

## He's pace-setter in hair styling

Les Madden, Portland hair stylist, recently returned from London where he attended a school for high fashion styling.

Madden is from Ione, the son of Eldon Madden and Mrs. E.J. Akers, and a graduate of Ione High School. He and a fellow hair stylist, Frank

Blair, organized a seminar recently to train 150 members of their profession in new

trends in hair styling for men and women. In a nutshell, this means both men and women will be getting rid of their teasing combs and rollers.

The two men operate a unisex shop for both men and women in the belief that barbers and beauticians should be brought together under one roof. They subscribe to the theory that "A head of hair is a head of hair, be it male or female."

## Bev Doherty a winner in cake baking contest

Bev Doherty, Ione, received second prize in the cake baking contest at the Oregon Wheat Growers League convention in Portland last week. The contest was held in conjunction with the 46th

annual meeting of the Oregon Wheat Growers League.

The following Morrow County wheat growers attended the three-day meeting: Bob Jepsen, Norman and Jean Nelson, Don and Martha

Petersen, Max and Marianne Barclay, Frank and Kay Anderson, Rudy Bergstrom, Roger and Shirley Palmer, Fredrick and Helen Martin, and Harold Kerr, Morrow County Extension agent.



MRS. DOROTHY HEARD

## Hearths tell of trip to Russia

Charlie and Dorothy Heard, former owners of the Gazette-Times, were guest speakers at the regular meeting of the Heppner Chamber of Commerce last Monday.

The National Press Women's Association sponsored the 10-day tour, and the Heards spent five full days and nights in Moscow and Leningrad.

Commenting on their trip Dorothy said, "Charlie wanted to go to Ireland, but I told him Russia is as safe as Ireland, so we went to Russia."

She then related how "little Russian boys can spot an American a mile off," and one of the first things they ask for is chewing gum. But they will accept a ball-point pen as readily as gum. When the Heards left for their trip they asked merchants for pens and distributed them freely throughout Russia.

"In many places the Russian people accepted the pens in lieu of a tip," Mrs. Heard said.

Moscow has a population of over seven million people, and another million people visit the city daily. "The city is so clean, there is no litter, and even the subways are scrubbed daily," she told the group.

When they visited Leningrad, they visited a school where English is part of the curriculum. The youngsters begin learning English in the second grade, and their pronunciation is good, Mrs. Heard said. Also visited were some students in either the 7th or 8th grade, who were studying English literature.

One thing that amazed the Heards was the constant checking of their coats. "The weather was very cold and whenever we went outside we always wore our heavy coats. As soon as we arrived we had to check them."

"People in Russia seem to read a lot," she said, and noted there would be a line every morning waiting for the book stores to open.

The hotels the Heards stayed at were described as being very nice, although the beds

did not have inner springs and were like sleeping on boards. Another peculiarity in the hotel is that each floor has a desk rather than only one in the lobby. Upon leaving the hotel the key to one's room must be turned in.

Russian food is very good, she found, and beer and wine are served with lunch and dinner. But the beer has no "head." "We both tried the raw, smoked fish, cut into very fine strips, and it is very tasty."

Red Square is very beautiful ("red" meaning beautiful in Russian), she observed.

Asked about their passports as they entered Russia, Mrs. Heard replied that, "Russia is a visa state, and upon entry one must declare the amount of money and gold he is carrying, with the same holding true for one's departure." She told of a fellow passenger who had lost her visa and was detained by the authorities until a new one arrived.

### TWO CHURCHES JOIN IN CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Sunday, Dec. 16, at 7:30 p.m. there will be a Christmas program at the All Saints Episcopal Church.

It is being offered by the United Methodist and Episcopal congregations, choirs and joint Sunday School classes.

After the program friends may greet the performers and enjoy refreshments with them in the church hall.

Both Rev. Blackaller and Rev. Cutting will participate in the program. The two-church Sunday School classes have been busy preparing for their parts in this festivity, as have adult singers from both congregations. Ladies from the churches will arrange refreshments.

These churches share the corner of Gale and Church Streets. The parking of Gale Street, beside the Episcopal Church, has room for many cars.

### WILLOWS GRANGE INITIATES FOUR

Willows Grange held an initiation ceremony for four candidates, Dec. 9, at the grange hall at 4 p.m.

Those initiated were Sherrie Bahr, Rodney Linnell and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Osterlund. The first and second degrees were presented, followed by a potluck supper. The third and fourth degrees were given after the meal.

Mrs. Bob Montgomery was in charge of the potluck supper. Mrs. Berl Akers was in charge of the tableaus. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones were visitors from the Lexington Grange. Mrs. Jones was chaplain for the initiation.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lathrop (Jeri Krebs) have moved into the Kirby house at Cecil. Earl will work for Krebs Brothers. The couple had been living at Dayville.

## Linda Marlene Palmer plans for January

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Palmer, Heppner, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Linda Marlene, to Lt. Wilson Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. C. Buck, Morehead City, N.C.

Miss Palmer is a 1972 sociology graduate of Oregon State University. She is currently working as a correctional counselor for the State of Oregon in Portland.

Lt. Blackburn received an engineering technology degree from Clemson University in South Carolina in 1972. He is stationed at Ft. Lewis, Tacoma, and is working toward a master's degree.

The couple plan a January wedding.



LINDA PALMER

## 'Shop hop' was quite an affair!

Saturday night 75 persons "hopped" out to the Darrell Vinson Ranch on Little Butter Creek for an evening of fun.

Sue and Darrell Vinson were breaking in the new cement floor in Darrell's shop and did the affair up in fine style by putting on a Shop Hop.

Friends came from Long Creek, Wallowa Lake, Hermiston, Ione, Pendleton, Hardman, Lexington, Heppner and from the full length of Little Butter Creek. Each family brought goodies that made up a big table of interesting foods.

Music by the Milton Millers and Dallas McDaniel on the guitar, accordion, violin and electric piano contributed to the dancing fun. Sue Vinson danced with every man who came—what a hostess!

### 40TH ANNIVERSARY FOR THE JIM THOMSONS

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomson are having an open house at the family home Sunday, Dec. 23, between 3 and 5 p.m., in honor of their parents' 40th wedding anniversary.

All friends are invited. No gifts, please.

## Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Johnston, Heppner, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Pamela Ann, to Roy James Parlow, son of Mrs. Roy Parlow and the late Roy Parlow, Boardman.

The bride-elect graduated from Heppner High School in 1971 and attended Blue Mountain Community College for one year. She is currently employed at First National Bank, Heppner.

Her fiancé is a Riverside High School graduate and attended Blue Mountain Community College. He is in the U.S. Navy, stationed in Bremerton, Wn.

No wedding date has been set.



Displaying their art of macrame for the 2nd annual Artefactory are, from the left, Jan Peterson, Natalie Tews and Kristi Edmundson.

### CHEF SUPREMES GET NEW MEMBERS

The Chef Supremes 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. Gordon Meyers, Dec. 1.

New members Margaret Ann Doherty and Mary Kincaid joined regular members Lisa Meyers, Margaret Kincaid, Teena Lindstrom and Paula Lindstrom.

Elected officers are Lisa Meyers, president; Kelly Pettyjohn, vice-president; Teena Lindstrom, secretary; and reporter, Paula Lindstrom.

The next meeting will be Saturday, Dec. 15.

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Thursday, Dec. 13 - Beans and ham, cornmeal buns, vegetable salad, 1/2 orange and milk.

Friday, Dec. 14 - Peanut butter sandwiches, vegetable soup, green veg. salad and pineapple upside-down cake.

Monday, Dec. 17 - Sloppy Joe & bun, buttered corn, carrot & celery stick, fruit jello and milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 18 - Tacos, shredded lettuce, cold tomatoes, cake and milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 19 - Tuna & noodle casserole, buttered peas, jello veg. salad, gingerbread & topping, rolls & butter and milk.

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