

# Social Lites --

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MY HOW time does fly! It's either 'cause you are getting old or you're very busy! I hope it is the latter in my case. Been planning a vacation for some time this summer? Remember if you have small children, pack away small and interesting little items which can be given them throughout the trip. Of course, don't forget the water jug. Just five minutes away from home and the youngsters are thirsty!

FOR THOSE not on vacation, how about an evening of cards? The Renegades played their last game until fall at the home of Laurel Van Marter Wednesday night. Elaine George won high, Shirley Blake, second; and Jo Thompson, Portland, was low. How about that Jo—coming up and winning the prizes? Others playing were LaFyrne Pratt, Louise Farley, Cork Norene, Kathryn Webb, and Harriet Hall. Laurel surprised the girls and served them crab Louie salad, her specialty.

GORDON AND LaFyrne Pratt journeyed to Hermiston Monday night to enter the Elks duplicate bridge play and walked off with the high for the evening. Good going.

THAT CARRIE Becket is still winning high at pinochle. Yes, she won high Friday afternoon

when Beulah Mankin entertained the group. Pearl Wright was low and teamed up with Carrie to win the pinochle prize. Also playing were Mary Harris, Marguerite Chapin, Grace Buschke, Millie Evans, Gladys Beckett, and Doris Watkins.

SUE JONES won high Thursday night at the Nine Tricks bridge club play. Karen Thompson was hostess at her home for the two tables. Margaret Siewert was low and Arolene Laird won the door prize. Other guests were Rita Wolff, June Spencer, Meg Murray, and Gwen Thompson, Pendleton.

BETH BRYANT entertained the Fidas and Fyoudas bridge club last week and prizes went to Elsie Cole high; Rachel Dick, second; and Phyllis Hutchens, low. Others making up the two tables of play were Alma Green, Florence Green, Gladys Connor, and Lorena Jones.

JUST TALKED to Bebe Munkers and Hazel Hamlin, getting some notes on their trip to the Legion auxiliary meeting at Seaside. They said the first night there they almost had to pitch a tent. They neglected to get a motel reservation! Details!

SAW IN the paper the other day this little item, "Housework is what a woman does that nobody ever notices unless she doesn't do it!" Nothing but the truth.

## Installing Ceremonies Seats 1962-63 Officers In Ruth Chapter, OES

New officers were seated at impressive installation ceremonies Monday night by Ruth Chapter No. 32, Order of Eastern Star, at the Masonic hall. Distinguished guests were present to participate and extend congratulations and bring greetings from neighboring lodge groups.

Mrs. Dean Hunt was installed to the office of worthy matron, along with Don Turner, worthy patron; Mrs. Lowell Gribble, associate worthy matron; Mrs. Floyd Worden, secretary; Edna Turner, treasurer; Mrs. Velma Glass, chaplain; Mrs. Joe Wright, marshal; Mrs. C. C. Carmichael, organist; Mrs. James Myers, Ada; Mrs. Roy Quackenbush, Esther; Mrs. Tom Hughes, Martha; Miss Judy Cochell, Electa; Mrs. Nina Snyder, warder and Mrs. Mary Bryant, sentinel.

Mrs. Carmichael presided as installing past matron; Blaine Isom of Pendleton, installing past patron; Mrs. L. D. Tibbles, installing chaplain; Mrs. Oliver Creswick, installing marshal, and Mrs. Virginia Turner, installing organist.

Making up the honor guard of Rainbow Girls, assisting the installing worthy matron and patron, were Leora Van Winkle, Ginny Lou Turner, Teresa Munkers, Jeannette Ledbetter, all of Lexington, and Dianne Schaffitz and Brenda Young of Heppner.

Frank Messenger of Medford, a personal friend of Mrs. Hunt and family, sang the number "Others" during installation of the worthy matron. This is also the theme chosen by Mrs. Hunt during her tenure of office. Ginny Lou Turner sang the number "Green Pastures" while her father, Don Turner was at the altar. Before the benediction, Judy Cochell sang, "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep Thee."

Junior past matron and patron jewels were presented to Mrs. Inez Huffman by Mrs. Dick Wilkinson, and to Harold Beckett by Don Turner.

During installation, gifts were bestowed upon Mrs. Hunt by the past matrons club and by members of her family. An orchid corsage was a gift of her husband and officers were presented wrist corsages.

Distinguished guests for the evening included Mrs. Walter Jaegar of Condon, worthy grand matron of the grand chapter of Oregon; Mrs. Dick Wilkinson, chairman of credentials committee; Mrs. James Lindsay, lone member of endowment committee; Paul Sorensen of Pendleton, member of blood bank; Mrs. Paul Sorensen, worthy matron of Pendleton; Mrs. Marge Asher, worthy matron of Fossil; Mrs. Arlene Miller, worthy matron of Condon, Al Riney, worthy patron of Condon, Mrs. Jerry Buckner, worthy matron of Arlington, and Mrs. Blaine Isom of Pendleton.

Chairman of the refreshment committee was Mrs. Huffman, assisted by Mrs. Clarence Rosewall, Mrs. Frank Turner and Mrs. Ola Ruggles. Pouring during the social hour were Mrs. Johnny Ledbetter, Mrs. Elden Padberg and Mrs. George Hermann, all of Lexington. In charge of the guest book was Mrs. Don Bennett, Heppner, and Mrs. William Van Winkle, Lexington. Summer flowers, many donated by Mrs. Turner following the piano recital Sunday, were used to brighten the hall and dining room. A bronze and green color scheme was used by the new matron of honor throughout the installation.

## Shirley Van Winkle Betrothal Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Winkle announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Lois, to Kit George, son of Mrs. Elaine George, Heppner, and Oscar George, La Grande.

Shirley graduated from Heppner high school in 1961 and is a student at the Pacific College of Beauty in Portland. Kit graduated with the class of 1962 from Heppner high school and is presently working for the U. S. Forest Service.

## Grange To Honor Ned Clarks June 30

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Clark (Kathleen Spencer), who were married May 19 in Beaverton, will be honored with a wedding shower at the Rhea Creek Grange hall June 30 at 8:00 p.m.

All friends and relatives of the young couple are invited to attend.

## Walter Wrights Host Wedding Rehearsal Party on Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright were hosts Saturday evening at a lovely dinner party at their ranch home following the wedding rehearsal of their daughter, Miss Janet Wright and Ralph Litchfield.

The dinner was served buffet style on the patio and lawn. Flowers in bloom in the gardens around the home added a colorful note.

Members of the wedding party and guests were Janet and Ralph. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Litchfield, Newport, parents of the groom; Mrs. Carol Rehffuss, Pico, Rivera, Calif., sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson, Arlington, sister and brother-in-law of the bride; Mrs. Evelyn Farnes, grandmother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Owen, and daughter, Karen, Prineville; John DeWitt, New York, N. Y.; Florence McGilvra, Hood River; Mr. and Mrs. Walt Kaufman, Tumwater, Wn.; Mr. and Mrs. John Kaufman, Chehalis, Wn.; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGilvra, Forest Grove; Father and Mrs. Bruce Spencer, Heppner; and Christie Horn, Tam Tattam, Mary Van DeGrift, Dean Weaver, Edward Stark, and Helen Boyd, all of Portland.

Mrs. Kenneth Batty and daughter, Gall, and Mrs. Harold Wright assisted with the dinner party.

## Paynes Hold Family Reunion Sunday

Members of the B. F. Payne family gathered Sunday at Cutsforth Park for a potluck picnic and family reunion. This was the 11th reunion and more than 50 persons were present.

Attending were Mrs. B. F. Payne and her sons and families; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Payne and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Payne, all of Grass Valley; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne, Heppner.

Daughters and families were: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rust, The Dalles; Mr. and Mrs. E. Hale, Heppner; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fulkerson, The Dalles; Mrs. Frank Emerson and daughter, Manteca, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Twigg, Grand Coulee, Wn. One daughter, Mrs. Irene Belshoe, The Dalles, was unable to attend.

Grandchildren and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Williams, and Mrs. Thomas Alford, all of The Dalles; Mr. and Mrs. Darrel McLachlan, Heppner.

Also present were Avery Ashley, The Dalles, brother of Mrs. B. F. Payne; Mrs. Alvin Wagenblast and Alex McLeod, friends of the family.



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**Rhea Creek Club Meets in New Home**

Members of the Rhea Creek Home Extension club met June 21 at the new ranch home of Mrs. Elmer Palmer.

Those present for the afternoon meeting were Mrs. John Graves, Mrs. Orian Wright, Mrs. Ray Wright, Mrs. Barton Clark, Mrs. John Bergstrom, Mrs. Ray Drake, Mrs. G. A. Farrens, Mrs. Harold Wright, and Marilyn Bergstrom.



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