

Irrigon Sees Easter Parade

By FRANCES ROSE WILSON

IRRIGON—The Easter parade and egg hunt was a happy event for boys and girls in Irrigon Saturday. They came riding ponies or decorated bicycles and dressed in cute costumes, for the occasion. All in the parade received a candy bar.

The event was headed by members of the Lion's Club with churches and other organizations in the community donating towards it.

Easter Sunrise Services

The meadowlarks sang the Hallelujah Chorus and the Columbia River was calm and placid, as about 30 people gathered for the Easter Sunrise service, at the school athletic field in Irrigon, astor Herbert Vaughan of the Irrigon Community Baptist Church spoke to the group from all local churches. Mrs. Al Partlow played the accordion as she led singing, and also accompanied Sharon Stewart and Sheryl Partlow as they sang a duet.

Jim Hunsacker of Redmond, Calif., brought some race horses up to the Tri-City area. He is in training to be a jockey, and has been working with horses at the Sand and Sage grounds. He is visiting here at the home of his uncle, Buck Shade.

Birthday Custom

Two elderly women have been exchanging birthday cards for many years, and observed their birthdays again last Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Cosner was 86, and Jennie Grimm was 90. Eight of Mrs. Cosner's married children and their families and two married grandchildren, visited her over the weekend. She lives with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Riddle in the rural area west of Irrigon. Guest at the Riddle home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Richmond of Vancouver, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jalmbach of Caldwell, Idaho, Mr. and Mrs. George Calbert of Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. Grimm's niece, Eilamae Watson, of Hermiston brought her a birthday cake. Several neighbors dropped by to wish her well.

New Arrival

PFC and Mrs. Earl Michael Linnell are parents of a son, Scott Allen, born April 1 at the Umatilla Hospital, weighing 8 lb., 8 oz. He joins a sister Tia. Local grandparents are Cora Ellis, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Senn.

A constitution and by-laws were adopted when the M. M. Community 4-H club met Thursday, April 8. Announcement was made concerning a skating party scheduled for April 27, at 6 p.m. They will meet at the school and go to the Hermiston skating rink in private cars. Volunteer drivers are needed.

Oceanography Study

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bartlett, Steve and Cindy of Lynnwood, Wash. visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wilson Thursday and Saturday. They visited his mother, Mrs. Anne Weatherford in Pendleton on Friday. Mr. Bartlett expects to spend the month of May aboard an Oceanography study ship off the coast of Alaska on the Bering Sea. He is with the Dept. of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Pantelis Vrontakis, Jeffrey and Michael, of Salem, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Warner, for the Easter weekend.

Church Speaker

The Rev. Wesley Cronk, who is attending Bethany Bible College, Santa Cruz, Calif., visited in Irrigon Wednesday and spoke at the Assembly of God Church, that evening. The Rev. Norman Arneson, who is a faculty member of the college traveled with him and also attended the mid-week service.

The Rev. Cronk plans to move here with his family in early June, after completing his course of study at the school, to accept the pastorate.

Mrs. Howard Fegert and Mrs. E. A. Stephens visited Mrs. Fegert's mother, Addie Dolan in the Delmarter Nursing Home in Pendleton, one day last week.

Oregon State Students Tour

The Crop Science Club of Oregon State University recently made a tour of California, visiting farms, plants, processors, packagers and marketers.

Making the trip were James L. Swanson, sophomore, Science, from Ione; George G. Kenney, junior, Agriculture, from Irrigon; Charles A. Nelson, junior, Agriculture, of Lexington.

David Huber Home on Leave

David Huber is home on leave visiting his folks, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Huber, before leaving for duty in Vietnam. He has graduated from the U. S. Army Finance School at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.



ALLEN TOM'S big chicken plant is shown here in a wheat field. Top left is the processing plant with the three laying plants below. Each of the large buildings houses 80,000 layers. Each building is the equal to one and one-half football fields.



THIS YOUNG LADY quickly candles eggs on a production line. Their eggs have been well within the 4% safety limits. Eggs go to Northwest supermarkets.

Lex Senior Citizen Honored on 80th

LEXINGTON—An open house and dinner Saturday evening, April 17, honored Mr. A. F. Majeske on his 80th birthday. Mrs. Majeske arranged a fine dinner and evening at their home for family members and special friends. The table was centered with a beautifully decorated cake which featured a sheath of grain that called attention to Mr. Majeske's years as a grain grower. A tribute to Mr. Majeske, written by his children, was read by a son-in-law, Jack Mounst.

Dinner guests included the Majeske's children, their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Majeske, Debbie, a senior at Heppner High School, Donald, a teacher in St. Helen's, and Virginia and her husband, Burke O'Brien from Pendleton. The Gene Majeske family has farmed the home place near Lexington for about 25 years. The Majeske daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mounst and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wright came from Gresham. Friends who joined the family at dinner included Mrs. Florence McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marshall, Mr. Cliff Williams, Miss Debbie Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Engleman and Frank Mrs. Delsie Chapel and Kimberlee Larson. A grandson, Steve Mounst was unable to be present as he is serving with the U. S. Marines, and he and his wife live on the east coast.

Mr. Jay Cox of Murdock, Wn., has been a recent caller at the T. E. Messenger Sr. home.

Mrs. Roy Ball, Mrs. Florence Root and Mrs. Hazel Carpenter of Boardman were visitors at the home of Mrs. Ball's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Messenger Sr. on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Way recently visited her father, Butch Robinson, who has undergone major surgery at the Veterans' hospital in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones drove to Portland on Thursday and returned on Friday with Kimberlee Larson who will visit with them for two weeks.

Lodge Activities

Mrs. A. F. Majeske, Mrs. Florence McMillan and Mrs. Pete McMurtry were in Pendleton on Wednesday to attend the Patriarch Militant Auxiliary meeting of the IOOF.

Members of the Lexington Grange 726 who visited at the Greenfield Grange on Visitation Night Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smouse, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hunt and Mr. Cecil Jones.

Holly Rebekah Lodge met on Thursday for their regular meeting with Noble Grand Dorothy Burcham in the chair. The main business of the evening was the election of delegates to the Rebekah assembly to be held in May in Pendleton. Ladies elected were Mrs. Ida Lee Engleman, first delegate; Mrs. Florence McMillan, second delegate; Mrs. Oris Padberg, first alternate, and Mrs. A. F. Majeske, second alternate. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Christian Ladies Dine

Ladies from the Lexington and Heppner Christian Churches attended the Pendleton Chapter of the Christian Businesswomen's Club's monthly dinner meeting and program at Gunther's Restaurant in Pendleton on Tuesday, April 13. The speaker for the evening was Mrs. June Curtis of Eugene, wife of Lane County Judge Curtis. Mrs. Curtis is a long-time, very active member of the Eugene Christian Businesswomen's Club.

Mrs. Ronald Bergstrom of Ione, Mrs. T. E. Messenger Sr., Mrs. Carl Marquardt, Mrs. Vernon Munkers, Mrs. Harry Green, and Mrs. C. C. Jones of Lexington, and Mrs. Bertha Sager, Mrs. Don Johnson, Mrs. Jessie Faye Morris, Mrs. Etta Parker, and Miss Lora Lee Stotts of Heppner enjoyed the evening.

T. E. Messenger had the misfortune to cut his hand with a saw on Thursday and was taken to a physician for attention.

Mrs. Clarence Rosewall has been quite ill recently with the flu.

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Irrigon Has Four New Residents

By FRANCES ROSE WILSON

IRRIGON—Four new residents requested water service in Irrigon the past week. While this is a trend in the right direction, the city still needs about 7 more users to meet debt retirement on the water system, according to Mayor Chester Wilson.

Newcomers to Irrigon include Mr. and Mrs. Orville Pellett, who have a summer cottage near the river. They came from La-Grande. Harold Ruffeorn owns the Holm house, and is operating a potato ranch, south of town. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson are the retired couple who bought the Maggie White house last summer. They have just returned from Arizona. Tom Johnson and his wife will be moving to the Coy Reed place from California soon. He is a river boat pilot.

Play Ball

The Little League baseball teams had tryouts on Saturday and chose up teams. Forty-six boys from Irrigon and Boardman turned out. The first practice will be on May 1 with the 2 minor leagues practicing on the 2 fields at A.C. Houghton School, Irrigon, and the major league team practicing at Riverside, U.S. Boardman.

Bill Griffin will coach the major league team. Jerry Meyer and Burrell Cooley have the little league teams, with the help of assistants.

Telephone Expansion

Dale Slusher, District manager of Pacific Northwest Bell Telephone, told Irrigon residents at a City Council Meeting April 13, that engineering steps are being taken by the company in an attempt to upgrade local service.

The City will be kept informed as progress is made on the project.

Local engineering proposals which have been forwarded to

the Portland office include a local base-rate area for Irrigon encompassing the most densely populated area. The present base area is at Umatilla and local charges are calculated from there. Additional cable would be laid from Umatilla which would continue to serve as exchange, and the same prefix would be used. No estimate of a time schedule could be made now.

Other Council business included adoption of a resolution authorizing a call for bids on oiling of streets. Approximately 8,000 feet of streets are now ready for oiling on the north of the railroad.

A resolution was adopted allowing purchase of a lock file cabinet and typing desk for the Recorder.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the City to become a member of Morrow County Coordinating Committee which will replace County-City participation in District No. 12 Council of Governments, which was discontinued as of Jan. 1.

A New Guy

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mesteth are parents of a son born April 14. He has been named Stephen Floyd, and weighed 6 lb., 10 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mesteth, all of Irrigon.

Mrs. Bill Graybeal of Walla Walla, visited in Irrigon April 5 and 6, before going to Salem, where she visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen for a week. Upon returning to Irrigon, she was a guest of Mrs. Earl Isom for several days.

Bruce Buchanan, OSU student, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Buchanan.

Esther Barnett of Ione was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Havecost and her

aunt, Mrs. Josephine Buchanan, on Sunday. She planned to travel to Portland with the Havecosts on Monday and to spend several days there.

Cancer Drive

Mrs. Warren McCoy, chairman of the Cancer Drive in Irrigon, hopes for a good response to the program now under way. Those assisting her on the committee are: Eva Anderson, Mrs. Burrell Cooley, Mrs. Wm. Schmeder, Mrs. Chester Wilson.

Earl Isom is a patient at Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston, after suffering a heart attack. He is improving.

Mrs. Don Eppenbach returned home Sunday after being in St. Anthony Hospital, Pendleton.

Don Leighton has been on the sick list lately and his son Donald recently had surgery. He is at home.

Mustangs Fall To Pirates

After winning their first three games the Mustangs were dropped by Riverside last Saturday by a score of 8-2.

Strong hitting in the fifth and sixth innings by Riverside proved to be the crushing blows that killed Heppner. The Pirates got three in the fifth inning when they shouldn't have scored at all.

Just plain good hitting allowed three more in the sixth. Walks also hurt Heppner as Van Marter walked six and Bellamy, six.

Dave Gunderson hit a triple to drive in a run and be the only Mustang to hit for extra bases.

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Lexington Leaner Tops

By DELTA HUBER

If you eat an apple for dessert, when all around you are eating pie and urging it on you, if you can count your calories every day while cooking for a harvest crew.

If you can pass the candy counter when you're shopping, or smell the bakery goodies without stopping—You're going to lose some weight, my dear.

If you'll take time to plan your healthful menus, then eat no more than what you've planned.

If you can stop while reaching and slap that naughty out-reached hand.

If you can stick to exercises daily, and take a walk instead of cookies bake.

You'll wear the TOPS club crown more often and help your chapter records make.

If you can eat a wholesome breakfast and only nourishing foods at lunch.

Then sup but lightly in the evening, going to bed without another munch.

You're on the way to being slender. Clothes on the small-size rack will be for you.

A row of six-weeks-loss trophies won't be just a dream, but true.

If you can eat three sticks of celery when what you really want is chocolate cake.

Or write a letter to some lonely person when fudge is what you'd rather make.

If you can say, "No thank you, I've had my quota" and stick to it time and time again.

You're going to lose that fat, big girlie, you'll be looking and not just THINKING thin.

If you can make this kind of living habit, you'll be a real credit to Lexington Leaner Tops.

What's more you'll look and feel much better, and join the royal order known as KOPS.

Band to Condon

Arnie Hedman's 7th and 8th Grade Band will go to Condon today for a band festival with a number of bands participating. This junior high band festival will culminate with an evening concert at 7:30 p.m.

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