

# Wilson Installed In OES Ceremony

Faye and Hubert Wilson had the thrill of a lifetime when they were installed as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron of Ruth Chapter No. 32 Order of the Eastern Star last Monday. Ginger Wilkinson, Heppner's first Worthy Grand Matron, was one of the installing officers. Others were Karl Wipper, Worthy Grand Patron; Lota Tibbles, Grand Marshal; Beth Bryant, Grand Chaplain and Helen Ruggles was Grand Organist.

The hall was decorated with Faye's colors, red, blue and silver. Pauline Miller sang "The Lord's Prayer" for Faye and "He" for Hubert.

**Officers Installed**

Other officers installed were Lota Tibbles, Associate Matron; Marion Hayden, Associate Patron; Marjorie Worden, secretary; Winifred Cox, treasurer; Beth Bryant, conductress; Mary Bryant, associate conductress; Wavel Wilkinson, chaplain; Inez

Huffman, marshal; Pauline Miller, organist; Anna Graham, Adah; Rita Sumner, Ruth; Ruby Becket, Esther; Oma Cox, Martha; Gladys Jones, Electa; Rachel Harnett, warden and Claude Graham, sentinel.

The Rainbow Girls provided the Honor Guard and also presented Faye with a charm for her bracelet. Rainbow Girls in the Honor Guard were Mary Kay Hughes, Linda Baker, Carol Hughes, Cyde Allstott, Diane Mills and Diane McLachlan.

The Past Matrons Club presented Faye with a vase.

**Reception Follows**

Red Carnations decorated the cake baked by Mrs. Jon Hyde, daughter of the Wilsons from Camas. She also cut and served the cake. Mrs. Bill Brinda served the coffee, Mrs. Bob Stevens, the punch.

Barbara Devine was in charge of the guest book. Diane Mills welcomed the guests and Karla Weatherford distributed the programs.

Serving in the kitchen were Madge Thomson, Florence Green, Hazel Bauman and Laurel Van Marter.

## Soroptimists Hold Installation Ceremony

Soroptimists and their guests enjoyed the annual Installation Banquet June 17 at Thels in Ione. Thirty-four were present for the roast beef dinner. Etta Parker, life member acted as the installing officer. New officers are: Mrs. W. W. Weatherford, president; Mrs. Phil Doherty, vice president; Mrs. Earl Soward, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Heard, recording secretary; Mrs. Dean Gilman, treasurer; Mrs. Allen Hughes, one year board member and Mrs. Mike Gray, three year board member.

Mrs. Ames Thomson and Mrs. Doherty conducted the initiation for Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Syrel Galliher, Mrs. Clayton Sweek and Mrs. Garry Tullis.

Port of Morrow's Rupe Kennedy was the speaker of the evening. He told the Soroptimists "if Oregon doesn't use the water in the Columbia, California will." He brought members up to date on the developments by Boeing and other groups in the north end of the county who are making irrigation history.

Mrs. Dave Owens made the surprise attendance presentation to Etta Parker. She will have possession of the sterling silver bowl until next year's banquet. Mrs. Hughes head the service activities for the year. Mrs. Con Lanham acted as emcee for the evening.

Mrs. Linda Dunlap and Lori went to Yakima to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Borman. She brought her son, Dyrk, back home. He had been visiting up there.

## Of Interest to Women



**ON TO THE UNITED NATIONS!** John Sumner, district winner of an essay and speech contest, is shown receiving a \$100 U. S. Savings Bond from Randall Peterson, trustee of Willow Lodge No. 66 IOOF. John left yesterday morning on almost a month's tour of the U. S. His father, Jack Sumner, was a winner of this tour in 1952. John is a delegate to the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth. The big educational bus tour will include a week at the U. N. and in New York. The 7150 mile round trip will have tours and visits at Gettysburg, Valley Forge, Washington, D. C., Philadelphia. They will tour to Montreal and Ottawa in Canada. Time will be spent exploring the Bad Lands, Mount Rushmore and Yellowstone National Park.

## Rainbow Girls Active At OES Installation And Grand Assembly

Eleven members of Ruth Assembly No. 50 had a profound and indelible experience last week when they were in Portland to attend the Installation of Grand Officers for the Order of Eastern Star. They went especially to see Ginger Wilkinson installed as Worthy Grand Matron. They assisted in passing out the programs, acting as hostesses and in charge of the gift table.

Girls attending were Diane Mills, Elizabeth Stephens, Linda Baker, Mary Kay Hughes, Juanita Wilson, Elizabeth Abrams, Terri Rogers, Lisa Collins, Cindy Rogers, Karla Weatherford and Cyde Allstott.

They were accompanied by Mrs. W. W. Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson. Following the Grand Installation, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson returned to Heppner. Going on down to Grand Assembly in Corvallis with the girls in their place was their daughter Regina Hyde.

Elizabeth in the Grand Choir and Karla as Grand Faith practiced Friday afternoon.

The Assemblies held an exchange of ideas. They heard reports from the Grand Representatives in Oregon to the other states to learn what groups were doing in other parts of the country. Karla participated in Initiation. They report the Memorial Service and the presentation of the America, Oregon, Rainbow and the Christian flags were most impressive.

Karla received the Grand Cross of Colors. Also from Heppner receiving the same recognition were Sandi Mathews, Faye Wilson and Barbara Devine.

Linda Baker was named Grand Representative to Michigan in Oregon and was installed on Saturday night.

## 'Orange' Color Theme For Bridal Shower

Orange was the color chosen by Gail Batty for her wedding and hostesses used orange at the bridal shower honoring Gail at the Methodist Church social room on June 5. Assisting her in opening her gifts were Mrs. Mark Halvorsen and Christine Renne who is the bridegroom's sister of Portland. Pouring were Gail's mother, Mrs. Kenneth Batty and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Ruell Renne, also of Portland.

Hostesses carried out the colors in flowers about the room, the punch and the angel food cake in orange jello dessert. Hostesses were Mrs. Howard Bryant, Mrs. Gene Pierce, Mrs. Howard Cleveland, Mrs. James Healy, Mrs. Jack Healy, Mrs. Doug Dubuque and Mrs. James Farley.

Gail was also honored by friends with a shower in Portland prior to her wedding.

## Dick Robisons Moving to Portland

Tom Shear and Stan Addison have rented the Dick Robison home here in Heppner. Mr. and Mrs. Robison, Craig, Susan and Shawn are moving to Portland. Dick is already working in Portland at the Payless Barber Shop. While attending two years at BMCC, he maintained evening hours in his barber shop here. This fall he will enroll at Portland State. His major is in the field of Sociology.

## IFYE Visitor Relates Norwegian Farm Life

John Bok, the IFYE student visiting in Morrow County for two weeks spoke at the Soroptimist meeting when he was here. An occasional lack of an English word comparable to a Norwegian word left a little void in his talk and pictures. His work is similar to that of a County Agent here in Oregon. His pictures were largely agricultural. Hay is dried off the ground on pole supports due to the heavyfall. They dry much of their fish. They raise lots of potatoes and sheep. A type of deer forage that looked like Kale was one of the plants and Norwegian words that had no American counterpart.

He showed pictures of their holidays and the tables filled with Norwegian food was decorative as well as mouth-watering. Their candlesticks and bowls were of wood which is part of their manufacturing using their substantial stands of timber.

The group voted to send a letter to the City Council suggesting that as the fire signal is sounded on Monday, the flood signal should be sounded on Thursday to familiarize people with the sound.

Guests were a group of Blue Birds sponsored by Soroptimists. They were Mrs. Vern Keithley, leader, Angela Blinsman, Tracy Pettyjohn, Dee Ann Connor, Julie Baker and Cathy McConnell.

Other guests were Mae Barton, sister-in-law of Mrs. Emile Groshens, Barbara Jessmer, Mrs. Wallace Wolf, Mrs. Don McEligott and John Bok. Colleen Galliher, the newest member, was also a guest.

Willows Grange CWA will not have a meeting in July.

The annual picnic will be held Aug. 8 at 4:30 p.m. at the lone Park. Ice cream, coffee, punch and table service will be furnished. Everyone is welcome.

## Mrs. Duvall Entertains On The Fourth of July

Weekend guests of Mrs. Amanda Duvall were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waid and her cousin and husband Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tubbs, Portland. Others joining them for a picnic dinner July 4th on the Court house lawn were her sister Mrs. Lula White, Pilot Rock, her granddaughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. David Oringdolph and baby Kara Lee, Portland. Nephews Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waid, Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Waid, Ritchie, Anne and Susan, Hermiston and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waid, Ukiah.

## Jeff Walker Family Enjoys Heppner Visit

As Jeff Walker loved Heppner, so does his family. Although they live in North Carolina, they recall with fond pleasure their innumerable visits here. Last week Mr. and Mrs. Wray Walker, Jeff's brother, and their grandson, Randy Fulk, made another visit to Heppner. They visited friends they have made through the years and were delighted again with the friendliness of Heppner.

This was Randy's first trip to the west coast. He said the biggest change he saw as they drove west was the change in the landscape. He is a train buff and thought driving was tiresome. They had been on the road about 25 days and expected to go on to Vancouver, B. C., Seattle, through the Grand Canyon and home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones went to Roseburg over the holiday weekend. They visited their son, Ray, now a broadcaster with a radio station there. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were accompanied to Portland by Mrs. Wayne Harsin and Carey.

## Double Family Reunion Held

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Munkers of Heppner, had a double family reunion at Cutsforth Park, over the 4th of July weekend. There were 19 present at the reunion camping the entire weekend in trailer houses.

From Dimple Munkers side of the family were, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crabtree and grandson, Jim McCabe of Cecil; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen of Ione; Donna and Darcy Rea of San Francisco, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stender, and Mrs. Flossie Mueller of Salem.

From Archie's side of the family were his mother, Edna Munkers of Heppner; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Munkers of Lexington and daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Harris and children, Diana, Tammy and Ron from Phoenix, Ariz.

## A New Arrival!

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Nelson are the proud parents of Jill Erica, 6 lb. 13 oz., 19 in. long, Born July 2, in Hermiston Good Shepherd hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson, Jr. of Lexington; Mrs. O. D. Ridgeway, Kennewick, Wash. and Marcus A. Smith.

Great grandparents are Mrs. Alfred Nelson, Senior of Portland; Mrs. S. C. Ransdell of Portland; and Mrs. Lenna Oberle of St. Paul Minn.

## Contest Blanks

"Make-It-Yourself With Wool" contest blanks are available at the extension office — for Wool Competition. Tips on How to Enter, What Your Sewing or Knitting Can Win... Etc.



This observation comes from a gal who visited at the Collins home shortly after the flood. It is really pretty good. "It doesn't take much planning to protest; only a pair of lungs and everybody was born with them!"

Ladd Dick is so funny. He didn't lose his cement mixer in the flood because he'd loaned it to Jim Rogers. He said he wished he'd loaned him his wheel barrow too because he lost that in the flood. Anyway, it's funny to hear Ladd tell it.

For several months, I've been wanting to see Song of Norway. We went to the theatre at Columbia Center on the 4th to see it. It is beautiful, the music is beautiful, the photography, the scenery and it made me cry... but it was worth it. It is the story of the Norwegian composer, Edward Grieg.

We stopped off at Hermiston on the way home, to see Curtis and Julia Lund. They are the ones who showed their pictures at the spring Homemakers Festival. They don't know so many people in Heppner but they read the Gazette-Times each week and they are getting acquainted.

They loved reading about the falls in last week's Gazette-Times. They had the good fortune of having Dorris Graves take them to see the falls when they were here this spring.

We're still admiring the way Jerry Rood cooked the steaks for the class of 1961's 10th reunion. Beautiful thick sirloins and T-bones came off the grille to perfection!

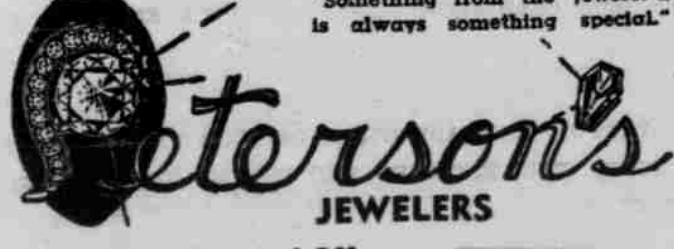
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