



MR. AND MRS. KEVIN J. BRUER

Parents take part in wedding rites

The bridal couple were given to each other in marriage by both sets of parents on Saturday, Nov. 9, when Vanessa J. Cutting and Kevin J. Bruer were married by her father, Rev. Edwin A. Cutting. The ceremony took place in the First United Methodist Church in Corvallis. Rev. Joseph Jacobberger assisted the bride's father with the rites.

The participating parents were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bruer, Portland, and Rev. and Mrs. Cutting, Heppner.

The bride's dress, designed by her, was of crepe chiea with lace bodice overlay and long sleeves of lace. The ivory gown was empire-waisted, had a princess-style bodice and a full floor-length skirt. The bridal veil was of ivory netting and her bouquet was a collection of yellow and bronze daisy mums interspersed with tiny yellow roses and brown baby-breath.

Maid-of-honor was Donna Culwell, Lyons, Ore., a friend of the bride; bridesmaid, Ginny Tanquist, Medford, a cousin of the bride. The groom chose his friend, Jim Sklenicka, Portland, as best man.

School Lunch Menu

Heppner Elementary School and Heppner High School

Mon., Dec. 9—Spaghetti and ground-beef, vegetable salad, french bread, butter, fruit, milk.

Tues., Dec. 10—Salisbury steak, Mrs. Winkle's rice, pickled beets, fruit, milk, bread and butter.

Wed., Dec. 11—Chili dogs, lettuce wedges and dressing, apricots, milk.

Thurs., Dec. 12—School's choice.

Fri., Dec. 13—Tuna and noodle casserole, buttered peas, celery stuffed with peanut butter, milk.

Ushers were Tim Bruer, Portland, brother of the groom; Craig Cutting, Ashland, brother of the bride; and Tom Soule, Corvallis.

At the reception held in the church's library-lounge, Beverly Bruer, the groom's sister; Mrs. Mary Cutting, the bride's sister-in-law; Mrs. Becky Ashton, the bride's sister; and Mrs. Shirley Riley, a friend of the bride, assisted. Kit Beavers, Salem, had charge of the gift table and Teresa Riley, Newberg, supervised the guest book.

Diane Weisgerber, Corvallis, sang "Charity" and accompanied herself on the guitar.

After a short trip to the Oregon Coast the couple are now at home in Corvallis where both are attending Oregon State University.

CHOIR PRACTICE RESUMING DEC. 5

Tonight, Thursday evening, Dec. 5, persons interested in singing during the Christmas season will meet at the United Methodist Church at 7 o'clock. The group will be coached and led by Arnie Hedman, who was formerly a teacher of instrumental and vocal music in the lone and Heppner public schools.

Hedman plans to meet with aspiring singers on Thursday evenings during December. Any adults and any young singers of junior high, high school or post high-school age are welcome to attend these sessions.

"MR. TELEPHONE," EARL BONNER IN HOSPITAL

Two prominent Morrow County men were admitted to Pioneer Memorial Hospital this weekend.

Merlin Cantin, 53, "Mr. Telephone," was injured in a fall. He is the Pacific Northwest Bell man for this area.

Earl D. Bonner, 59, the owner-operator of a fleet of logging trucks which haul timber to the Kinzua Mill here, was admitted Saturday.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

New officers of the Heppner United Methodist Women will be installed at a Sunday service before Jan. 1.

The new leaders are: president, Barbara James; vice-president, Sylvia McDaniel; secretary, Pearl Wright; treasurer, Ella Smith; local affairs, Ida Farra; health and welfare, Elsie Leathers; global concerns, Doris Cutting; social concerns, Justine Weatherford; Christian personhood, Louise Wood.

A new nominating committee is Beth Bryant, Sylvia McDaniel and Justine Weatherford.

'Woman's place' is discussion topic

"A World to Share" or "The Place of Women in the World" will be the topic of Extension Study groups in Morrow and Umatilla counties for the month of December.

At each study group in Morrow County the program will be given by Dorris Graves, Heppner, and Mabel Allen, Boardman. Both attended the triennial meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World held in Perth, Australia, this fall. The two women will also present training to study group leader teachers in Umatilla County, which leaders will in turn

present at all study groups there. Training and programs will be based on information received, personal observations and research at the international meeting, which was attended by women from 44 countries. Of special interest to all women will be information concerning 1975 International Women's Year and resolutions passed at the international gathering.

Dorris Graves is District VII director for the Oregon Extension Homemakers Council, serving in this capacity as a liaison between the state council and study group members in Morrow, Union and Umatilla counties. Mabel Allen has recently completed a term on Morrow County Homemakers Advisory Committee.

All women are invited to attend one of the study group meetings in the county, according to Birdie Tullis, Morrow Program Assistant. Membership is not a requirement.

What's in handwriting?

BY MARGARET MCNAIR
Handwriting Analyst

Can you tell a pessimist by his handwriting?

Yes. The presence of pessimism is determined in handwriting by a downward droop or slant of lines, words, or even single strokes.

Just how does a pessimist look at life?

"Through a glass darkly" is one way of putting it. Expecting bad breaks for his ventures is another. Regardless how it is stated the pessimist looks at life with an unhappy frame of mind, tends to worry, and approaches his goals with a negative attitude.



This handwriting sample shows the trait of pessimism tempered with so many positive character traits that the writer is able to say, "Que sera, sera!" or, "oh well, that's the way the ball bounces!"

Actually, this week's writer reveals only a mild form of pessimism, a "matter-of-factness" or mild fatalism. The word "luck" fits in very well with his attitude that life is a game of chance. The qualities of willpower and determination are evident, so the writer, even though he might think that chances are against him,

will keep plugging away just the same.

By combining the writer's traits of cool poise, pride and dignity, wit, intuitiveness, decisive thinking, cultural appreciation, ease in speaking and writing with his already mentioned abilities of setting his goals and finishing the job, we see—lo, and behold—our writer shows literary inclinations and aptitudes!

The sun indeed shines on this writer. Realizing this fact, surely he discovers another fact: the true joy in life is the joy in doing.

Questions about handwriting will be answered free of charge. Write to Margaret McNair, The Gazette-Times, Box 337, Heppner, Ore. 97836.

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