

# Social Lites --

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**NO FLU, NO COLDS,** just toys and gifts lying about making a unique obstacle course over which we must pass going from room to room! Maybe it sounds familiar? The gladness, wonder, and excitement of Christmas still hasn't passed, guess that's why the week's vacation before school begins again? By then, the kids should be back to Earth!

**LEANN BEA** entertained two tables of pinocle Thursday night with Loree Hubbard, Ione, winning high. Leann took second prize and Prudy Casebeer won the prize for the highest score in one hand she made 1,470! To add a little more excitement, Prudy and Millie Yarnell, Ione, held 1,000 aces! I guess this was the evening for good cards. Others playing were Alta Cutsforth, Janina Johnson, Jeanne Dobbs, and Alvina Padberg, Ione.

**I HAVE** heard via the grapevine that the Heppner PTA is sponsoring an exciting coming event. It promises to be something for the whole family to enjoy, sooo watch the Gazette-Times!

**A DINNER** party Friday night honored Ralph and Fran Richmond at the Fred Gimbel home. The Richmonds are leaving this week to make their new home in Rockford, Wn. Guests for dinner were the Bob Abrams and Don Bennetts.

**SOME 30** persons, including many children, were entertained Christmas day at a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Mahoney. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ball and son Archie, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Van Marter and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Steiger and family, Portland; Mr.

and Mrs. Cy Flack and family, Livermore, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ekstrom and family, Ione. After dinner, pinocle and bridge were enjoyed and, of course, some just chased after kids! Who outlasted whom?

**SANTA CLAUS** paid a surprise visit Friday to the kindergarten classes during the Christmas party. Some 65 parents, and preschoolers were present for the party. Some of the children sang several Christmas songs and Santa handed out treats to the youngsters. In charge of the party were the room mothers, Mrs. Roy Erickson, Mrs. Ralph Richmond, and Mrs. Mike Whitesmith.

**HOW MANY** tried the chocolate covered coconut mounds? I noticed in the recipe that someone goofed! Yes, instead of 1/2 package of chocolate chips it should read 1 1/2 packages! Now give them a try. They are very good.

**TWO VERY** important names were inadvertently omitted from the story last week of Mrs. D. E. Hudson's piano students' musical program. They were Sandra and Teresa Harshman. Both played piano numbers during the program.

**GAIL HOSKINS** was very surprised when several classmates began to arrive at Mary Ann Johnson's home Friday evening. It seems Gail was invited to stay overnight with Mary Ann, but other plans were also involved, like a surprise birthday party for Gail! The guests enjoyed an evening of dancing and refreshments to help celebrate her 16th birthday. Hostesses were Dianna Fullerton, Pam Cochell, and Mary Ann. Others attending included Doug Dubuque, Daren McCurdy, Archie Ball, Ray Nichols, Mike Smith, Ginny Lou Turner, Lee Padberg, Kenny Smith, Dave George, and Donnie Creswick.

**TWO TABLES** of pinocle were in play Friday afternoon at the home of Beulah Mankin. She made each member a ceramic cup and saucer which she used as place cards in the table decorations at the Christmas party. All of the members were present including Millie Harris, Hannah Anderson, Carrie Beckett, Millie Evans, Gladys Beckett, Doris Watkins, Pearl Wright, and Beulah. Carrie won high, Hannah was low, and Millie and Mary won the pinocle. Beulah tells me two of the gals had a 1,000 aces to add to the afternoon, but, gosh, who were they??

**BESS HUDDLESTON** entertained her pinocle club at a Christmas party Saturday evening at her home in Lanham's Apartments. Prize winners were Martha Van Schoiack, Madge Bryant, Ola Ruggles, Esther Bergstrom and Zetta Brosnan.

**MARGARET BLAKE** received a letter recently from her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth (Mary Kay) Singer, who now lives with her family in Turkey where Kenneth is with an oil refinery company. She writes of her experiences

## Shirley Kononen Weds Californian At Carmel Mission

Shirley Carol Kononen, San Jose, Calif., daughter of Mrs. Clarence Cox, and Dean Byus, II, San Jose, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Byus, Altadena, Calif., exchanged wedding vows Saturday, November 18, 11:00 a. m. at the Carmel Mission Basilica, Carmel, Calif. Father Roger J. Dieudonné performed the nuptial mass, double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her stepfather, Clarence Cox, the bride chose for her wedding a white brocade cotton dress with matching jacket with three-quarter length sleeves. She carried a corsage of white carnation centered with an orchid and a handmade handkerchief, which had been carried by the groom's mother on her wedding day. The bride's stepfather placed a satin-covered dime in her shoe, and she wore the traditional blue garter.

Maid of honor was Miss Kay Smith, Santa Monica, Calif., classmate of the bride, wearing a light green silk shantung sheath and carried burnt orange carnations.

Best man was Robert Losey, Altadena, Calif., now attending the University of California.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Pine Inn in Carmel. After a short honeymoon in Monterey, Calif., the newlyweds are residing in San Jose, Calif., where the groom is attending San Jose State college and working part-time at Bay Mart stores. The bride is employed as personnel assistant at The Emporium, Stevens Creek Branch, in Santa Clara, Calif.

Mrs. Byrus is a 1957 graduate of Heppner High school and of Oregon State university in 1961.

## Couple Is Honored At Church Social Hour

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richmond were guests of honor at an informal coffee hour Dec. 17 in the Methodist church social rooms, with members of the Commission on Education sponsoring the affair. Mrs. Richmond has served as a department head for the Sunday school for some time.

As a token of appreciation, a new revised Bible and book of poetry were presented to the couple by Rev. Austin McGhee as a gift from the congregation.

Serving at the tea table were Mrs. Fred Gimbel and Mrs. Herman Green, assisted by Mrs. Gene Pierce and Mrs. N. C. Anderson.

Mrs. Doug Drake passed the guest book. Others helping with arrangements were Mrs. Kenneth Batty, Mrs. Lee Wagenblast and Mrs. McGhee.

The Richmonds will be moving to their new home in Rockford, Wn., by the end of the month.

**Mr. and Mrs. Roy Erickson** returned Monday evening following a week-end stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bottentiller, Hillsboro.

The Alex Thompsons visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson and Mrs. Allen Case, during the Christmas week-end. Alex returned home Monday. Mrs. Thompson and children will visit here until January 1.

## Coming Events

**FRIDAY, Dec. 29**  
Jr. high dance, Catholic parish hall, 8:00 p. m.

**TUESDAY, Jan. 2**  
Wranglers, Clubhouse, 8:00 p. m.  
Heppner Lodge AF&AM, Lodge hall, 8:00 p. m.

**WEDNESDAY, Jan. 3**  
Odd Fellows, Lodge hall, 8:00 p. m.  
Rhea Creek unit, Rhea Creek grange hall, 10:00 a. m.

**THURSDAY, Jan. 4**  
Sceptimist, Wagon Wheel, noon.

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## Home Vows Unite Couple In Marriage

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bothwell in southeast Heppner was the scene of a wedding ceremony on Monday, December 18, when Elizabeth Ann Owens became the bride of Wade B. Bothwell in the presence of the immediate family and a few friends.

The double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Kenneth Robinson, pastor of Hope and Valby Lutheran churches.

The bride wore a beige sheath frock, and her corsage was of white carnations. Her only attendant was Colleen Padberg, who wore a light blue sheath frock with white carnation corsage. Acting as best man was Buster Padberg.

A reception was held following the ceremony. After the first piece of cake was cut by the bride and groom, Lorraine Hams, sister of the groom, completed cutting the cake, which had been made by Lynn Haguewood.

After a short honeymoon, the couple will be at home in Heppner.

**Mrs. J. R. Huffman** had as Christmas dinner guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gimbel, Hermiston; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gimbel, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carmichael, and son Bob Huffman.

## Christmas Guests At Duvall Home

Guests during the week-end holidays at the home of Mrs. Harry Duvall were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wald of Portland and Miss Lois Wickersham of Seattle.

Other guests here for Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wald, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rothweiler, Robbie, Jim, Janice and Stacy Loy of Ukiah; Mr. and Mrs. Niel White, Pilot Rock; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wald, Ritchie, Anne and Susan, of Hermiston, and Miss Lenna Wald of Stanfield.

## Couple Announces Holiday Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McQuarrie, Heppner, announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan, to Dick Ruhl, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ruhl of Lexington.

The couple graduated from Heppner High school in the class of 1959 and are in their third year of college. Susan attends Oregon College of Education at Monmouth and Dick is enrolled at Oregon State University, Corvallis.

**Doug Gribble**, stationed with the U.S. Army in Texas, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Gribble.

## LITTLE SUZY SAYS:

THIS IS OUR AX AND MY DADDY SAID I WISH OUR GARAGE DOOR WAS WIDER AND I MADE IT WIDER FOR HIM AND MY DADDY SAID I AM HIDING THIS AX NOT FROM YOU BUT FROM MYSELF AND I WONDER IF THEY WILL INSURE YOU AGAINST LITTLE GIRLS HELPING HANDS AT

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on a shopping tour to town. Cost of mailing Christmas cards is great as they have to be sent air mail. She says, "This is one of the many things I should have done in the states as well as shopped for birthday and Christmas gifts!" Mary Kay is one of two women who drive cars there so they are quite a curiosity. When going shopping, she must go to a different "stall" for each item she needs. She doesn't speak Turkish and they don't speak English so the marketing is truly an adventure. The cuts of meat are different so she tries to have it cut into cuts we use here at home. In the meantime, there are five boys fighting over who is going to carry her groceries! She picked one boy, then couldn't remember which one, and this added to the confusion until she finally shooed them off. All items are bought by the kilo. They have a maid, which is the rule there, she doesn't speak English and insists on doing things her way, so Mary Kay says instead of hurting her feelings she waits and does it over later. Today Mary Kay writes, "Her (the maid's) mother is here. I don't know if she is checking up on us or her daughter?" Sounds like an interesting day in Turkey and educational for them.

**MISSED** in last week's column was the Christmas pinocle club party held at the home of Maxine Gray. She entertained two tables with guests Lillian Sweek, Bebe Munkers, Lenna Smith, Ruth Van Winkle, Marg Garner, Sarah Sharrard, and me (Jo). We exchanged gifts and planned coming get-togethers with each hostess to give one prize for the evening of play, maybe for high, pinocle, or low, and not to be announced until the end of play. Also the gals will meet in June for a no-host dinner at the Elks to close the play until fall.

**HOW ABOUT** two more candy recipes for the holiday treating? I have a peanut brittle recipe from Mrs. L. E. (Faye) Ruhl which I sampled in the store (Humphreys) Friday. And then a fudge recipe from Mrs. Boss (Helen Sherman) which is creamy and good.

**PEANUT BRITTLE**  
Combine in pan:  
1 cup sugar  
1/4 cup light Karo syrup  
1/4 cup water  
Stir until sugar is dissolved, cook rapidly to very hard ball stage, 250.

Add:  
1 to 1 1/4 cups whole raw peanuts  
1 1/2 t margarine  
Continue cooking slowly, stir until peanuts are brown and small amount of mixture will crackle in cold water, 310 degrees. Remove from heat, add:  
1 t vanilla  
1 1/2 t soda  
Stir rapidly until thoroughly mixed, spread on cookie sheet, pull edges with fork until candy is light and thin, cool and break into pieces. Can be doubled, use two cookie sheets, have ingredients ready before starting.

**MARSHMALLOW FUDGE**  
1 1/2 c sugar  
1 large can milk (condensed)  
2 T butter  
Boil until a soft ball forms when dropped into cold water. Have ready:  
1 lb. miniature marshmallows  
2 c nuts, chopped  
2 pkgs. chocolate chips (reg. size)  
1 T vanilla  
Fold quickly into syrup. Pour into deep dish or pan, let cool and mark. Makes 4 lbs. creamy candy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stotts entertained with a Christmas dinner on Monday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Len Gilman and boys, Long Beach, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gilman, Mr. and Mrs. Don Munkers and family and Mrs. Walter Gilman.

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