

Cardinals Win Sportsmanship Trophy at Echo

By WINONA ROBERTS

IONE—The Ione High School Cardinals basketball team won the Sportsmanship Trophy at the Echo Holiday Tournament. Cindy Barnett was crowned queen by last year's queen, Jeri Snow.

The Ione United Church of Christ will hold a Christmas Communion Christmas Eve.

Gives Christmas Coffee

Mrs. Milton Morgan was hostess Tuesday afternoon at a coffee. Those present were Mrs. Mark Murray, Mrs. Lee Palmer, Mrs. Vera Rietmann, Mrs. Ruby Roberts, Mrs. Marion Palmer,

Mrs. Harold Sherer, Mrs. Roy W. Lindstrom, Mrs. Clell Rea, Mrs. John Jepsen, Mrs. Clarence McIntosh, Mrs. Gar Swanson and Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn.

Christmas Luncheon
The Women's Fellowship luncheon was held Friday noon at the Social Room of the United Church of Christ. Mrs. Darrell Wilson and Mrs. Darrell James were chairmen for the table decorations. Mrs. Roy A. Lindstrom and Mrs. Roy W. Lindstrom were chairmen for the buffet tables. Mrs. Alfred Nelson was program chairman.

The Ione High School Choir entertained with musical numbers and led the group singing Christmas carols. Mrs. Frances Smouse played several violin selections of "Christmas Carols around the world". She was accompanied by Mrs. Ruby Roberts on the piano. Mrs. Alfred Nelson, Jr. gave Christmas readings.

The tables were decorated in a Christmas theme.

The WAC Club met at the Grange Hall Saturday afternoon for their meeting and to elect officers. They are chairman, Mrs. Berl Akers; vice chairman, Mrs. Willard French; secretary, Mrs. Cleo Childers; treasurer, Mrs. Perry Morter. Refreshments were served and gifts exchanged. The ladies served a Turkey supper during the evening. The Grange Christmas Party with Santa Claus present was held prior to the regular Grange meeting.

The Rainbow girls entertained their parents Monday evening at a Christmas Party. A short program was presented and they exchanged gifts.

Grandchildren Visit
Mr. and Mrs. William Walter drove to John Day Sunday to meet their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Osborn, Cindy, Shelly and Errol came back with their grandparents for the Christmas vacation.

Kenneth Smouse and son Carl attended an RECA meeting at Eugene Dec. 8-9-10.

On the way home they stopped in Corvallis and visited his

daughter Cheryl and Mr. Smouse's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard K. Baker and family. They also visited Mrs. Anne Smouse in Portland.

To Roseburg

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Martin attended the wedding of their niece in Roseburg Saturday. While there they also visited with Mrs. Martin's family, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Horton of Dallas.

The Office Tavern will be closed early Christmas Eve and all day Christmas.

Mrs. Stella O'Mera of Davenport, Wn., a former resident of Ione fell about a month ago. She will be flat on her back for another month. Her address is Lincoln Nursing Home, Davenport, Wash. 99122.

Condon Claims Xmas Tourney

By BOB FLOYHAR

After crushing Heppner on Friday, the high scoring Condon Blue Devils went on to win the Sherman Holiday tournament with an 85-70 win over Sherman Co. It was again the press and balanced attack that gave the Devils the upper hand. There is no single star on Condon's team. They're all great and produce a threat from any place on the court. This team of predominantly seniors will be the team to beat in 1972.

Heppner won their first game of the season and claimed consolation honors with a 59-36 romp over Wheeler Co. Falcons. After leading by only 28-20 at the half, the Mustangs exploded for a 25-7 advantage in the third quarter and won easily. Sophomore John Boyer put in 19 points to take scoring honors for the game.

Heppner 12 16 25 6-59
Wheeler Co. 8 12 7 9-36
HEPPNER—Boyer 19, Rhea 16, McCabe 8, Green 7, Papineau 6, C. Munkers 3, Dunlap, Sumner, Eckman, B. Munkers, Hedman, Wright.

WHEELER CO — Harrison 14, Mahar 9, M. Ball 5, Adams 3, Nelson 2, Morley 2, D. Ball 1, Conture, Killingsworth, Edwards, Allen.

Area's Churches Will Celebrate Christ's Birthday

Several special church services are planned for Friday night. At the VALBY and HOPE Lutheran Churches, the services will consist of singing of Christmas carols, a brief message, the celebration of the Lord's Supper, and special music. "Come and bring a friend to this candlelight service", says Pastor Mensch.

The SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST Church will have its regularly scheduled Sabbath Worship on Christmas Day.

At Ione the IONE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST choir will lead a candlelight communion service at 10:30 on Dec. 24.

The HEPNER UNITED METHODIST Church will have its traditional service between 7:30 and 8:30 on Christmas Eve. ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL Church will have two Christmas Eve services. One will begin at 7:30 for early retirees and one at 11:15.

The NAZARENE and CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS members do not plan special services — their families will stay together in homes on Christmas Eve.

The ST. PATRICK'S and ST. WILLIAM'S congregations will celebrate mass at midnight on the 24th. On Christmas Day, morning mass will be said at 7:30 in Heppner and at 9:15 in Ione.

The CHRISTIAN CHURCHES of Lexington and Heppner will have regular services on Dec. 26. Their Pastor, Don W. Johnson and his family will leave for Long Beach that afternoon to visit with his parents. They will be using the remainder of their summer 1971 vacation. They hope the children will see the Rose Parade on New Years Day.

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Koffee Kup Keglers		
Team	W	L
No. 2	31	17
No. 6	26	22
No. 4	25	23
No. 1	25	23
No. 3	23	25
No. 5	14	34

High Ind. Game — Ginger Keithley, 191; High Ind. Series — Inetta Cantin, 528; High Team Game—No. 2, 566; High Team Series—No. 1, 1598.

Koffee Kup Keglers		
Team	W	L
No. 2	34	18
No. 4	28	24

No. 1	28	34
No. 6	27	25
No. 3	24	28
No. 5	15	37

High Ind. Game—Phyllis Cole, 200; High Ind. Series — Phyllis Cole, 532; High Team Game—No. 4, 542; High Team Series—No. 4, 1492.

Spartanimes		
Team	W	L
MCGG	43 1/2	16 1/2
Elma's	36 1/2	23 1/2
Peterson's	33 1/2	26 1/2
Central Market	33	27
Gray's	23	37
Lott's	10 1/2	49 1/2

High Ind. Game — Phyllis Cole, 592; High Ind. Series—Phyllis Cole, 222; High Team Game — Central Market, 950; High Team Series — Central Market, 2691.



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