

### Boardman Fete Honors Seehafers



Mr. & Mrs. W.G. Seehafer  
50 Years ago

By Mary Lee Marlow  
More than 200 guests honored Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Seehafer Sunday at the reception held for them at the Greenfield Grange hall in honor of their golden wedding anniversary. Hostesses for the affair were their six daughters, Mrs. Ray Smith of Baker, Mrs. Charles Vaughn of Douglas City, Ca., Mrs. George Holderman of Philomath, Mrs. Ron Tye of Enterprise, Mrs. Bill Ballweg of Fort Worth, Tex. and Mildred Essex of Fair Oaks, Ca.

The three tiered cake was cut and served by Mrs. Holderman and Mrs. Ballweg. Pouring coffee were Mrs. Don Gwynne of Concord, Ca., sister-in-law of Mrs. Seehafer, and Mrs. Wilbert Salzwedel of Cornelius, niece. At the punch bowl were Mrs. Evan Gwynne of Kalamia, Wa., sister-in-law, and Mrs. Oscar Savage of Spokane, Wa.

Before the reception which was from 2 to 5 p.m., a luncheon was served to about 100 relatives and friends. In charge were Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Vaughn and Mrs. Tye.

Mr. and Mrs. Seehafer were married Aug. 20, 1922 at The Dalles. They farmed at Wasco, Helix, Lena, Ione, and Bickleton, Wa. before coming to Boardman in 1958 where they have lived since. They have 21 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Present at the reception were all their daughters and their families, Mrs. Seehafer's brothers and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gwynne of Concord, Ca. and Mr. and Mrs. Evan Gwynne and family of Kalamia, Wa., nephews, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seehafer of Vancouver, Wa. and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Seehafer of Corvallis, niece, Nephew Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seehafer of Sunnyside, Wa., Wilda Crawford and children of Eugene, nieces and families, Mr. and Mrs. John Brayton of Yakima, Wa. and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Hull of Beaverton, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Salzwedel, niece, of Cornelius; Roy Turner of Concord, Ca.; cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Willman of Kalamia, Wa. and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brewer of Woodland, Wa.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coe, granddaughter, and Mrs. Lee Ellen Coe of Elgin; granddaughter JoAnn Chase and children of Milwaukee; and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Savage of Spokane, Wa., who the Seehafers had not seen for forty years. They were friends when they lived at Helix.

Other guests came from Heppner, Ione and Boardman. The Seehafers received a card of congratulation from President Richard Nixon.

### Takes Two



"Like this" many faceted Donna Peterson visits with friends over a cup of coffee. Her tote bag is on the table beside her. It is green burlap with a hand tooled leather boot for decoration.

One for the money, two for the show, three to get ready and four to go. It takes all hands at home to get a member of the court ready to go. This year there have been two chaperons to share the pace of the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Court.

**DONNA PETERSON**  
What's All American? The description will vary in different parts of the country depending on the people questioned. But in Morrow County Donna Peterson, Mrs. Bob Peterson, undoubtedly fills the bill.

This unpretentious young woman is completing her second year as Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Court Chaperone. She is loaded with talents you wouldn't believe but in the same breath she says,

"Oh that isn't anything." First a home and family woman, it has bothered her that she might be neglecting her family as she jaunts around the country with the court. She has welcomed the assistance of Clista Venard (Mrs. John Venard) this year. They travel together or share responsibilities as time and work permits. Both are tops in the eyes of the Court.

Donna is an enthusiastic Morrow County Fair booster. As co-leader with her husband of the Gooseberry Livestock Club, leader of a 4-H Horse Club and her own children's fair activities she is more than an onlooker. She is all for the 4-H members training and grooming their own animals. She feels this is their responsibility to assume as well as a valuable learning process. She

### Jaycees Farewell Wonders

The Jaycees had planned a swimming party followed by supper Sunday evening as their farewell to the Pat Wonders and the Marvin Summers. Showers cancelled the swimming so they gathered at Library Park to make ice cream. They broiled their steaks and hamburgers in a shower of rain which didn't diminish their good time.

The Wonders will be moving to Pendleton as soon as housing can be found. Pat, last year's Jaycee president, has already started his new position as assistant manager at the Oregon Bank.

They were presented with a green crystal bowl and matching candlesticks as their farewell gift from the Heppner Jaycees.

The Summers were not able to attend.

### at Conference

Subjects as diverse as non-verbal communication and human ecology were combined in the fifth National Nutrilite Key Conference from which Mr. and Mrs. Hal Whitaker, Heppner, returned Aug. 18th.

The Aug. 14-16 conference at Anaheim Convention Center, was for key distributors of Nutrilite Food Supplements, Edith Rehnborg Cosmetics and Nutrilite Household Products.

Nutrilite Products, Inc., which conducted Aug. 17 tours for the independent distributors, who are self-employed businessmen and women. Keys toured the company's manufacturing and quality control facilities in Buena Park and visited Lakeview, where they saw the Nutrilite Research Center.

The Whitakers also visited Disneyland and Knotts Berry Farm.

### Invitation

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Petty-john invite all friends and relatives to the marriage of their daughter, Terry Lynn, to John R. Hall, on Saturday, September 9, 1972, at the Hope Lutheran Church in Heppner at 11 a.m.

### To be Married

Mrs. Douglas E. Drake announces the engagement of her daughter, Susan Elizabeth, to Thomas Lyle Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Ferguson of Klamath Falls.

Mr. Ferguson has completed two years in the Peace Corps in Iran and will be attending graduate school at Oregon State doing research in Food Toxicology. Susan has her Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Oregon School of Nursing. She has just returned home after a six month tour of Europe.

September 16 has been set for the date of the wedding at the Heppner United Methodist Church.

### Golden Agers Picnic

The Golden Agers planned their annual summer picnic for last Sunday at the Court House Lawn. Due to the showers they moved their picnic to the Elks Club. Here they had their usual good time of visiting and eating. Plans were made for the September potluck which will be held at the Elks Club dining room on the first Tuesday in September which is the 5th.



Clista Venard doing the thing she likes to do at First National and then goes "courting" on the weekend!

is also appreciative of co-operative parents. Members do need help in transporting animals and themselves and much praise during the entire project. Occasionally she is told "Being a 4-H leader is a thankless task." But Donna gets her thanks and goes all goose pimples with pleasure when she gets that certain look from one of her club members when they have won a ribbon and good words from the judge.

She practices what she preaches with her own offspring, Rick 15 and Dawn 13. This week she says "It would have been so easy to have said 'We haven't time to take Dawn down to the State Fair' but I believe going on after you have won is part of the responsibility of winning." So Bob went to Salem with Dawn and Donna stayed home with Rick who is washing steers and grooming them for the fair.

Donna and the board had this thing going last year that she was to ride in the parade. She wasn't too keen about it. Then she surprised them by riding side saddle in the parade. The beautiful tapes-tried saddle belonged to Betty Fullerton's grandmother. This year the chaperones will be riding in a buggy driven by Joe Yocum.

Donna was responsible for running down the century of styles modeled at the Coronation. Old things have lots of appeal for her. She is a collector of antiques but she likes the ones she finds. When Rick and Dawn are out riding they watch for old bottles to bring home to her. One of the things she likes, is a one-room pot-bellied stove they found in a nearly-falling down-house. Donna spent three days with the electric sander taking off the rust. Now it is the base for an elegant lamp.

The family enjoys having Grandma and Grandpa living on the ranch with them. They are Mr. and Mrs. Vic Lovgren. Donna and her mother paneled their family room with old barn siding. One wall is covered with brands. Their own brand is framed with a handsome horse collar.

She sews near-professionally. She has made a suede coat for Bob and a blue suede coat for herself. She gathered deer hides, salted them down herself and then traded them for tanned ones. She doesn't

### Soroptimist Named

Mrs. W.W. Weaheford of the Heppner Soroptimist Club has been named to the Extension Committee for the Northwestern Region by Dorothy L. Barry, governor. Past District Director Irene Hollenbeck of Ashland will act as chairman.

### Mrs. Gardner entertains court

The Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Court, their mothers and chaperones were luncheon guests of Mrs. Le Roy Gardner Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner presented Queen Susie and Princesses Debby McCoy, Anne Hoskins, Patty Luciano and Kerry Coppock with gifts of horse head book-ends.

Thursday the court was a guest on the KUMA Radio Station Coffee Hour in Hermiston, and were guests of the Lyons Club at noon. They were accompanied by Mrs. Bob Peterson, chaperone, and Tom Currin, president of the Rodeo Association.

They were guests for breakfast at the KOHU Radio Station in Hermiston Friday, along with their chaperone, Mrs. Peterson.

The busiest time this summer for the court will be this week, and will climax with the Rodeo this weekend.

MRS. DAN JAMES, Tommy and Mardel went to Milton-Freewater Wednesday to visit her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stewart.

### Marick Reunion

The second Marick reunion was held in the Lone Grange Hall due to the weather. They spent the afternoon visiting and renewing acquaintances. All eight of the original family were present. Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Al Marick, David, Nick and Laura; Adolph, Frank and Henry Marick, all from Ione; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lancaster, Gene Jr. and J.D. of Cecil; Jackie Howton, Hermiston; Paul Marick, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Marick, Glenna and Jason, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Welpall, Opex; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marick, Arlington; Kathleen Marick and a friend Glenna Lynch; Jerry Picker, Pendleton; Steve Marick, Alice Schwudtizer and son Eddie, The Dalles; Dan Marick, White Salmon, Wa.; Mr. and Mrs. Vince Marick, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Marick, and Murell Harper, Parkdale, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ricker-son, Debbie, Glenda, Vickie, Tammy, and Cynthia, La-Grande; Rose Fagner and children, Condon; Agnes Fagner and Peggy Ryndake, Seattle; Herman Fagner and children; Wayne and Cecilia Beyers and family, Frank and Barbara Gambetty, Patty and Teri Bowcutt, Portland; Vincent Fagner, Dutch Harbor, Al.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fagner and family, The Dalles; Fides Welp, Mt. Angel, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dinger and son of Veneta, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dinger, Jr., Noti, Or.; Carl Stones and family, Eugene; and Bentina Carey and son, Pilot Rock.

### Red, White Accent Summer Wedding



MR. AND MRS. EARL STRUCKMEIER (nee Jill Scott)

Red and white gladiol decorated the altar of the First Christian Church, Heppner, for the Aug. 5 wedding of Jill Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott, Heppner, and Earl Struckmeier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Struckmeier, Boardman. Rev. Dick Struckmeier, brother of the groom, officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of chantilly lace over taffeta fashioned

with a Mary Stewart head-dress holding the fingertip veil. She carried a cascade of red roses and white carnations.

Maid of Honor was Mrs. Fred Harnden, sister of the bride. She wore a floor-length gown of red and white dotted Swiss. Her arm bouquet was of white gladioli tied with red ribbon.

Best man was John Du-buque. Ushers were Fred

Harnden and John Currin. Mrs. Dick Struckmeier sang, "We've Only Just Begun," accompanied by Mrs. Fred Hoskins.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Scott wore a pink street-length dress. Mrs. Struckmeier wore a green and white street-length dress. Both wore white gladioli corsages with a red rosebud in the center.

A reception was held for the couple in the Church Fellowship Hall. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated by the bride's sister Mrs. Harnden. Red tapered candles and a bouquet of red and white gladioli on the piano were other decorations.

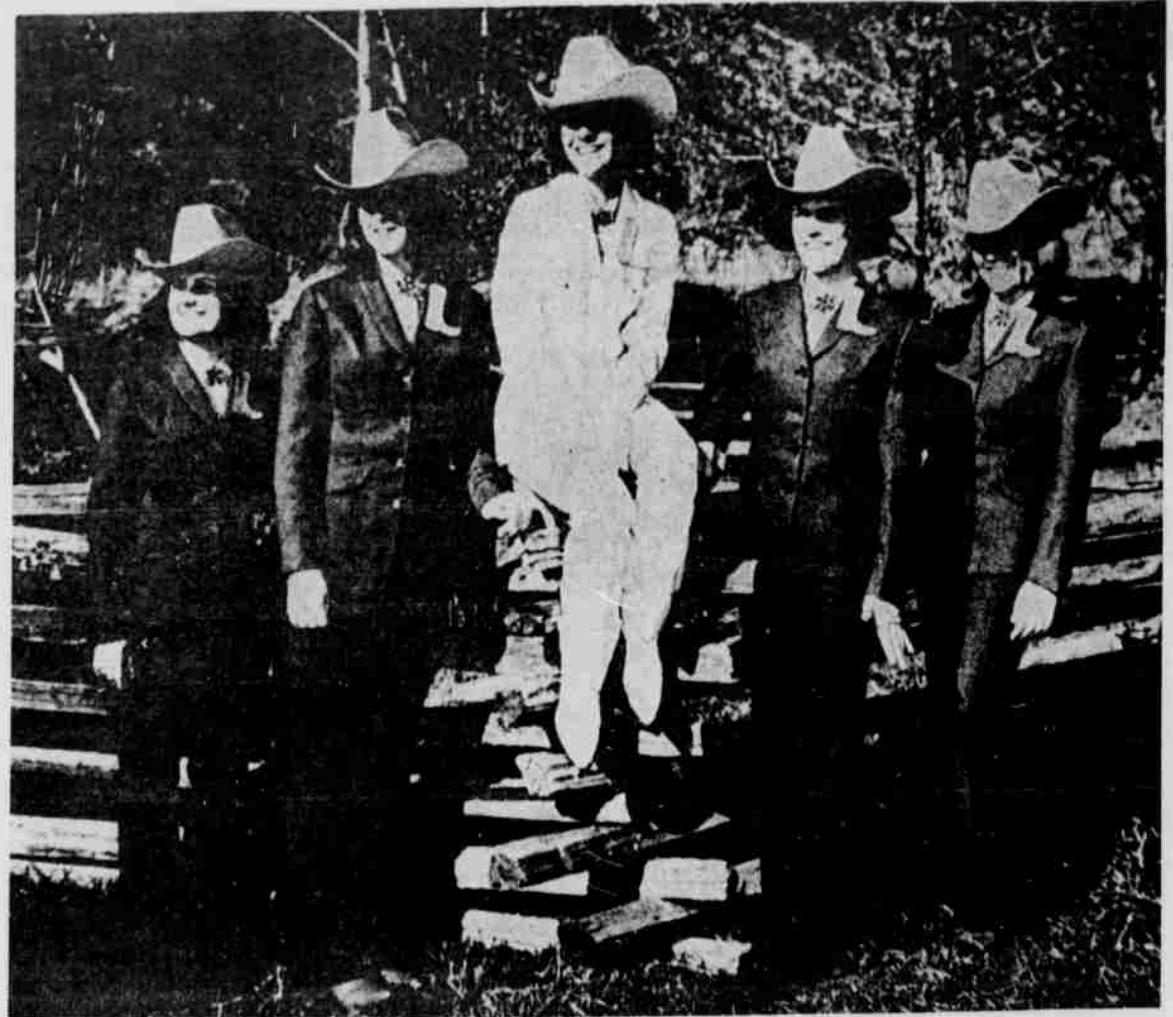
The cake was cut and served by Mrs. Ralph Scott, Kennewick, Wa., grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. Neal Knighten, Kennewick, aunt of the bride.

Mrs. Floyd Paul, Oxnard, Ca., aunt of the groom, poured the coffee; Mrs. Erma Scott, Kennewick, Wa., aunt of the bride, the punch. Attending the gift table were Mrs. John Currin and Joan Christman, Mrs. Lee Weiher, Orangevale, Ca., sister of the groom, had the Guest Book.

For going away, the bride chose a white knit dress with red and white accessories. After a wedding trip to the Oregon Coast, the couple is at home in Prineville.

Earl graduated from Heppner High School and is employed in logging in Prineville. Jill will attend her senior year at Prineville High School this fall.

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