

Willows Grange Has Initiation

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IONE—Willows Grange met Sunday, March 24 at noon with a potluck dinner after which the Willows degree team initiated five new members into the Grange. Those initiated were Mark and Joe Halvorsen, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Rae, and Donald Eubanks. Several new applications for membership were received.

This was the last meeting the Grange will hold on Sunday. The meetings will return to the regular time on the third Saturday of each month at 8:00 p.m.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rietmann Thursday, March 21, at 7:00 p.m. He weighed 8 lbs., 14 oz. and his name is Greg Allan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rhode, and Mrs. Esper Hansen were weekend visitors at the Victor Rietmann home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin attended the Oregon Education Association convention banquet at the Benson Hotel in Portland Thursday, March 21.

Mrs. John Voorhees and daughters, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morgan over the week-end. Mrs. Voorhees is a sister of Mrs. Morgan.

Ione grade school boys and the freshman boys have started baseball practice.

Young Minister Called
The Ione Community church held a special meeting Sunday and voted to extend a call of service to James Wadsworth of Chicago to become the regular minister of the Ione church. Mr. Wadsworth will graduate from Chicago Theological Seminary in June. A reply is expected from him within three weeks on his decision in accepting or rejecting the call.

Members of Mrs. Glenn Biehl's Sunday school class took part in the 11 o'clock services at the Community church Sunday, March 24. The program was "Remembering Jesus through Sharing." Those participating were Christine McCabe, Tanya Tucker, Kathy Cannon, Debbie Kincaid, Debbie Winkleman, Steve Hedman, Greg Jacobs, Rickie Boyce and Jon Hedman.

Mrs. Mary Swanson returned home Sunday from Salem where she has been staying with her daughter for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gar Swanson left Wednesday, March 20, to take their daughter-in-law and her daughters to Portland where she took a Jet airliner to Fort Bragg, North Carolina. She will meet her husband, Lt. Dennis Swanson there on his return from overseas duty April 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Gar Swanson and son Jim visited several friends and relatives in Portland and Salem last week. They also visited their son John while in Portland.

Mrs. Markham Baker attended the executive board meeting of the Oregon Fellowship of Congregational Women in Portland, Tuesday, March 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Berl Akers and Bonnie spent Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23, in The Dalles and Portland visiting relatives and shopping.

Mike Meriwether from the University of Washington and nephew of Mrs. Alfred Nelson, is spending his spring vacation visiting and working on the Nelson ranch. His wife is spending the time with her parents in Spokane, Wn.

Kenneth Nelson was home from Columbia Basin College over the week-end visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson have returned to their home in Oak Grove after spending the winter months on the Nelson ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Haugen spent the week-end visiting at the home of Mrs. Fannie Griffith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bristow and son from Tillamook were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Bristow.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hams who attend Western Montana College in Dillon, Montana, are home for spring vacation visiting with both of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn at Mr. and Mrs. Vester Hams.

Assembly Receives Charter
Constitution of the Rainbow assembly was held Tuesday, March 19, in Ione. Mrs. Harold Beckett, district deputy from

Calendar of Events:

Ione Community church barbecue and auction, Saturday, June 8.

Sunday, March 31, Mr. Dale O'Hara of the Condon Congregational church will be the guest minister at the Ione Community church.

Home Ec will meet the 3rd Friday at the Halvorsen home with Mrs. Hershel Townsend as co-hostess.

Ione Community church will hold a noon potluck dinner and annual meeting, Sunday, April 21.

April 2—American Legion Auxiliary.

April 2—Rainbow Girl's banquet for their Masonic Fathers.

Heppner, presented the number and the charter to the Ione chapter. Shanny Mahoney was the drill leader, Shirley Erwin was secretary, Janice Baker was musician and Pam Cochell was chaplain. Julie Odom, worthy advisor, and several girls from Arlington were in attendance.

Mrs. George Portschy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Townsend, is spending some time with her parents due to illness.

Miss Sue Townsend spent her spring vacation visiting in Corvallis with Mrs. Eulenna Corley and her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Townsend spent Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23 in Portland.

Three of the Christopherson children, Connie, Neal and Wendy had their tonsils removed Tuesday, March 19. Wendy had complications and had to return to the hospital Saturday

morning, March 23. They are all home now recovering from their operations.

Chapter Helps Easter Drive, Aids Library

IONE—Regular meeting of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority was held March 6 at the home of Mrs. Robert Hoskins with Mrs. Don Heliker as co-hostess. A letter from a past member, Mrs. Eulenna Corley, Corvallis, was read concerning starting a sister chapter in Salem.

Mrs. Joe Hausler reported that the county Easter seal drive was well underway. Nine Rainbow girls helped stuff the envelopes for the drive, and the girls will also sell Easter lilies the Saturday before Easter.

On March 20, members of the Beta Omega chapter were hostesses for a white elephant sale to benefit the Ione library. Twenty-four members and guests attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. Sam Crawford with Mrs. Joe Engleman, Mrs. Charles Doherty, and Mrs. Robert Rietmann as co-hostesses.

\$80.84 was presented to the library board by the chapter.

Meeting Changed

For this month only the Rhea Creek Grange has changed its regular meeting date of April 12 to Thursday, April 11. A potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. will precede the meeting at the grange hall.

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Insurance Agent Makes Good Mark

The producers Life Insurance Company of Phoenix, Ariz. announces that Ernest Christopherson, Ione, a representative of the Portland Agency, has placed third with 1,991 points in the entire company during the month of February in its "President's Contest" which began on Lincoln's Birthday, February 12, and ended on Washington's Birthday, February 22. He was also complimented for his high achievement by a letter from President Richard G. Johnson of Phoenix, Ariz.

Christopherson has been with Producers since January 15, 1962. Since that time he has placed nearly 100 policies in Morrow county with nearly 700,000 paid insurance in force.

Christopherson was born and raised in Morrow county. He is married, has six children, is active in the L. D. S. church and currently is serving as Sunday school superintendent. His parents now reside in Woodburn.

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Crabtree Leads Cards with 328 Points for Year

Ron Crabtree, ace athlete for Ione High school, topped the Cardinals' basketball team in scoring points and in percentage during the regular season, a recap by Coach Glenn Biehl shows.

Crabtree made 328 points on 130 field goals and 68 free throws.

Second high on the squad was Rollie Ekstrom with 94 field goals and 46 free throws for 234, and third was Jim Martin with 50 from the floor and 36 from the free throw line for 136. Bill Klinger had 97 on 40 field goals and 17 free throws.

Others scored as follows: Tom Heimburger, 76; Marvin Padberg, 42; Ken Klinger, 33; Gary Morgan, 31; Bill Akers, 25; Steve Lindstrom, 22; Mark Halvorsen, 17; Joe Halvorsen, 9; Jay Ball, 7; Bob Emert, 4; Les Madden, 0.

Of the regulars, Crabtree had the best shooting average, making a remarkable .520 from the floor and .680 on free throws. Ekstrom hit at a lively .410 pace from the floor and made .620 from the gift stripe, and Bill Klinger fired at the rate of .398 from the court and led the team on free throw percentage with .710.

In the three extra games of the B-7 tournament Crabtree made 50 additional points to 50 for Ekstrom, 23 for Martin, 12 for Morgan, 10 for Heimburger, eight for Bill Klinger, three for Padberg and two for Joe Halvorsen.

During the season the varsity scored 1061 points, an average of 58.9 per game and opponents had 782 points or 43.4 per game. In regular season the Cardinals won 14 and lost four, and counting the tournament, they won 15 and lost six.

Cardinal Jayvees were led in scoring by Mark Halvorsen with 115 points, followed by Steve Lindstrom 88, Bill Klinger 82, Jay Ball 69, Joe Halvorsen 58, Dick Hynd 22, Bob Emert 20, Rod Linnell 12, John Rae 6, and Herb Davidson 5.

MONUMENT

(Held over from last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Jackson of John Day came Sunday on business with Mrs. Jessie Emery, returning home again on Wednesday.

Darrell Dulaney took his wife, Lois, to John Day Wednesday night for medical aid. Her sister, Stella McCarty, stayed with the three girls until Thursday afternoon.

Bob Corley left Wednesday for his training camp at Fort Hood, Texas.

The Athletic Banquet honoring the basketball team was held Friday evening in the Legion-Grange hall.

J. B. Castle of Beaverton was a caller at the Dean Enright home Saturday.

D. L. Matteson of Milton-Free-water spent the week-end with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Matteson, and with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Scott and two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin left Friday afternoon on a trip to California. They stopped Friday night in Prineville with their sons, Ansil and Richard,

and their families, continuing on to Sacramento to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams and two children. They will be gone about 12 days.

Mrs. Stella McCarty, Lois Dulaney and three children drove to Pendleton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Liburn Hunt and three children spent Sunday at the H. W. Scott home.

Bud Engle drove to John Day last week for medical attention to a dog bite on his throat.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. D. Dulaney and three daughters attended the birthday supper at the McCarty home for Paul D. McCarty on Saturday evening.

Frank Elder and Elmer Matteson have been building fence this past week on the W-4 Ranch.

Mrs. Theron King and mother, Mrs. Iva Barnard, spent Saturday in John Day visiting Mrs. Barnard's sister, Mrs. Ella Durst in the Clinic hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gienger and children of Dale, spent the week-end at the Bill Gienger home.

BOWLING BITS

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WOW, LOTS of interesting things happened in both the men's and women's leagues the past week! Like for instance the Lexington Oil Co-op lost its "touch" and has lost eight in a row! The fellows said they were not talking and that they had lost the score sheets, but guess who ended up with them? Padberg Machinery in the gals league creeping up on first place with four nights left to bowl and they are right now tied for second with Sheets. Heard that Padberg's Queen of comedy, Joyce Espy, will be gone for two weeks, which could throw a kink into their first place aspirations. Girls, just wait 'til after you bowl MCGG before getting a sub!

LAST WEEK the men's March 18 scores were not in because of the early paper, so to get you up to date, here are the results. The Co-op lost four to UPRR with Joel Engleman having high game of 195 and also high series of 493. Heppner Elks took all four from Bi-County to end up with the Co-op in second spot. Art Watkins (Elks) had high series of 550 and Vern Viall (Elks) high game of 217. For Bi-County, Bob Kilkenny was still top bowler with a 515 series and 207 game. Heard Kenny Turner added a little softball touch in the 10th frame of the last game!

THIS MONDAY the Co-op guys were still singing the "slump-

like blues" as they dropped four more to Brick's Supply, which moved them down to third place. The only information they revealed was that Dean Hunt had a 508 series! The Elks teams rolled along to take three from league-leading Hi-Ho club to hold down second place. Three of the five members bowled over 500 with Vern Viall having a 514, Gene Orvick 513, and Vic Groshens, 506. Gene had the high game of 199. Bi-County got into the win column as it split 2-2 with PGG. Kenny Turner had high game for Bi-County with 212.

PADBERG MACHINERY took four from Echo Hotel last week to put them in a tie for second. Iris Campbell (Padberg) had high game and series for them with 461 and 176, which placed her in third for the week in series and game. MCGG took three from Turner, Van Marter and Bryant and remained in fifth place, three games ahead of Turner. Cherry Hermann had high game and series for MCGG of 398 and 153. Vesta Kilkenny had high series for Turner of 438 and Jean Ann Turner had high game of 167. That was quite a contest as neither team bowled very well. Jo Pettyjohn picked up a 4-7-10 split then turned right around to lose two marks! And that isn't easy, all you have to do is throw two balls and pick up less than five pins! Karen Cutsforth (Turner) evened things up a little later by also losing two marks, miraculous bowling!

VOICE OUT OF BLUE



Impending spinster (above) is thrilled by long distance call from lost boy friend, who suddenly remembers he has forgotten her. Both parties, joyous, reconcile and plan monogamy. You, too, can give happiness to many people (yourself included) by calling long distance to chat or get re-acquainted. Why not this evening, after 6, when rates are lowest? PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL

RIVERSIDE, CAL. January 20	MONTE CARLO January 23	PURE OIL TRIALS January 27	DAYTONA, FLA. February 24
In a total performance test of brakes, suspension and steering on the twisting Riverside sports car course, Dan Gurney drove a Ford hardtop to victory over 43 other stock cars. The 500-mile grind demonstrated Ford's superior stamina and road-holding.	The '63 1/2 Falcon V-8 Sprints made their debut with a fantastic showing in the 2,500-mile Monte Carlo Rallye. Through Europe's worst winter weather they placed 1st and 2nd in class. Besides this... one Sprint defeated every entrant in the Rallye's six special stages.	In a competition designed to test all-around performance, Fords were overall winners in Class I and Class II in the Pure Oil Performance Trials at Daytona. Their total performance design added up to most total points in gas economy, acceleration and braking events.	Daytona "500" history was made when '63 1/2 Fords blazed into the first five places! Since Daytona is the toughest track in the world, this was eyewitness proof that Ford's total performance design can endure the maximum in automotive punishment.



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