

# Ione Pops Concert Planned For Tuesday

IONE—A Winter Pops Concert under the direction of Darrell James will be held at the Ione Cafetorium at 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 25.

Two bands and a singing group will be presented, the high school concert band, the junior high band and the Chorales.

## Grange Plans Card Party

Ione Willows Grange will hold a Pedro and Pinochle party at their grange hall on Nov. 22 at 8:00 p.m. A fancy work sale will also be held in conjunction with the card party. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

Home Ec. Club of Willows Grange will meet at the hall on Nov. 21 at 10:30 a.m. A potluck dinner will be held in conjunction with the clean-up day scheduled by the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Berl Akers and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Matthews visited at OCE at Monmouth over the weekend where they attended Dad's weekend. Bonnie Akers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Akers and Bernice and Deniece Matthews, daughters of the Matthews are attending school there.

Dale White is a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Portland, where he is undergoing a series of tests. His brother Gordon White took him to Portland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell James motored to Roosevelt, Wn., last Sunday to meet her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hendrickson of Granger, Wn., for a picnic and visit.

Mrs. Grover Weaver is a patient in Pioneer Memorial Hospital where she was rushed last Friday night. Although her condition was very serious on admission, she is showing improvement and it is hoped she will return to her home sometime this week. Several of her family members were called home due to her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Tucker and Tanya motored to Underwood, Wn. on Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tom White and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rowell and family. The Whites and the Rowell families are making their home there, where they are managing a restaurant and service station.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Connor returned to their home in Ione on Nov. 11 following an extended trip that took them to San Diego, Calif. for the wedding of their daughter Lee, on Nov. 8. They were house guests following the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Onyon of Santa Ana, Calif., parents of the groom. A complete wedding story will follow in a later edition of the paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Halverson of La Grande visited over the weekend in Ione and Heppner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Farley and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Halverson.

## At REA Meeting

Among those from the Ione area attending the recent Annual REA meeting in Fossil were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Halverson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tews, Mr. and Mrs. David Rietmann, Mr. and Mrs. Art Dalzell, Mr. and Mrs. Don McElligott, Earl Morgan, Carl Troedson and Ralph Crum. Many lovely and useful electrical appliances were given during the course of the meeting. Mrs. Tews and Mrs. McElligott were recipients of a lovely gift.

## Sophomore Class Plans for Dance

The Sophomore Class is having a Sadie Hawkins dance Friday from 8:30 until midnight at the high school cafeteria. Music by The Auctioneers, Charles Porter, class president, is general chairman. All high school students in the area are invited.

## MR. AND MRS. ALEX THOMPSON

and Linda drove up from Portland Sunday to spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson.

ing other work projects in the City of Ione to help beautify the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Troyer and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Troyer of Umapine were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Childers on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kinzer and sons spent several days this past week visiting relatives in the Willamette Valley.

Rodney Crawford and Pete Crawford of Portland visited this past week in Ione with relatives including Mr. and Mrs. Wate Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crawford and Mrs. Ida Coleman.

## Jewish Synagogue

The United Church of Christ 5-6-7-8 grade Sunday School classes accompanied by Mrs. Henry Krebs, Rev. Mike Luedde and Mrs. Lee Palmer motored to Portland on Saturday to visit a Jewish Synagogue. They also enjoyed a trip to Lloyd Center for sight-seeing and some of the group enjoyed ice skating at the rink there.

Taking their cars were Darrell James and Bill Rietmann.

## Thanksgiving Service Slated At Methodist Church

The Union Thanksgiving Service sponsored by the South Morrow County Ministerial Association will be held Nov. 26 at 8 p.m. at the Heppner United Methodist Church. The Rev. F. W. Luedde, Jr. of the Ione United Church of Christ will deliver the message. All area residents and their guests here for Thanksgiving are cordially invited.

## Lexington Church Has Harvest Dinner

"Praise God from whom all blessings flow" was the feeling of the many who participated in the annual Lexington Church of Christ Harvest Dinner.

There were 55 present to enjoy the potluck dinner with turkey as the main dish. Vernon Munkers, church treasurer, reported that the Harvest Festival Offering amounted to \$601.00. This money will be set aside to be used as needed for repairs, remodeling and special needs of the church.

Following the bountiful dinner a film entitled "A Story of Hope" about the Woodhaven Christian Home for exceptional children in Columbia, Mo., was shown.

Kitchen chairman was Faye Munkers; cleanup, Rena Marquardt; entertainment, May Campbell and decorations, Alice Soward.

Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marquardt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marquardt and family, Mrs. E. O. Keithley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Soward, Mrs. Cleo Van Winkle, Mrs. Robert Harrison and Todd, Mrs. Elva Ruhl, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Sager and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jepsen, Mrs. Olive Hughes, Mrs. Annie Keene, Mrs. Norma Marquardt, Rev. and Mrs. Don Johnson and family, Miss Jeannine Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hughes and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Munkers.

# Special Honors Given Ruth McCabe At 4-H Banquet

By BIRDINE TULLIS  
Extension Aide

Special feature of the 4-H Leaders Banquet at Lexington Grange Hall Nov. 13, was recognition of 25 years of 4-H leadership by Ruth McCabe (Mrs. L. A.) of Ione. A large crowd of 4-H leaders from north and south Morrow County, (and husbands and wives) and special guests attended the annual dinner sponsored by Columbia Basin Electric to honor all 4-H leaders for their volunteer leadership.

The dinner was planned, cooked and served by the Empire Builders 4-H Club, consisting of high school age members from Ione, Heppner and Lexington and their advisor, Mrs. Bernard (Jerry) Doherty, Lexington. Rick Marquardt, an Empire Builder, acted as Master of Ceremonies for the occasion. Special guest speaker for the event was John Kiesow, State 4-H Agent from OSU.

After dinner entertainment was musical selections by the talented Carl Marquardt family of Lexington.

Special events to honor Ruth for 25 years of 4-H leadership were the presentation of a 25-year emerald 4-H leaders pin by Agent Gail McCarty, a corsage



SPECIAL HONORS were given at the Leaders banquet to Ruth McCabe for 25 years of 4-H leadership. Debbie Warren, president of Empire Builders has just pinned on her corsage.

from the Empire Builders presented by President, Debbie Warren, and a beautiful engraved silver bowl from all county 4-H leaders presented by Rita Wolff, Treasurer of the Leaders Council.

Other leader pins were awarded to the following for years of leadership by Gail McCarty and Birdine Tullis:

18 yrs.—Betty Carlson, Ione (Mrs. Louis); 15 yrs.—Everett Struckmeier, Boardman; 11 yrs.—Pat Pettyjohn (Mrs. Lee), Ione; 10 yrs.—Donna Bergstrom, Ione (Mrs. Roland); 9 yrs.—Jerry Doherty (Mrs. Bernard) Heppner; 8 yrs.—Gene Hall, Heppner; 7 yrs.—Floyd Jones, Heppner; 6 yrs.—Rita Wolff, Heppner (Mrs. Wallace); Carla Leighton, Irrigon (Mrs. Donald) and Lou Crum, Ione (Mrs. Ralph).

5 yrs.—Lois Richards (Mrs. Marianne Pettyjohn Wins Barrel Racing

## Marianne Pettyjohn Wins Barrel Racing

At the recent Oregon Barrel Racing Association (OBRA) convention held in Albany, Marianne Pettyjohn was presented a lovely horse blanket with hand tooled emblem for winning 8th place in Oregon barrel racing for the year 1969. Marianne was only able to go to a few shows but placed high each time. Other awards presented her for 8th place were jeans, shirts and horse conditioners. They also presented her with a plaque with her name engraved for the N. E. Director of OBRA for 1969.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McQuarrie went to the Oregon State vs. Washington State game last weekend and plan to go down to Eugene this weekend for the Oregon vs. Oregon State game.

## Hospital Receives New Coat of Paint

Last week Ernest Winchester was in the process of replacing screens at the hospital following a new paint job. The stucco exterior was repainted the same color, an off sandalwood and the trim just a little darker than previously. The facelift was a gift to the hospital from Mrs. Amanda Duvall.

## Where Do Fines Go?

What happens to the fines? Dee Gribble, clerk of Justice Court No. 6 explains it this way! Game citations after the extraction of the \$5.00 court costs is divided half to the state and half to the county.

Oregon State Police traffic tickets are divided half to the county and half to the state. All sheriff office fines go to the county as do minors-in-possession. All fines with liquor involved in traffic citation goes to the county.

In October bail imposed traffic and game citations amounted to \$334.50.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Dismissed from the hospital this week were Nellie Jones, Heppner and Mrs. Larry Angell and son, Heppner.


Still in the hospital are: Ilene Wyman, Edna Bailey and Nate McBride, all of Heppner; Glen Kelsey of Spray and Donna Reece of Yakima.

The annual meeting of the Pioneer Memorial Hospital board will be held Nov. 20 at 10 a.m. at the hospital. All interested persons are invited to attend. Problems concerning the 19 year old building will be prime topic for discussion.



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## BMCC Sets Up Night Classes

Dave Reynolds, director of Evening Division classes at BMCC was here last Wednesday to meet with Will O'Harra, hospital administrator. They are exploring the possibility of setting up a Medical Terminology course in the Heppner area.

Basic Horse Management class is now being held at the Fairgrounds every Tuesday for 8 weeks with Riley Freeman as instructor.

A Sociology course is in progress, meeting on Thursday with Robert Jensen as instructor. This course carries college credit.

Dr. Margaret McDevitt has a morning and evening Art class at Ione with 22 enrolled.

Alan Martin has been acting as co-ordinator of the adult classes in the county working with Mr. Reynolds.

## The WAGON WHEEL

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Happy Thanksgiving to You All!

Ron & Olivia

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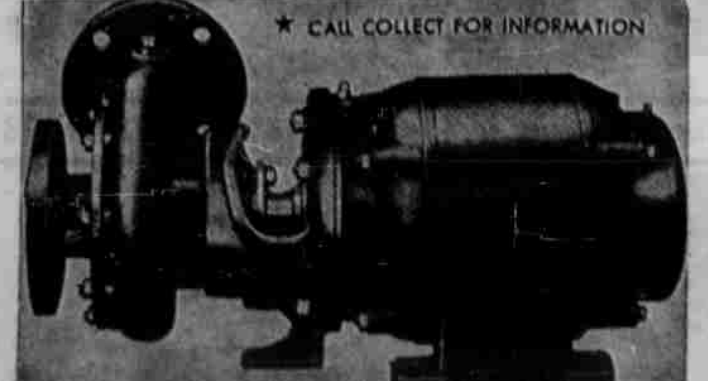
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