

Rhea Creek Hardman News

By CHARLOTTE WALKER

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McDaniel and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hutchins went to Portland Sunday and returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McDaniel and children and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Robinson returned from Ashland where they had been for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Chapel are the proud grandparents of a grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Joel Engelman of Ione. Franklin

Blaine Engelman arrived Feb. 11, 1961, and weighed a little over 8 pounds.

L. D. Vinson returned to his home at Monument after visiting his sister, Mrs. Emma White, for some time.

Mrs. Kenneth Batty, Everett Harshman, Nancy and Sandra Harshman went to Pendleton the first of the week and while there visited Mrs. Bud Marshall at St. Anthony's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dees have returned from a two week visit in Washington.

Huston Lesley has been trimming trees around the store and he has been building new fence with Jess Coates helping him.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Robison and

Christmas Seal Drive To End April First

Contributions to the 1960-61 Christmas Seal sale in Morrow county are within \$14.59 of equalling last year's total of \$1,242.14, according to a report prepared for the Oregon State TB and Health Association by Mrs. L. E. Dick, Jr., county chairman.

Mrs. Ruth Coy, chairman for the north end of the county, and her student chairmen, Shirley Earwood for Boardman and Julia Colson for Irrigon, have remitted contributions of \$91.00 and \$86.00, respectively.

Bob Frink, Lexington chairman, reports contributions of \$128.65. Mrs. Harry T. O'Donnell, Heppner, has received \$642.40. Ione has contributed \$279.50 through Mrs. Garry Tullis. The only community which has not yet exceeded last year's contributions is Ione.

Cecil McDaniel drove to Pendleton and back Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Chapel went to Condon Wednesday.

Dean Graves and Jim Monte from the army base at Ft. Lewis, Wash., were here over the week end. Dean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Graves.

Harold Stevens has been reported ill but is feeling better now.

Since the calendar year for the drive ends April 1, all contributions received until then by those who have overlooked their donations will be included in this year's sale figures. 74% of all donations are used in Morrow County, 20% goes to the state association, and 6% is sent to the national association.

Part of the funds spent in Morrow County cover free chest X-rays for Morrow county residents. These are made the first Wednesday evening of each month at Pioneer Memorial hospital.

Lexington News

By DELPHA JONES

The Lexington Three Links club met at the Cecil Jones home on Thursday with the president Delpha Jones presiding. At this time there was an election of officers with the following elected: LaVerne Henderson, president; Bernice Wihlon, vice president; Annie Keene, Secretary; and June Davidson, treasurer. At this time secret sisters were disclosed, and refreshments served to the following: Cora Warner, Freda Majeske, Florence McMillan, Annie Keene, Margaret Nichols, Cattle Padberg, LaVerne Henderson, June Davidson, Bernice Wihlon, and Delpha Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Forrester of Gibbon were Lexington visitors Sunday.

Starting Sunday there is to be a young married couples Sunday School class at the Lexington Sunday School with the Rev. and Mrs. Earl Soward in charge.

Mrs. Norma Marquardt and son Carl are attending to business matters in Portland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith have as guests this week a brother of Mr. Smith's and family from California.

The Young People's class of Sunday School accompanied their teacher Carl Marquardt and wife to Kennewick roller skating on Friday night. Those going were: Billy Van Winkle, Kenny Jones, Dick Wallace, Leora Mae Van Winkle, Theresa Munkers, Joyce Peck, and out-of-town guests Sheridan Wyman of Heppner, and Karen Hams of Ione.

Karen Hams of Ione was a week end visitor with Joyce Peck. Sheridan Wyman of Heppner visited Leora Mae Van Winkle over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eskelson and Mrs. Ralph Jackson of Hermiston were Lexington visitors on Monday.

Orville Cutsforth attended a meeting in Boardman where representatives from Boardman, Irrigon, and Umatilla and Morrow counties met to discuss the proposed Boeing Airplane Co. lease.

Mrs. Armin Wihlon and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers visited a son of the Rogers's in Walla Walla on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMillan visited their daughter, Mrs. Pat Sawyer, and children in Pendleton Sunday.

George W. Tucker Services Monday

Funeral services were held Monday at the Lexington Christian Church for George Tucker who passed away at Spokane February 9 following surgery.

Rev. Walter Smith of the Lexington Christian Church officiated at the services, and at services at the L.O.O.F. cemetery in Lexington.

Mr. Tucker was born in Van Buren, Arkansas, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milford D. Tucker, in 1905, and moved with his parents to Morrow county in 1917.

He served in the merchant marines for several years, and also served the Lexington Christian Church as minister.

Soloist for the services were Oliver Creswick of Heppner, accompanied by Mrs. Juanita Carmichael.

Left to mourn his passing is a sister, Mrs. Elsie Conner of The Dalles; Sherman Tucker of Spokane; Virgil Tucker of Klamath Falls; and Bertha Hunt of Lexington.

Out of town visitors for the services were: Mr. and Mrs. Gar Noble, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tucker of Sunnyside, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Percy Conners, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Conners, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Conner, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunt of The Dalles, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and family of Beaverton, Ore., David Conner of Portland, Ore., Cecile Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eskelson of Hermiston, Sherman Tucker of Spokane, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Alee Hunt, Cassa Shaw, and Mildred Tucker of Heppner, Eldon Tucker of Ione, and Howard Gerling of Odessa, Wash.

Mrs. Hershel Townsend is in Salem consulting her doctor for surgery which was scheduled on Tuesday morning. She was to enter Salem Memorial hospital for major surgery. Mr. Townsend is with her.

Sunday evening the building committee and other interested persons saw the pictures taken by Bob Jensen, the Fredrick Martins and Rod MacKenzie on their tour of new churches in the Portland area.

On February 7, 8, and 9, Rev. Rod MacKenzie, pastor of the Ione Community Church, attended the 39th Interdenominational Pastoral Conference at the Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley.

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