

Queen named 'best dressed'

The Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Court has made two appearances in parades and grand entries at Arlington on May 5, and Spray, May 26, according to the court's chap-erone, Mary Ann Palmer.

At Spray, the court received a first place ribbon and Queen Deborah Palmer was named the best dressed cowgirl. Those attending were pennant bearers Anita Palmer, Sylvia Ladd, Melanie Sietz and Pammie Holtz.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Palmer and Donna, Mrs. Marion Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards, Mrs. John Wenholtz, Mrs. Elmer Ladd, Tony Seitz, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holtz and Tim.

On Sunday, May 27, the court attended the Morrow County Pioneer Picnic and their next appearance is Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Junior Rodeo in Heppner.



Mr. & Mrs. Ernest H. Collins
The former Mary McElligott

Lutheran Church plans summer class program

Hope Lutheran Sunday School is going informal for the summer.

Instead of closing up shop for the summer, classes will become activity-centered instead of lesson book-centered. Class leaders are selected for a four week activity, then they are replaced by someone else with a new four week activity. Children will be

involved in everything from producing puppet shows to interviewing people, to simulating how food resources are distributed in the world today.

Sessions begin each Sunday morning, starting June 3, at 10 a.m. and end at 10:45 a.m. There are class groupings for three year olds, 4-5 year olds, 1st-4th graders, and 5th-8th graders. All are welcome at any time.

Alaskan couple wed in Heppner

Mary Patricia McElligott, Nome, Alaska, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick McElligott, Ione, and Ernest H. Collins, Nome, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.H. Collins, Greencastle, Indiana, were married April 21 in a nuptial mass at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Heppner.

Officiating was Father Jim Poole of Nome. Maid of honor was Heidi Haddock, Cutbank, Mont., a former classmate of the bride at Carroll College and the bridesmaid, Catherine McElligott, sister of the bride. Best man was Chris Knox, Burkett, Tex., a former classmate of the groom. Ushers were Charlie and Danny McElligott, brothers of the bride.

Serving as vocalists were Terry McElligott, the bride's cousin and Steve Girolami, Helena, Mont., a former classmate of the bride. The organist was Rikka Tews.

A reception was held at the Parish Hall, featuring a wedding cake appropriately entitled "Snow Princess", made for the bride by her aunt,

Maryan McElligott. In honor of the newlyweds, a lamb barbecue was held later in the afternoon at the home of the bride's parents with Henry Krebs officiating as chef.

Following the reception, the bride and groom traveled to Hawaii for their honeymoon.

They are residing in Nome, Alaska. The groom is employed with the Social Service Division of the State of Alaska and the bride is employed with Muntz Airlines.

Women to meet June 4

The June meeting of the Heppner Christian Womens Club will be held Monday, June 4 at 6:45 p.m. at the West of Willow Restaurant in Heppner for a salad bar preceding the meeting.

The theme for the June meeting is "A Girl's Best Friend". The special feature will be a talk on diamonds by local jeweler Randall Peterson and the speaker for the meeting will be Judy Nielson of Nyssa, Oregon. Music will be provided by Norita Marquardt.

For reservations call Lynnea Sargent, 676-9621 or Cindy Green, 676-5097.

Ione reunion slated June 30

Ione High School classes which were graduated during the 40's will gather for a reunion of all classes on June 30 at the Ione American 1940's Legion Hall.

Dining and dancing are planned with fellowship. A steering committee has been established headed by Aloha DeSpain. Class chairmen are: 1940, Ted Palmateer; 1941, Eilene Padberg; 1942, Charley Doherty; 1943, Earnest McCabe; 1944, Melba Miller; 1945, Bob Rietmann; 1946, Joyce Snider; 1947, Lorraine Ball; 1948, Louis Carlson and in 1949, Art Warren.

Those knowing the names and addresses of out of town graduates are requested to contact the class chairmen. All graduates of the 1940's are urged to attend.

Book shower staged by Ione Topic Club

Mrs. Jack Barak of Hermiston entertained members and guests of the Ione Topic Club at a luncheon at her home Wednesday.

Following the regular business meeting of the club, a book shower was held for the library. Guests for the day included Shirley Palmer, Margaret Troedson and Reidun Martinsen. New officers elected for the coming year are: Margaret Morgan, president; Loree Hubbard, vice-presi-

dent; Katherine Lindstrom, secretary and Helen Proudfoot, librarian.

The afternoon program was given by Reidun Martinsen, an I.F.Y.E. 4-H exchange student from Norway. She showed colored slides of the mountains, waterfalls, countrysides, schools and churches and gave a brief description of each one. She said the children enter school at the age of seven years and are required to attend until they complete the ninth grade or are 16 years of age.

Reidun, who lives with her parents and three brothers in Furnes, located in the eastern part of Norway, has completed nine years of 4-H and has served as a junior leader. Her 4-H projects were in cooking, knitting, pottery and batik. She is interested in drama and has much experience in this field. She modeled a striking blue embroidered costume made by her mother for the program. Reidun has attended college for three years and hopes to return to prepare for a career in teaching.

To confer degrees

Five students from Morrow County will receive degrees in the 110th commencement June 3 of Oregon State University.

They include Gary D. Hunt, Lexington bachelor of science in science, Gregg D. Wilson, Ione, bachelor of science in engineering, Kay E. Bergstrom, Ione, bachelor of science, home economics, Bruce L. Russell, Boardman, bachelor of science, agriculture and Donald E. Russell, bachelor of science, business.

Between 3,300 and 3,400 degrees will be conferred this year by President Robert MacVicar. The final total will not be determined until spring term grades are processed May 31 for those who have applied for graduation.

Marriage announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Anderson have announced the marriage of their daughter, Dee Martin of Portland, to Jim Erdmann of Beaverton, Oregon on May 18 in Reno, Nevada.

The couple is residing at 1420 S.W. Bertha Ave., Portland.

Patching elected president

John Patching, a senior, has been elected student body president for the coming year at Weston-McEwen High School.

He attended Heppner High during his freshman and sophomore years and moved with his parents, Charles and Lesley Patching and his younger brother, Will, to Weston a year ago.

New face in town

A new face is in town. Reidun Martinsen, IFYE delegate from Norway, is staying with the Roger Palmer family. She arrived May 18 and will leave June 11 with the 4-H Summer Week delegates.

She has slides of Norway which she is showing to interested groups. If your group would like to see Reidun's slides, contact the Palmers. The Palmers also had an International 4-H Youth Exchange member last year.



Laurie Jacoby

Recipient of the annual award given in memory of the late Esther Kermis, Morrow County Extension home economist, is Laurie Jacoby, Lookingglass. The award is sponsored by the Oregon Extension Homemakers Council represented by Evelyn Treadway, left, council president from Sheridan. The Douglas High graduate, now a junior at OSU, is interested in a career with the Extension Service.

Veterans install year's officers

On May 9, a joint installation was held for VFW Post and Auxiliary 4184 at the American Legion Hall.

Installed as Post Officers were Jim Launer, commander, Herbert E. Cole, senior vice, Thomas Troxell, junior vice, Raymond Batty, quartermaster and adjutant, Cliff Aldrich, service officer and Millard Holt, chaplain. Auxiliary officers are Beverly Launer, president, Alice Smith, senior vice, Jean Ball,

junior vice, Gladys Van Winkle, treasurer, Ina Books, chaplain, Alberta Johannes, conductress, Wilma Mabe, guard, Florence Hall, three year trustee, Millie Breeding, two year trustee, Freda Majeske, Leona Winter, secretary, Martha King, patriotic instructor, Zelma McDaniel, historian, Betty Aldrich, first color bearer, Zelma McDaniel, third color bearer, Florence Holt, musician. They were installed by District 8 officers.

Summer story hour at library begins June 21

A summer story hour sponsored by AAUW will begin Thursday, June 21.

The story hour will be held at the city library each Thursday morning at 10:30 a.m. for six weeks.

AAUW members are responsible for the half-hour program. Volunteers this summer are Marion Abrams and daughter Alice, Carol Helphinstine, Susan Schubothe, Laura Broderick, Joy Krein and Cloe Pearson. Children from pre-school age through ten years are welcome to participate.

The springtime story hour in session will meet for the last time Thursday, May 31 with Vicki Tollefson in charge. This Thursday, ar-

rangements have been made for Chief Officer Dean Gillman of the city police to visit with the children.

Featured

Charlene Whitney, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones, Lexington, is featured in the latest issue of the Rainer World as project manager of Pacific Northwest Bell Telephone Office, Rainier.

To test newly-installed equipment, the temperature was raised at PNB's facilities to 118 degrees as a stress experiment by Western Electric, the system's manufacture and supply organization.

Cradle Shower for birth

Mrs. Kenneth Jones entertained on Saturday with a luncheon and cradle shower for Mrs. Jim Bowen of Hermiston. Following the luncheon the honoree opened her gifts assisted by her sister Valda Smith. Cake and coffee were served later in the afternoon. The cake was designed in shades of blue and pink with baby dolls in cradles and rattles across the top.

Games were played with Susan Johnson and Valda Smith winning prizes. Guests for the afternoon were the honoree and a sister, Mrs. Stuart Smith and daughter Melissa, Linda and Delpha Jo, all of Hermiston, Jo Irvin of Irrigon, Judy Groshens of

Heppner, Florence McMillan, Delpha Jones and the hostess Linda Smith, of Lexington.

Correction Glen Ward

The Gazette-Times inadvertently reported under a picture of Glen Ward's acceptance of the Key to the city of Heppner that his wife's name was Dorothy. Her name is Joyce.

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