

# Social and CLUBS

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## Club Members Attend District Meet

About 80 Garden Clubbers attended the Blue Mountain District meeting at the Greenfield Grange Hall in Boardman on Tuesday, April 25. Those going from Ione were Mrs. Phil Emert, Mrs. Fredrick Martin, Mrs. Edith Nicholson, Mrs. Omar Rietmann, Mrs. Ernest Heliker, Mrs. William Rawlins, and Mrs. O. L. Lundell.

Registration and a coffee hour were on the schedule from 9:30 to 10 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Vernon Hodges of Hermiston, director of Blue Mountain district. Fourteen clubs were represented and made their annual reports. Of special interest to the Ione group was the report of the Stanfield Merry Weeders who have an item on birds at each of their meetings.

A delightful luncheon was served by the Grange ladies. Displays of arrangement containers, wood fiber flowers, litterbug suggestions and books were of interest during free time.

Mrs. Verne Brader, the state president, spoke on "Qualifications for a Club Leader."

Mrs. Charles Ruggles, of Heppner, showed her fine collection of colored wild flower slides. Most of these wild flowers are natives of Morrow county.

Four members of Ione Garden Club received door prizes.

## Mrs. Van Winkle High In Pinochle

Mrs. Ned Sweek entertained at her home with an evening of pinochle. She served huckleberry pie following the play.

Guests included Mrs. Jack Van Winkle, Mrs. Bud Collins, Mrs. LeRoy Gardner, Mrs. Riley Munkers, Mrs. Haskell Sharrard, Mrs. Glenn Smith, Mrs. Merritt Gray.

Mrs. Van Winkle won high, Mrs. Collins, second, and Mrs. Gardner, low.

## Lexington Bridge

The Lexington bridge club met at the Jane Frink home for their regular meeting. Those present were Janet Turner, Gena Leonard, Lorine Ledbetter, Lois Hunt, Elsie Cole, Gladys Van Winkle, Velma Glass, and Lucia Cutsforth.

Winning high was Gena Leonard; low, Lorine Ledbetter; and second high, Lucia Cutsforth.

## Three Attend Soroptimist Meet

Miss Leta Humphreys, regional representative from the Heppner Soroptimist Club, Mrs. Pearl Devine, and Mrs. Ed Gonty, alternates for the president, attended the forty-third Northwest Regional Conference in Yakima April 28 through 30.

Present for the occasion were 72 Soroptimist clubs from the Northwest with a total of 306 members in attendance.

Many interesting things were heard and learned. One of special interest was the 100th anniversary in May of the Lewiston, Idaho, club.

The theme of the conference, in keeping with the Space Age era, was Satellites of Soroptimism.

## Large Group Hears Accordion Recital

The accordion pupils of Caroline Fleming presented a recital Sunday, April 23, at 3 o'clock in the Methodist church basement before a group of 40 persons.

Those taking part were Tommy Green, Kit Anderson, Norita Marquardt, Even Dick, Steven Warren, Keith Nelson, and Matt Hughes.

Cookies and punch were served by Mrs. Herman Green and Mrs. L. E. Dick. Flower arrangements were furnished and arranged by Mrs. Green.

## Book Reviewed At Bookworms Club

Mrs. Ted Smith entertained the Bookworms at her home Tuesday night.

Mrs. J. O. Turner gave a review on the book, "Profiles In Courage" by John F. Kennedy. Mr. Kennedy wrote this book while he was ill in the hospital after back surgery.

Guests were Mrs. Fred Parrish, Mrs. Jim Thomson, Mrs. Ebb Hughes, Mrs. Floyd Jones, Mrs. Harry Dinges, Mrs. Lucy Peterson, and Miss Leta Humphreys.

## Sixth Birthday

Judy Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bennett, entertained several guests at her home on her sixth birthday Thursday.

Rodney and Terry Whitesmith, Tracy and Abbie Wilson and Chuckle Knox played games and enjoyed cake and ice cream with Judy.

## Lexington Women's Fellowship Group Installs Officers

A beautiful and interesting part of the recent Women's Fellowship Group meeting was the installation of officers. This was by candlelight and each officer lit her candle from the main



Officers for the Lexington Women's Fellowship. From left to right: Delpha Jones, secretary; La Verne Henderson, treasurer; June Davidson, president; and Joan Smith, vice president.

candle and took her oath to uphold God's teachings.

Mrs. Walter Smith was in charge of the installation and presented each officer a lovely corsage made by the outgoing president, Mrs. W. E. McMillan.

The new officers are June Davidson, president; Joan Smith, vice president; and re-elected were the secretary, Delpha Jones and LaVerne Henderson, treasurer.

The meeting was then called to order by the chairman, June Davidson, and opened with a prayer by Dollie Smith. As Mrs. Allyn was unable to attend for her part in the devotionals, Delpha Jones read a poem on "Friendship" and all read their thought-for-the-month cards together. The trip to the Eastern Oregon Convention of Christian Churches was discussed.

Mrs. Betty Marquardt and Mrs. May Campbell were appointed to pour at the Lexington coffee hour.

It was decided to use the memorial fund we have and by adding more to it to get something needed by the church in honor of W. E. McMillan. In the past the memorial fund has been used in memory of Edith Miller.

Volunteers were asked to serve on a six months visiting program to visit the sick and invite others to attend. This is to be Barbara Cutsforth, LaVerne Henderson and Delpha Jones. May Campbell, Betty Marquardt and Florence McMillan were appointed on the missionary committee.

The next meeting will be at the Marquardt home.

## Coming Events

**FRIDAY, MAY 5**  
Royal Arch Masons, Lodge hall, 8:00 p.m.  
Rebekahs, Lodge hall, 8:00 p.m.  
Union Missionary, Methodist church, 2:00 p.m.

**SATURDAY, MAY 6**  
O.E.S. social club, Masonic hall, 1:45 p.m.  
Square dance club, Wranglers building, 8:00 p.m.

**SUNDAY, MAY 7**  
Piano recital, Methodist church, 2:00 p.m.

**MONDAY, MAY 8**  
Chamber of Commerce, Wagon-wheel, noon.  
School-board meeting, courthouse, 8:00 p.m.

**TUESDAY, MAY 9**  
Heppner extension unit, Mrs. John Lane, 10:30 a.m.  
Bookworms, Mrs. Cornett Green, 8:00 p.m.  
Farmers' Union, old library building, 8:00 p.m.  
Degree of Honor, First Christian church, 8:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 10**  
Heppner PTA, school gym, 8:00  
Odd Fellows, Lodge hall, 8:00

**THURSDAY, MAY 11**  
Landscaping tour, Harold Dohy's home, 9:00 p.m.  
Soroptimists, Wagonwheel, noon.  
Carnation club, 8:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY, MAY 12**  
Rhea Creek Grange, Grange hall, 6:30 p.m.  
O.E.S., Lodge hall, 8:00 p.m.

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## Over The Tee Cup

By JACKIE LASHART

The Willow Creek Country Club "Sports Spectacular" is held every Sunday afternoon at 2:00 (and sometimes it's quite a spectacle) and you golfers who aren't participating are missing a great afternoon of fun, "fubs" and frolic. This last Sunday's two-ball foursome play produced some stupendous shots and the couples playing were Donna McCurdy and Eddie Gunderson, Gene Case and Harlan McCurdy, Dee and Lowell Gribble (she drew his name out of the hat so we finally consented to let her play with her husband just this once) Marie McQuarrie and LaVerne Van Marter, Cork Norene and Tom Glass, Helen Schaffitz and Roy Ferguson, Jan Agee and Clint McQuarrie, Coramae Ferguson and myself, Dee and Clint Agee and myself, Dee and Lowell and Clint and I tied for low gross score with a 36; Harlan and Gene had the fewest number of putts on the nine

holes, and Ed and Coramae had the closest to the pin on the designated hole.

**SEEN ON SUNDAY:** Helen almost making a hole in one on the No. 3 green and Ray yelling "we'll play your ball"

"Grib" driving the No. 8 green (which has been his life-long "ambition")... Eddie remarking to his partner Donna "you do the driving and the chipping and I'll just putt"... Clint Agee driving his ball straight into the fuse box on the telephone pole on No. 2 fairway (which was the only obstacle between him and the creek) then to have it ricochet at a right degree angle and land in perfect approach position (you might say he sure blew the right fuse).

Fourteen females played in our ladies day competition Tuesday; they were Gladys Snider, Hazel Mahoney, Roberts Dougherty, Kay Anderson, Gene Case, Cork Norene, Coramae Ferguson,

Helen Schaffitz, Marie McQuarrie, Hester Creswick, Daisy Collins, Dee Gribble, Donna McCurdy and myself. Golf balls were given for the lowest score on the hidden hole which was No. 5 but there were four of us who had shot 4's so we gave it to the person who had only 1 putt on the green, which was Roberts; and Donna was given a ball for having the most putts on the nine holes.

**A SHORT TALE:** Once upon a time there was a druggist and a groceryman who liked to play golf early Wednesday mornings, and the groceryman had told the druggist he would meet him down at the course at 7:00 but at 8:00 there stood the groceryman, all alone, and just "holding the bag" (and it wasn't full of groceries either), needless to say the druggist had over-slept. Well they decided to try it again the following Wednesday morning, so the druggist made sure he was down there bright and early, but alas it must have been the wrong "prescription" for he stood there all alone with his "bag full of pills" and the groceryman never did show up.

But I heard by way of the "link line" that they finally got together last week, so they all played happily ever after.

**ATTENTION WOULD-BE MEMBERS:** We are having a special membership drive during the month of May. A husband and wife, or a single person may join our golf club for \$30.00 initiation fee and \$15.00 dues for the rest of the year. This is a saving of \$15.00 so take advantage of this offer now. Our annual Country Club party is scheduled for June 3, 1961 and your membership card will be your ticket to attend.

**DATES TO REMEMBER:** May 21, 1961, invitation to John Day Golf Club, June 11, 1961, family day at the Pendleton Country Club... swimming for the children, dinner and a two-ball foursome in the afternoon.

## Recital Sunday

Lucille Owens will present her piano students in a recital Sunday, May 7, at 2:30 p.m. at the Methodist church.

The public is cordially invited to attend.



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