

# Future Bride Honored With Wedding Shower

By VIRGINIA KELSO

KINZUA—Miss Verla Conner, bride-elect of Stephen Benson, was the honored guest on Friday evening, November 8, when a bridal shower was given for her at the grade school. A decorated cake in the bride's colors of red and white centered the serving table and the gift table had a bride doll as a centerpiece. Each table was centered with a red candle in a red and white holder.

Games were played with the winners being Lily May Nistad, Marie Wall and Lavina Conner. The honored guest then opened her many lovely gifts, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Verlin Conner, Mrs. Stanley Benson, Mrs. Don Slinkard, and Miss Diane Anderson of Condon.

Cake, ice cream, coffee and punch were then served to the guests by the hostesses Naomi Rice, Doris Stubblefield, Rita Bowman, Virginia Sisson, Janice Chase, Kathy Doty, Becky Ostrander, Hazel Hulett, Hildred Hines, Margaret McConnell, and Delores Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Dyer became the parents of their first son on October 27 in La Grande. The baby weighed 5 lb. 9 oz. and has been named Forrest Daniel. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kennedy of Elgin and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Dyer of Fossil.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Long are on a trip to Kingman, Ariz., where they were called by a death in their family.

Mrs. Delbert Barzee and daughters, Cheryl and Joyce, and Mrs. Paul Oyler and son Don spent a week-end at Bates visiting with the Lyle Zemmer family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nyseth and daughter Jeannie were in Portland for a week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Derral Bird and son Don spent a week-end at Milton-Freewater visiting relatives and for Bud to do some elk hunting.

Mrs. Bert Hoover, Kinzua postmaster, went to Pendleton November 8 to attend a meeting of postmasters and be instructed in the manner of handling Christmas mail.

Wayland Hyatt and daughter Theresa went to Portland to bring Mrs. Hyatt and sons, Travis and Troy, home Saturday morning, November 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Bowman went to Echo to attend the funeral of Jigg's uncle, Asie Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Slinkard were recent business visitors to Pendleton.

Mrs. David Dahill of Portland spent a week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeMeritt were in Heppner on November 4 for medical care for Mrs. DeMeritt. He returned to Heppner November 7 for further care.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph James went to Portland to take Rella Ayland to board the plane to her home in Denver, Colo. The following day Mr. and Mrs. James were in The Dalles on business.

Guy Van Arsdale was in Pendleton recently for medical care.

Mrs. Tom Joran, Trina and

Tim, went to Pendleton November 6 where Mrs. Jordan had medical care. While there she met Naomi Potter of College Place, Wash., and Thelma Billings of Myrtle Creek for a visit.

## Club Elects Officers

The Camp 5 Womens Club had its regular meeting November 6 at the Camp 5 Community Hall with President Barbara Mortimore in charge. Nine members and two guests, Carol Thomas and Betty O'Neill, were present. Hostesses for this meeting were Frances White. A thank-you note was read from Sgt. Kenneth Norris, thanking the club for its Christmas package. They also voted to provide Kool-Aid and gum for the Operation Sweet Tooth packages, with Pat Van Arsdale to purchase the items for the club.

Election of officers for 1969 was held with the following elected: President, Delores Wimer; vice-president, Betty Murdoch; secretary, Barbara Mortimore; treasurer, Frances White; sgts.-at-arms, Sue Tipton and Terry Todd. Plans were made for the club Christmas party with Sue Tipton and Rose Hardwick to be hostesses; decoration committee, Sue Tipton, Rose Hardwick, Carol Thomas, Terry Todd and Betty Murdoch; cleanup committee will have Delores Wimer as its chairman.

Saturday, December 14, was set for the Community Christmas Card Party with Barbara Mortimore, Terry Todd, and Carol Norris as hostesses. The door prize went to Delores Wimer, with bingo prizes going to Betty Murdoch, Terry Todd, Betty O'Neill, and Carol Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Douglas and daughter of Baker visited a week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeMeritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Reed of Redmond visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Murdock and also at the Frank DeMeritts.

Mr. and Mrs. Denzil White and daughter Susan were in Hermiston for Susan to have medical care and then visited with Bruce Hollomon.

Mrs. Red Hulett and Mrs. James Hulett were business visitors to The Dalles. Also there on business were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rice and family and Miss Sara Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tipton and family spent a week-end at Beaverton where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tipton and Mrs. Karen Amos and daughter of Honolulu, Hawaii.

Ernest Bartow took Mrs. Bartow to Heppner November 9 where she entered the Pioneer Memorial hospital for medical care.

Mrs. Betty O'Neill was the guest of honor at a stork shower given by Mrs. Ralph James and Mrs. Delores Wimer at the James home. Games were played with Betty Murdoch and Sue Tipton winning prizes. Those present were Marie Hulett, Eva DeMeritt, Carol Thomas, Carol Norris, Terry Todd, Frances White, Pat Sharp, Rose Hardwick. Unable to be present but sending gifts were Ruth Jordan and Barbara Mortimore.

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## America's Future . . .



AMERICA'S FUTURE Citizens presented in this week's series are from left, Raymond O'Hara, age 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard O'Hara, Heppner. Second from left is Cathy Sherman, 15 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Sherman, and second from right is 11 year old Wayne Gentry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gentry, Heppner. Pictured at the right is 5 year old Scott Crabtree, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jan Crabtree, Lexington.



HAPPY SMILES on the faces of these youngsters from the Ince area are seen in this series of America's Future Citizens pictures, presented each week by the Gazette-Times. Pictured at the left is 2 year old Jeff James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrel James; second from left is Kimberly Rice, age 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rice, and second from right is Douglas Dyck, Darrin Padberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Padberg. Pictured at the right is Douglas Dyck, age 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Art Dyck, former Heppner residents, who now make their home in Las Vegas, Nev.

## Beinhauer Boy Shows Progress

By FRANCES ROSE WILSON

IRRIGON—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beinhauer brought their son, James, home from Kadlec Hospital in Richland on November 3. James was accidentally shot through the head early in August in a hunting mishap and has been in the hospital since

that time. He was on the critical list for several weeks but has now recovered sufficiently to walk around, although it will still be some time before he is able to return to school.

The Irrigon Lions Club is sponsoring a drive to raise funds for the purchase of a television set for him. One was rented during the time he was confined to the hospital. Television viewing is being used as a form of therapy to keep him alert.

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## Irrigon to Vote On Councilman

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IRRIGON — Election returns were certified as the Irrigon City Council met in the November session. The judge's seat and two council seats were declared filled and the third tied. A special election was authorized to submit the names of James Keith and Elva Sanders, the two candidates, to the voters for a decision. The election will be held in conjunction with those of the fire and cemetery district election on December 2.

Mayor Wilson reported that there was a question regarding the quality of the artesian water recently struck in the new city well being drilled. Alternatives were discussed as to whether it should be drilled to a higher level or the water bypassed at a higher level be explored before considering the expense of going deeper.

A test since the meeting has proven the sulphur content of the water to be beyond treatment. The artesian flow has been sealed off and further tests are being made. A special council meeting has been called for November 21 with the engineers present from Cornell, Howland, Hayes and Merryfield, to decide what action is to be taken.

## Man-Caused Fires Fewer This Year

Fewer man-caused forest fires were reported in Oregon this year according to the Keep Oregon Green Association.

Of the 822 man-caused fires reported, 256 were caused by smokers and 164 by campers who failed to extinguish their open camp fires. Oregon's fire season began this year in many parts of the state on May 1. By June 21 all of the state came under fire regulations. The general state termination of Oregon's fire season became effective October 16, 1968.

Early rains in August with general rains near the end of September and the first two weeks in October lessened the forest fire hazard. Last year a total of 1,353 man-caused fires were reported.

music director and conductor. The performance was at the Pasco High school auditorium. Mrs. Josephine Buchanan visited several days with her sister, Mrs. Herman Havekost, of Ione, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Watkins enjoyed the long Veterans Day holiday visiting at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Longnecker who live at Mt. Vernon, Wn., near Bellingham.

Mrs. Gertrude Van Horn visited in Irrigon recently from Kootenai, Idaho. She has leased her property here to the Wayne Johnson family who moved here from Seattle a short time ago. Mrs. Celia Dully and daughter of Eugene and Cottage Grove visited with her aunt, Mrs. C. W. Grim and Frank Ryder.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Partlow and Sheryl visited relatives in Portland over the Labor Day week-end.

A number of people from the Irrigon Assembly of God church attended the dedication of the Cayuse Indian Church, at Gibbon, on Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Partlow and Sheryl, accompanied by Mrs. Edna Chamberlain of Umatilla, drove to Pasco November 6 to hear the Seattle Symphony Orchestra, with Milton Katims,

## Pacific Power Pays \$1,813 Taxes Here

A check for \$1,813.49 was received this week by the Morrow County treasurer as Pacific Power & Light Company paid its 1968 county property tax bill.

The tax payment was part of \$7,125,279.64 in property taxes Pacific Power is paying in 30 of Oregon's 36 counties this year.

C. E. McQueary, PP&L district manager in Pendleton, reported that the company's tax bill was up \$969.61 from last year. PP&L's statewide total was up 13.3 per cent, an increase of \$835,154.62 over the previous year.

## New Officers Chosen

Rhea Creek Livestock 4-H club met at the home of the leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hall. After the meeting was called to order by Dean Wright, individual records were checked and discussed. The following officers were elected for 1968-69: John Hall, president; Jill Rugg, vice president; Kristi Hagewood, secretary; Kimee Lu Hagewood, treasurer; John Harris, reporter; Kimee Lu Hagewood, sergeant-at-arms; Keven Hagewood, game leader. Mr. Hall will be the leader, assisted by Ron Hagewood, and junior leader will be Dave Hall.

After discussion on future meetings, it was decided to hold meetings on the third Sunday at assigned homes. Refreshments were served to members and guests after the meeting. Kristi Hagewood, reporter

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