



Over The Tee Cup

By Jackie Labhart

CHEERS! Tee time is here again, and this brewer of golfing gossip has the old pot perkin' once more.

Even tho' No 1 green (Affectionately known as the "sunk hole") is somewhat submerged, the rest of the course is in peak condition, thanks to the diligent efforts of Raymond Ferguson and his harrow.

A few golfers have been playing the course the past few weeks, but due to most of us being a little "rusty", our scores show signs of being a little "moldy" too. Among those playing have been Dee and Lowell Gribble, Coramae and Ray Ferguson, Kay Robinson, Inez Meador, Cork Norene, Vi and Conley Lanham, Maxine Gray, Marie and Clint McQuarrie, Fannie Doherty, Ed Bennett, Hazel Mahoney, Velma Glass, Hester Creswick and this "aching athlete."

The women's first, somewhat disorganized, ladies day was held Tuesday morning. Ten frozen females braved a brisk nor'easter to partake in a coffee break at Dee's before venturing to the north and the golf course. Eight of us were there at the appointed time, but somehow Cork got her signals crossed and had proceeded to the links where she waited, somewhat disgustedly, for some golfing gals to show up. Finally she decided no one was coming so she drove back up town where she was informed to go to Gribbles. (That's the nice thing about a small town . . . you can leave messages at all the business establishments.) She finally arrived, but one "Bonnie" lass was still missing; so Dee called and told her to put on some warm clothes and come running. She did, but her warm clothes consisted of a jacket, heels, hose, skirt etc which was not what we had in mind . . . because the order of the day was to work on the course.

It seems as tho' a few people thought we could use some exercise, so we did knee bends all the way down No 4 and No 6 fairways; and as the old saying goes, "It was strictly for the birds." (But in this case it was for rocks and you might say we really took the fair-way for a cleaning.) The "rock pickin'" women were Coramae Ferguson, Dee Gribble, Cathy Collins, Hazel Mahoney, Bonnie Mattoon (she changed her clothes), Cork Norene, Maxine Gray, Vi Lanham, Marie McQuarrie and myself. After two hours and a pickup

full of rocks we decided to quit and eat lunch. (We had planned to golf but the blustery, bitter, blowing March atmosphere soon quelled our spirits.)

OVERHEARD: that Marie McQuarrie is working out with a pair of dumbbells to strengthen her arms 'Now there's one gal you can't call a "dumb-belle") . . . that John Williams, Ted Palmateer, Paul Koenig and myself are planning a Country Club party for around the first of April . . . that the Mahoneys and Fergusons are planning to play a lot of golf on their trip to Phoenix . . . that we certainly appreciate the heated patio room and the wonderful service from Herb Hamilton at the Wishing Well . . . that "Grib" was one under par until the last hole and then he zigged when he should have zagged.

That's about all I can see in the tee leaves this week . . . but with spring approaching and things turning green, golfers will also approach the golf course greens more profusely than the budding daffodils; then the tee cup should be full to the brim.

Lexington News

By DELPHA JONES

Paul Breeding and mother, Mrs O G Breeding were Portland visitors over the weekend.

Mrs Lella Palmer and Mrs Delpha Jones attended a coffee hour at the home of Esther Anderson in Heppner on Thursday. Mrs Jones gave a short talk on the functions of the Pioneer Memorial hospital auxiliary of which she is president.

The Social club met at the home of Mr and Mrs Johnnie Ledbetter on Sunday. After an 8 p m buffet dinner games were played with Johnnie Ledbetter winning the high for the evening. Those present were: Mr and Mrs Dean Hunt, Mr and Mrs George Irvin, and Mr and Mrs Cecil Jones and the host and hostess.

William J (Bill) VanWinkle is at home after a several days stay in Pioneer Memorial hospital.

Mrs Franklin Miles entertained with a party at her home on Wednesday night. Those present were: Mrs Sam McMillan, Mrs O W Cutsforth, Mrs James Peck, Mrs M V Nolan, Mrs Cecil Jones and daughter, Charlene, Mrs Bob Davidson and daughter, Dora Sue, and Mrs Sue Hams of Ione. Lovely refreshments were served later in the evening.

Visitors in Pendleton Saturday evening were Mr and Mrs Dean Hunt, Mr and Mrs Johnnie Ledbetter, Mr and Mrs Gene Orwick, Mr and Mrs George Hermann, Mr and Mrs Al Frost, Mrs Bertha Hunt and Mrs Clarice McFadden.

Franklin Messenger is again at his work at the Co-op after major surgery.

Mr and Mrs Cecil Jones and children visited Sunday in Ukiah at the Kenneth Gilliland and Earl Kendall homes.

Mr and Mrs Al Frost were weekend visitors in Lexington from their home in Kinzua.

Mrs Kenneth Marshall has been on the sick list and confined to her home the last week.

Earl Miller of LaGrande was a Lex visitor over the weekend.

Mrs June Davidson and family have moved to the Ola Ward house recently vacated by the McCann family.

Judy Zita, daughter of Mr and Mrs Dick Zita of Condon, return-

Heppner High School SCOOP

By CAROLYN McDANIEL

The junior play is finally underway! Mr Pratt, who is the director of the play, announced this week that he had selected the members of the play cast. Tryouts were held last week and selections are: Carolyn Carter, Tom Hayward, Judy Cochell, Tom Driscoll, Roseann Ayers, Carol K Anderson, Connie Anderson, Sam Green, Mickey Van Scholack, Jeff Collins, Stan Schoonover, Cliff Green, and Mary Johnston. The title of the play is "The Bus Stops Here" and is a three act comedy-drama.

The Future Business Leaders of America met on Tuesday, March 3 for their regular evening meeting. The guest speaker for the evening was Miss Esther Kirmis, who is the Morrow county home extension agent. Miss Kirmis spoke about her job and the type of training one must have to become a home extension agent. The FBLA members are making plans for attending the state FBLA convention. Many plan to try out in local contests for Mr and Miss FBLA, the spelling contest, and the speech contest. The winners of the local contests will then compete at the state convention in the same categories. Money-making projects are being put into operation, so there will be more funds for attending the convention. A car wash, a pancake breakfast, and an entertainment night, presenting 3 one-act plays are among the new projects.

Heppner's Mustangs will play Dayville at 8:00 at the district playoffs in Pendleton on Thursday night. Townspeople are urged to attend and help support the team. Remember, the winner of the playoffs will go to the state tournament in Bend as the district 7-B champs!

The dates of the junior-senior banquet and prom have been set as April 30, and May 1, respectively. As always, the theme is a well guarded junior secret. Each year the junior class honors

ed to her home Sunday after visiting with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs O W Cutsforth. Her mother, Dorothy Zita motored to Lexington after her.

Guests of Mr and Mrs Gar Leyva over the weekend were, Mr and Mrs Jim Lemon and daughter, Linda from Monroe.

Helen Leyva returned home Sunday from California where she motored taking her mother after a visit in Lex at the Leyva home.

Miss Marlene Glayen visited over the weekend with her parents in Ontario, Oregon.

Dates to remember: P-TA on Tuesday of next week. Program consists of 4-H entertainment. Rebekah lodge Thursday, March 5, 8 p m.

Women's Fellowship group Tuesday, March 17.

Tess Hatfield and daughter, Donna are spending some time in Madras at the John Hatfield home.

Mrs Clarice McFadden moved her household furniture to Hermiston where she will make her home. At present she is staying with Bertha Hunt until she moves.

Mr and Mrs Armin Wihlon have moved their trailer house to the Schrage lot. Mr and Mrs Frank Schrage has moved to Pendleton.

Mr and Mrs Bob Kilkenny and family have moved to their ranch after several weeks in town during the remodeling of their ranch home.

the seniors with the banquet and prom, and it has become a tradition. The banquet is exclusively for juniors and seniors, but underclassmen may attend the prom.

Students will have a two day vacation on March 19 and 20. During the vacation, on March 20, the Elks will sponsor a party for Ione, Lexington and Heppner students. This is an annual event and everyone is looking forward to it.

Monument Starts TV Hookups

By MARTHA MATTESON

TV has come to Monument. Some persons got hooked up Friday evening before the meeting was held in the grange hall. Arrangements were made at the meeting for others who wished to hook on.

Buzzie Leathers, son of Mr and Mrs Wayne Leathers had a gun

BOY SCOUT NOTES

At our meeting Monday night the flags were carried in by the Cobra patrol and we saluted. We learned the Stars and Stripes should always be on the right side of the speaker. We reviewed the flag so as to be ready for a demonstration by the Boy Scouts for the Odd Fellows next Wednesday.

Bob Abrams scheduled a trip for our spring vacation as an overnight hiking trip. We are making a schedule to see who will cook and wash the dishes. Donald Munkers, Mike Sweek and Lee Daggett passed their Tenderfoot requirements; Kenneth Case his second class requirements. Donald Munkers and Douglas Anderson volunteered for the cooking. We went to the courthouse and played games.

Our meetings will be held every Monday night at 7:30 in the basement of the Methodist church.

Douglas Anderson, reporter, assistant scribe.

accident Friday afternoon. A 22 pistol went off while he was taking it out of the holster and he was shot in the leg. The bullet went in just under the skin for about five inches but missed the bone. His dad rushed him to Mrs Flowers for first aid then to John Day to the hospital.

Henry Durst and George Kirk drove to John Day Monday on business.

Mr and Mrs Joe Gassner and two daughters of Madras spent the weekend here visiting his brother and wife, Mr and Mrs Fred Gassner.

Jim Croker drove to John Day Tuesday on business.

Mr and Mrs Alve Ogle spent the weekend at Boise, Idaho on business.

Helen Holmes took Mrs Bob Neel and one of her girls to Pendleton Tuesday for medical aid. They returned Wednesday.

Mrs Jessie Scott and son, Mrs Ross McDonald and two girls spent Wednesday in John Day visiting at the J Walker home.

Mr and Mrs Earl Barnard spent several days at the Theron King ranch helping Ruben Patzer take care of things while Theron was in Pendleton with his family and Mr and Mrs Richard Cox were in Heppner and John Day.

The M M M club met Thursday afternoon at the George Stirrit home with Mrs Fred Shank as the hostess.

Norma Rynearson of Prairie City held a Stanley party at the Matteson home Friday afternoon. The American Legion Auxiliary held their regular meetings Friday night in the grange hall.

Mr and Mrs Lilburn Hunt of Long Creek were visiting relatives and friends Tuesday evening.

Mrs Emery and daughter Mary have moved back to the ranch. They stayed in town at the Minnie Gamble house while he was feeding cattle over on the creek.

Mr and Mrs Gene Vaughan drove to John Day for medical aid for their daughter Debby on Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Dick Williams drove to Bend Monday afternoon taking their daughter, Mrs Ross McDonald and her two daughters to catch the bus back to Southern California.

Mr and Mrs Dick Williams and George Kirk were in John Day Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Darrell Farnens and Wave Jackson drove to John Day Monday.

Mr and Mrs George Capon and Mrs Delsia Sweek drove to John Day Tuesday on business and for a medical checkup.

Mr and Mrs Dave Ogle left Tuesday for a visit on the coast with relatives.

Mr and Mrs Fred Gassner spent Friday in Prineville on business. They also visited Mr and Mrs Art Waldroff, formerly of Kimberly.

Mr and Mrs Henry Martin returned Sunday night from a week

spent in Salem and Prineville with relatives and friends.

The Jim Croker family returned home Friday from Salem where they had been for four days to attend funeral services for her brother Homer.

HEPPNER KOOK-ETTS

The Kook-etts met Feb 19 at the home of our leader, Mrs Herb Case. During our meeting we learned to make cocoa and celery sticks. Next time we are going to make hamburgers.

Present were Linda Warren, Amanda Smith, Joyce and Claudia Noland, Peggy Snyder, Teresa Monahan, Betty Angell, Melody Frye and Melame Bailey.

Betty Angell, reporter

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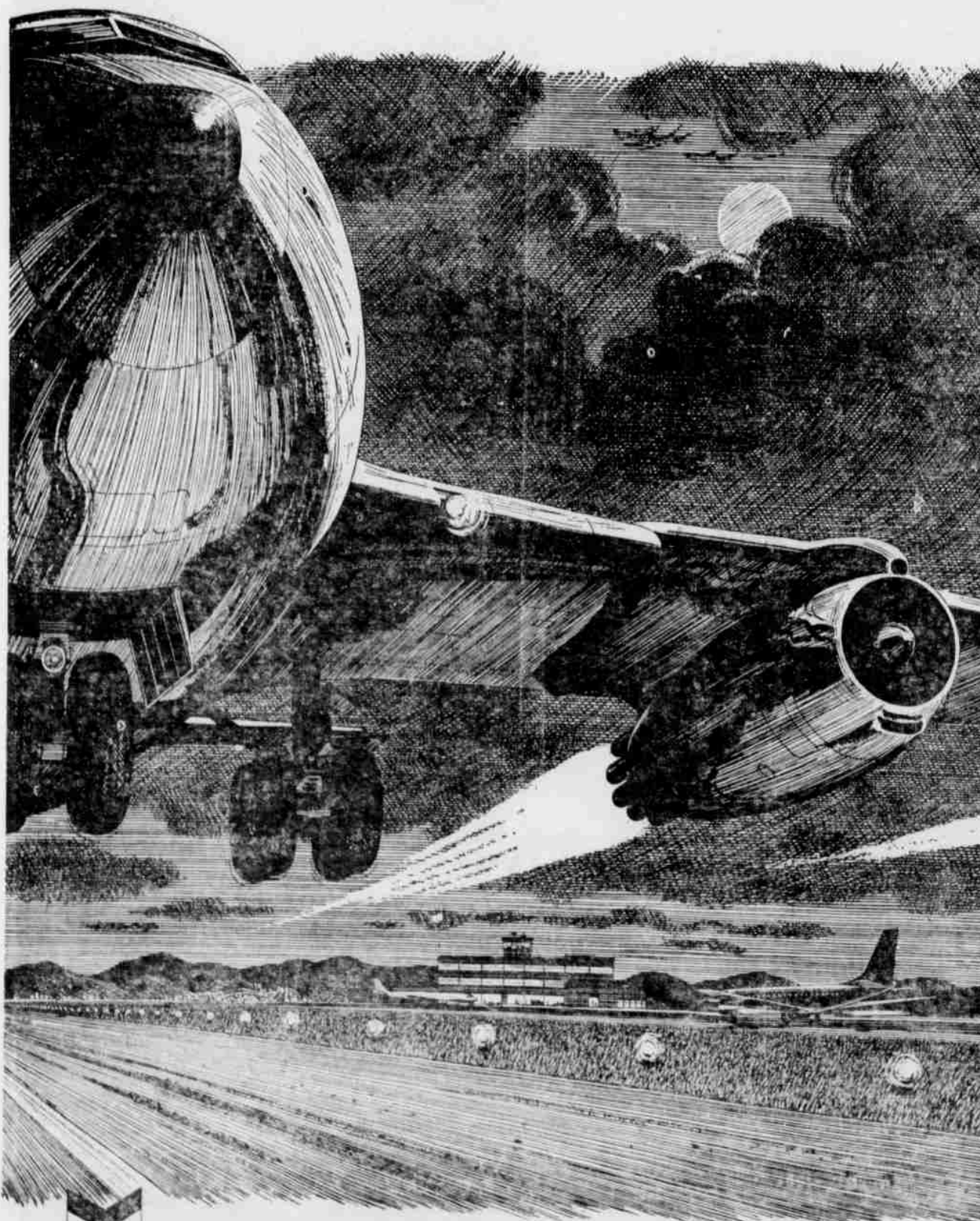
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