

## Ione Garden Club Wins Awards at Pendleton Meeting

By ECHO PALMATEER

Mrs Fredrick Martin and Mrs William Rawlins were delegates to the Oregon Federation of Garden Clubs in Pendleton last week. Others attending from here on Tuesday were Mrs Phil Emert, Mrs Elbe Akers, Mrs Edith Nicholson, Mrs O L Lundell and Mrs Omar Rietmann.

The Ione Garden club was commended for sponsoring the Twelfth Night ceremony of burning of Christmas trees and other greenery on Jan 6 each year. This is a community ceremony and encourages the public in belief that Christmas symbols are too sacred to be treated as trash to blow over the country side. The club received a citation for this. The club first observed the ceremony in 1953 with Mrs Omar Rietmann as chairman, assisted by Mrs Echo Palmateer.

The Ione club also received a citation and blue ribbon for their hand made yearbooks and were commended for having a Garden Center, which is a book shelf in the Ione public library. Ione was one of the 4 clubs mentioned to have a Garden Center.

Ione, Pilot Rock and Echo were hosts at the luncheon on Tuesday and the theme was Our Fields of Golden Grain. Members were presented with corsages of wheat. The tables were decorated in green burlap with heads of wheat and corsages.

The arrangement competition of 14 districts in the state was won by the Blue Mountain district by popular vote. It was prepared by Mrs Emmett Myers of Hermiston. She will be remembered in Ione as a flower show judge.

Mrs Rawlins gave a humorous monolog, "The Treasurers Report," during the business meeting. Mrs Martin served on the credentials committee.

While at the convention, Mrs Martin and Mrs Rawlins were guests of Mr and Mrs Charles Dallas, wheat farmers near Pendleton. Mrs Martin also received as door prize a tri colored birch tree. There were 351 registered and 239 official delegates.

The fire truck was called out

Friday afternoon of last week to put out a grass fire on the A E Stefani place below town. It started by a live wire breaking loose from a power pole. Some uncut hay was also burned. Berl Akers has the place rented. The fire was near the barn.

Mrs Della Corson returned home last week from a three week's trip to California. She visited her son and family, Mr and Mrs Eldred Corson at Victorville; went to Marineland, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and San Jose. She also visited Mrs George Crane and Rev and Mrs Moffatt Dennis in Santa Rosa. Mrs Crane, a former resident here was 99 years old in March. Mrs Corson was accompanied most of the time by her niece, Mrs Florence Swanson, of Portland.

Mark Halvorsen, son of Mr and Mrs Lewis Halvorsen, received injuries to his eye in a baseball game in Heppner Friday evening of last week. He was hit in the eye with a baseball.

Those from here who attended 4-H summer school in Corvallis last week were Karen Lundell, Arleta McCabe and Stephen Lindstrom.

Tom Davidson who has been visiting relatives here, left for his home in Los Angeles Saturday of last week by plane. Mrs Davidson remained for a longer visit. She is the daughter of Earl Morgan.

**Dates to Remember:**  
July 2—Fireworks at the athletic field followed by a dance at the Legion hall. Both are sponsored by the American Legion.

July 2—Food and pie and coffee sale at the Rebekah hall starting at 1:30 p m. Sponsored by the Three Links club of Bunchgrass Rebekah lodge.

July 5—City council meeting at 8 p m.

August 14—Odd Fellow and Rebekah picnic in the city park.

The American Legion Auxiliary meeting was held at the Legion hall Tuesday evening of last week. The charter was draped and a memorial ceremony was given in memory of Olive Engelman.

The following officers were installed with Mrs Earl McCabe as installing officer and Mrs Eldon Tucker as installing sergeant-at-arms; Mrs Vester Hams, president; Mrs Pete Cannon, 1st vice president; Mrs Ted Palmateer, 2nd vice president; Mrs Cecil Thorne, secretary-treasurer; Mrs Charles Doherty, chaplain; Mrs Robert Eietmann, sergeant-at-arms and Mrs Echo Palmateer, historian. Mrs G Hermann is the outgoing president. Refreshments were served by Mrs Doherty.

Mrs Adon Hamlett and children of Ontario are staying here for a few days. The Dallas Shockley family is moving into the Hamlett house this week.

Mrs Gordon White, Mrs Edythe White and Mrs Imogene Mooney attended the funeral services of Mrs Leola Brooks in Yakima Thursday of last week. Mrs Brooks was a niece of Mrs Edythe White and Mrs Mooney.

Mrs Cecil Thorne spent a few days last week with her daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Arlie Rahm in Seattle.

Mrs Gordon White was a Portland visitor last week. She was accompanied by Mrs Frank Lundell who went back to her home in Milwaukie after visiting relatives here.

New books added to the public library are: Too Many Ghosts, Gallows; The View from the Fortieth Floor, White; Jarrett's Jade, Yerby; Tales from Shakespeare, Lamb; Amigo's Circus Horse, Cooper; The Pink Motel, Brink; Thorntree Meadows, Nett; The Fog Boat, Long and Coffin; Abe Lincoln gets His Choice, Cavanah; Zoo Doctor, Bridges; Peter Gets the Chicken Pox and Dear Little Mumps Child both by Lerner.

Mrs Frank Lundell of Milwaukie is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs Arvilla Swanson. Katherine Rea, who has been visiting relatives in Portland returned home with her.

The Three Links club of Bunchgrass Rebekah lodge was held at the home of Mrs E R Lundell Friday afternoon of last week with Mrs Cleo Drake and Mrs Sam Esteb as co-hostesses. At the business meeting, it was decided to hold a food and pie and coffee sale at the Rebekah hall July 2 at 1:30 p m. Also to have a picnic in the city park, August 14 for Rebekahs and Odd Fellows and families and friends. Mrs Della Corson received the door prize.

The demonstration of making tote bags was held at the HEC of Willows grange meeting at the grange hall Wednesday afternoon, June 22. Mrs Omar Rietmann of Ione and Mrs Archie Munkers and Mrs Frank Munkers of Lexington was the demonstrators. A no host lunch was served.

Mr and Mrs Walter Jacobs and Mrs Charles O'Connor attended the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star of Washington in Spokane last week. Mrs O'Connor is the grand representative of Missouri in Oregon. R F Cunningham, father of Mrs Jacobs, was installed as worthy grand patron. The Jacobs also visited relatives in Washington. Their children stayed at the Leo Crabtree home.

Mrs Robert Jepsen entertained the bridge club at her home Friday evening of last week. Those receiving prizes were Mrs Robert DeSpain, high; Mrs Gene Hall, 2nd high and Mrs Delmer Crawford, low.

Mr and Mrs Paul Pettyjohn returned home Saturday of last week from Salt Lake where they spent a few days. They made the trip by plane. While there they saw the Joe Hausler family who sent greetings to friends in Ione.

Mrs Anna Lindstrom entertained at a coffee party Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs Adon Hamlett and children of Ontario. Others present were Mr and Mrs E R Lundell, Mr and Mrs O L Lundell, Mrs Mary Swanson, Mrs Cleo Drake and Mrs Paul Pettyjohn.

Mr and Mrs Ray Barnett and David Barnett and daughters were recent visitors in Seattle. Mrs Tad Hardesty and children of Eugene are visiting her parents. Mr and Mrs Walter Dohyans.

Mr and Mrs Lewis Halvorsen gave a party Sunday evening in honor of the 16th birthday of their daughter, Linda. A supper was served at 6 o'clock after which dancing and games were enjoyed. Prizes were given to Arleta McCabe and Phil Emert Jr. There were around 50 high school and 8th grade students present besides Mr and Mrs Her-shall Townsend and Mr and Mrs Earl McCabe.

Ray Barnett made a trip to Portland last week.

Mrs Josephine Buchanan and grandson, Bobby Buchanan, of Irigon spent a few days here last week.

Dr and Mrs Helmuth Hermann

are visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs G Hermann this week. He received his discharge from the armed forces where he was stationed in Europe. They made a tour of the United States.

Norton Lundell who has been staying in Portland, is home with his parents. Mr and Mrs E R Lundell this week.

Mr and Mrs Harold Holtz returned home from their wedding trip to Hawaii last week. They opened their wedding gifts at the home of his parents. Mr and Mrs Clarence Holtz Thursday evening of last week. Others present were Mr and Mrs John Grant Sr, Bobby Grant, Uhl Grant, John Grant Jr, Donna DeWeese, Raylene DeWeese, Ramona Grant, Mrs Adelene Knerr, Mrs Vernice Rolls all from Hermiston; Mrs Marion Hawkins from Roger, Minn; Russell Grant from Huston, Texas; Mr and Mrs Elmer Holtz and Kathy Carol; and Mr and Mrs Clarence Holtz. Refreshments were served by Mrs Clarence Holtz.

Mrs Charles Doherty entertained a group of women at brunch at her home Thursday of last week. The women were on their way home from the Federation of Garden clubs in Pendleton. They were her mother, Mrs By-

## BOARDMAN ITEMS

Mr and Mrs Bob Sicard are the parents of a son, born June 27, which was Sicard's birthday, at St Anthony's hospital in Pendleton. He has been named Kenneth James. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs George Sicard of

ron Bradshaw, Mrs Frank Stellmacher, Mrs Ed Norris, Mrs Sam Burch, Mrs Herb Smith, Mrs Murray Benedict, Mrs Harvey Steen all of Albany; Mrs L W Franks and Mrs Ruth Dickson of Redmond; and Mrs Ed Coons of Prineville.

Mrs Bradshaw remained at the Doherty home and Mr Bradshaw and Mrs Orville Olson of Albany came up Saturday to help Joan Marie Doherty celebrate her first birthday. They all returned to Albany Sunday.

A grass fire on the Delbert Emert place Monday afternoon burned about 100 acres of grass.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Bergstrom and family of Portland are visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs Carl Bergstrom. Arthur Bergstrom went on to Spokane on business for a few days.

Boardman. Great-grandparent is Maxine Sicard of Woodburn. The baby weighed seven pounds, four ounces.

Mr and Mrs Bob Miller returned home Monday from an eight day trip which took them to East Lake for three days fishing, to Cannon Beach where Miller attended the national board meeting of Village Missions, and to Long Beach, Wash to visit at the home of Mr and Mrs A A McMillen.

Mr and Mrs Vern Wilkie and daughter, Barbara of Othello, Wash were weekend visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Zearl Gillespie.

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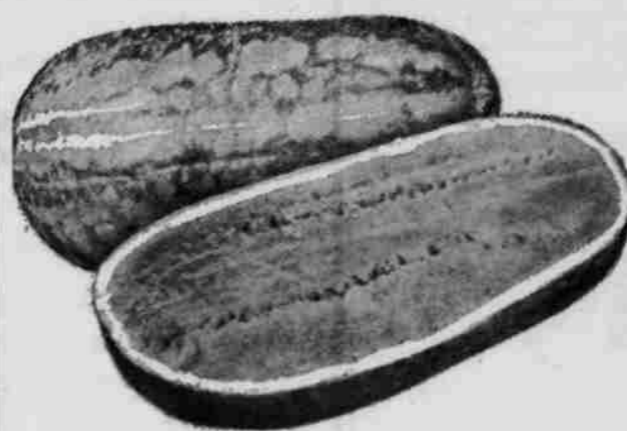
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