

SPRAY NEWS

Mary Williams

The Easter holiday found many on vacation or enjoying guests at their homes, and birthday entertaining has been prevalent in the community the past week.

Ruby Smith was hostess at her home April 20 at a birthday dinner honoring Jane Stirewalt.

Present were Jane and Dave Stirewalt, Dave's daughter Vivian and sons Todd and Keith. His son and family, the Danny Stirewalts with Margaret Anne and David, Prineville, the Robert Kemmers, Oysterville. Jeannie Stirewalt and the hostess.

The Bobby Fishers combined the holiday with joining Rene's father, Gilbert Simpson on his birthday April 19 at Pendleton. All of the Simpson's children were present with their families, Rene, Jimmy, Nova and Dale.

The Fishers enjoyed an Easter Sunday dinner a week early at the home of Bobby's mother, Juanita, April 11.

Bob and Margaret Ashmead spent the Easter holiday in Ilwaco with friends and with their daughter and her family, the Lyle Rillings, Jefferson. Kasey returned with her grandparents and the Rillings arrived April 23 to be with Mrs. Rillings' father on his birthday.

Another birthday-Easter combination was enjoyed at the Jack Jenkins home when Laurie, daughter of Fred Jenkins celebrated her 10th birthday. Others present were Fred and the other members of his family, Neil and Elsie Balen and children, Prineville; Mary and Jimmy Jenkins, Bend; Edna Bailey and Bob Blue, Heppner.

Now, the Dee Davis Easter story. All about the Davis' Golden Sex Links chickens, one of the hens presenting them, Easter morning, with an egg measuring 8 inches around, lengthwise by 6 1/2 inches. (One is inclined to put their faith in the Easter bunny after all.) These chickens, something new here, are a combination of nine breeds, creating this strain.

The Davis' sixteen hens produce sixteen eggs daily. These hens go all out for women's lib, never interrupting their schedule with time out for "setting" but leaving that lovely chore to the ducks, bantams and other barn yard fowl.

Another novelty at the Davis' is a nest of Scissor Tails, cozily domiciled atop a light fixture at the back door of the Davis' local restaurant.

Lastly, I spent the Easter vacation and joined in birthday festivities for my great granddaughter, Shawn, at the homes of my granddaughter and daughter, the Sid Britts and Al Wileys, Echo, and attended an unusual and enjoyable Easter morning service there. Sid delivered the Easter message, Randy led the song service, Dixie Dawn Wiley played the piano, the children gave their individual versions of the meaning of Easter and led the prayer service. The offering was put aside and given to their home church the following Sunday.

Later in the day other family members joined the group for dinner and the remainder of the day. A "rodeo" in the afternoon saw the little folks competing in different events, cut down to size, the wild "cow" milking with pet sheep, the ewes putting forth much fun, not much milk.

Dads pitted their skills against those of their sons in team roping, bull dogging, and other events. And at the ball game following, "Grandma at the Bat", in the person of Selma Adams, was the high light, not only of the ball game, the entire day, scoring a home run to the wild cheers of the grand kids. If Babe R. didn't stir a bit on that one he never will.

(And why are the small things the shattering ones? In the midst of the "rodeo" my glance was down to one small girl, age 4, sitting on the top rail under a cowboy hat much beyond her size and years, complete with feather. So intent was she, on the action, that she had presumably forgotten to expectorate and "snosee juice" dripped on her chin. End of story? No. But discovery by mother was almost the end of everything.

Present for this day to be remembered were 26 people, four generations, and included the Rod Pietilas, Portland; Selma and Jim Adams, Portland; LeRoy Britts and Rod Britts, all of Pilot Rock; Mimi Williams, Spray, the Sid Britts and Al Wileys.

Mrs. Jeannie Stirewalt who has been a patient at a Heppner hospital returned to her home here Friday.

At the Joe Worlein home have been their daughter, Dorothy Buell, with Jeffrey and Aaron and Pete and Hazel Stirewalt all of Portland, and the Worlein's grandson, Troy Hiatt, Heppner.

In letters to friends and relatives here Mrs. Wilma Moore states she is at home again following three weeks hospitalization and four weeks away from her Lynwood, WA home, having spent a week with her daughter, Florence Mae following dismissal from the hospital.

The Crapo family are temporarily occupying a mobile home in Spray while such time as their ranch home, which was destroyed by fire a few months ago, can be replaced.

Mike Russell, Tina Studer and her mother, Jean Marie, visited briefly with relatives when they came Saturday to move Tina's small trailer home back to her home at Santa Maria, CA.

Mike has moved to that city where he will be employed transporting heavy equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Britt spent Friday in John Day where they met their daughter, Mrs. Gary Adams and son Willie from Long Creek for lunch and visiting.

On Saturday Bea and Claude accompanied the Marvin Britts to Arlington and assisted in their moving home from that city where Marvin has been employed with a government project.

Nila Zickeloose, Spray and Connie Spivey, Fossil, were in The Dalles Saturday where they attended a teacher's workshop.

Lauren Delaney who was formerly associated with the Spray school system is here from Wishram, WA, visiting friends and relatives and is presently a house guest of Babe and Art Stephens. Mrs. Stephens is much improved following a lengthy bout with an infection and has been temporarily unable to continue with her duties as secretary and clerk at Spray High School. Babe has held the position as clerk for 27 years.

Mrs. Hubert Asher was dismissed from a Prineville hospital Friday following last week's accident when she fell, sustaining a broken leg. Reportedly she is doing well, learning the art of maneuvering crutches and a cast and exploiting patience due to the accompanying discomforts of being disabled. Courage Goldie, and welcome home.



Chuck Vader, right, congratulates Jiggs Bowman.

Awards Presented

On the evening of April 12 at Fossil Shamrock an awards dinner was presented to employees, and friends of the Truck Shop, Eastern Oregon Logging Company, Kinzua Corporation.

The award dinner was for their having no "lost time accidents" for a period of 600 days. Attending to congratulate the employees on behalf of the Kinzua Corporation were Milo Prindle, Woods Manager and wife Zella; Bill Casey, Truck Shop Foreman and wife June, Chuck Vader, Director of Safety and wife Rosella.

A special award was presented by Milo Prindle to Homer (Jiggs) Bowman as he had just completed 25 years with the company that day. Jiggs received a fishing reel.

Door prizes for the employees wives or girl friends were won by Bonnie Mortimore, a waffle iron, Ginger Ishabashi, electric fry pan, Molly Day, an electric crock pot.

Truck shop employees, their wives or girl friends honored were: Jiggs and Rita Bowman, Troy and Molly Day, Jim and Linda Nyseth, Gene and Bonnie Mortimore, Harold and Sherron Mangum, Jim and Billie Nickelson, Wayne and Lorie Carr, Jack and Edith Bell, Rommie Bowman and Ginger Ishabashi, James Kenton, Lonnie Collins, Wayne Brinkley, Kerry Green and John Vanderford.

Western music was provided by Don Slinkard and Verlin Connor for everyone's dancing pleasure after the dinner.

KINZUA NEWS

By Barbara Pike

It's time to put away the snowboots and get out the sandals because it's spring. At least that is the impression I got when I spoke to Rose Hardwick at Hardwick Logging Monday. The Hardwick crew of fallers went back to the woods last Thursday to open the 1976 logging season. Monday the company sent their loaders and skidders out to work. Now it is hoped that the weather will cooperate for a long and busy logging season.

If spring is here then its not long until summer vacation and annual job hunt by high school and college students. Getting a bit of a head start last Friday was Rick O'Neal and Rick Paulus. Accompanied by Mrs. Betty O'Neal, the two boys went on a round of likely places in Heppner, Condon and Fossil. I wish them and all the others like them who are looking for summer jobs a lot of luck.

Lynn Morley went to Hood River Friday to visit his sisters, Annie and Christine. Lynn also went on to Odell to see former Kinzua residents, Herb and Evie Luper.

Richard Kendall, Pendleton, arrived early Saturday to spend the weekend with his parents the Dick Kendalls. Dick and his two sons, Richard and Steve spent the day fishing. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kendall and Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kendall and daughters and Richard Kendall went to Spray to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Bogart went to Bend last week for medical checkups. Following the medical care they went to Baker to take care of some business and visit old friends and relatives. While in Baker they went to see the play, "Alice in Wonderland," put on by the Crossroads Art Center. The Bogarts son Steve is The King of Hearts in the play. The Bogarts report that the play

was very well done and a sell-out for most of its ten performances.

Mr. Francis Yeigh entered the hospital in Heppner Monday. Due to the serious nature of his illness he was transferred by ambulance to the hospital at Pendleton, Wednesday. Mr. Yeigh is reported to be much improved following surgery Thursday. Mrs. Jane Yeigh spent most of the week in Heppner and Pendleton to be with her husband.

Tuesday, Mr. Raymond Yeigh, Mrs. Marty Wallis and Mrs. Judy Currie and her daughter went to Heppner to see Marty and Ray's father. They also went to Pendleton Wednesday to be with Francis before he had surgery.

Mrs. Irene Samples and Andy and Mrs. Ann Sharp and daughter Gwen went to Pendleton Wednesday for dental work for Andy and to do some shopping.

Honor Students

The following students have been placed on the honor roll for the third nine weeks at June Junior-Senior High School:

A Honor Roll:
Seniors Terry McElligott and Catherine McElligott.
Juniors: Joan Doherty and Debora Palmer.

Sophomores: Natalie Tews, Jeanie Piening, Grace and Carol McElligott.
Freshman: Michelle McElligott, Arletta Aldrich and Janet McElligott.

8th Grade: Martha McElligott and Larry Snider.

B Honor Roll:
Seniors Larry Graham and Arlynda Aldrich.

Juniors: Debbie Patton, Donna Palmer, Carrie Haynes, Arlene Cannon, Dawn Peterson and Laurie Childers.

Sophomores: Stuart Keene and Jan Peterson.

Freshman: Lisa Martin and Robin Leavitt.
8th Grade: Todd Sherer and Tammy Shimp.
7th Grade: Brett Sherer and Duane Fetsch.

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Nabisco Ritz Crackers 1 lb.	81c	Western Family Salad Oil 48 oz.	\$1 ²⁹
Holsum Bread 22 oz. (everyday low price)	41c	Western Family Chili 15 oz. Hot Or Reg.	39c

Meats

Holly Boneless fully cooked Ham lb.	1 ⁶⁹
USDA Choice Rib Steaks lb.	\$1 ⁹⁹
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Fresh Produce

Strawberries cup	39c
New potatoes 2 lbs for	35c
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