

### Easter Observed In Ione With Special Services

By Echo Palmateer  
Easter was observed in Ione and community with the following services: Sunrise services were held on the hill south of town conducted by the high school group, with scripture readings, prayers, songs, readings and instrumental music. This was followed by a breakfast

at the Community church. About 50 people were served by the Maranatha club members who prepared the breakfast.

At the Community church a children's program was held in the morning with the Jolly Juniors, the nursery class, the beginners class and the kindergarten class taking part. Mrs. Delmer Crawford conducted the program and Julie Rietmann was the pianist. At the worship service anthems were sung by the choir.

The following program was held at the Nazarene church: recitations and songs were given by Bonnie, Jack, Bobby and Monty Crum. Ivan, Ralph and John Akers and Gerald Pruss. At the worship service Peggy Allen and Louise Botts sang and Niel McKay gave an instrumental solo.

Early Mass was held at St. Williams Catholic church with an Easter egg hunt afterward for the children.

Rev. Ed Svendsen of Corvallis, conducted services at the Valby Lutheran church in Gooseberry. He and his two sons were guests at the Henry Peterson home while here.

Communion services were held in the Community church Thursday April 7 at 8 p. m. with Rev. A. Shirley, pastor, officiating. Baptismal services were held for the following: Judy, Geraldine, Virgil and Bonnie Morgan, Robert Rice and William Michael Rowell. The following became members of the church: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn and children, Paul and Dianna, Mr. and Mrs. John Eubanks and children Donald and Sandra and Mrs. Wate Crawford.

The children of the community enjoyed Easter egg hunts Friday afternoon April 8.

Mrs. Merle Baker was elected chairman of the Ione Extension Unit at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Omar Rietmann on Thursday April 7. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Harold Dobyns, vice chairman and Mrs. Delmer Crawford, secretary and treasurer. Mrs. A. L. McCabe, Mrs. Rietmann and Mrs. Harold Sherer were members of the nominating committee. Mrs. Beverly Bradshaw, home demonstrator of the county, gave instructions on selecting foundation garments. Refreshments were served after the meeting by Mrs. Rietmann and Mrs. Oscar Peterson.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star Social club was held at the Omar Rietmann home on Wednesday April 6 in the after-



ANNIVERSARY BANQUET SPEAKERS—R. B. Rice, Heppner, one of the original incorporators of the Morrow County Grain Growers is shown with Mrs. Rice and L. L. Howton, president of the co-op. Both men spoke at the 25th anniversary banquet held April 5 at the fair pavilion. Mr. Rice telling of the early history of the organization and Howton of its present operation. (GT Photo)

noon. Pinochle was played after the meeting. Those winning the prizes were Mrs. Fred Mankin, high; Mrs. James Lindsay, low. Mrs. Carl Bergstrom received the door prize.

Guests last week at the Lloyd Howton home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Campbell and children of Warden, Wash., and Mrs. Merle Bumgarner of Spokane.

Mrs. Walter Jacobs and daughter, Marilee, were visitors last week with her parents in Sappo, Wash.

Mrs. Lloyd Howton was a Portland visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fleming of Monument visited their daughter and family, Mrs. Stanley Cox

at the Jessie Griffin home Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn Ball of Yakima is reported ill in a hospital there. E. R. Lundell returned home

from the hospital in The Dalles last week and is improving in health.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Shirley were Portland visitors this week.

Anna Jepsen was chosen as delegate to Girl's State and Carolyn Crabtree as alternate as announced at the American Legion Auxiliary meeting at the Cecil Thorne home Tuesday April 5. The girls are selected by the school for their outstanding grades and other qualifications. Mrs. Ed Buschke assisted Mrs. Thorne with the refreshments.

Mrs. Charles O'Connor reviewed the book, The Song of Ruth by Slaughter, at the study meeting of the Topic club at the home of Mrs. Mabel Cotter April 7. Mrs. Dixon Smith, Mrs. Cotter and Mrs. Echo Palmateer were named to prepare the programs for the coming year. Mrs. Cleo Drake was the other hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warmuth and daughters Marge and Mildred Bristow of Portland were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Leonard Carlson has been with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Darst in Salem. Mrs. Darst recently underwent an appendec-

tomies. children spent Easter with relatives in Hermiston.



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