

# Social Lites --

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## By JO PETTYJOHN

LOTS OF social activity the past week with meetings, card clubs, and parties. And interspersed in all this, is meal planning and preparing, washing and ironing, and chauffeuring kids to this and that! Whew, makes me tired to write this, but it is nearly the schedule of any mother with youngsters.

TWO TABLES of pinocle were in progress last Tuesday evening at the home of Mary Lovgren. Flo Connor won high. Marlys Phegley, second; Bobbie Angell, low; and Lillian Key; pinocle. Others enjoying the evening were Jackie Allstott, Jeanne Berry, Bonnie Buschke and Mary.

HANNAH ANDERSON called the other evening to say that they had been in Portland to attend a shower for Mrs. Jerry Gower, the former Maxine Allen of Ione. The Gowers recently adopted a baby boy. The shower was held in the Kon Tiki room at the Sheraton Hotel in Portland.

SEVEN TABLES of duplicate bridge were in play Sunday afternoon at the Elks rooms for the monthly unit party. Bobbe Driscoll and Rachel Dick won high north-south. Gus and Mary Jo Hartzheim, Hermiston were second. Harriet Hall and Doreen Jacobs were high east-west and Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Hampton, Pendleton were second. Other out-of-towners were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Littleton, Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richards, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harkenrider, and Mrs. Jean Ritzinger, all of Hermiston; Mrs. A. R. Fortner, Boardman.

HAZEL MAHONEY entertained What's Trump bridge at her home Wednesday afternoon with Virginia Rosewall winning high. Lucille Wilson was second and Cora Mae Ferguson was low. Al-

so in on the play were Dee Gribble, Fay Ferguson, Helen Schafitz, Margaret Blake, Madge Thomson, and Hazel.

REMEMBER THE new date of the Band Carnival April 27 with dinner at 5:30 p.m. in the fair pavilion and many games to play on the "gay-way"! Gather up the whole family for a fun night out and the proceeds go to buy band uniforms and send band students to summer school.

EDDA MAE LOVGREN won high Friday at bridge with Kay Robinson entertaining three tables of gals, plus me for an hour! I went down to eat some of that delicious-looking cherry-cream cheese pie she had made, but no luck, had to leave before she served it! Kay asked me to play but I knew Bebe Munkers would just call me the "dummy"! Lillian Sweek won second and Mary Jean McCabe, low. Others in on the session were Bebe, June Bellenbrock, Laurel Van Marter, Gwen Healy, Mabel Heath, Nona Sowell, Hazel Hamlin, Elsie Cole, and Kay.

MARGARET DUBUQUE and Janina Johnson filled in for Hannah Anderson and Pearl Wright, who were out of town, at the Friday Afternoon Pinocle club. Mary Harris entertained the group with Doris Watkins having high. Carrie Beckett, low; Gladys Beckett and Janina, pinocle. Beulah Mankin and Millie Evans were the other players.

VIRGINIA ROSEWALL and Gena Leonard were hostesses for the OES Social club held at the Masonic hall Saturday afternoon. Juanita Carmichael won high for bridge, and Gladys Jones had Jack high. Carrie Beckett won high in pinocle with Martha Lane having the pinocle. The Easter theme was

## Coming Events

FRIDAY, April 12  
Good Friday, schools dismissed 1:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, April 13  
Legion auxiliary food sale, Heppner Red and White, 10:30 a.m.  
Sociometric club food sale, Central Market, 10:30 a.m.

Elks Easter egg hunt, courthouse, fairgrounds, 10:00 a.m.

MONDAY, April 15  
Chamber of Commerce, Wagon Wheel, noon.

Rainbow, Masonic hall, 7:00 p.m.  
Easter Monday card party, Episcopal church, 8:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, April 16  
Heppner AF&AM, lodge hall, 8:00 p.m.  
St. Monica's, Mrs. Jack Loyd, 8:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, April 17  
Odd Fellows, lodge hall, 8:00 p.m.  
Sociometric, Wagon Wheel, noon.

carried out in the decorations and the gift packages were attractively decorated with Easter chickens.

MARGARET BLAKE tells me she heard from her daughter, Mary Kay (Mrs. Kenneth Singer) recently and they will have a two-months leave from his job in Turkey sometime in late summer and plan to be here in August. Another son, Don, is with United Press working in Los Angeles, Calif.

EILEEN PROCK entertained Friday night two tables of bridge with Joyce Ward winning high. Ilene Wyman had second and Patti Prock was low. Jean Bennett, Jan Agee, Nadine O'Brien, Mary McClure, and Eileen also played.

BRIDGE WAS the word Wednesday night as Inez Meador had the Renegades club at her home. Lillian Sweek won high. Bebe Munkers, second; and Bonnie Barratt, low. Others in on the play were Kay Robinson, Kay Anderson, LaFyrne Pratt, Edda Mae Lovgren, and Louise Farley.

EVERYONE HAS been reading about the meningitis at the Navy base in San Diego, Calif. Ida Farra told me her son, Jim, who is stationed there has been quarantined off and on during this outbreak. He is undergoing "boot" training and will be home on leave around May 10.

THE PINOCLE tournament at the Elks club was concluded last week with Prudy Casebeer and Ruth Bergstrom winning first place. Martha Lane and Edna Turner were second. In the Wednesday night play, Millie Evans and Beulah Mankin were high with Alta Cutsforth and Loree Hubbard second high. They will hold a party this week to give out the awards.

MARY McLEOD won high Tuesday night at the Bridge Biddies club with Mary Jean McCabe entertaining. Janina Johnson won second and Mary McClure won the traveling prize which was bidding game and making it. Marian Jonasson, LaFyrne Pratt, Dorothy O'Rourke, Donna Gordon, Jan Agee, and Mary Jean played during the evening. The gals presented Jan with a stork complete with diaper tucked full of money for the new baby.

MARTHA PETERSON entertained with a farewell party for Sherri Olson who left Saturday for her new home in Klamath Falls. Guests were Kitty O'Hara, Sharon Hams, Cheryl Bellenbrock, and Sara Strait. The party was held at the Peterson home last Tuesday, with Sherri receiving remembrances from the girls.

SEEN ABOUT town: Marie McQuarrie working diligently in her front yard; the Glenn Smiths planting rosebushes; little boy trying to push lawn mower through too-tall grass; Time for all "green thumbs" to get busy with their planting, cleaning, and moving of plants, if that weather will just cooperate!

Mr. and Mrs. Orian Wright were in Tacoma, Wn., last week to attend the funeral of her brother, Bill LeTrace. Renn Harris left Saturday following a week of spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Saling, from his studies at Willamette University.

## Sorority Elects New Officers, Sets Dinner

IONE—Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority held its regular business meeting April 3 at the home of Mrs. Gene Rietmann with Mrs. Sam Crawford as co-hostess. A letter was read from former member, Mrs. Eulenna Corley, saying she had helped start a sister chapter of the ESA in Corvallis. The new chapter is named Alpha Beta and has 15 charter members.

It was announced that Mrs. Joe Hausler will be Beta Omega's delegate to state convention in Roseburg, May 18 was set as the date for the chapter's annual husband and wife banquet.

Officers elected for the coming year were Mrs. Charles Doherty, president; Mrs. Harold Snider, vice president; Mrs. Gene Rietmann, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Joe Hausler, recording secretary; Mrs. Gil Lujan, treasurer. Refreshments served were coffee and breads from around the world, baked by Mrs. Crawford.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Raymond on Monday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Sire Sorenson of Hood River. Mrs. Sorenson is the mother of Mrs. Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Beckett and Mrs. Hannah Anderson visited in Portland over the weekend.

## Grand Officers Visit

Mrs. Dick (Jean) Reed, Condon, grand marshal, and Mrs. Jean Collins, Junction City, grand esther, paid their official visits Monday at Ruth chapter No. 32, Order of Eastern Star. Last Tuesday evening Mrs. Dean Hunt, Mrs. Lowell Gribble, Mrs. Dick Wilkinson, Mrs. Charles Stout and Mrs. J. R. Huffman attended a Friendship night and reception in Umatilla. Mrs. Kate Baggett, member of the ESTARL committee of the Grand chapter of Oregon, was the honored guest.

## Monahans Go South For Son's Marriage

The marriage of Ensign Michael F. Monahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Monahan, Heppner, to Mary Frances Dominguez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dominguez, Imperial Valley, Calif., will be an event of Monday, April 15, in San Francisco, Calif.

The wedding ceremony will take place at Sacred Heart Parish, Filmore Street, San Francisco, at 10 a.m. They will be at home, following a short wedding trip, at 10 Laguna Street, San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Monahan will leave by plane from Portland on Friday to be present for the occasion.

## Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Biddle

A surprise stork shower was given for Mrs. Marion Biddle at the home of Mrs. William Sampson on Sunday evening, April 7.

Theme of the shower was "Rock-a-bye Baby," with interesting games played and prizes awarded. Highlight of the evening was a hilarious skit with Mrs. Harold Huber acting the part of the doctor; Mrs. Orlin Huston, as a nurse, and Peggy Rockenfield, dressed in appropriate stork costume.

Baby gifts were ushered to the guest of honor in a decorated bassinet. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Guests included Mrs. Peggy David, Walla Walla, mother of Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. Gary Sumpter, Mrs. Dwayne Ball, Mrs. Mike Gray, Mrs. Ralph Marlatt, Mrs. D. E. Hudson, Miss Lorraine Harnden, Judy Hamilton, Lorraine Leonnig, Shirley Van Winkle, Mrs. Robert Porter, Mrs. Amanda Wadsworth, Mrs. Elwood Boyd, Mrs. Avery Taylor and Mrs. Clifford Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ramos and family, Echo, visited last Wednesday with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ayers.

Ray Ayers, of M. and R. Co., returned last week from Portland where he had attended an air conditioning school.



## Sisters Honored With Baby Shower

A pink and blue shower honored sisters, Mrs. Dean Connor and Mrs. Bob Parsons, Portland, last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Bryant with Mrs. Alvin Wagenblast as co-hostess.

Mrs. Lyle Jensen assisted Mrs. Connor in opening of the gifts. The gifts of Mrs. Parson were taken to her over the week-end by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Nash.

The hostesses served cake with pineapple whipped cream topping to Mrs. Nash, Mrs. Melvin Dixon, Mrs. Marion Palmer of Ione, Mrs. Lee Palmer, also of Ione, Mrs. Jim Hager, Mrs. Amanda Duvall, Mrs. Wes Marlatt, Mrs. Theta Stratton and Mrs. Jensen.

L. E. Dick and Kemp Dick left Monday for Butte, Mont., to see their father, L. E. Dick, Sr., who is seriously ill in a hospital.

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