister
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
There will be a New Year's Eve party and Watch-night service at the church Friday evening from 9 p. m. to 12.

Junior Choir Wednesday 4:00 p. m.
Senior Choir Thursday 7:30 p. m.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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Tuesday, Young People 7:45 p. m.

Thursday Bible Hour 7:45 p. m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Armin H. Reitz, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. every Sunday.
Worship Service at 8:30 a. m., first and third Sundays of each month.

Meeting in the SDA church in Heppner.

Lutheran Ladies Society, the in the homes.
A cordial welcome.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sundays
8 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:45 a. m. Church school.

Lexington Grade School Gives Yule Program

By Delpha Jones

The Lexington grade school held its annual Xmas program in the high auditorium before a full house, on Thursday evening. The beginning of the program consisted of some beautiful tableaux to the music of the grade school chorus under the direction of Lawrence Brent with Mrs. Brent as accompanist. The chorus boys and girls were dressed in dark skirts and white blouses, and dark pants with white shirts, and wore blue ties. This was the first public appearance of the grade school choir and was well received by the public. Following this part of the program the primary grades, dressed as different toys, gave a most entertaining program, and following this Santa appeared with his sleigh being drawn by 8 small boys as reindeer and treats were distributed.

Dinner guests at the Dona Barnett and Trina Parker homes last week one night were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker of Heppner and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Tacoma, Washington who is a house guest of the Parkers. Also visiting there that evening was Mrs. Earl Warner, girlhood friend of Mrs. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMillan returned Thursday evening from a business trip to Portland, where they took Ray McAllister who entered the Oddfellow's home there. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pomeroy, sister of Mr. McMillan and an aunt of Mrs. Lou Broadley. Mrs. Broadley who has recently been in the hospital is greatly improved and able to be home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Messenger Sr. and son Carroll of Mitchell spent the weekend in Lexington visiting their children. They accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Messenger and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marquardt and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marquardt, and Jerry and Carroll Messenger of Lexington and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Messenger Jr. of Hermiston and daughters were dinner guests in Boardman at the E. T. Messenger home for Xmas.

Xmas Eve found all the children and grandchildren of Mrs. Norms Marquardt at her home where they enjoyed dinner. Also present was Miss Iris Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Fetsch and family of Heppner were Xmas guests at the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. "Pine" Thornburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Brown are the proud parents of a daughter born in Pioneer Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth and daughters Donna and Lisa and Gene Heliker were guests Sunday and Monday in The Dalles with Mrs. Cutsforth's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Edwards entertained with dinner Xmas day and had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jackson of Ione; Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Hatter and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ansted.

Mrs. Ina Nichols entertained Mrs. Wells of Heppner on Xmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude White of Hardman were dinner guests at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alonzo Henderson and family on Xmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Allyn had as their guests over Xmas their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Allyn of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Shell Gilkey of Richland, Washington were the guests at the E. B. Way home over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Keene motored to Hermiston last Thursday where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and all motored to Canada where they went to get the mother of Mrs. Keene and Mr. Campbell who has been visiting there with another

daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and children were visitors in Portland and Forest Grove during Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beach and children and Doc Lewis and Elsie Beach were Portland guests at the Laurel Beach home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Breeding had as their guests on Xmas, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Don Grant and family, and Miss Joan Breeding, Paul Breeding, Guy

Hastings, and Bill Bishop and Floyd Smith of Glide.

Bill Bishop left by bus on Sunday for Florida where he was called to the home of his grandmother. He plans to be gone about two weeks. He was taken to Pendleton by Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Breeding.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mahoney and Bob and Shannon left Sunday for a few days in Portland.

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STARTS MONDAY

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