

Public Invited to Sunday Dinner at Lexington Grange

LEXINGTON — The Lexington Grange's committee on Women's Activities met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Norman Nelson to make plans for a Buffet Dinner to be held Sunday, Feb. 28, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Grange Hall. This is the annual fund raising project for the Grange with the proceeds to go to the Building Improvement Fund. The menu includes Swedish meatballs, chicken and a choice of salads and desserts. The committee in charge of the dinner is Mrs. Ed Hunt, Mrs. C. C. Jones and Mrs. Norman Nelson.

The group also made artificial arrangements to be used by the Grange. Those present for the meeting were Mrs. Fred Nelson, Mrs. Kenneth Smouse and Carl, Mrs. Florence McMillan, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Nelson.

Miss Linda Druck of Beaverton visited over the weekend at the Bob Davidson home. Miss Druck was enroute home from Hawaii where she had visited with Herbert Davidson who was there for his R & R.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Viall spent the weekend at the home of his mother, Mrs. Alma Viall at Grandview, Wn.

Amicilia Club met at the home of Mrs. Roger Campbell on Wednesday night. Those present were Mrs. Bob Davidson, Mrs. Elden Padberg, Mrs. Delbert Piper, Mrs. Gene Cole, Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth, Mrs. Roy Martin, Mrs. Bob Lovgren and the hostess. Prizes were won by Mrs. Padberg and Mrs. Cole low.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Messenger of Portland visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Messenger, Sr. over the weekend.

Riek Marquardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill B. Marquardt visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill B. Marquardt over the weekend from his school at Pullman.

Mrs. Cleo VanWinkle was taken to Pioneer Memorial Hospital on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Klinger and sons are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Klinger and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ledbetter.



CAPTAIN DAVID BECKHAM receives the Bronze Star for meritorious service while serving in Vietnam.

Capt. Beckham Receives Bronze Star

A Coos Bay soldier has been awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service while assigned with Headquarters of the II Field Force in Vietnam.

Receiving the award was Captain David B. Beckham, 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dow Beckham, 1283 North 14th Street, Coos Bay. Captain Beckham, a 1961 graduate of Marshfield High School, has served as personnel management officer with II Field Force since last June.

He entered the Army in 1967 after receiving a bachelor of science degree in business administration from the University of Oregon. Before coming to Vietnam, Captain Beckham was stationed with the 32nd Army Air Defense Command at Kaiserslautern, Germany.

Captain Beckham's wife, Cheryl, is presently living in Monmouth, where she is attending Graduate School at OCE on a Fellowship for the study of the Multiple Handicapped. Her masters will be in Special Education with emphasis on the trainable retarded child. Last term she made a 4.00. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Morrison of Ione.

Captain Beckham will receive his discharge on March 15. The Beckhams expect to spend the summer in Morrow County and Mr. Beckham will enter Williamette Law School this fall. He graduated from Oregon State and received his masters in Business & Technology from the University of Oregon.

The Spray Town team defeated Condon Town team 109-90 Sunday afternoon, Feb. 14.

Ione Hears of Death Of Mrs. Bud Lundell In California

Word has been received of the unexpected death of Mrs. Betty Lundell Monday morning at her home in Piedmont, Calif. As Betty Bair, she was married to Dale (Bud) Lundell, son of the late Oscar and Mary Lundell of Ione and Cecil in Oakland, Calif. on Jan. 5, 1941. She is survived by her husband, one son, Edward and two daughters, Judy and Lisa. Concluding services will be held Feb. 25, at the Truman Mortuary in Oakland.

Final Game
The Junior High finished their basketball season by playing Heppner at Ione Feb. 18. The Heppner team won by a score of 38 to 32. Points by the Ione players were Paul Peterson 11, Tom Gates 8, Joe Peterson 6, Charlie McElligott 5, Tom Hamlett 2.

The second string was also defeated by Heppner 31 to 15. New books added to the Ione Public Library are: Calico Palace by Gwen Bristow, a story of 1848 California Gold Rush, The Best of Families by Ellen Berlin, is an historical novel of early American families written by the wife of Irving Berlin, The Shivering Sands by Victoria Holt is a mystery novel.

Coming Events
Ione at Riverside Feb. 26.
The Mount Vernon Bears beat the Spray Eagles 55-54 in a basketball game Saturday evening, Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Spivey and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson went to The Dalles Saturday, Feb. 13 to shop.

Spray News

SPRAY—The Spray 4-H cooking class met Monday, Jan. 27, at 4:00 p.m. at the home of our leader, Shirley Yoho. We elected officers. We left the name of the club the same as last year, "Baker's 8". Our leader handed out our books and some pamphlets to read. We also made plans for the future meetings.

Kristi Fisher, reporter
Clarence and Bernadine Nelson kept their grandchildren, Brian and Penny Sue Spivey of Kinzua last week while their mother, Connie Lee Spivey, substituted in the Fossil school.

Mrs. Beulah Tilley and Mrs. Beatrice Britt drove to Bend for medical attention Feb. 8.

Mrs. Leona Weise has spent the last two months doctoring in Hermiston. She has been staying with her brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Britt. Leona is improving and planned to come home Feb. 13 with Mrs. Marie Britt.

Mrs. Louise Britt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tilley went to Bend to stay all night Feb. 1. Then Mrs. Britt, Mr. Tilley and Mrs. Patsy Keimig drove to Portland for a medical appointment. They returned to Bend Feb. 4. Mrs. Tilley stayed and cared for their grandchildren who are both in school. After staying all night Feb. 4 in Bend, the Tilleys and Mrs. Britt returned to Spray.

Paul and Edith Billings of Milton-Freewater visited friends in Spray, Feb. 9. Edith works in a nursing home in Milton-Freewater.

Mrs. J. Pettit and Mrs. Winnie Dempsey went to John Day Feb. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Chapman spent two weeks visiting in Pile of Rock, Oakridge, Eugene, Salem and Portland.

The Assembly of God Church of Spray wishes to thank each one for their food and money donations that helped make our bake sale Saturday a success.

Bowling News

Koffee Kup Keglers	W	L
Team	9	3
No. 4	7	5
No. 3	7	5
No. 5	6	6
No. 1	4	8
No. 2	3	9

High Ind. Game—Laura Richards, 179; High Ind. Series — Phyllis Cole, 483; High Team Game—No. 5, 597; High Team Series—No. 5, 1580.

Thursday Nite Ladies	W	L
Team	8	4
Elma's	7 1/2	4 1/2
Ruggles	7	5
Kinzua	6	6
Toyota	4 1/2	7 1/2
Murray's	3	9
Columbia Basin		
High Ind. Game — Phyllis Cole, 188; High Ind. Series — Phyllis Cole, 501; High Team Game — Elma's, 889; High Team Series—Toyota, 2514.		

Sunday Night Mixed Doubles Late

Team	W	L
Hanna-Heath	24	8
Schwarzin-Dick	20	12
Kincaid-Barnett	18	14
Padberg-Pettyjohn	17	15
Munkers-Mills	11	21
Gilman, Griffith, Keithley	8	24
High Ind. Game—C. Pettyjohn, 191, A. Padberg, 218; High Ind. Series—C. Pettyjohn 479, A. Padberg, 547; High Team Game—Padberg, Pettyjohn, 862; High Team Series — Padberg, Pettyjohn, 2384.		

High School Drop-outs

Team	W	L
Rocky Mt. Oysters	10 1/2	1 1/2
Hickey Doodles	7	5
Cellar Dwellers	4	8
The Impossibles	2 1/2	9 1/2
High Ind. Game — Dan Armstrong, 208; High Ind. Series—Dan Armstrong, 504; High Team Series — Hickey Doodles, 572;		

Land Banks Lower Interest Rate

Spokane—The new loan rate for Federal Land Bank borrowers was reduced to 7 1/2 percent, effective March 1, announced Fred A. Knutsen, president of The Federal Land Bank of Spokane. Prior to this action the rate was 8 1/2 percent. The new rate was approved by the Board of Directors of The Federal Land Bank of Spokane.

This reduction will also affect the interest rate on over \$121 million of Variable Rate loans written at 8 1/2 percent which will be billed at 7 1/2 percent and those Variable Rate loans written at 8 percent will be billed at the rate of 7 1/2 percent from March 1.

Publications available from the March of Dimes Professional Education Program are used as teaching materials in schools throughout the country.

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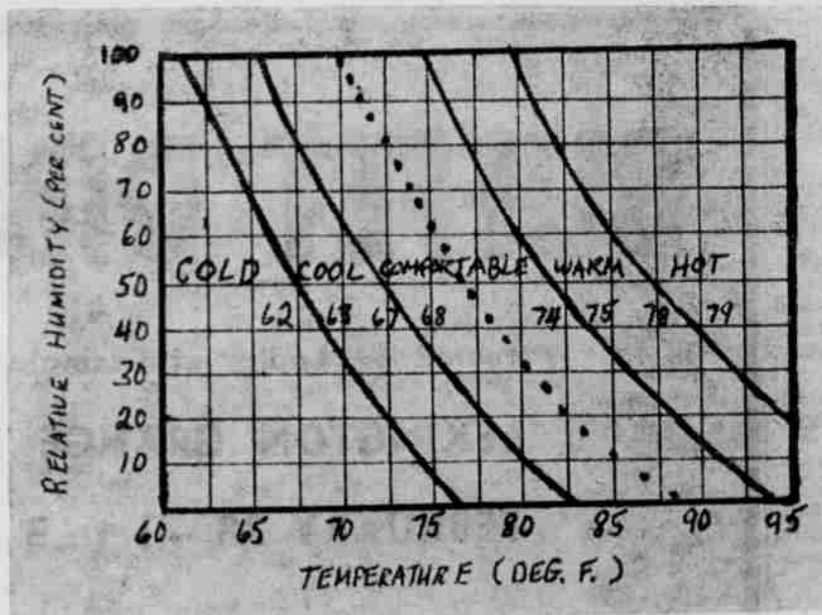
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