

Elks Bridge Club To Sponsor Charity Party for Eye Clinic

Heppner Elks Bridge Club, a member club of the American Contract Bridge League, will hold a charity party of duplicate bridge at the Elks Club room Tuesday night, August 16, at 8:00 p.m. The party will be open to the public, according to LaVerne Van Marter, Jr., who is in charge of arrangements.

Admission will be \$1.00 per person and players are urged to bring a partner; this is necessary for duplicate play. Those wishing help in finding a partner or having other questions may call Van Marter.

Proceeds of the party will be donated to the Elks' Eye Clinic Fund for aid to visually-handicapped children, the principle charity project of the Oregon State Elks Association.

Elks Eye Clinic funds provide cost of care for many children treated by the widely-known University of Oregon Medical School Eye Clinic under the direction of Dr. Swan. Money from the fund also buys equipment for the clinic and, according to Van Marter, there are pieces of equipment in use there now which are marked as donations of the Heppner Elks Lodge.

This is the second charity party for the local bridge club this year. Under the A.C.B.L. rules, local clubs must have a charity party for the national association's benefit work before they can have an official benefit for a local charity.

Invitation Extended To Dixon Wedding

A public invitation is extended by the Rev. and Mrs. Melvin W. Dixon to their friends and church constituents in the area to attend the marriage of their daughter, Sharon Anne, to Charles Lloyd Gilliland, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Walter Gilliland of Corry, Pa.

Vows will be exchanged Sunday afternoon, August 21, in the Heppner Methodist church at 3:30 p.m., and the couple invites those attending to the reception which will follow in the church social rooms.

Both young people were graduated from Ashbury College in Wilmore, Ky., in June, and will return to the east for graduate work and seminary this fall. They will be at home after September 5 at 1356 Royalty Court in Lexington, Ky.

Monahans Attend Lake Oswego Rites

Attendance at the wedding of Yolanda June Parker, daughter of the Consul of Panama, Hilda M. Parker of Lake Oswego, and Dr. Russell Parker of San Francisco was a July event for Mrs. James Monahan and daughter, Theresa. Mrs. Monahan and the Parkers have been friends for many years.

The wedding was July 6 and Mrs. Monahan and Theresa went the Sunday before to visit her sister, Mrs. John K. Paulson in Lake Oswego. They remained for ten days following the ceremony at the Paulson home.

Mrs. Monahan reports that the wedding, in Christ Church in Lake Oswego, was very beautiful and that she saw many celebrities both there and at the Waverly Country Club during the reception.

Starks Girls Visit Former Home Town

Susan and Linda Starks, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starks, have been recent visitors with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller in Camas, Wn.

The girls took turns with their visits so that they could stay on their babysitting job for Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson; Linda going first for two weeks and then returning the week-end of July 23, when Susan began her visit. Mrs. Starks and Cathy Mathews went to Camas on Saturday, to bring Susan home.

Since the Starks family lived in Camas before coming to Heppner, Linda and Susan renewed acquaintances with many friends in the community.

Holt Family Spends Short Visit Here

Enjoying their summer visit at the C. J. D. Bauman home recently were Mrs. Bauman's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Holt and five children. While here they also visited the grandmother, Mrs. Lee Cantwell, and brought cheer to her at Pioneer Memorial hospital.

The Holt family is moving from Drain to a new location at Oregon City, where Holt will assume principalship of the Park Place Grade school. He was the former principal of the Drain grade school.

Many Extend Wishes In Honoring Couple At Hoskins Reception

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoskins was the scene of a wedding reception on Sunday afternoon, August 7, honoring their newly wed son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James L. (Gail) Boor, of Portland. The couple was married Friday, July 15, at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boor of Arlington. Their wedding trip took them to points of interest in Montana and Washington.

A large gathering of about 80 friends and relatives, many from out-of-town, came to extend their greetings and best wishes to the newlyweds. Guests were served from a table beautifully centered with a tiered wedding cake, decorated with pink and white roses. Serving the cake were two aunts of the bride, Mrs. Frances Mitchell of Portland and Mrs. Robert Hoskins of Gibbons, assisted by Miss Ginny Moore.

Presiding at the punch bowl were Mrs. Stanley Robinson, Miss Martha Peterson, Mrs. Everett Struckmeier and Mrs. George Griffin.

The guest book was passed by Miss Joan Stockard, and presiding at the gift table were Mrs. Marcel Jones and Miss Marie Hoskins.

Following the reception the honored couple returned to Portland where both are employed. The groom will enter his junior year at Portland State College this fall. They are now at home at 1923 S. W. Morrison St., Portland.

Relatives here from Portland were Mrs. Frances Mitchell, Mrs. John Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Parker and son Steven. Also from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Curtis, brother-in-law and sister of the groom, and family of Arlington; Mrs. Joe Foley, Harold Wilkins and Will Hoskins, all of Echo; Mrs. Frieda Bash, Stanfield; James Hoskins and Mr. and Mrs. James O'Brien, all of Pilot Rock; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Davis, Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoskins, Gibbons; Miss Martha Peterson, Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kroll, Lexington.

Golden Agers Enjoy Evening's Activities

Heppner Golden Agers met Tuesday evening at the Episcopal Parish hall with a good crowd in attendance.

The Rev. Mr. Dirk Rinehart led the invocation, after which all joined in a bountiful potluck dinner.

During the evening, members and their guests sang with Mrs. C. C. Carmichael at the piano, played bingo, Scrabble, and cards and danced with the record music of the Huston Lesleys.

As a special entertainment feature, Mrs. Carmichael played a number on the Melodica. Over 20 members were in attendance and several guests were present including the Rev. and Mrs. Rinehart and Mrs. Sara Morrow. New members, Mrs. Florence McMillan and Mrs. Bertha Hunt of Lexington, were welcomed by the club.

Wisharts Entertain Out-of-town Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wishart, Sally, Susie, Jimmy and Johnnie have been hosts during recent weeks to several groups of visitors. July 13, overnight guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stevenson of Seaside who are relatives of Mr. Wishart. On July 22, Mrs. Wishart's aunt, Mrs. Cecil Post and her children of Las Cruces, New Mexico, stopped here on a trip to Hood River where they met Mrs. J. M. Flesher, mother of Mrs. Post and grandmother of Mrs. Wishart, to drive Mrs. Flesher back to New Mexico. Mrs. Flesher had been unable to get a plane flight home because of the airline strike.

Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butterfield, Mr. Wishart's uncle and aunt of Hood River, who stayed overnight Wednesday, July 28.

Families Combine On Birthday Events

A birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farra last Thursday celebrated the close birthdays of Mrs. Farra and Tom Gonty. Guests at the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gonty, Tom and Doug, and Mrs. Alice Luttrell.

The Gontys and the Farras have celebrated their joint birthdays for several years, both in August and in March, when Ed Gonty and Jim Farra had their birthdays, before Jim left Heppner for service in the U. S. Navy.

Couple Wed July 30 In Idaho Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoyhtya of Heppner are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Dollie, to Lee Hams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vester (Stub) Hams of Ione.

The couple was married Saturday, July 30, in a triple wedding at Weiser, Idaho. Others in the ceremony were from Baker, La Grande and Portland.

The newlyweds are making their home in Heppner.

Mrs. Griffin Shows Steady Improvement

Mrs. Jessie Griffin has returned to her home after three weeks of traveling and convalescence.

She left Pioneer Memorial hospital July 24, and traveled to Portland July 26 with her daughter, Frances Griffin. After staying in Portland a week she went to Poulsbo, Wn., to visit another daughter, Mrs. Herb Case, for two weeks. Mrs. Case brought her back to Portland and Frances Griffin brought her back to Heppner where she spent another week in Pioneer Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Griffin is much improved from the effects of a broken pelvis.

Church Youth Join For Evening of Fun

"Wonderful!" was the word used to describe the crowd and the evening when the Methodist Youth Fellowship and the Christian Youth Fellowship combined in hosting a party for young people of local churches at the Lexington school grounds Sunday evening.

Members of the group met in Heppner and rides were provided to Lexington where the entertainment began with a softball game.

After the game all joined in a watermelon feed and managed to do away with 12 of 15 watermelons on hand.

From the park the party moved to the Lexington Christian church where they finished the evening singing at a hootenanny. Jean Stockard and Sharon Dixon accompanied the singing with guitar music.

Leslie Meador and Joan Stockard were in charge of planning the party. Guests from the Christian, Methodist, Episcopal, Catholic, Seventh-day Adventist and Assembly of God churches of this area were present and also one guest from the Milton-Freewater First Christian church.

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Boschees to Vacation Along Oregon Coast

A vacation trip to the Oregon coast is planned by the Rev. and Mrs. Al Boschee and family during the coming week. The family plans to spend several days camping at Cape Lookout trailer park near Tillamook.

Guest speaker at the Christian churches in Heppner and Lexington on Sunday, August 14, will be Ron Ingle of Hermiston, graduate of Northwest Christian college, and former teacher at Heppner High school.

On Sunday, August 21, services will be under the direction of Dick Struckmeier.

Andersons in Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Anderson and son Kit currently are traveling in Europe on vacation from their work in Niger, Africa. A card mailed August 4 from Amsterdam said that they were on their second week of touring Europe and that they had seen many interesting places. "The country is all so green, fresh and beautiful with much progress in building and roads everywhere. We go on to the Scandinavian countries tomorrow. Enjoying our vacation," the message said. Kit expects to return to Oregon this fall to go to school here.

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