

## Instructed Eucharist at Episcopal Church

On Sunday, September 25, during the 10:30 a.m. celebration of the Holy Communion, an Instructed Eucharist will take place at the Episcopal Church. At various times during the service, time will be taken to explain and teach what is being done and why. The vestments of the officiating clergy will also be explained. All members of the

community are welcome to attend.

The same day will be Birthday Sunday for September. All members of the parish family who have celebrated a birthday during the month will be honored at the 10:30 a.m. service with special prayers and a cake in the parish hall during coffee hour.

## Methodists hold slave auction

Immediately following morning worship next Sunday morning, Sept. 25, the youth of the Methodist Church will become slaves with up to eight hours of "most any type of work" available for the highest bidder.

Some fine husky lads and willing lassies hope to earn funds for future group fun. Even their advisor, Vicki Tollefson, will be up for bid. Slaves will work from one to

eight hour periods.

If you need extra help getting set for winter—getting set for most anything—here is your chance to get mighty fine help.

Bring money to the basement of the United Methodist Church about noon on Sunday. The group officers say that they will even allow "easy credit" with promissory notes payable on Nov. 1.

## Episcopalians elect convention delegates

All Saints Episcopal Church held a special meeting Sunday, Sept. 11, for election of delegates to the annual Diocesan Convention. A pot luck lunch was also served.

Ned Clark, Senior Warden; Robert Lowe, Junior Warden; Kathy Clark and Theta Lowe were elected to represent the parish at the meeting sched-

ed for Oct. 22-23 at the Inn of the Seventh Mountain in Bend. The rector, Fr. Kenneth Miller, and his wife will also attend.

Preliminary plans for the Falls stewardship canvass were presented at the meeting by Frank Anderson, canvass chairman for this coming year.

## John Maas assumes Lutheran pulpit

John Maas, recently of Baltimore, Maryland, has temporarily assumed the duties of pastor for the Hope-Valby Lutheran Churches in Heppner. He will minister to the two congregations until the parish finds a permanent pastor or he is called to duties somewhere else.

Although Maas has completed his theological training, his correct title is "Mr." rather than "Pastor" because he has not yet been ordained by the American Lutheran Church.

A 1977 graduate of Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary in California, Maas has just finished an internship of ten months in Baltimore.

He and his wife, Judy, are both Californians, and though they found the east to be interesting, are glad to be

back in the west. Both agree that seeing the western mountains was like walking through the front door after being away from home for a long time.

Maas replaces Mark Johnson who recently left the area.

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## Lexington news

• Delpha Jones • 989-8189

Holly Rebekah Lodge met Thursday night, Sept. 15. Dates were set for flag drill practice to be put on at the presidents visit Sept. 29. This will be a joint meeting with Bunchgrass Rebekah Lodge, Ione, at Lexington. Nomination of officers was held. Irene Padberg is the Noble Grand, Leila Palmer the Vice Grand, Delpha Jones, Secretary, and Linda Jones, Treasurer. A birthday party was held for members having birthdays this last quarter. A chocolate sheet cake decorated with pink and green roses was served.

Aletha Grytness, Roseburg, former Ione teacher, was an overnight visitor at the Pete Klinger home.

Florence McMillan spent

Round-Up week in Pendleton visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cool.

Lexington Grange met day, Sept 19 at the Grange Hall. The evening started with a potluck dinner. Bingo was played preceding the meeting. Program for the next meeting, Oct. 17, will be Eric Anderson, speaking and showing slides on his "Living Carpet" operation. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yocom visited his grandfather, "Daddy Sam Brock" at the Oddfellows Home in Portland on the occasion of his 97th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Jones spent last week at the John Mitchell home at Sumpter,

going through the mountains through Ukiah and Granite. They designated their family reunion there as "Cousins Day", hoping it will become an annual affair. While there they took a trip on the Sumpter Valley narrow gauge railroad which is being restored by the Historical Society. One mile of track is finished and ties are laid for another mile. The passenger cars are not yet completely renovated—they are still open and the passengers sit on benches, getting a goodly sprinkle of ashes from the smokestack along the way. There is even a hobo village down under the hill. The Society is in the process of buying back an original engine from this railroad which has been in use in Alaska.

## Ione news

• Eva Hamlett • 422-7557

"Moods and Flowers", was the theme for the Ione Garden Club's mini flower show held in the social rooms of the United Church of Christ, Sept. 14.

There were 150 horticulture entries with Irene Padberg, Lexington, winning the sweepstakes with her Peace Rose. There were 36 arrangements.

Nancy Miller won the sweepstakes for her "Feeling Elegant" red rose (Proud Land) arrangement. Eighteen houseplants were displayed with Helen Martin winning sweepstakes with her red Coleus.

Winning the most blue ribbons was Helen Martin, second was Ruth McCabe, and tying for third were Delta Huber and Nancy Miller.

Members and guests attended a no host luncheon at Beechers at noon. The afternoon program was "Know Your Flowers", a discussion and slide presentation by Helen Martin.

Gardeners participating other than club members were: Ruth McCabe, Vera Reitmann, Laura Holtz, Geneva Palmer, Karen Beck, Nancy Ekstrom, Clea Walters, Myrtle Imel, Ann Bergstrom, Gordon Meyers, Norman Nelson and Trevor McCoin.

Out of town guests were: Mrs. Dorothy Johnson (accredited judge of the show), and her mother, Mrs. Hazel Ingle, of Prairie City; Irene Remlinger, Bothell, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Collins, Hillsboro; and Mrs. Edna Selby of Twain, Cal. Heppner guests were Eleanor Gonty, Alberta Johannes, Ette Parker, and Frances Mitchell.

General Chairman of the show was Delta Huber. Other

chairmen included: Staging Comm., Judy Osmin and Nancy Miller; Publicity, Jean Nelson and Pat Pettyjohn; Guest Book, Edith Nicholson and Irene Padberg; Entry Tags and Ribbons, Loree Hubbard; Tea, Leila Palmer, Norma Rea and Delpha Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nelson entertained some friends and their wives, who served with Mr. Nelson in the 1st Battalion of the Seabee's during World War II. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Selby of Twain, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. McOtis of Beloit, Wis. spent part of last week at the Nelson home and all attended the Pendleton Round-Up.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Halvorsen of Medford, spent last week at the home of Henry's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis

Halvorsen and attended the Pendleton Round-Up.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crabtree entertained with a dinner in honor of Ashley McCabe Saturday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McCabe, Randy, Kimmy, and Laurie, and Keven McCabe. Ashley left Monday for Klamath Falls where he will attend school at OTI.

Christina Lindstrom of Tacoma, Wash. was home over the weekend and attended the Round-Up with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Lindstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Connor spent the weekend in Portland.

Visiting at the home of Mrs. Ruth McCabe is Irene Remlinger of Bothell, Wash. Irene is a former Ione High School teacher.

## Irrigon news

• Francis Rose Wilson • 922-3352

Under investigation by the Morrow County Sheriffs Department is the shooting of two steers in Irrigon the past week. The animals, belonging to Brent Hulse and Al Partlow, were killed in opposite ends of the same pasture behind the C & H Market sometime Tuesday evening or Wednesday.

Also being investigated is the possibility that the animals were killed in some ritual since the sex organs had been removed and blood evidently removed through a small incision in the throat after being shot in the neck by

a small caliber gun.

Pastor Robert Schmolli has announced his resignation from the Irrigon Assembly of God and will be leaving in October for a pastorate in Newport, Oregon.

A farewell dinner is being given for him and his family on Sept. 25 by the members of the congregation to show their love and appreciation for the four years of ministry by Rev. Schmolli.

The Rev. Bob Lovett of Hermiston will speak to the non-denominational group, Women Aglow, at the Colum-

bia Inn, McNary, East Umatilla, on Tues. Sept. 27, at 6:30 p.m. His topic will be "Life At Its Best".

Women who do not wish to attend the dinner may come for the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

John Johnson has completed his Boot Camp training with the Marine Corps at San Diego and is home on leave. He is the son of Ann Johnson and James Johnson both of Irrigon.

He will be in training as a cook for the next six weeks, when he returns to his base at El Toro, Cal.

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