

# AROUND ABOUT

With Justine Weatherford

In spite of lengthening days and changing seasons many weeks seem much alike; however, for me, last week was very different. Not only did I spend 2½ days in Portland, where I enjoyed a great musical treat, saw two top films, and had pleasing visits with family and friends not often seen, but after returning to Heppner I enjoyed some more fine visiting as well hearing a good book review and more musical treats. To top off the week, we had a sparkling, clean snowfall.

Ola Mae Groshens and I had a fine drive down the Columbia River on Sunday morning, Jan. 20, noting great ice cascades along the north-facing cliffs below Hood River and the huge piles of dirty, collected snow remaining at Cascade Locks. We both remarked at the dearth of traffic on 80-N. We were surprised to see so many U-Haul, move-yourself trucks.

We two were delighted to spend "Super Bowl Sunday" afternoon in the Portland Auditorium along with thousands of others attending the super bowl of music by the Oregon Symphony Orchestra. Norman Leyden conducted so ably, and Marie Rogndahl Peake, my lovely, talented sister-in-law, was the guest soloist. The program featured a delightful variety, including three Edward Grieg compositions, one of which the "Norwegian nightingale" sang in her superb coloratura soprano. She also sang two Johann Strauss, Jr. numbers and the beautiful Franz Lehár "Ich Bin Verliebt."

After the concert we made our way to the Baghdad Theater to view "Kramer vs Kramer", a new film which will be considered for many awards. I was particularly pleased with the performance of young Justin Henry, the little boy who is central to the plot. Ola Mae, who habitually watches many hours of television and rarely gets to a movie theater, was delighted that there were no commercial interruptions.

On Monday, after delivering Ola Mae to the airport for her flight to San Diego where she is visiting with her Navy son, Grant Carter, and family, I took care of some business affairs. At noon I lunched in the Terwilliger Plaza with some dear retired friends. I tried to visit with Hortense Martin, but didn't find her at home. My friends, one of whom was my teacher at U.S. Grant High School fifty years ago, told me that Hortense is so busy, is active on so many committees, is helpful to many Plaza residents.

My afternoon was spent at the University of Oregon Health Sciences Center, where I am periodically a patient in the otolaryngology department and, on this trip in oncology. As I drove to and from the teaching hospital, across the city from my brother's home, I was astonished at the mass of broken trees which city workers were still clearing away after the recent silver thaw.

Because I have always enjoyed good cinema, I took myself to see "Going in Style" that evening. My comparison of this film with the one I viewed the previous night might not be in agreement with professional reviewers; however, I really enjoyed the second movie more than I had the first.

Both are set mainly in New York City; both deal with sociological problems. "Kramer vs Kramer" pictures the agony of divorce and a child custody struggle, while "Going in Style" shows the boredom of retirement and the frugal life of elderly men dependent on meager social security incomes. Both leads, Dustin Hoffman and George Burns, are excellent, but I was more delighted by Lee Strassburg and Art Carney, who carried their parts so superbly that I would vote for them in the strong supporting roles as most worthy of academy honors.

Do you know that senior citizens now pay only \$1.50 admission to any first-class cinema in Portland? When I decided to splurge on some popcorn, I found that the smallest available paper cupful costs 85 cents.

On Tuesday, after a morning checkup in oncology, I gathered some boxes of freight and began my drive home alone against strong gorge winds, arriving back in Heppner just in time to enjoy a Senior Citizen dinner.

That evening the Bookworms gathered at the Cornett Green home. It was so pleasing to have Sadie Parrish and Rachel Dick attend for the first time in years and to have Pauline Hughes return after months of absence. Lorena Jones presented a good review of Howard Fast's "The Establishment", the third-in-a-series novel set in San Francisco.

Wednesday morning I got back to my usual chores, then at noon I attended the ecumenical service for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity at Heppner's Christian Church. Almost all of the south-county ministers participated in the program arranged by the Rev. Cathy Barker, Ione, who along with the host pastor, the Rev. Edwin W. Sikes spoke words of welcome. Organ music by Dorene Reed and special music, a vocal and guitar duet by Miss Barker and the Rev. Sheridan greatly enhanced the well-arranged and skillfully presented cooperative service.

On Thursday my pace slowed. There was a good Bible study in the morning and a helpful visit in the home of Faye Pierce, R.N., that afternoon.

Friday, I was glad to have a quiet day by my own fireside to take care of some needed letter writing. Saturday, my week ended with attendance at the concert by the young troubador, Jerry Gobel, in St. Patrick's Parish Hall. A remarkable singer-guitarist, Gobel composes his own music and writes the lyrics he delivers so sincerely. He recounts inspirational experiences he has had in his six years of performing in many places before audiences numbering up to about seven thousand and down to just a few. His program was well received by the cordial folks of the parish and their visiting guests.

Now I've begun a usual week with my usual attendance at an uplifting church service, where the music-makers Carley Drake, Judy Paine, Shirley Connor, Karen Howe and Arnie Hedman and the choir members at the United Methodist Church were especially honored during the morning service and the after-worship coffee hour.

After a noon meal with congenial friends I had a brief, interesting chat with three lively, tall, young sheepshearers from New Zealand I chanced to meet in the Heppner Laundromat.

This week will include attending the Heppner High School mystery play, "The Night Is My Enemy", some visiting with returning traveler Inez Erwin, probably several good meals with other senior citizens, and already plotted and perhaps some unplotted activities.

And so—in spite of the rumblings of financial, social and political calamities about the globe—life seems pretty good for me in Heppner in Oregon.

## Chill-chasing foods will help you winterize for cold weather

Down jackets, fur-lined boots and warm, bulky sweaters will keep you toasty warm this season.

Add to your "winterizing" the heartiest of meals, a "Winter Medley Stew," accented with Leroux Apple Flavored Brandy. A bracing beverage is "Hot Rum 'n Cider" with Ronrico Gold Rum.

### WINTER MEDLEY STEW

- 2 pounds ground beef, or half beef, half turkey
- 2 slices bread, crumbed
- 2 eggs, beaten
- ¼ cup milk
- ½ cup Leroux Apple Flavored Brandy
- ¼ cup minced onion
- 2 teaspoons salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 4 tablespoons flour
- 3 cups beef broth
- 2 tablespoons tomato paste
- ¼ teaspoon ground cloves
- 12 small white onions, peeled
- 1 small butternut squash, peeled, seeded, diced
- 4 medium carrots, scraped, cut into chunks
- 3 medium potatoes, peeled, quartered
- ¼ pound green beans, cut

In a large bowl, combine meat, crumbs, eggs, milk, ¼ cup of Leroux Apple Flavored Brandy, onion, salt and pepper. Mix gently but thoroughly. Form the mixture into two-inch balls and brown on all sides in the oil in a large skillet over high heat.



THIS RICH WINTER STEW features a hint of apple with Leroux Apple Flavored Brandy. A natural for cold-weather dining is Ronrico Gold Rum's hot cider.

Transfer the meatballs to a larger casserole.

Add the flour to the skillet and stir. Add the broth, remaining Leroux Apple Flavored Brandy, tomato paste and cloves.

Lower the heat and stir until thickened.

Add the onions, squash, carrots and potatoes and return to a boil.

Add the mixture to the meatballs in the casserole.

Cover, and bake in a 350° F. oven about 50-60 minutes, or until vegetables are nearly tender.

Add green beans and bake another 10-15 minutes, or until

beans are cooked. Makes 8 servings.

### HOT RUM 'N CIDER

- 1½ ounces Ronrico Gold Rum
- 1 cinnamon stick
- 1 strip of orange peel, studded with cloves
- 5 ounces hot apple juice or cider

Pour the Ronrico Rum into a heat-proof mug, and add the cinnamon stick and orange peel.

Pour the hot cider over the cinnamon stick and orange peel and stir.

Makes 1 drink.

## Lexington church scene of Davis-Papineau rites

The Lexington Christian Church was the scene on Friday evening of a lovely informal wedding when Lisa Davis and Keith Papineau exchanged wedding vows.

The wedding was solemnized by the Rev. Bob Nash of the Lexington Church.

Attending the bride were her step-sisters, Arletta Ardich, Arlynda Gates and attending the groom were Louie Eng and Jay Papineau.

The flower girl was Dawn Davis, daughter of the bride, who walked with the ring bearer, Shawn Eng.

The bride wore a pink long gown with matching accessories in lavender, and wore a matching hat, the groom was attired in informal western apparel.

Ellie Mae Green sang and played a wedding song that she had composed herself for the occasion.

Following the ceremony the reception was held in the IOOF hall.

The cake was a three-tiered creation decorated in western motif of outdoor scenes and horses. Serving were Charlene Papineau, aunt of the groom and Lorene Papineau.

## Oil painting class slated

A Robert Walton knife oil painting class is being offered Feb. 12 to Feb. 16 at the Morrow County dorm building at the fairgrounds in Heppner.

People who are interested should have some experience in oil or tote painting, organizer Pauline Matheny said.

The cost is \$50 for the five-day teaching session.

Classes will be given twice a day. Participants can either sign up for the 8 a.m. to noon class or the 6 p.m. to 10 evening class.

Interested persons may contact Pauline Matheny at 676-9223 or Terry Cutsforth at 989-8436.

## Lone woman on honor roll at Carroll

Three hundred and twenty six students at Carroll College in Helena, Mont., have been named to the college's fall semester honor roll, according to the Rev. Clayton S. Meyer, academic vice president. The honor roll includes Theresa McEligott of Ione.

To be named to the honor roll, a student must achieve a semester grade point average of 3.5 for 12 or more semester credit hours of study.

## Heppner woman now a citizen

Mrs. Herman (Joyce) Winter of Heppner became an American citizen Jan. 24 in a ceremony at the United States Federal Courthouse building in Portland.

Judge Belloni presided at the ceremony.

Bob and Dorothy Hawkins of Morrow County were her sponsors at the ceremony. She had been a Canadian citizen.

## Degree of Honor Lodge installs new officers; state director attends

New officers were installed at the Heppner Degree of Honor Lodge on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, by the order's state director, Bea Clausen of Bend, with the assistance of Heppner members Ida Farra, past-president; Martha King, vice-president; and Marie Steagall, second vice-president.

Bernice Nash and Delsie Reid served as installing ushers and Donna Fortenberry as the flag bearer. Mary Bryant presided at the ceremony as the outgoing president.

The new officers are: President, Eleanor Gonty; vice-president, Shirley Connor; second vice-president, Marie Steagall; secretary-treasurer, Alice Soward; recording secretary, Marjorie Worden; usher, Bernice Nash; assistant usher, Donna Fortenberry; inner watch, Freida Majske; outer watch, Esther

Bergstrom; pianist, Irene Anhorn; ritual counselor, Martha King; color bearer, Susie Cooper; right assistant to the vice-president, Ida Lynn; left assistant to the vice-president, Catie Padberg; trustees, Bernice Nash, Mary Bryant, Ida Farra; escort staff, Ida Farra, Mildred Connor, Mildred Padberg, Delsie Reid; auditing committee, Martha King, Ida Farra, Shirley Connor; drill captain, Irene Anhorn.

The newly installed president, Eleanor Gonty, presen-

ted the immediate past-president, Mary Bryant, with a gift of appreciation from the membership. Mrs. Gonty gave the members their new year-books and also announced that the Carnation Club will be holding a food sale on Friday, Feb. 8, with details about the hours and the location to be announced later.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the installation and business meeting.

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## Tickets for 'Camelot' still on sale

There is still reserve seating available for Blue Mountain Community College's production of the musical "Camelot."

"Saturday evening performances are filling faster, but more than likely there will be a few tickets at the door for each performance," according to Dave Miller, music instructor and director of the musical.

The musical will be presented Feb. 1 and 2. Performances begin at 8 p.m.

Reserved seat tickets are \$2.50. Interested persons may call the music department at Blue Mountain Community College to inquire about reservations.

Senior citizens over the age of 65 who have BMCC Golden Age cards are entitled to attend the performance of their choice for free. They should make reservations to be assured of a seat.

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