

Lone Girl Wins Top Essay Award Of Wheat League

Cheryle Lundell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lundell, Ione, was one of three state award winners honored at the Friday evening banquet of the Oregon Wheat Growers League, capping the second day of its 36th annual state meeting at the Portland Hilton hotel.

Miss Lundell, an Ione High school junior, won the annual newspaper article contest, a competition in which high school students throughout Oregon are invited to submit essays on the production and marketing of Northwest wheat. Title of her essay was "Advantages of wheat in the Everyday Diet," and was selected over nearly 200 other entries received by the grower organization. As winner, she was presented a \$75 cash award at the banquet by Walter Jacobs, Ione, chairman of the public relations committee. She and her parents were guests at the noon luncheon and banquet, and for a two-day all expense paid stay at the hotel.

Runners-up in the essay competition were David Eakin, Grass Valley; Doug Harper, Helix, and Claudine Smith, St. Paul, all of whom received cash prizes. Another 25 contestants have received Wheat League merit awards.

Champion of the state cake "bake-off" was Mrs. Carol Wulff of Wallowa county. In the group of eight other contestants from over the state was Mrs. Floyd



WINNERS OF THREE CONTESTS sponsored by the Oregon Wheat Growers League pose with their awards following banquet capping the farm group's annual meeting in Portland. From left, they are: Mrs. Kenneth Wulff, Flora, who won the state baking tourney; John Storie, Pendleton, selected as Conservation Man of the Year; and Cheryle Lundell, Ione high school junior who won the annual Newspaper Article Contest.

Jones of Morrow county. This competition is managed by the League's Wheat Utilization Committee, with Mrs. Milton Morgan of Ione as chairman.

"Conservation Man of the Year" title was conferred on John Storie of Pendleton, whose 2700-acre wheat ranch was judged the most efficient of nine visited by a special Wheat League committee during its summer tour. Also getting favorable recommendation for the award was Gar Swanson, Ione, Morrow county winner.

Club Makes Gifts

The Busy Beavers 4-H sewing club met at Mrs. Ralph Crum's house on December 3. The meeting was called to order by the president, Cathy Cannon. Mrs. Crum suggested that we make Christmas gifts at this meeting. The next meeting will be on the first Tuesday of January, 1964.

Tanya Tucker, reporter
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Festival Again Proves Big Success; Many Folks Receive Door Prizes

By KATHERINE LINDSTROM

IONE—The Ione Community Fall Festival held at Willows Grange hall Sunday afternoon was a huge success. Organizations in town and high school classes had booths filled with delightful holiday decorations, foods, gifts, candy, plants, aprons and other needlework and exciting games. Members of the Home Economics club served a delicious ham dinner at noon.

Winners of the door prizes awarded during the afternoon were Ray Boyce, who received the gift of the freshman class; Deniece Matthews from the sophomore class; Rick Barnett, the junior class; John Jepsen, the band, Mrs. Clell Rea, the Letterman's club; Joe Palmer, Rainbow; Cheryl Smouse, the Altar Society; Mrs. Roy W. Lindstrom, Beta Omega Sorority; Mrs. Delmer Crawford, Lions club; Mrs. Cleo Childers, Legion Auxiliary; Mrs. Mary Swanson, Legion Auxiliary; Mrs. Mary Swanson, Legion; Art Dalzell, Topic club; Mrs. Al Marick, Rebekah; Mrs. Keith Rea, Masons; Gene Rietmann, Granger; Omar Rietmann, Extension Unit; and Judy Morgan received the luggage from the Kindergarten mothers.

Barnett's Brother Dies

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barnett were called to Eureka, Calif., Saturday night by the death of his brother, Floyd Barnett. Two nephews of the deceased, James and David Barnett, went to Portland on Monday evening and took a plane out on Tuesday for Eureka. Funeral services were planned for Wednesday.

Rebekah Lodge met on Thursday evening and following the meeting a birthday party was held for members whose birthdays occurred during the last three months. Mrs. Omar Rietmann, Mrs. Clell Rea, and Mrs. David Rietmann were the hostesses. Next Sunday evening, December 15, the Rebekahs will hold their annual pot-luck Christmas supper at 5:00 p.m. at the hall. Members and their guests are cordially invited to be there. A silver offering will be taken for the Odd Fellows home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn celebrated their 24th wedding anniversary with a dinner party at the Elks club in Pendleton on Tuesday evening. Guests were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn, Jr., their son-in-law and

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hams of La Grande, Mr. and Mrs. David Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Rickels of Pasco, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee of Pendleton. Following the dinner several of the guests attended the dance class sponsored by the Elks.

Two Week-end Games Scheduled

Ione High school basketball team begins its winter schedule with a non-league game with Gervais High school here on Friday night. The double header will begin at 6:30. Saturday night Ione travels to Arlington for two games. The team took part in the jamboree at Umatilla Friday night and were defeated by Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bergstrom and their daughter, Mrs. A. A. Stefani, drove to The Dalles on Wednesday for shopping and medical attention.

Joe Rietmann celebrated his sixth birthday with a party in the basement of the United Church of Christ. His mother, Mrs. Robert Rietmann, was hostess for the 16 little guests. After games were played refreshments were served to Paul and Joel Peterson, Mark and Brian Rietmann, John Ekstrom, Jimmie Boyce, Skye Krebs, Clay West, Richard Keene, Billie Tews, Billy Joe Lindstrom, Phillip and Clint Carlson, and Joe and his brothers, John and Jerry Rietmann.

Topic Club will hold the December meeting at the home of Mrs. Lindsay Kincaid at 2:15 on Friday afternoon, December 13. Roll call will be answered by reading a favorite Christmas poem.

Valby Lutheran church will hold its annual Christmas program on Sunday evening, December 15, at 6:00. This will be followed by refreshments of coffee and Christmas breads and cookies.

To Attend Safety Conference

The 10th annual Blue Mountain Teen-age Traffic Safety conference will be held at Milton-Freewater on Wednesday. Representing Ione High school will be Delores Emert, Cheryl Corley, and Kenneth Klingler, seniors, and Joe Halvorsen, junior. The purpose of the conference is to promote safe driving for students and it is hoped they will return to their schools with information and methods necessary to promote safe driving in each school area. Five workshops will be conducted to discuss teen-age driving problems. The principal speaker will be an executive from Ford Motor Co. in Seattle. Gene Harryman, principal will accompany the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Schaffer of Cecil are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schaffer and family at Concord, Calif.

Mrs. Verner Troedson left on Sunday for Albany, where she was called by the death of her uncle, Hugh Churchill.

Mrs. Harold Snider is assisting Postmaster Mrs. Charles O'Connor during the rush hours at the post office.

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