

Lone Seniors Honored by Elks



PRINCIPAL DENNIS BRANDON presents the Elk's Student of the Month awards to Ann McElligott and Rick Barnett, of Lone High School.

Two lone seniors were named as January Elk Students of the Month. They are Ann McElligott and Rick Barnett. Their hobbies as listed show a wide range of interests. They both like the outdoors, they like individual sports, they like to do the things that Morrow County offers. They both like to ski. Ann likes to read, sew and cook. She likes hiking and most outdoor sports. Rick likes hunting, fishing and camping. Inside hobbies include leather craft work and writing poetry. He likes to dance.

They have both attended all 12 years of school at Lone.

Ann and Rick were elected and served on the student council other years. He was a Boys State delegate, president of the 4-H Ski Club and sang with the mixed chorus for two years. He has lettered in all the major sports, football, basketball, baseball and track.

Ann likes to do things too. She is president of the National Honor Society, vice president of the Student Body, and editor of the school paper and student council representative for GAA. In county-wide activities, she has served as secretary of the Morrow County Empire Builders and secretary of the Morrow County Youth Council.

World Prayer Day Unites Women at Methodist Church

Women from thirteen women's church groups will cooperate in celebrating the World Day of Prayer here tomorrow afternoon, Mar. 3. They will gather in the basement of the Heppner United Methodist Church at 2:00 for fellowship and a short period of discussion. Nursery care will be provided.

At 2:30 the women will move upstairs for the worship service "All Joy Be Yours". The chairman of the International Committee is Gudrun Diestel of Germany, who also compiled the material which was developed into the service for the 1972 celebration. Women from at least ten eastern and western European countries contributed material. As they chose what petitions should be included in this year's world wide prayers, they were aware of three problems affecting the whole world: the plight of displaced peoples, the strained relationships between the generations, and the unsettling effect of the technological revolution.

McCoy Family Has Second Princess



Princess Debbie McCoy of Irrigon is following in her sister's footsteps as Susan was Morrow County Fair and Rodeo princess in 1964. Debbie is a petite 5' tall and weighs 102 lbs.

The blue-eyed princess, an Irrigon native, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren McCoy. She is sponsored on the Court by the Tillikum Club of Boardman. Her thumbnail sketch indicates she is a gal of many interests and abilities. Her name alone will make her dear to the hearts of their Irish in Morrow County.

Princess Debbie writes: I'm a varsity cheerleader, a member of G.A.A., Pep Club, Future Business Leaders of America, I'm Vice President of our Future Teachers of America and I'm also the Student Body Treasurer and very active in Student Council. I'm a member of our National Honor Society where I have a 3.82 grade point average. My favorite classes in school are U.S. History, Home Economics and being a student aide for 8th grade math class.

I have been active in 4-H for five years. I'm a member of the Irrigon Community Baptist Church.

I'm active in track, volleyball, and basketball. I also enjoy swimming. My most favorite activity is being able to ride my horse Pepsi. I also enjoy knitting and sewing.

After graduating from high school, I plan to attend Oregon State University to major in elementary education and someday I hope to work with the emotionally disturbed children.

from the various women's groups. Mrs. John Maata will lead the singing to piano accompaniment by Mrs. Lea Taylor. Rev. Cutting will deliver a short address on "Affirmation of Joy".

It is planned that the service will end about the time that schools are dismissed for the afternoon.

Lex Grange Hosts Visitation

Lexington Grange met on Sat. night for their regular meeting and visitation night. A pot luck dinner was served at 6:30 with about 50 Grangers in attendance. The meeting was presided over by the Master Joe Yocum. Following the meeting Mrs. Willard French, lecturer of Willows Grange was in charge of the program.

Carl Troedson sang "On Top of Old Smoky" in Swedish as he accompanied himself on the piano. Readings were given by Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen, Bryce Keene and Mrs. French.

Nathan Thorpe, Morrow County Deputy, Bryce Keene Willows Master and Barton Clark Pomona Master were introduced. Rhea Creek Grange ladies were in charge of the numerous and lovely desserts served at the dinner and following the meeting.

Bonnie Miller Is Honored at Bridal Shower at Hughes

The W.E. Hughes home on Butter Creek was the scene last week of a bridal shower for Bonnie Miller, the daughter of the Milton Millers who will marry Ron Christopherson soon.

Mrs. Allen Hughes and Mrs. Merlin Hughes joined their mother-in-law Mrs. W.E. Hughes as hostesses for the evening. A nice group of friends gathered to shower Bonnie with a good variety of gifts.

Ron is now in basic training at San Antonio, Tx., but will probably be moved to Wichita Falls, Tx. for further schooling. The couple will be married in the Latter Day Saints' temple at Idaho Falls, Id. It is hoped that a date can be established soon, but it depends on Ron's military orders.

DOTS JOTS

AREN'T kids wonderful? After Cheri Carlson and Clint Krebs has been presented with their \$100 leadership awards at the Elks Annual, they were asked to say a few words. Clint brought down the house when he said "I'm not sure whether I should have this award. I worked with my dad all morning and all he said was 'Clint do this and Clint do that.'" Whitey Schroth told him "If you do what your dad says you'll do all right!"

Saturday night's game with Pilot Rock was a thriller all the way. It was a pleasant surprise because most of Heppner was fearful we might be swamped. Steve Rhea's shooting and Dale Hedman's hustling was the greatest. Heppner got a big break when Pilot Rock's ace shooter, Terry Tolar, had a cold night. Those bright yellow wind breaker jackets worn by the Pilot Rock Boosters looked mighty good from across the gym. Just wonder if maybe Heppner couldn't do something like that! The "Boosters" were here en masse for the game.

Kelley Wolff Is The Sroptimist Essay Winner

The Sroptimist Club of Heppner is happy to announce that Kelley Wolff is the winner of its 1972 Citizenship Essay contest. Kelley's essay has been sent off for regional competition. Susan Wilson was awarded second place by the judging committee. Both Kelley, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W.W. Wolff, and Susan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wilson, are seniors at Heppner High School.

Some of the thoughts Kelley included in her essay were these: Good citizenship, as many other virtues, begins in the home. I feel that it is my duty to help with the household and to set a good example for my younger brothers and sisters whenever possible. Heppner is one of the few cities left where one can safely go for a walk alone, or can speak to strangers on the street. Last spring I saw many citizens working hard to help clean up Flood debris although their personal belongings and homes were not damaged. People here enjoy helping others. This is something that makes me proud to be a citizen of Heppner, Oregon.

Kelley belongs to the Pep Club, the Drill Team, the Drama Club and the National



Kelley Wolff

Honor Society. She is historian for F.H.A. and vice-president of the Empire Builders. She spoke for the Arbutle Ski area at the fall Newcomers Night program. She leads a 4-H painting club.

Her future plans are not settled yet. She has applied for a P.T.A. scholarship which could take her to Southern Oregon College at Ashland and on to a teaching career, or she could go to the University of Oregon.

Both Kelley Wolff and Susan Wilson received awards. Susan Wilson will receive a \$25.00 savings bond to Kelley, and a \$10.00 prize to Susan will be given at the year's end awards assembly at the high school.

Golden Agers

Entertainment featured at the March 7 Golden Age potluck dinner will be an Irish songfest. Dinner will be in the Elks Dining room at 7:00 p.m. and all Golden Agers are welcome.

MR. AND MRS. HOWARD MILLS of Salem spent the weekend here visiting with his sister, Mrs. Lowell Gribble.

Bookworms Hear About Scotch Isle

At the Feb. 8 meeting in the James Thomson home, the Bookworms were made aware of life on a small Scotch island through an interesting review by Mrs. Sara Morrow.

Mrs. Morrow told, in a lively manner, incidents in the lives of crofters on Colonsay, a small island in the open Atlantic. The reviewed book of less than 160 pages is entitled "The Crofter and The Laird" and its author John McPhee writes the story in the first person. Mr. McPhee took his wife and their four young daughters and went to live for a while on Colonsay the home of his ancestors.

Mrs. Morrow and Mr. McPhee bring one into the lives of the quaint, hard-working crofters (independent farmers) on this last domain of the feudal system, and of the laird, who is English and owns the whole island and

MR. AND MRS. DENNIS TONEY spent the weekend in LaGrande where they attended an informal family gathering honoring Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Hamilton on their 50th wedding anniversary. Mr. Toney is the Hamilton's nephew. When asked what it was like to be married 50 years, Mr. Hamilton replied he would like to be married 59 more.

Along with the story of daily existence comes the great story of the breaking up of the Scotch Clans and a look back into the lives of some of the leaders of certain clans.

Colonsay is one of the Hebrides, in the islands of Argyll. It is 25 miles west of the Scottish mainland and has been the sole territory of a small clan, never more than a few hundred people, whose title to the island had come by immemorial occupation.

If you are one who appreciates that truth can often be more fascinating than fiction, you will really enjoy this little book full of delightful Scotch lore.

The Heppner Public Library has this 1970 publication by Doubleday of John McPhee's "The Crofter and The Laird."

We The Women

Susan Drake Off For Europe

Susan Drake leaves March 1 from Portland for a six months trip in Europe. She will be accompanied by Susan Albin of Troutdale. Both are RN's and have been nursing at Multnomah County Hospital.

This trip to Europe is something the two Susans have been wanting to do for a long time. They want to travel and meet people and travel with the people they meet. Before leaving Heppner, Susan visited with David Conn, who did a trip to Europe last summer.

MRS. ELLA BURGOYNE is reported to be suffering from a virus. She has been in Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

Beef Still A Good Buy

William Marshall, of Klamath Falls chairman of the Oregon Beef Council pointed out some interesting comparisons between costs of 1951 and 1972 at a recent press conference in Portland.

Federal government figures show that one hour's wages in 1951 purchased only 1.7 lb of beef. Feb. 1972 an hour's wage will buy 3.3 lbs. of high quality beef. Choice beef averaging all cuts has increased only 18 percent from 1951 to Feb. 1972.

He pointed out some other comparisons over the past 20 years. Wages are up 128 percent, Transportation up 64 percent, Housing cost up 61 percent, Medical costs up 127 percent and Recreation up 56 percent.



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