

## Joyce Howard Is Wed In Portland

In a beautiful candlelight ceremony Friday evening, November 11 at Temple Baptist Church in Portland, Miss Marilyn Joyce Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Howard of Vernonia and Daniel R. Christensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christensen of Hillsboro, were united in marriage. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Reverend Dr. Linus Johnson.

The bride given in marriage by her brother Bill Howard, wore a brown suit with brown and bronze accessories and carried her white Rainbow Bible with a white

and brown orchid. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Barbara Howard, who wore a brown suit with rose beige accessories and carried a nosegay of yellow and pink baby roses. Henry Christensen was best man for his brother. The wedding march was played by Miss Frances Kasper and candlelighters were Larry and Henry Phipps, friends of the bride.

A reception followed in the social room of the church. The beautiful wedding cake was cut and served by Miss Carolyn Christofferson. Miss Beverly Kolberg served punch while Miss Frances Kasper poured coffee.

Mrs. Christensen is a graduate of Vernonia high school, where she was active in school affairs. The couple left for a honeymoon at the Oregon beaches, after which they will live in Eugene where the groom is employed.

## Thanksgiving Observed By Pinochle Club

Individual pumpkin pies served at tables decorated with Thanksgiving motifs were enjoyed by members of the Friendly Pinochle club last Friday at the home of Mrs. Art Davis.

For the afternoon of play which followed the dessert luncheon, Mrs. C. L. Johnson played for Mrs. Claude Gibson Sr. and Mrs. Lyman Hawken Jr. played for Mrs. Joe Vanderzanden.

Prize for high score went to Mrs. R. L. Thompson and for second high to Mrs. Hawken, each of whom were delighted to receive the beautiful potholders made by the hostess.

The next meeting will be December 2 at the home of Mrs. Wm. D. Shafer.

## New President Elected By V.F.W. Auxiliary

A regular meeting of the VFW auxiliary was held Tuesday evening. Order of business was accepting the resignation of Maeva Brimmer as president. Nora Redmond was elected and accepted to fill the office for the remainder of the year and was installed by Myrtle Cox, past district No. 2 president.

Next meeting, December 13th, will include election of chaplain and the Christmas party for members of the auxiliary. A progressive dinner will offer an evening of entertainment next week for the auxiliary members and their friends.

## "Crowd" Attends Meet Of F. L. Girls Club

Because of inclement weather, only three members attended the meeting of the F.L. Girls held last Thursday evening at the home of Rene Brady, but they report a most enjoyable evening.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Place for the Christmas party will be announced later.

## Eastern Star Initiates Four

Four new members were received into Nehalem Chapter No. 153, Order of Eastern Star, Wednesday night, November 16. They were Mrs. Claud Shaw, Mrs. Bill Olinger and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Paris.

Thanksgiving fruits, vegetables, etc., for the Masonic and Eastern Star home should be taken to the post office this week. The members are reminded that Christmas gifts for the guests of the home should be brought to the temple, either next meeting night or on the Social club Christmas party night, December 14, so that they may be taken to Forest Grove early enough to be wrapped.

There will be election of officers and birthday party for those having birthdays in the last quarter of the year, at the next regular meeting, December 7.

## Former Resident Married Friday

Kenilworth Presbyterian church in Portland was the scene Friday of the wedding of Miss Winifred Barbara Romtvedt, former Vernonia resident, to Paul Nelson Holmes, son of Dr. and Mrs. John T. Holmes of Escandido, California. Rev. Colin G. MacRae officiated.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Romtvedt of Portland, was given in marriage by her father. She wore the white tulle and satin dress and finger-tip veil with pearl and sequin tiara formerly worn by her sister, Mrs. Jack Vincent, and carried a white Bible with an orchid.

Miss Mary Helen Romtvedt, maid of honor for her sister, wore a crimson rose velvet tulle frock and carried a crescent of white spider chrysanthemums.

Clark Jones was best man, and ushers were William Barsler, Joseph Steiner and Donald K. Moon, all of Longview, Washington.

A reception in the fireplace room of the church followed the ceremony. The newlyweds will be at home in Portland.

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## Portland Motor Show Draws Local Folks

BIRKENFELD — Norman Mills attended the auto show in Portland. Denny Jepson and Louie Mills were in Portland over the week end.

Mrs. Mary Williams and Lee Williams of Madras were visiting their sister, Mrs. Elsa Richardson and niece, Mrs. A. G. Belingham this week.

Mrs. Lois Lousignont from Merrill, Oregon is visiting friends

in the valley and has been staying with her son Donald in Clatskanie.

Donald Jepson has bought a new 1956 Ford.

Harold Ashley met his mother, Mrs. Inger Ashley and Bertie Lou from Beaver and they all went to Longview for Thanksgiving.

Delmer Jepson has been in Portland on business for several days.

## Stork Shower Is Given Wednesday

Mrs. Geneva Killingberg and Mrs. Edith Hall were hostesses for a stork shower held at the Killingberg home last Wednesday evening for Mrs. Lotus McMullen.

After an evening of games and visiting, the many lovely gifts were opened and displayed. Delicious refreshments were served to the guests who were Mrs. Fred Grosche, Mrs. Leona Haverland, Mrs. Irene Minger, Mrs. Gertrude Schalock, Mrs. Lucille Hickman, Mrs. Mercedes Proehl, Mrs. Juanita Steele and Mrs. John Vike.

Those sending gifts who were unable to attend were Mrs. Florence Akers, Mrs. Vera Willard, Mrs. Mabel Graves, Mrs. June Wilson, Mrs. Glenn Rainwater, Mrs. Edith Crowston, Mrs. Henry Meiwes, Mrs. Maeva Brimmer, Mrs. Myrtle Oakes and Mrs. Lona Weidman.

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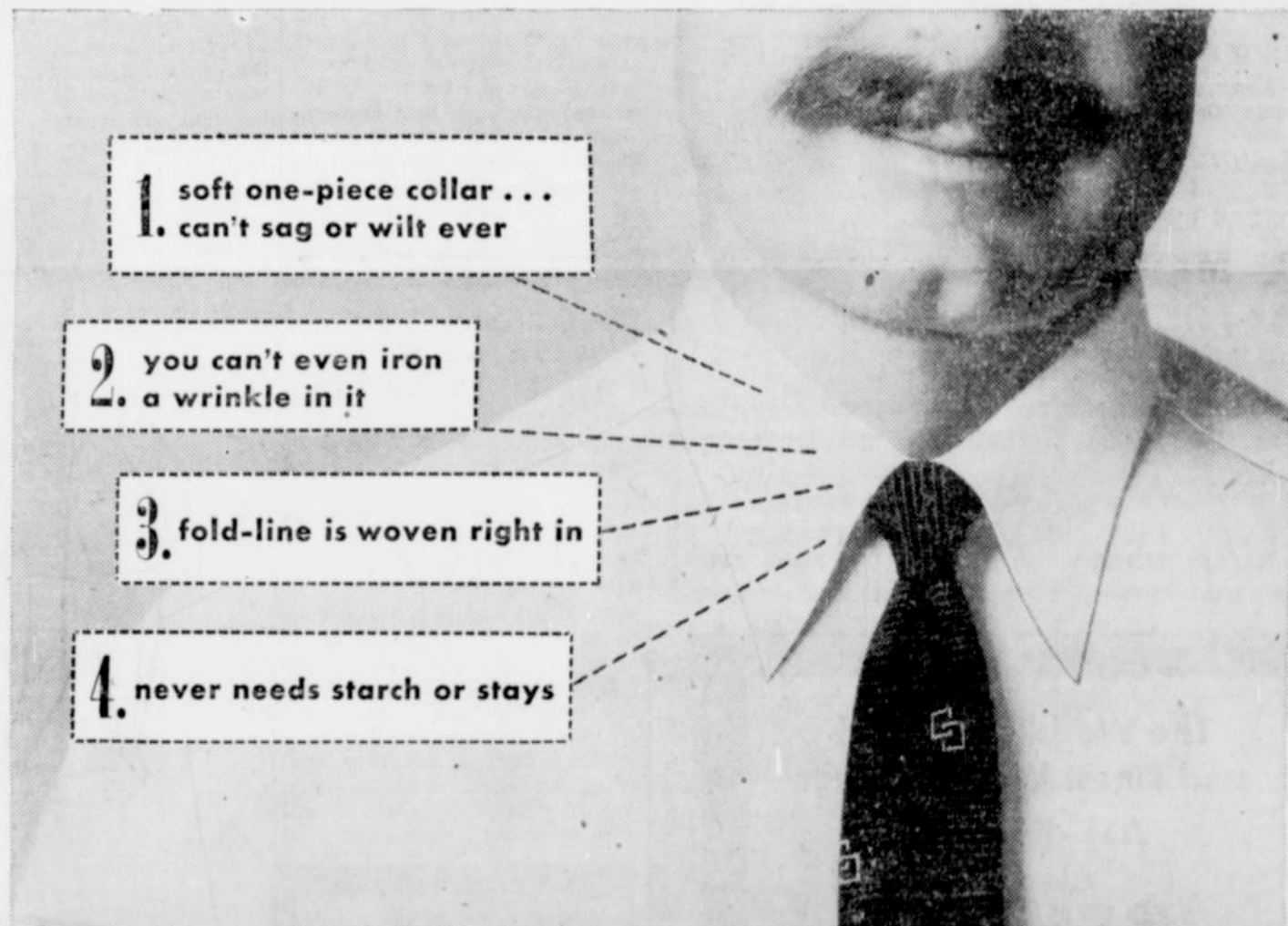
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