



### Golden Anniversary celebrated by Gentrys

On Sunday, August 13, the family of Orville and Allie Gentry met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gentry, in Heppner, Oregon to celebrate their parents' 50th wedding anniversary.

Children of the couple present were Bill of Heppner and Jack of Pendleton. Grandchildren present were Judy of Portland, Jackie of Heppner and Greg and Janet Greenup and their daughters Amy and Sara of Heppner.

### Reception held for Rietmanns

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rietmann hosted an afternoon reception on Sunday, Sept. 10 at the Ione United Church of Christ in honor of their parents' 25th wedding anniversary.

The three-tiered white and silver decorated cake was served by Mrs. Victor Rietmann of Ione and Mrs. Dean Rohde of Kennewick. Mrs. Bill Rietmann of Ione poured coffee and Mrs. Terry Thornberg of Hermiston was at the punch bowl. Terri Lee Thornberg was at the guest book.

The couple was presented a money tree, organized by Mrs. Louis Carlson, and covered with gifts from many relatives and friends. Mary Jo Rohde of

Kennewick attended the tree. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Rietmann's father and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Anson; her sister and niece, Mrs. Terry Thornberg and Terri Lee of Hermiston; her grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Anson of LaGrande; her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Anson of LaGrande; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Newell of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rohde and family of Kennewick; and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnett of Pendleton.

Friends assisting in the kitchen were Mrs. Don Peterson, Mrs. Tad Miller, Mrs. Her' Peterson and Mrs. Louis Carlson.

### Ione reunion

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Prizes were given to the one coming the longest distance, which went to Virginia Burns, travelling from Eagle River, Alaska; Earliest Graduate went to Ruby Roberts, Edna Wilcox and Mabel Denny, who graduated in 1918; Those married the longest—both from Ione High School—to Mary and Edmund Bristow; having the most children to Frances Tester (eight); the most grandchildren to Norma Rea (18), and to the teacher who taught the longest in Ione, George Tucker, who had 49 students present.

Everyone had such a good time it was voted to hold another reunion at the same time in 1980. A member of each class was appointed to

notify their classmates and try to get as large an attendance as possible.

Appointed were: Ruby Roberts-1918; Walter Linn-1921; Vera Rietmann-1922; Gladys Drake-1924; Norma Rea-1925; Ruth Lundell-1927; Gene Englemans-1928; Edith Matthews-1929; Beulah Sherer-1930; Geneva Palmer-1931; Muriel Palmer-1932; Margaret Akers-1933; Berl Akers-1934; Dot Halvorsen-1935; Ruth Payne-1936; Joyce Darst-1937; Jane Rawlins-1938; Bernice Thompson-1939. Dot Halvorsen or Eva Hamlett will be glad to help with addresses if needed.

We are hoping the next reunion will be even bigger and better...so "see you all in 1980."

## Bike ride to raise funds for children's hospital

A 22 mile Bicycle Ride to raise funds for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee is scheduled Sept. 23, from Ruggs to Ione City Park. The Ride, sponsored by Beta Omega, Ione and Alpha Theta, Heppner chapters of Esa Women International, is part of a national fund raising campaign benefitting the Hospital.

To celebrate the achievement of \$2 million in their fund raising efforts on behalf of the Hospital, ESA will be offering additional prizes as incentives to riders this year. This year's riders will earn t-shirts, back packs, and nylon jackets according to the amounts of monies raised and turned in by the event due date.

The Ride will begin at 10 a.m. in Ruggs whereupon the

riders will register. Those needing rides to Ruggs can be picked up at 8:30 a.m. at the Ione City Park.

Persons interested in participation in ESA's Million Dollar Bike Ride whether as riders, sponsors or volunteer workers, are encouraged to contact ESA at 422-7468, chairman Linda LaRue. Forms for securing sponsors are available at the following

locations: Ione, Bank of E.O., Ione School, Brenda Ekstrom or Linda LaRue; Heppner, R & W Drive-In.

St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, located in Memphis, Tenn., was founded by entertainer Danny Thomas. The Hospital opened its doors in order to research and treat catastrophic childhood diseases. It is the largest childhood cancer research

center in the world in terms of numbers of patients and treatment successes. The fourth floor of the Hospital is dedicated to ESA Women International.

Children receiving care at the Hospital are treated free of charge, while clinical and research discoveries developed there are shared with physicians and scientists throughout the world.

ESA Women International, founded in 1929, is an organization of 30,000 women throughout the United States and seven foreign countries, devoted to the service of mankind.

For more information on ESA and the Bike Ride, call chairman Linda LaRue at 422-7468.

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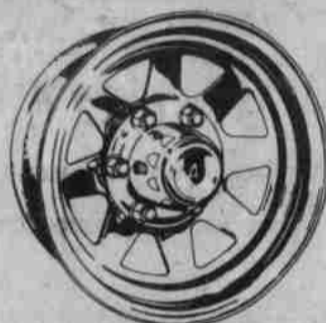
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