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Hail to Our Royalty!

Coronation time is at hand for Queen Erna Lynn Winchester of the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo court and for Princesses Verina, Barbara, Susan and Mardee. The event will be Saturday night at the rodeo grounds.

Official reign of this comely court will start as of that time, but the girls have been serving the county all through the summer with their appearances in other communities.

At each of their appearances they have won the hearts and approval of the crowds. Many compliments have drifted back to the effect that our people should be very proud of this court, not only because of their attractiveness, but because of their personalities, their conduct, and the skill in horsemanship they have displayed.

These compliments serve to heighten the pride that all of us in the home area have in them.

Jaycees have been making a special effort to provide a fitting program and proper ceremony for the coronation, and it is expected that a large crowd will be on hand Saturday night to pay homage to the queen and princesses.

Hail to our royalty! Their pretty smiles and winsome ways make them fine ambassadors to other communities and excellent hostesses to visitors here. May their reign be most pleasant and enjoyable.

Korean Orphan Families Attend Reunion Picnic

By DELPHA JONES

(Held over from last week)

LEXINGTON—KOTS (Korean Orphan Tots Society) held a picnic in The Dalles recently at the Sorosis Park. A fine crowd was in attendance and those attending report a very fine time.

Those attending from Morrow County were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marquardt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill B. Marquardt and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson and children of Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris McCarl and children motored to Harrisburg where they spent the week-end visiting Mr. McCarl's mother, Mrs. Bertha Hunt motored as far as Beaverton with them where she visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Irvin, who have been spending several weeks at the Florence McMillan home and the C. C. Jones home, have moved to Hood River where they will be for several months. Valda and Billy Irvin returned home with their parents while Vicky Irvin remained for a further visit.

Mrs. Ed (Ardith) Hunt has returned to her home after a stay in Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

Coming Events

QUEEN CORONATION AND DANCE
Saturday, August 13
Heppner Rodeo Grounds
For Queen Erna Winchester
Pre-Coronation "smoker", 7 p.m.
Dance, 9:30 p.m.
Music by Jimmy Cox and Colorado Troubadors of Pendleton.

4-H HORSE SHOW
Sunday, August 14
Heppner Rodeo Grounds, 1:30 p.m.
Open to all 4-H Horse Club members
County Fair Premiums for horsemanship and horse showmanship.

ELKS' BENEFIT Duplicate Bridge Party
Tuesday, Aug. 16, 8 p.m.
Charity party for Elks' Eye Clinic.

GET ENTRIES READY NOW For Morrow County Fair, Aug. 23-26.

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Chaff and Chatter

Wes Sherman

LUCI JOHNSON of Washington, D. C., the president's daughter, was married Saturday with pomp and fanfare and national color television coverage. She and her husband took the assumed name "Frisbie" to try to obtain privacy on their honeymoon.

Judy Smith of Heppner, Oregon, was also married Saturday in a pretty ceremony in the Methodist church with no fanfare. She and her husband, Ken, left on their wedding trip with no reporters on their heels.

If we were a young girl, we'd rather be Judy than Luci.

AS TO Luci's wedding, we'll say it was a good thing it didn't occur at the same time as the Clay-London fight, which was on the same day. This would have caused some battles on what TV program would be viewed. Mommas have a hard time resisting the opportunity to watch a wedding, and poppas could care less. And some poppas have a hard time resisting viewing a heavyweight title fight, and most mommas could care less.

We'd just as soon watch a toothpaste commercial as to view either.

XAVIER CUGAT, 66, must figure that if Frank Sinatra and Justice Douglas can do it, so can he. So he ups and marries a girl in her 20's, saying, "Some men are old at 20, and some are young at 40. I am one of those." Sounds like the band leader has left himself open on a case of an indefinite antecedent. Maybe he was old at 20.

SO THE Fred Gimbel's drove 300 miles to play golf on the Willow Creek course! No, that's not exactly right, but when they were here Monday on their vacation stop, they did play golf on the course, and it was the first time Fred had set foot on it—after they had lived here all those years.

You see, when Fred and Betty lived here, they had no interest in golf and spoke of it with some disdain. But somewhere, after leaving here for Cottage Grove, then Yakima and now Lincoln City with PP&L the golf bug done bit, and they have it bad. Rumor has it that son Rick, now a six-footer, beats his dad on the links, but we wouldn't want to start any family arguments.

TRAGEDY STRUCK the Odd Fellows' United Nation Pilgrimage last week when the bus in which the Northwest winners were riding was involved in an accident in Minnesota, enroute home. A woman from Idaho, one of the chaperones was killed and several students were injured.

There was a report that the Helix girl, who won the right to make the trip in competition at Pendleton earlier this year, was hurt, but her name was not among those listed in newspaper accounts as requiring treatment.

Kathy Melby competed for the right to make the trip but lost in the Pendleton competition. It may be recalled.

Pete McMurry, who has been an ardent supporter for the IOOF United Pilgrimage here, said that this is the first time such an accident has marred the trip. It is to be hoped that this will not discourage the lodge from continuing the fine venture.

LABOR UNIONS are now giving green stamps for members' attendance at meetings, according to an item in the Industrial Press Service. Maybe this

would be a thought for the Heppner PTA, which has had trouble getting many out for meetings. But we doubt if their dues, unlike the unions' are high enough to stand the cost.

THERE'S A nice pictorial layout in the August issue of Ruralite telling of the work of the Morrow County Jaycees with emphasis on their sponsorship of Little League here. Pictures are included of the Braves and the Indians, as well as one of some of the Jaycees wives, one of Dr. L. D. (Ump) Tibbles, and another of President John Pankey and Vice President Wayne Harsin in connection with their sign project. We'll agree, it's nice to have those Jaycees on the job!

AN ITEM in The Forest Log, published by the State Department of Forestry, reports, "Recently the department received a postcard addressed to Mr. Warden Fire. Now to be consistent, that company in communicating with an ally of the department should address him as, 'Mr. Bear Smokey.'"

MAYBE WE SHOULD dedicate the following story to the several newlyweds in the current wave of August weddings here: An old freight conductor on his 50th wedding anniversary told the story of how his wife cured him of a once terrible temper.

"We had been married just about three months when I came home hungry, only to find burned food on the table. Mad as could be, I threw my plate out the window. My wife hesitated for only a fraction of a second and then she grabbed up the serving dishes, knives, forks, spoons, cups and saucers and even the tablecloth and threw them all out of the window. Then she propped her hands on her hips and declared: 'It's all right with me—only

Bishop Here Sunday

Bishop Barton of the Missionary District of Eastern Oregon will be at All Saints' Episcopal church in Heppner for Holy Communion at 10 a.m. Sunday, August 13. A coffee hour and vestry meeting will follow the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chrismon of Beaverton were here over the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. Frank Adkins. Mr. Chrismon is District Manager of Aloha Trailer Co. of Beaverton.

3 to Get Degrees At EOC Exercises

Three persons from Heppner will receive degrees from Eastern Oregon College at annual summer session commencement Friday, August 12, the college announces.

Donald Clark, Jr., will receive a bachelor of science degree in general studies. Lawrence Green and Opal Silva will receive bachelor of science degrees in education.

A total of 83 candidates are scheduled to receive degrees at the exercises of whom 35 will

be master's degrees. The commencement is at 10 a.m. in the EXC Coliseum with John M. Miller, professor emeritus of education, delivering the address.

The Elmer Schmidt family visited relatives in the Spokane area from July 21 to August 1. For three days of this time they were at the cabin of Mr. and Mrs. Les Belden on Lake Colollala near Spokane. Mrs. Belden is Mr. Schmidt's sister.

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