

## Year's Program For County HEC Clubs Discussed

By DELPHA JONES

LEXINGTON — Chairmen and vice chairmen of the Home Ec club committees of the granges in Morrow county met Monday noon, February 22, at the Heppner Hotel for a delightful luncheon. Mrs. Josie Cross, state HEC chairman, and Mrs. Ola Ruggles, district HEC chairman, were present for the instructive meeting.

Plans for all phases of HEC work were covered, with emphasis placed on the all-cotton dress sewing contest, the scholarship drawing, and discussion on the cookie contest and sale at State Grange in Pendleton. Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen of Ione acted as secretary for the meeting.

It was decided to appoint a committee of these ladies who will purchase prizes for the winners in Pomona level judging of the cotton dresses. Mrs. Pearl Wright and Mrs. Hannah Anderson of the Rhea Creek HEC will take care of this. The dresses will be judged on both a subordinate and Pomona level the first week in May. March 19 has been set for McCall pattern day in Portland at which time a leader in that field will demonstrate the choice of materials for patterns and basic work at the State Grange headquarters. After covering many other areas of the HEC work, the meeting adjourned.

Those present were Mrs. Josie Cross of Madras, Mrs. Ruggles of Heppner, Mrs. Vida Helker, Mrs. Mary Lundell, Mrs. Mabel Crawford, Mrs. Margaret Akers and Mrs. Halvorsen, all of Ione; Mrs. Delpha Jones, Pomona and Lexington HEC chairman, Mrs. Ardith Hunt, vice chairman of the HEC of Lexington, and Mrs. Hannah Anderson, chairman, and Mrs. Pearl Wright, vice-chairman of Rhea Creek HEC.

The Women's Fellowship group met at the home of Mrs. C. C. Jones recently with an all day meeting at which time much work was done on a quilt for Mrs. William C. Van Winkle. It is hoped to be able to finish the quilt in a couple more sessions. Reports on the group's adoption of a needy child were tabled until next meeting, and Mrs. Alonzo Henderson gave a short report on the conditions at the orphanage in Saigon where their son Laddie has been visiting while on duty in that country. Later the door prize was won by Mrs. Van Winkle. Those present were Mrs. William C. Van Winkle, Mrs. Oris Padberg, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Joe Yocom, Mrs. Lola Breeding, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Florence McMillan and the hostess, Mrs. C. C. Jones.

Mrs. Lola Breeding has been at her home recently from Hood River where she has been spending the winter with Mrs. Neil Jones, her daughter.

Mrs. L. D. Vinson, her daughter and 2 children of Hamilton visited a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Padberg.

Mrs. Kenneth Palmer and Mrs. C. C. Jones attended a coffee hour at the Marion Palmer home recently honoring Mrs. Clell Rea on her birthday.

Callers at the C. C. Jones over the week-end were Dale Whitney and daughter Sheila, Mrs. Maraveen White and Mrs. Charlene Eatch of Portland, Mrs. John Wehling and daughter of Seattle and Mr. and Mrs. Dewie Lovelace of Ontario.

Holly Rebekah Lodge met in regular form February 25 at the IOOF hall with Noble Grand Ardith Hunt in the chair. There were visitors present from both Sans Souci and Bunchgrass lodges. The Rebekahs gave a short skit for the men and were invited to give the same when the Odd Fellows visit on Thursday. Refreshments were served in the dining room.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davidson over a week-end were their daughter Beverly and fiancée John Flint of Portland.

HEC committee of the Lexington Grange met at the home of Mrs. Bertha Hunt recently for its regular meeting. Year books outlining the year's activities were given out. Care packages were discussed, as was the cotton dress sewing contest. Refreshments were served to the following ladies: Mrs. Ella Burroyne, Mrs. Kenneth Smouse and son Carl of Ione, Mrs. Martha Van Schoiack, Mrs. Nora Turner, Mrs. Pearl Scott, and Mrs. Ola Ruggles of Heppner, Mrs. A. F. Majeske, Mrs. Florence McMillan, Mrs. Ed Hunt, Mrs. Wilbur Steagall, Mrs. Norman Nelson, Mrs. Bertha Hunt and Mrs. C. C. Jones of Lexington.

The Amicitia club met at the Eldon Padberg home February 22 for its regular meeting. Those enjoying the evening were Mrs. Bob Lovgren, Mrs. Roger Campbell, Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth, Mrs. William J. Van Winkle, Mrs. Bob Davidson, Mrs. Al Fetsch, Mrs. Gene Cole and Mrs. Roy Martin and the hostess, Mrs. Padberg. Prizes were won by Mrs. Lovgren, high, and Mrs. Cutsforth, second high. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

Mrs. Charles Colley spent last Wednesday afternoon at the Percy Cecil home in Hardman where she enjoyed an afternoon pinocle party.

**Mrs. Pomeroy Dies in Kelso**  
Word was received in Lexington February 26 of the death of Mrs. Elmer (Maude) Pomeroy at her home in Kelso, Wn., follow-

## Mann Introduces Meat Label Bill

A bill that would require stores selling imported meat to display a sign to that effect and to label all packages and cuts of imported meat as of foreign origin was introduced in the state legislature by Representative Irvin Mann of Stanfield recently.

Mann said his bill would afford the housewife protection to which she was entitled. "Most of the beef imported from Australia and New Zealand is frozen on arrival, and if a housewife buys it in non-frozen state, the only way she can know it may once have been frozen is by providing she must clearly be advised she is buying an import," he said.

ing a lingering illness. Mrs. Pomeroy, a former Lexington resident, was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ebb McMillan and a sister of the late W. E. (Ted) McMillan. She leaves to mourn her passing her husband Elmer and two daughters. Services were scheduled for March 1, at 1:30 in Kelso.

## Several Attend Pomeroy Service

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LEXINGTON — Memorial services were conducted for Mrs. Maude Ethel Pomeroy, 73, at McVickers Chapel on the Hill in Kelso, Wn., on Monday, March 1. Rev. Robert Lyon officiated with interment in Cowlitz View Memorial Gardens near Kelso. Surviving are her husband, Elmer; two daughter, Joyce Robbins and Wanda Martin, and seven grandchildren.

Friends attending the service from this area were Mrs. Dick Borman, Heppner, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Warner, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. Florence McMillan, all of Lexington, and Mrs. G. E. Irvin, Arlington.

The series of six monthly card parties sponsored by Three Links Club of Holly Rebekah lodge came to a close Saturday evening at the IOOF hall. Winners for the series were the following: High pinocle for women, Mrs. Ed LaTrace, and low, Mrs. Bertha Hunt; high pinocle for men, Ed Hunt, and low, Gene Cole. High in bridge for women was Mrs. Lester Cox, and low Mrs. Carmichael; high for men was C. C. Carmichael, and low was Lester Cox. Each were presented prizes.

Mrs. Buster Padberg, Mrs. Vern Leathers and Mrs. Nell Jones

traveled to Portland this week. Mrs. Bertha Hunt spent the past week-end with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt in Portland. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Earl Warner who visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Warner in Portland.

Mrs. William C. Van Winkle entered Pendleton Community hospital Tuesday for eye surgery.

## Ken Wright Honored At OSU Ag Banquet

Kenneth C. Wright of Heppner was honored last week at the annual School of Agriculture banquet at Oregon State University.

Wright was introduced as the recipient of one of the \$300 scholarships given by the Union Pacific Railroad Company. Wright, a freshman at OSU, is son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright.

At the Ag banquet, it was announced that scholarships and fellowships worth more than \$36,000 were awarded this year to OSU students. Almost all of the study grants are sponsored by agricultural businesses or organizations or by industrial groups interested in agricultural advances.

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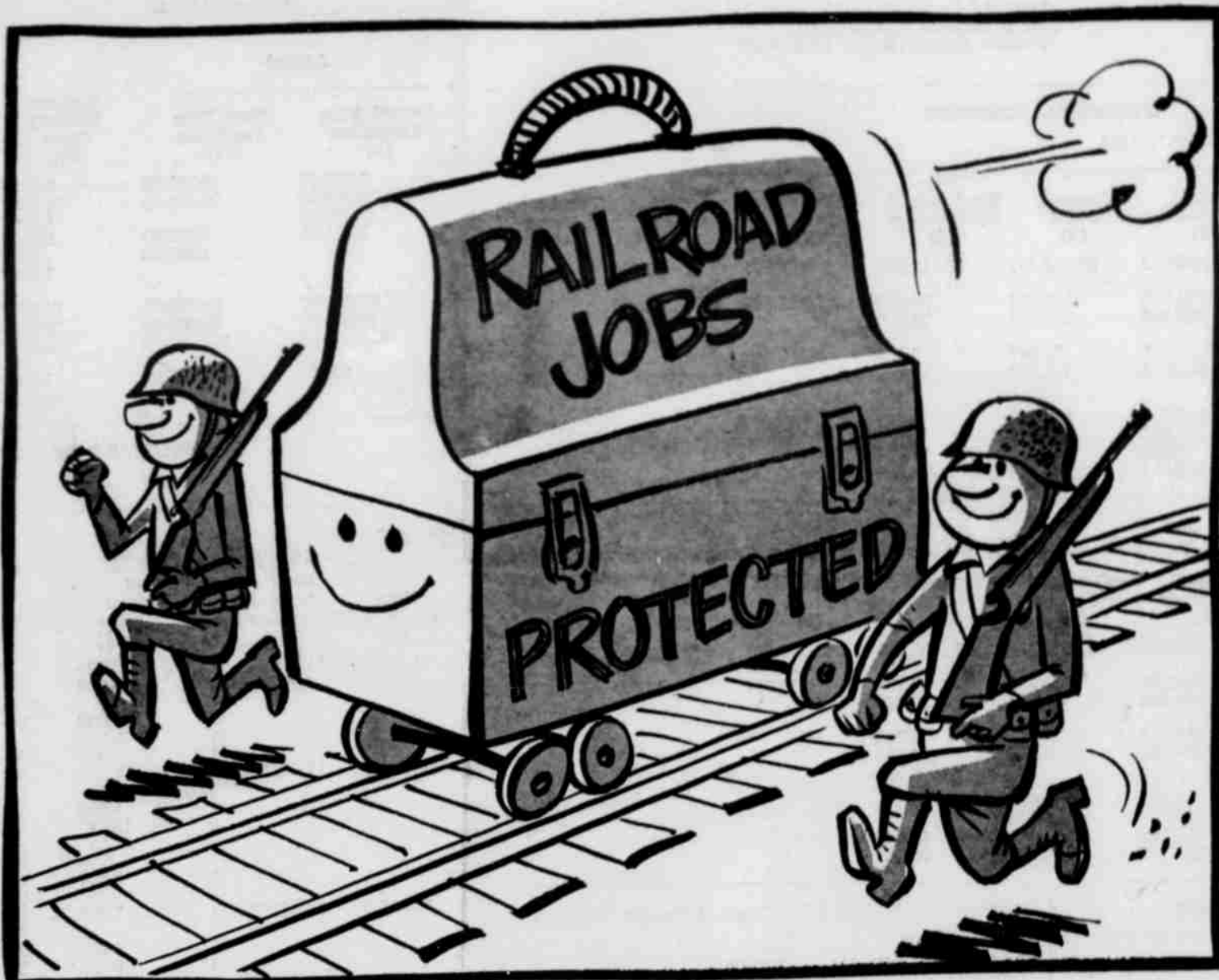
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