

**Granges Get 'Boost'  
For Fall Meetings  
At Sunday Program**

Willows Grange Booster program was held at the Ione hall Sunday, September 7, beginning with a ham and turkey dinner at 1:00 p.m.

Following the dinner, prepared by the Committee on Women's Affairs, a program was presented to over 100 distinguished and honored guests and members of Willows Grange, Greenfield Grange of Boardman, Lexington, and Rhea Creek Granges.

Distinguished guests included Mr. and Mrs. Allen P. Wheeler, Master of the Oregon State Grange. He also holds the chaplain station of the National Grange.

Wheeler sang for the audience two selections, "Cats Whiskers" and "No Man Is An Island," accompanied by Darrell James on the piano.

During the program Master Wheeler spoke to the members on various subjects pertaining to the functions of the Oregon State Grange. He also told the group that Eastern Oregon Grangers must strive for better representation of votes in our State Legislature.

Other selections in the program included a number by the local singing group "Town and Country" men, which includes Lindsay Kincaid, Larry Rietmann, Don Bristow, Fred Martin, Mike Matthews, Jerry Martin and Dennis McKay. Wheeler also sang selections with the group, accompanied by James.

Linda Morgan of Condon accompanied on the guitar by her father Clayton, sang two selections, "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands" and "Selections from the Sound of Music."

Hubert Wilson of Heppner sang "How Great Thou Art," requested by Mrs. Art Dalzell, and accompanied on the accordion by Mrs. Wilson. She accompanied him on the piano while he sang "My Happiness."

Barbara Palmer played the piano and sang with her sisters, Debbie, Donna and Anita, the selection "Born Free."

The audience was also entertained with two square dances by some of our local dancers, consisting of four couples, the Marion Palmers, Lee Palmers, George Griffins and Darrell James.

Other distinguished guests honored included Berl Akers of Ione, gatekeeper of the Oregon State Grange.

Honored guests included Mr. and Mrs. Nate Thorpe of Heppner. Mr. Thorpe is county Deputy for OSG. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones of Lexington and Mrs. Hazel Carpenter of Boardman. Mrs. Jones is chairman of Dist. 6, Committee on Women's Activities, and Mrs. Carpenter is Master of Greenfield Grange in Boardman.

**Society AND Clubs**



MISS NONDA CLARK

**Grand Officer Makes  
Official Visit Here  
At Rainbow Meeting**

Ruth Assembly No. 50, International Order of Rainbow for Girls, was honored last Wednesday evening with the grand visitation of Grand Worthy Advisor Kathy Wade of Condon Assembly No. 42.

Special tributes were given the state leader at a meeting which followed a 6:00 p.m. potluck dinner.

Cindy Harsin, worthy advisor, and other officers of Ruth Assembly presided over the opening and closing ceremonies, and over the balloting for new officers. Girls of the Condon assembly were in charge of introduction of distinguished guests.

Several members were also present from Ione Assembly No. 89.

**Nonda Clark Reveals  
Wedding Engagement**

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Clark are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Nonda Leona, to Hal Sunday, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Sunday, of San Jose, Calif.

Both young people are students at Linfield College in McMinnville.

Their engagement was announced at a candle passing ceremony at Nonda's sorority, Sigma Kappa Phi, on September 3. Her fiancé's fraternity, Delta Psi Delta, joined the sorority in honoring them with a double serenade.

Miss Clark graduated from Heppner High school in 1967, and is in her junior year at Linfield. She attended summer school at Oregon State University.

Their wedding is planned for December 28.

**Methvin Transferred;  
Farewell Dinner Held**

Forest service employees held a no-host dinner in honor of Ken Methvin, Friday, August 29. Methvin and his family have been transferred to Sweet Home where he will be district engineer.

Twenty-six fellow employees and their wives and husbands attended the dinner held at the Wagon Wheel banquet room. Methvin has been stationed here for four years.

A teflon electric grill was given the couple as a farewell gesture. The family moved Sunday, August 31, and Methvin's duties started Monday, September 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Methvin have two children, Chucky and Teresa.

**Rainbow Assembly  
Installation Planned**

Miss Teresa Wright will be installed new worthy advisor of Ruth Assembly No. 50, Order of Rainbow for Girls, at formal ceremonies Sunday afternoon, September 14, at 2:00 p.m., in the Heppner Masonic hall.

Miss Wright, daughter of Mrs. Adele LaTrace, and senior at Heppner High school, will succeed Cindy Harsin as worthy advisor for the fall term. Other elected and appointed officers will also assume their duties at the installation.

**Grandson Married  
In Seattle Ceremony**

Announcement has been received by Mrs. Mary Johnston of Heppner of the marriage of her grandson, Edward Patrick McDaid and Janet Jean Lilwina, on August 28 at the Catholic church in Seattle, Wn. They will live in Seattle where the groom is working for the Boeing company and the bride is teaching school.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted McDaid of Tigard.

**Terry Peck, Larry Pettyjohn  
and John Rawlins Left Tuesday,  
September 9, for the Malheur,  
Bird Refuge. They planned to  
camp out, watch birds and take  
pictures, returning Friday, Septem-  
ber 12.**

**Grand Lodge Officers  
Coming on Goodwill  
Eastern Oregon Tour**

Willow Odd Fellow Lodge No. 66 and Sans Souci Rebekah Lodge No. 33 will be host to about 40 visiting Grand Lodge and Grand Assembly officers on Monday, September 15.

The group of distinguished guests will spend the first day of their week-long Goodwill Eastern Oregon Tour in Heppner. Joining the Heppner lodges will be representatives from Gilliam and Wheeler counties, as well as Ione and Lexington.

Following an afternoon of visitation, guests will be entertained at a 6:30 p.m. dinner at the Heppner IOOF hall. Highlight of the program following the dinner will be the presentation of veteran jewelry by the Grand Master of Oregon to several local long-time members. Dancing to live music will follow the open meeting.

The Eastern Oregon Tour will continue its visitations in Pendleton on September 16, then continue to Canyon City, Burns, Ontario, Enterprise, and return to Portland on September 21.

Directing the activities here will be Jack Sumner, noble grand of Willow lodge, and Mrs. Larry Cook, noble grand of Sans Souci lodge.

**Boardman Girl Fills  
Leading Role in Opera**

Miss Pamela Kuhn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kuhn of Boardman, was featured in a leading role in the opera, "The Elixir of Love" by Donizetti, at the Sun Valley opera house this summer. She sang the role of "Adina", with her voice teacher P. Peter Sacco, filling the male lead of "Nemorino" in the opera.

Pamela attended the Sun Valley Music camp on a seven-week scholarship, with a double major in voice and piano. Director of the camp, Jacques Broum, and the piano instructor, George Stegner, were from Queens, College, Charlotte, N. C. Sacco, the voice instructor, was from San Francisco State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Kuhn and daughter, Casey, were in Sun Valley to attend some of the operas.



MISS PAMELA KUHN

**Three Chosen  
JV Cheerleaders**

Three sophomore girls were chosen junior varsity cheerleaders for Heppner High school in elections at the school Tuesday.

Debbie McLeod, Patti Luciani and Linda Clough were elected in the all-school balloting.

The trio will make their first appearance September 19 when the Mustang jayves meet Pilot Rock in their season opener.

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