

Friends Honor Irrigon Couple on Anniversary

By MRS. ALBERT PARTLOW
IRRIGON — Mr. and Mrs. Vestie Elgin were honored with a surprise party on their 25th Wedding Anniversary Sunday. They had been invited for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Way of Kennewick, and following the meal the Ways suggested driving on to Pasco to visit other friends. When they arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilles, a group of friends were there to surprise them, and join in celebrating the Elgin's anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Weaver spent Thanksgiving in Portland with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Fleming and family. The Weaver's children Pat and David were there, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Collins drove to Battle Ground, Wn., last Tuesday, where they were overnight guests of Mrs. Vera Matthews. They returned to Irrigon Wednesday, bringing Elsie Collins, who is attending Columbia Academy at Battle Ground, home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Knights and family of Springfield, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Collins. Mrs. Collins is Mr. Knights' mother.

But Jorgensen, who is majoring in Industrial Psychology at the University of Oregon, spent the holiday week-end with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jorgensen.

Members and friends of the Community Church of Boardman met Sunday night for inspiration with the Irrigon Baptist church. After the service, everyone enjoyed a time of fellowship with cookies and coffee furnished by the host church. The two churches meet after the worship service on the second Sunday in each month.

Mrs. Ernest Stephens left Wednesday for Portland, where she will visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Park, Gary, Julie and Carolyn; also her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephens and children Richard, Karyl and Robert. After spending a few days in Portland, Mrs. Stephens plans to go to Eugene to visit another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper and children Harry Jr. and Ernest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henner have returned from a 9-day elk hunt in the Rock Creek area in Baker county. Besides the Henners, other members of the party were Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Linnell of Mayville and Jim Brown of Haines. The party of 5 brought out 3 elk.

The following members of the Irrigon Baptist church attended an Association meeting at the Athena First Baptist Church: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Partlow, Mrs. Harry Adams, Mrs. Rees Morgan, Mrs. Avery Shoun, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Graybeal, and Rev. George Hash. After the dinner, served by the ladies of the Athena church, the Oregon Baptist convention camp director, Rev. Jack Frye, led in a training session for the tithing enlistment program.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Gasser and children drove to The Dalles Friday, to visit Mr. Gasser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gasser. The A. R. Gassers returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jackson and children moved to their new home in Hermiston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Berg and Bonnie of Westminster, Calif., spent the past week here with Mrs. Berg's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Markham and the Albert Partlows. The Bergs came via Caldwell, Idaho, where they spent a few days with Mr. Berg's

mother, Mrs. Nancy Berg. Other relatives they visited in Caldwell were the following former Irrigon residents: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne O'Shields and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Eden. Mrs. Eden is the former Charlotte Lawson. Mrs. Markham's grandsons from Hermiston, Ricky, Randy and Steve Mills spent the Thanksgiving holiday week-end in Irrigon, also, and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mills were Thanksgiving dinner guests of the Albert Partlows.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Christiansen and family drove to The Dalles Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Creighton and Vince, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mulkey joined them there Thursday, and they all had Thanksgiving together. Christiansens returning to Irrigon Thursday, and Mulkeys coming back Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Zehner and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Zehner's daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Edwards in Pendleton. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards of Pendleton also joined them for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestie Elgin entertained Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilles and son Gerald and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Worrell and son Gary, all of Pasco, for Thanksgiving dinner. Also at their home for the week-end was Elgin's son, Ronald and a friend, LeRoy Peters. Both boys attend Columbia Basin College at Pasco.

Sk3 John Califf left November 18 for Travis A.F.B. in California, and from there he caught the first flight out on a MAT bound for Okinawa, where Califf will spend 11 more months stationed in the navy.

An overflow crowd attended the Community Thanksgiving service held this year at the Assembly of God church. The service was conducted by Rev. George Hash of the Baptist church, scripture reading was by Rev. John H. Kenney of the Assembly of God church, and the sermon was preached by Elder Clyde, pastor of the Seventh-day Adventist church.

A large crowd attended the November PTA meeting conducted by president, Mrs. Harold Gugle. Speaker for the evening was Morrow County Health Nurse Velma Glass, who talked about health problems and also told of the duties of a county health nurse. Following the talk, the fifth grade, taught by Mrs. Floyd Hobbs, gave several choral reading selections, and sang two songs, accompanied by Mrs. Albert Partlow. Mrs. Partlow also played a piano solo. Refreshments were served following the program.

The fifth graders entertained at the November student body meeting, conducted by President Mike Partlow, at A. C. Houghton Elementary. Football awards were presented to members of the team.

EXAMINER COMING

A drivers license examiner will be on duty in Heppner Tuesday, December 11, at the Court-house between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., according to an announcement received from the Department of Motor Vehicles of Oregon. Persons wishing original licenses or permits to drive are asked to file applications well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure time for completion of the required license test.

Riverside Names Students Placed On Honor Rolls

By MARY LEE MARLOW

BOARDMAN—The honor roll for the first nine weeks at Riverside High school is as follows: A roll, with an average of 3.6 to 4.0: seniors—Janis Parker, Brenda Billings, Dorothy Rash; sophomores—Terry McCoy, Lyle Hobbs, Roy Obermeier, B roll, with an average of 3.0 to 3.5: seniors—Sharon Franke, Pat Partlow, Eileen Ely, Barbara Davis, Gloria Friend; juniors—Elnora Eppenbach, Susan McCoy, Mary Thompson, Kathy McGinnis, Sharon Donovan, Allyn Hobbs, Vivian Templeton, Leonard Bedard; sophomores—John Lathrop, Anna Mae McQuaw, Dick Skoubo, Dewena West; freshmen — Charles Jackson, Mike Smith, Richard Summers, James Wilson.

Attend Postal Meetings

Mrs. Flossie Coats, postmaster, and Mrs. Florence Root went to Rufus November 17 to attend a meeting of the 4th District of Oregon Branch, National League of Postmasters. Joe Kerr, postal service officer, was the speaker. Sunday Mrs. Coats, Mrs. Root, and Mrs. Gunnar Skoubo attended the Morrow-Umatilla county postmasters meeting in Pendleton.

Knitting Club Organizes

The Knitty Knitters 4-H club met recently and organized at the home of their leader, Mrs. Joe Tatone. Officers elected are as follows: Jody Tatone, president; Diane Black, vice-president; Cheryl Daniels, secretary; Linda Tatone, treasurer; Bobbie Skoubo, reporter; Roxann Wiese, sergeant-at-arms; Theresa Ball, scrapbook; Sandra Wiese, song leader; Kathy Getz, flag salute.

The club made plans for a tour to the Maryhill Museum and the Portland Woolen Mills. They also planned a Mothers' Tea for December 5.

Joe Tatone, Boardman mayor,

Cottonettes Meet

Five members of the Cottonettes 4-H sewing club met Saturday, November 17, at Mrs. Keith Rea's home to reorganize for the coming year. We have one new member, Cathy Hausler. Our visitors were Mrs. Wallace Matthews, Mrs. Joe Hausler, Mrs. Walter Jacobs, and Mrs. John Proudfoot.

We elected Karen Nelson president, Merri Lee Jacobs vice-president, Berniece Matthews secretary; Pam Proudfoot, news reporter; and Cathy Hausler and Deniece Matthews recreation leaders. It was decided to meet once each month on Saturday and to have 11 or more meetings. Our next meeting is planned as a buying trip to Pendleton on December 1, at 9:30.

Pam Proudfoot, reporter

was in Portland from November 15 till November 17 for the League of Oregon Cities meeting. Saturday night he participated in the state Elks Bowling tournament.

Van Blokland High Scorer in Livestock Judging Competition

Dale Van Blokland was the high scoring livestock judge in a county-wide 4-H livestock judging day held at the Frank Anderson ranch on Saturday, November 17, announced Joe Hay, Morrow county agent. Van Blokland scored a total of 492 points out of a possible 500 points. In piling up the winning score, he had three perfect scores out of four classes of animals judged and had the highest score on reasons.

Terryl Greenup, Heppner, scored 482 points in taking second place at the judging day. She also had three perfect scores. Others in the top ten scorers include Kenneth Wright, third; Doug Anderson, fourth; Carol Rawlins, fifth; Sheridan Wyman, sixth; Karla Luciani, seventh; Cheryl Smouse, eighth; David Hall, ninth; and Greg Greenup, tenth.

Similar 4-H livestock judging

High Hopes 4-H Club Elects; Plans Program

The 4-H High Hopes club had their first meeting at the home of Mrs. Howard Crowell of Ione. Five out of six members attended.

We elected officers. They are as follows: Teresa Stefani, president; Barbara Nichols, secretary; Teresa Tucker, song leader; Bonnie Morgan, news reporter, and Linda Williams, games.

We discussed what we could do during the year and what we would need at our next meeting.

Bonnie Morgna, reporter

days will be conducted in April and at county fair to help 4-H members learn to select and judge livestock. "Scores from the three livestock judging events will be used to select 4-H members to represent Morrow county at the State Fair 4-H Livestock judging contest," Hay said.

Fifty 4-H members, leaders and parents braved the cold, windy weather to participate in the judging day.

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