

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

FOUR STATE OFFICERS AT IONE FOR GARDEN CLUBS DISTRICT MEETING

By ECHO PALMATEER

Four state officers attended the Blue Mountain district of the Oregon Federation of Garden Clubs meeting at Willows grange hall in Ione, Wednesday, April 20. They were Mrs Verne Brader, Chemult, president; Mrs A H Mason, Portland, vice president; Mrs H A Rowley, Corvallis, recording secretary and Mrs J W Scheel, Corvallis, corresponding secretary.

Fourteen clubs answered roll call, they were The Bloomer Girls and the Hermiston club, Hermiston; Boardman club; Dirt Dabblers, Pendleton club and Petal Pushers, Pendleton; Echo club; Freewater club; Pilot Rock club; Stanfield club; Umatilla club; Baker club; Stanfield Civic Junior club and the Ione club. 85 members were registered.

Mrs Elmer Ferguson, Milton-Freewater, district director, conducted the meeting and Mrs C M Eager, Milton-Freewater, was secretary.

The meeting was opened in the morning by Mrs Fredrick Martin, president of the Ione Garden club. The flag salute was given and America was sung by all, accompanied by Mrs Phill Emert. Mrs Martin gave the welcome and Mrs E E Piper of Milton-Freewater gave the response.

Committee chairmen of the districts gave reports and the presidents of the clubs gave their yearly reports.

A colored, sound film on arrangements of dahlias, tulips, lilies, fruits and vegetables by the famous arranger, J Gregory Conway, was shown in the afternoon.

Mrs Brader gave a very interesting talk on the Federation. She stated that the Oregon Federation was started in Salem, June 1927 and that Oregon was a charter member of the National Federation two years later. The Federation now has 4000, 000 members, 8,500 are in Oregon and there are 300 clubs in Oregon.

Worthy Grand Matron Here For District Meeting of OES

Heppner and Ione held the district meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star last Friday evening at the Masonic temple in Heppner.

Ruth chapter no 32 had charge of the opening, good of the order, escorting and closing. Locust chapter of Ione took charge of the balloting and initiation.

Grand officers attending were worthy grand matron, Mrs Celeste Dickinson and her husband of Corvallis; associate grand conductress, Mrs Florence Jaeger and husband of Condon; worthy matron and worthy patron, Mr and Mrs Jerry Winters, Portland and grand representative to the state of Missouri, Mrs June O'Connor and Mr O'Connor of Ione.

Mrs Dickinson, worthy grand matron, spoke at the meeting and Oliver Creswick sang, "Hold Down My Hand."

Proceeding the meeting a no-host dinner was held at the Wagon Wheel and refreshments were served after the meeting.

On the refreshment committee were Mrs James Thomson, Mrs Don Bennett, Mrs Carl Bergstrom and Mrs Floyd Worden.

Munkers Home Scene Of Bridge Club Meet

The Friday night bridge club met last week with Mrs Riley Munkers as hostess.

Those playing at the two tables were Mrs Don Bellenbroek, Mrs Kemp Dick, Mrs Creston Robinson, Mrs William Heath, Mrs Ned Sweek, Mrs Ike Cole, Mrs Howard Pettyjohn and Mrs Richard Meador.

The prizes went to Mrs Dick for high, Mrs Cole for second and Mrs Bellenbroek for low.

Ione Sorority Has Beatnick Party

The social meeting of Beta Omega chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha was held at the home of Mrs Joyce Snider Wednesday, April 20.

It was a Beatnick party and the decorations and music were in the Beatnick theme.

Games and cards were played and those receiving prizes were Mrs Martha Peterson and Mrs Gladys Helker.

The hostesses were Mrs Betty Rietmann, Mrs Eileen Padberg and Mrs Snider.

Mrs Rosewall Hostess For Bridge Club

Mrs Clarence Rosewall was hostess last Wednesday afternoon for the Whats Trumps bridge club.

A salad luncheon was served the guests, Mrs Mervin Leonard, Mrs Raymond Ferguson, Mrs P W Mahoney, Mrs L D Tibbles, Mrs E K Schaffitz, Mrs James Thomson, Mrs Claude Graham, Mrs Gene Ferguson, Mrs Robert Penland, Mrs Lowell Gribble, Mrs Allen Case and Mrs Earl Blake.

High score was received by Mrs Raymond Ferguson, Mrs Gene Ferguson was second high, Mrs Tibbles third and Mrs Leonard low.

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Coming Events

Saturday, April 30—Band Parents carnival, fair pavilion.

Monday, May 2—Chamber of Commerce, noon at Wagon Wheel.

Rainbow for Girls, American Legion, Pioneer Memorial hospital auxiliary board, 2 p m. Bank of Eastern Oregon.

Tuesday, May 3—Wranglers.

Wednesday, May 4—Willows lodge no 66, IOOF.

Thursday, May 5—Scroptimists, noon at Wagon Wheel.

Elks, ladies night.

Friday, May 6—Sans Souci Rebekah lodge.

Lexington TOPS Club Hosts District Meet

The Lexington Be-Lighters TOPS club was host to the different TOPS clubs in the adjoining districts Monday evening, April 25 at the IOOF hall in Lexington.

The seven clubs represented were The Size Shrinkers, Hermiston; Diet-Eltes, Heppner; Ione Big Tops; Lighter Brighters, Boardman; Twilight Scalers and the Pendleton TOPS, both from Pendleton. There were about 50 present for the meeting.

Each club gave a report of their weight records for the past five months and told of the different activities of the club. Each club also gave a short skit.

The highlight of the evening was when the Lexington club crowned their former leader, Millie Faircloth, who has moved to Pendleton. She was queen for the evening, with crown and robe, and was presented with a bouquet and rose bush from the club and each member presented her a personal gift.

Refreshments were served later in the evening.

Mrs L Van Marter Has High Score At Renegers Club

The Renegers bridge club met at the home of Mrs Alex Thompson last Wednesday evening.

Mrs LaVerne Van Marter held high score for the evening, second high was Mrs Richard Meador and Mrs Allen Case was low.

Others attending were Mrs Conley Lanham, Mrs Robert Penland, Mrs Paul Webb, Mrs James Norene, Mrs Gene Hall, Mrs James J Farley, Mrs William Lahlhart, Mrs Frank Anderson, and Mrs Eddie Gunderson.

The rooms were lovely with arrangements of spring flowers and at the close of the evening the hostesses served refreshments.

Thursday Bridge Club Met At Lovgren Home

Mrs Marshall Lovgren entertained her bridge club last Thursday evening at her Court Street home.

The guests were Mrs Glen Ward, Mrs Wayne Prock, Mrs James Prock, Mrs Alex Thompson, Mrs Bud Marshall, Mrs Don Bennett and Mrs Ralph Richmond.

Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Mrs Thompson Hosts Pendleton Party

Mrs Ralph Thompson entertained the Production Credit Wives at the Elks lodge at Pendleton on Thursday.

Her guests were Mrs Myron Hug, Summerville, Oregon; Mrs Charles Letch, Enterprise, Ore; Mrs James Hill, Sr, Mrs Glen Storie and Mrs Walter Moore of Pendleton.

L E Dicks Hosts For Duplicate Club

Mr and Mrs L E Dick entertained the Duplicate bridge club Sunday evening at their home.

Members present were Mr and Mrs Gordon P.att, Mr and Mrs Lowell Gribble, Mr and Mrs Conley Lanham, Mr and Mrs LaVerne Van Marter, Mrs Wallace Wolff and Richard Meador. Guests were Mr and Mrs Willard Blake and Mr and Mrs William Collins.

Soroptimists Set Date For Senior Tea

The Soroptimist Club of Heppner met for luncheon last Thursday at the Wagon Wheel.

Mrs Elaine S George reviewed and discussed amendments to

be voted on at the Regional conference in Bellingham, April 22-24, and recommendations were made.

The annual tea for senior girls of Heppner high school and their mothers has been set for Sunday, May 22.

Mrs Conley Lanham and Mrs W C Collins read a review of the projects undertaken by the Northwest Region and the Federation.

Mrs Wolff Monday Luncheon Hostess

Mrs Wallace Wolff was hostess on Monday for a luncheon party.

Guests were Mrs Zeta Bronan, Mrs William Brindle, Mrs Raymond French and Mrs Nels Anderson.



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