

with Justine Weatherford

Several rites of spring were crossed off the calendar since our last issue. A huge sigh of relief rose as the April 15 income tax deadline passed. Many local payers and the expert computers Carl Spaulding, Elaine George, Helen O'Donnell and the attorneys' offices can find more time for other things for 11 months now.

Much more pleasing rites were the two weddings here last Saturday. At two o'clock, John Currin and Janet McCurdy were wed in Hope Lutheran Church, and at four o'clock some of the same guests went to the Methodist Church to witness the vows of Barbara McCarl and Dan Coiner. Large receptions for both couples followed at the Elks' Club. The Currins were congratulated on the first floor and the Coiners were cheered upstairs. Three of the four newlyweds went to public schools here—only Dan Coiner is a newcomer.

Track, baseball and golf competition is big now. It was exciting to hear that both Heppner and Ione high schools did

On April 13, the Eastern Region Council of the Oregon Lung Association held its annual meeting at the Indian Hills Motor Inn, Pendleton. Attending from Morrow County were Delpha Jones, regional vice-president and representative to the state board, Justine Weatherford and Pat Wright.

Two speakers were Dale

Brandt, M.D., Pendleton, and Alice O'Brien, executive director of the Oregon Council for medical education and development, headquartered in Pendleton.

Dr. Brandt told of the Emphysema Self-Care workshops recently co-sponsored by the Eastern Region of the Lung Association and hospitals in Pendleton, La Grande,

Baker and Ontario, at which over 100 patients and 100 or more members of their families received help with chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases.

Alice O'Brien explained that CoMED serves six northeast Oregon counties and their eight hospitals. She announced that CoMED's rural hospital education project pro-

posal has won \$16,700 to support a two-year management training sequence for fifty hospital personnel given by the association of western hospitals.

An annual report was given by region director, Anthony F. Haberlach, La Grande. He noted that the Christmas Seal Campaign income was less this year in Oregon than it was

in 1975, although nationally it increased. He reported on the video education programs being promoted throughout hospitals in the region, on the school cigarette-smoking health education programs involving high school students teaching elementary school students from first through sixth grades and on the self-care emphysema work-

shops. He stated that more of these workshops are planned this year and they will be held in six hospitals including the Pioneer Memorial Hospital at Heppner.

Max Melhoff, state director, and Dwight Kennedy, fund solicitor from Portland, were introduced and gave reports. Delpha Jones questioned the state officers about the changes in the methods of raising funds for the association's work. A lively discussion followed before council president James Shaw, Ontario, declared the annual meeting adjourned.

Morrow delegates attend region lung meeting

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well at Saturday's 17-school track meet at Riverside. Seems that track expert, bus driver Bill Weatherford, was most impressed with the girl stars.

We hear that an unusual rite took place in Heppner. Some "Moonies," young persons thought to be affiliated with the well-publicized Unification Church of the Rev. Sun Myung Moon, were reported to have visited many business establishments selling peanut candy. We heard that Police Chief Gilman encouraged the disciples to move along, out of town. We wonder if their organization uses Carter peanuts?

The Beta Omega Spring Cotillion drew a good crowd to Ione's Legion Hall Saturday evening. The proceeds will aid the fire department there. The decorating committee prepared well, the music was dandy and the midnight buffet a big feature.

Unfortunately, the Heppner Swim Team supporters' rummage sale at the Fairgrounds did not do as well as last year. Not as many bargain hunters.

The last rite we feel like mentioning is a weekly thing that will go on until about October—the mowing of lawns has begun. At least this chore will continue until we all get orders to stop watering the grass, then we suppose it will turn brown and stop growing.

There is only today through Saturday left in the no-fines celebration of National Library Week at the Heppner Library. What a good time to bring back those overdue books.

Top county spellers from Ione, Irrigon

Denny Starr of Ione and Tammy Collingwood of Irrigon were winners of the Morrow County Spelling Contest in competition held at A.C. Houghton Elementary School on Monday.

Starr, a sixth grader, won the elementary division in which Robin Haws of Irrigon

Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Tanory of Heppner wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Salvatore, to Wade Padberg, son of Mrs. Robert Bergstrom of Heppner and the late Bernard (Buster) Padberg.

The wedding will take place at 7:00 p.m., May 16, 1977, at the First Christian Church in Heppner. All friends and relatives are invited.

Open house scheduled

Don't forget the Open House at Heppner Neighborhood Center, Friday, April 22, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. They will be open during the noon hour to accommodate those who could not come in during working hours. Coffee, punch and cookies will be served.

Heliker tours in Wyoming

After visiting his family here and his grandmother, Vida Heliker, in Seattle, musician Gene Heliker has gone on tour with the Susanville Stage Band.

Heliker is the group's director and choreographer. This band is named after the historic Susanville stagecoach line which served northeastern California in the early days.

The band opened at Rock Springs, Wyo., early in April for a three-week engagement. They expect other western state bookings to follow. Just after Gene left the O.W. Cutsforth home, his sister, Lisa Cutsforth Watson, moved to Pasco, where she has enrolled at Columbia Basin College.

Smith - Carpenter wedding planned



Kristine Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Willard K. Smith, of Lexington, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristine S., to Richard A. Carpenter, M.D., of Heppner.

She is a student at Heppner High School and employed part time at Pioneer Memorial Hospital. He is a Heppner physician. A June wedding is planned.

Garden club learns houseplant care

Members of the Heppner Garden Club gained knowledge about the growth and care of houseplants from the April meeting hostess, Barbara James, who cares for a fine variety of plants in her home, shared her expertise with club members after the club meeting on April 11.

The evening's program was preceded by a potluck dinner. Newcomers Mrs. Don Penney (Ruth) and son Brent were special guests.

President Jane Rawlins reminded members of several special occasions coming soon: the grange program on flowers of the Blue Mountains and their various uses; the District 10 annual Garden Club meeting at Ione's Willows Grange Hall today, April 21; and the state convention at Lincoln City, which will be

held from June 13 through 15. Theta Lowe, Irene Nolan, Ruth Penney and Justine Weatherford hope to attend the district convention. Delegates to the state meet will be named after next month's election of officers.

After the meeting and program, the plants that were brought for exchanging were displayed and each person was given a chance to choose one or more to take home.

The May 9 meeting will be at the E.E. Gonty home and will feature a tour of rock gardens.

Ione garden club hears yard beautiful program

Pat Pettyjohn hosted the Ione Garden Club at her home April 13. Judy Osmin used paintings and diagrams to show members how they could create a beautiful yard in 12 months that would require just two hours' weekly maintenance. She used the book entitled "Two Hour Garden"

Bookworms view prize collection

Sue Jones, Heppner Elementary School librarian, was a guest speaker at the April 12 meeting of the Bookworms. She brought a collection of prize-winning books to show the members and told them about the merits of these books. She recommended worthwhile literature for young readers.

Brief reviews of two recent books, which were prepared by Madge Thomson, were read by Marian Brosnan. They were of Irving Stone's "The Greek Treasure" and of "Prison Letters" by Corrie Ten Boom.

Ella Smith was hostess for the meeting in her apartment. A second April meeting will be on April 26 at the home of Frances Mitchell when Pauline Hughes will present a review.

as her resource. Included in the plan were vegetables, camouflage plantings, perennial shrubs, perennial bulbs, ground cover, evergreen shrubs and ornamental trees.

Thelma Ling reported that the annual plant sale will be May 5, and her committee will begin potting plants this week.

Ione will host the Blue Mountain District No. 10 Spring Meeting at Willows Grange April 21. Final plans are being made by general co-chairmen Pat Pettyjohn

and Helen Martin, who expect about 60 Garden Club members from this district to attend.

Election of new officers was held, with Jean Nelson the 1977-78 president, Judy Osmin, vice-president, Leila Palmer, secretary, and Helen Martin, treasurer. The officers' installation will take place at the next meeting, May 11, at Delta Huber's home. Delpha Jones will present the program "Organic Planting: Crop Rotation and Compatible Plants."

Elk's Calendar

Thursday, April 21
Regular Lodge, 8:00 p.m.
Kitty & snacks

Friday, April 22
Happy Hour
5-7

Saturday, April 23
Dinner at 6:30
Music

Tuesday, April 26
Senior Citizens
4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 27
Senior Citizens
4:30 p.m.
Pinochle, 7:30
Party Night

Thursday, April 28
Regular Lodge, 8:00 p.m.
Kitty & snacks

Elks & out of town guests only

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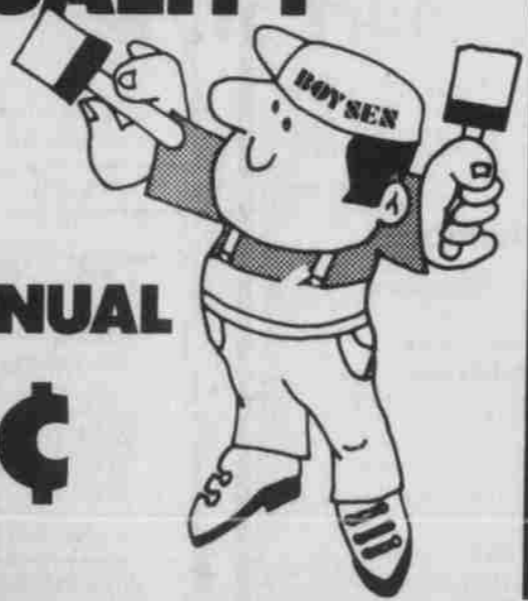
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