

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

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MARRIED AT PORTLAND—Mr and Mrs J Gardner White (the former Arleta Blake) who were married recently at the Rose City Park Presbyterian church. With the couple are her parents, Mr and Mrs Ted Bloke, formerly of Ione.

Former Ione Girl Married Recently In Portland Ceremony

When Arleta Rae Blake, formerly of Ione, became the bride of J Gardner White August 13, she decorated her pearl crown and illusion veil with the heirloom orange blossoms her grandmother, Mrs Willard J Blake wore at her wedding 68 years ago.

The wedding was performed in the Rose City Park Presbyterian church in Portland by Dr William Shane, pastor and personal friend of both.

The bridal gown was a full length princess style en train of peau de soie and bodice of chantilly lace and her four attendants were dressed in pink and carried nosegays of pink carnations.

The groom's three brothers also were in the wedding. Harold C was his brothers' best man. William H an usher, and James D played a violin solo, Handel's Sonata No 111.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Ted W Blake, former residents of Ione, now of Portland.

Mrs Nina Gardner White is mother of the bridegroom. Included in the number of out of town guests at the wedding were Mr and Mrs Keithly Blake, Mr and Mrs Earl J Blake, of Heppner, and their daughter, Katherine Singer and family of Norfolk, Conn.

The groom is alumnus of Lewis and Clark and Whitman colleges and is a sales statistician and program computer in the IBM dept at Jantzen Inc.

Community Church In Ione To Be Scene Of Sept 25 Wedding

Mr and Mrs Milo R Sasser of Wallowa announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Virginia Lee Thompson to Mr Paul G Pettyjohn, Jr, son of Mr and Mrs Paul Pettyjohn of Ione.

The wedding will be held Sunday afternoon, September 25 at 4:00 p m at the Ione Community church.

A reception will follow the ceremony in the church basement. All friends and relatives are cordially invited.

Ione Women Host Elks Ladies Night

Last Thursday evening was ladies night at the Elks lodge with the Ione women being hostesses.

Chairman for the card party and refreshments was Mrs Robert DeSpain assisted by Mrs Delmer Crawford, Mrs Ray Boyce, Mrs Herbert Ekstrom, Mrs Dallas Shockley and Mrs James Barnett.

In bridge, Mrs Frank Hamlin and Mrs Marshall Lovgren tied for high score and in drawing Mrs Hamlin received first prize and Mrs Lovgren second. For pinocle, Mrs Clint Agee was high and Mrs John Lane second.

Mrs Harley Young and Mrs William Collins received the door prizes.

The couple will make their home in Portland, Oregon.

MARLATT-PECK WEDDING HELD IN AUGUST AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Wedding bands were exchanged Sunday, August 7 by Shirley Louise Peck and Ralph Tony Marlatt as they were married at All Saints' Episcopal church in Heppner.

Given in marriage by her grandfather, Ed Buschke of Morgan, the bride was lovely in a waltz length gown of rich cotton lace, misted over acetate taffeta. The neckline was scooped wide with bracelet length sleeves. Her lovely dark hair was caught in a full circle nylon illusion veiling, from a coronet of sham pearls.

Her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls, a gift from the groom. She carried two white orchids on a prayer book and a handkerchief about 100 years old, loaned by Colleen Bailey.

Miss Patricia Peck, sister of the bride, was her only attendant. She wore an afternoon frock of light blue with a matching white gladioli centered with pink rosebuds and tied with pink ribbon. Best man was Pete Slocum of Portland.

The reception was held at Miss Peck's apartment, with decorations also in the pink and white theme.

Mrs Richard Peck, sister-in-law of the bride, cut and served the three tiered wedding cake from a table covered with a pink linen and net cloth. Mrs Albert Schunk baked and decorated the cake. A sterling silver cake knife, given to the late Mr and Mrs Ben Buschke, great grandparents of the bride, on their 50th wedding anniversary, was used to cut the cake.



MRS RALPH MARLATT, the former Shirley Peck, who was married recently at All Saints' Episcopal church.

Mrs Roy Erner, mother of the bride, served the punch and Mrs Tom Marlatt, mother of the groom, poured coffee and tea.

Mrs Erner of Albany and Aley Peck are parents of the bride and the Benedict is the son of Mr and Mrs Tom Marlatt.

The bride graduated from Central high school at Monmouth and is employed at Pioneer Memorial hospital. The groom graduated from Heppner high school, served two years in the Army and is currently employed at the Elks Temple.

The couple is at home in the N D Bailey apartments, after a wedding trip to central Oregon and the coast.

BERNICE THOMSON INSTALLED NEW WORTHY ADVISOR OF RAINBOW GIRLS

Miss Bernice Thomson, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Thomson, was installed worthy advisor of Ruth Assembly Rainbow for Girls, at a public installation Sunday afternoon at the Masonic hall.

Other officers installed were Sharon Keithley, worthy associate advisor; Sheryl Harris, charity; Linda Halvorsen, Hope; Shannon Mahoney, faith; Doris Morris, recorder; Barbara Stewert, treasurer; Merri Jo Morrison, chaplain; Virginia Springer, drill leader; Shirley Van Winkle, love; Pam Cochell, religion; JoAnn Turner, nature; Sherril Olson, immortality; Beverly Blake, fidelity; Kathy Ray, patriotism; Bobbie Hutchins, service; Shirlee Gaines, confidential observer; Sue Townsend, outer observer; Ginny Lou Turner, musician; Lona White, choir director and choir members Diane Schaffitz and Marjorie O'Connor.

Fern Albert was installing officer; Sandra Jones, installing marshal; Janice Martin, installing organist; Nancy Moyer, installing recorder and Diana Fullerton, installing chaplain.

The Blue Mountain chapter of DeMolay, Hermiston put on the crowning ceremony and Bruce Thomson, brother of Bernice, presented her with a gift from her family.

Bernice introduced her parents and presented them with a corsage and a boutonniere.

Fern Albert was presented a past worthy advisor pin by Sandra Jones, Marlene Griffin had charge of the guest book and Doris Morris poured at the tea.

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The hostesses for the party were Mrs Troedson, Mrs Charles Carlson and Mrs Omar Rietmann.

Delegates To Girls State Speak At Soroptimist Meet

Mary Evelyn Tucker, the girl sponsored by the Soroptimist Club of Heppner to attend Girls' State in June and Jeanne Schmidt, the girl sponsored by the American Legion auxiliary, spoke Thursday noon to the Soroptimist club about their stay at Girls State in Salem.

Jeanne told of the first three days of the week and Mary Evelyn told about the rest of the week. They learned many things about the running of the state government as well as enjoying the social functions given for them.

They both told the group it was an experience that they would never forget.

Five Charter Members Attend Ione Topic Club Anniversary

The 30th anniversary party of the Ione Topic club was held at the home of Mrs Verner Troedson on Friday, September 9. The club was organized in the same house, when it was the home of Mrs Ruth (Rietmann) Shane.

Five of the eight charter members were present. They were Mrs Henry Gorer, of Pendleton, Mrs Fred Mankin and Mrs Anne Smouse of Heppner, and Mrs Omar Rietmann and Mrs Victor Rietmann of Ione. The two last named are still active members of the club. The other charter members, Mrs Ruth Shane of The Dalles and Mrs George Gross of Wallula, Washington were unable to attend and Mrs Clifford Christofferson passed away a number of years ago.

Thirty one members, past and present, enjoyed an afternoon of visiting and reminiscing and looking through the scrapbook. Letters from 21 more past members, unable to attend were read with much interest.

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Coming Events

- Friday, Sept 16—Sans Souci Rebekah lodge.
- Monday, Sept 19—Chamber of commerce, noon Wagon Wheel.
- Rainbow for Girls, American Legion.
- Tuesday, Sept 20—St Monica's guild, 8 p m, home of Mrs Frank Anderson.
- Wednesday, Sept 21—Willows lodge no 66, IOOF.
- Thursday, Sept 22—Soroptimists, noon at Wagon Wheel.
- Elks, hunters night, dinner 6:30 p m, stay night.
- Friday, Sept 23—Ruth chapter no 32, OES.

Birthday Party For David George Has South Pacific Theme

Mrs Elaine S George honored her son David with a South Pacific party on the occasion of his 14th birthday, Friday evening.

Dessert was served at the George home, following which the guests, provided with leis and miniature beachcomber hats, proceeded to the Star theater to see the movie "South Pacific."

Invited guests included Pamela Cochell, Mary Johnson, Gall Hoskins, Sharon Bunch, Diana Fullerton, Ginny Lou Turner, Raymond Nichols, Donald Van Winkle, Lee Padberg, Donald Creswick, Douglas Dubuque, Daryl Dick, Stuart Gribble, Mr and Mrs LaVerne Van Marter Jr, LaVerne III, Marie and Paul, Mrs B G Sigsbee, Mr and Mrs V R Runlon.



J F (JOHNNY) McMILLAN

82nd Birthday Brings First Party For J F McMillan

J F (Johnnie) McMillan was delightfully surprised Friday night when several of his friends and relatives stopped in to help him celebrate his 82nd birthday and he made the statement that it was the first birthday party he had ever had.

Mr McMillan has made his home in Lexington, or on a wheat ranch nearby nearly all of his life coming there from Tennessee with his parents when he was 8 years old. He now lives in Lexington with his son Denny and he has two daughters, Mrs Jim Bloodsworth of Heppner and Mrs Buster Padberg of Lexington. He also has 8 grandchildren.

Present for his party were his daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Buster Padberg, grandchildren Denise and Jimmie Bloodsworth; a sister and her husband, Mr and Mrs Earl Warner, Mr and Mrs Cecil Jones and children; Mr and Mrs E E Peck and children, Jeanette Ledbetter and his son Denny.

Wedding Date Set By Barbara Steagall

Mr and Mrs Wilbur Steagall announce the wedding date of their daughter, Barbara to Gregory Leyva as Saturday, September 24 at 10 A M at St Patrick's Catholic church of Heppner.

All friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend. There will be a reception following.

JOHNSONS ENTERTAIN

Mr and Mrs Clarence Johnson entertained at a dinner party Wednesday evening.

Their guests were Mr and Mrs Clinton Agee and Otto Abrahamson.

Ione Sorority Wins Third Place With Scrapbook Entry

The members of Beta Omega chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha held their first fall meeting at the home of Mrs Arthur Crawford. Mrs Robert Peterson and Mrs Ted Palmateer were co-hostesses.

It was announced that Beta Omega chapter had received 3rd place for its club scrapbook at the Oregon State convention. Mrs I. F Leathers was scrapbook chairman for the year.

The chapter also received a "Special International Recognition Award" for its 1959-60 educational program. Mrs Charles Doherty was educational director for the year.

Mrs Donald Peterson gave a report on the Eastern Oregon District Council meeting in Condon which she and Mrs Art Warren and Mrs Bill Rietmann attended.

President, Mrs Bill Rietmann announced that State Council meeting will be in Salem, Sept 16-18.

The group decided to have a traveling food sale in October, the date to be announced later.

The next meeting will be a barn dance at the Robert Peterson ranch, Sept 24.

Clive Huston Feted At Birthday Party

On Monday evening, Mrs Clive Huston had a dinner party honoring her husband on his birthday.

Mr and Mrs Walter Becket, Mr and Mrs Charles Becket, Mr and Mrs Frank Parker, Mr and Mrs Earle Gilliam, Mr and Mrs Ben Anderson, and Miss Esther Bergstrom were the guests for dinner and to wish Mr Huston a Happy Birthday.

Ione Extension Unit Plans Years Work

The Ione Extension unit held its first meeting of the season on Sept 9.

This was a yearly planning meeting and was held at the home of Mrs June Crowell.

Theme of the meeting was "rally round the barbecue". Luncheon was by Shirley Baker, Mary Holtz, June Crowell and Barbara Peterson.

Judy Rea received the door prize. The next meeting will be Oct 6 at the home of Lola Ann Pettyjohn.



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Helen Leah Winters Sets Wedding Date

Mr and Mrs Paul J Winters, Sr announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Helen Leah, to Mr Edgar Clyde Olson, son of Mr and Mrs Marlon Olson of Heppner.

The wedding is planned for Sunday afternoon, September 25 at 2:00 p m at the home of Mr and Mrs Olson, with a reception following the ceremony.

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