



DEBBIE BARNETT

**Parents Announce Couple's Betrothal**

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Barnett of Ione are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Debbie to PFC James Hams. Miss Barnett, formerly of Heppner, was a 1969 Gresham

High School graduate. She currently resides in Gresham and is employed at I. T. E. in Portland.

PFC Hams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darold Hams, Heppner, is with the U. S. Marine Corps and is stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif. His recent overseas assignment will include a six month tour of duty in Okinawa and six months in Vietnam. No wedding date has been set.

**Stroke Claims Ray Dolven in Texas**

Raymond M. Dolven, 61, longtime resident of Lexington passed away in an El Paso, Texas hospital on Jan. 11. He was on vacation touring the southwest when he was stricken in Las Cruces, New Mexico and hospitalized there following a stroke.

**Heppner Legion To Host District Meet**

He was transferred to Providence Hospital in El Paso two days later for specialized care. Funeral arrangements are pending with Sweeney Mortuary, Heppner in charge. Mr. Dolven is survived by one son, Ray of Dillon, Mont.

The Heppner American Legion and Auxiliary will host a district meeting here Jan. 29 at 8 p.m. Guest speakers will be the Department Commander of the Legion and Department president of the Auxiliary. Other posts and units coming will be Ione, Milton-Freewater, Mission, Hermiston, Athena and Pendleton.

**Bible Club Today**

The Bible Club will meet at the Assembly of God Church on Thursday, Jan. 14 at 3:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. All children, kindergarten age through the 4th grade are invited. There will be a special puppet performance you won't want to miss and refreshments will be served.

Plans for the Jan. 29 evening were made at Heppner's meeting Jan. 4 which was preceded by a potluck supper at the Legion Hall. Mrs. C. J. D. Bauman has been appointed Poppy Poster and Poppy chairman. It was reported that a family of seven was provided with Christmas by the Auxiliary. The group voted to adopt a local veteran with two children as "their family."

**Sandy Mathews Installed as Worthy Advisor**

With the theme "Once In a Life Time", colors pink and orange and her flower the rose, Sandy Mathews was installed as worthy advisor of Ruth Assembly No. 156 of the Order of Rainbow for Girls Sunday afternoon at the Heppner Masonic Lodge Hall.

Her installing officers were Karen Cox, worthy advisor; Sue Melby, marshal; Karla Weatherford, chaplain; Cindy Harsin, recorder and Mrs. Kathryn Hoskins, musician. Mrs. Hoskins also accompanied a school mate of Sandy's, Colleen Dickenson, as she sang the theme song, "Once In A Lifetime".

**Installed**  
The following officers will serve under Sandy for the next term. Line officers are Mary K. Hughes, Worthy Associate Advisor; Diane Mills, Charity; Elizabeth Stephens, Hope and Lynda Baker, Faith.

Other officers Cyde Allstott, recorder; Sally Winter, treasurer; Delvina Turner, chaplain; Carol Hughes, drill leader.

Rainbow Color stations: Love, Cheryl Massey; Religion, Terry Rogers; Nature, Diane McLachlan; Immortality, Karen Winter; Fidelity, Cindy Rogers; Patriot, Lisa Cutsforth; service, Jeanette Stone.

Confidential observer, Bobbette Jones; outer observer, Lisa Collins; musician, Juanita Wilson.

**Mother Advisor**  
Barbara Devine was installed as Mother Advisor and working with her as assistant is Faye Wilson.

Board members introduced were Faye Wilson, Mary Bryant, Hubert Wilson, Don Gilliam and Mrs. Clarence Baker.

**Crowning Ceremony**  
DeMolay Boys of Blue Mountain Chapter Order of DeMolay came over to put on the crowning ceremony. Master Counselor Ed Snyder; Senior Counselor, Tim Getman; Junior Counselor, Rick Doherty; Chaplain, Jeff Jenkins and Marshall, Jim Gollyhorn were accompanied by their DeMolay advisor, Boyd Thomas.

Mr. Thomas was asked to say a few words about DeMolay. He said that any boy interested and eligible could go over to Hermiston to join their chapter or if five boys with one Mason advisor were interested a DeMolay Club could be formed here. Such a club would belong to the Hermiston chapter.

Worthy Advisor Sandy introduced her family. They were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Mathews; her sister, Mrs. Bill McLeod over from Pendleton; her grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Furlong of Heppner and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stark of Gresham.

Mr. Stark the Worshipful Master of the Gresham lodge and proud of his granddaughter who is queen of Jobs Daughters at Gresham and Rainbow Worthy Advisor Sandy his grandniece.

Other dignitaries were introduced who said a few words. Karen Cox was given an addendum in which the Coo-Coo clock just kept going and going and installation day did arrive. She was presented her Past Worthy Advisor's pin.

Sandy's addendum started with "her slaves" bowing down and down and down to her. To keep them from breaking their resolutions of loyalty a feathery whip was presented to her.

Ruth Assembly and guests were invited to the Rainbow Installation on Jan. 24 at Ione.

**Reception**  
A reception was held in the social room with Mrs. Stark cutting the cake lettered with "Once In A Life Time" in orange frosting. Barbara Allstott served the cake and Libby Abrams the orange punch.

**Lt. Heimbigner Visits Parents**

Lt. Tom R. Heimbigner has returned to his base in Texas following several weeks leave, spent at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heimbigner of Ione. Lt. Heimbigner is in pilot training, stationed at Reese Air Force Base, Texas. His parents took him to Portland where he got his flight back to Texas.

**Of Interest to Women**



WORTHY ADVISOR Sandy poses with members of her family following the Rainbow Installation Sunday afternoon. From left: Mrs. Fred Stark, Mrs. Jessie Furlong, Fred Stark, Mrs. Bill McLeod, Mrs. Verlin Mathews and Mr. Mathews.

**Bill Heaths In Colorado for 50th Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heaths were in Colorado recently for the 50th wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLaughlin at Montrose. All of their sons and daughters were present except one son, Bernard who lives in Pennsylvania. Others were Robert at Aztec, N. M., Edgar of Pueblo, Colo. and Mrs. Heaths from Heppner. All of their six grandchildren were also present.

Close to 100 friends and relatives called during the Open House. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin were married at Ouray, Colo. and have lived in the area always. They are farmers and still live on the home ranch, now owned by their son, Edgar. They both enjoyed hunting and fishing through their 50 years.

They have visited here on numerous occasions. They last were here in 1968 when their granddaughter, Linda Heath graduated. Linda and her husband, Reese Schultz from Williamsburg, Va., came for the festivities and Larry Heath flew in from Heppner for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Heath visited for three weeks before returning home. They encountered snow on several places as they drove home but it wasn't bad.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stark came up from Gresham to attend Sandy Mathews Rainbow Installation Sunday afternoon. They stayed with Mrs. Stark's mother, Mrs. Jessie Furlong.

**Move Into Vesta Kilkenny Home**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob DeSpain have moved into town and have leased the Vesta Kilkenny home. Mrs. DeSpain will be working in their newly purchased business, Heppner Auto Parts. Their family includes Chris and Merry at home, Robert at Oregon State and their niece, Kathi Lindi at BMCC.

**Dale Smith Aboard D. E.**

Navy Fireman Apprentice Dale O. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard O. Smith of Monument, is serving aboard the destroyer escort USS Davidson in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

**Ron Benson Aboard D.E.**

Navy Petty Officer Third Class Ronald D. Benson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Benson of Kinzua, is serving aboard the destroyer escort USS Davidson in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

**Pastor and Mrs. Floyd Everhart** and family returned to Heppner Jan. 5, from a trip to California over the holidays. They visited Mrs. Everhart's parents, three of her brothers and a sister in the Los Angeles area and her maternal grandmother, 90 years of age who was able to be with the family on Christmas Day. They saw their son, Jim, at Vallejo where he is stationed. The children especially enjoyed their trip to Disneyland. The worst road conditions were between Baker and Pendleton on the return trip.

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**IFYE Returnee Talks To Morrow County**

By BIRDINE TULLIS

Larry Larwood, IFYE returnee from Japan reported to all schools in the county, Soroptimists and Rhea Creek Grange while here.

Larry, 22, of Independence, Oregon, had just returned from Japan on Dec. 5. Morrow County was first on his reporting schedule.

An enthusiastic booster of the IFYE program, and better world relations, he gave many insights on life in Japan today. In Tokyo, Larry met Midori (the Japanese IFYE who was here in Morrow County last summer) on her return to Japan.

While Larry was in Morrow County he was guest of the Jack Sumner family.

**Fashion Show**  
Simplicity Wardrobe to be presented at Ione Cafetorium, Jan. 16. Feminine thoughts turn to spring fashions at this time of year!

All girls and women are invited to attend the showing of spring fashions at the Ione School Cafetorium, Saturday, Jan. 16 at 2:00 p.m.

Simplicity Pattern Company supplies complete outfits for the style show! Models will be 4-H girls and boys.

Leaders are encouraged to bring their 4-H clubs to see new spring styles for girls. Casuals, school clothes, and formals are included in the collection.

**Leaders Conference**  
There's fun, excitement and change ahead for Oregon 4-H program—and they all involve the volunteer leader. Morrow County 4-H leaders are encouraged to attend the Oregon 4-H Leaders Conference at OSU, Corvallis, Jan. 20-22 and get first hand knowledge of all that's new in 4-H for the 70's.

At the conference leaders have a chance to trade ideas with others, learn new techniques for working with today's youngsters, and get a better idea of the exciting scope of today's 4-H program.

Register now, at the County Extension Office, to attend. Call 676-9642.

**Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gardner** spent early this week up at Seattle at market and will have a new line of men's slacks soon. Marge and LeRoy nearly got pneumonia on the trip. It was stormy and snowy up in the Puget Sound city.

**Mr. and Mrs. Don Mallory** are moving to the Mrs. Algott Lundell place on Gooseberry. Mr. Mallory will be working on the Elmer Palmer ranch.

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