

MR. AND MRS. L. JONES

# **Fall Colors Decorate Church** For Jones-Ritz Wedding Rites

Fall flowers in shades of gold, yel- sister, Deanna Ritz, who wore a low and bronze, accented by baskets of pink gladioli and white stock and white tapers in the candelabra set the scene for the pretty fall wedding September 25 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Christian church here in which vows were exchanged by Miss Dianna Ritz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Ritz, and Louis Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones of Birkenfeld.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white lace and nylon gown made with short bouffant skirt, and long sleeved bodice with scoop neckline. Her blush veil fell from a white velvet crown and she carried a white Bible on which rested her shower bouquet of yellow and white rosebuds and yellow carnations.

Her maid of honor was her twin

#### Sewing Sisters 4-H Club Is Organized

The Sewing Sisters 4-H sewing club, Phase II, met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Robert Borders, at 1:30 p.m. October 3. The club has nine members but only five were present.

The following officers were elected: President, Sharlene Gibson; vicepresident, Coleen Webb; secretary, Belinda Brewer; reporter, Sharon Brewer, recreation leader, Mary Ann Steele

Each member took a turn threading the sewing machine and all agreed to have a button contest to

gold colored brocade dress and carried a bouquet of fall flowers. Beat man was Robert Mathews,

uncle of the groom. The impressive double ring ceremcny was performed by Reverend Robert Sargent, pastor of the church.

Mrs. L. H. Thomas was organist and Mrs. Larry Jones sang "Because." Ushers were Dennis Raines, cousin of the bride from Portland, and

Larry Jones, cousin of the groom. Following the ceremony, the reception was held in the church parlor which was decorated with the same color scheme with dahlias predominating in the bouquets. The three-tiered cake, decorated in white and yellow with wedding bell ornament on top was cut and served by Mrs. Ralph DeVaney of Snohomish, Washington and Mrs. James Toedemier of Hillsboro, both aunts of the bride. Mrs. Thomas Holce served punch and Mrs. Harris, cof-

Miss Carolyn Krieger had charge of the guest book and Miss Tish Biddle and Miss Marilyn Jones, sister of the groom, cared for the gifts. After a brief honeymoon trip to Eastern Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Jones are now at home in Vernonia.

### 4-H Sign-up To Be October 21

To observe National 4-H Week, Wright who is leader of the Maple Meadows livestock club, asked Mr. Proehl to have an assembly at the school. Mr. Robert Stevely, the county extension agent in 4-H work was the MC. He told about the different projects that are available to the children. Zenda Ellis talked about cooking and the demonstration she did for the county fair that she also took to the state fair. Tim Johns told about the livestock tour and of going to the pea cannery in Weston and the experiments they are doing with feeding beef cattle also the alkali bee that it used for pollinizing the alfalfa. Nancy Skidmore's talk was on 4-H summer school and the scholarships that can be won by a good 4-Her and hard work.

### Willards Mark **Fiftieth Year**

Many friends and relatives gath-ered Sunday afternoon at the IOOF hall to honor Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Willard on their golden wedding anniversary. The reception was ar-ranged by their daugnter, Joy, and husband, Major and Mrs. Richard A. Bonney of Norfolk, Virginia. A gold and white color scheme

was carried out in the decoration of the half and the beautiful four-tiered cake which was served to guests by two of Mrs. Willard's sisters, Mrs. Harvey Heath of Spokane and Mrs. Gladys Goetz of Portland, was iced in white and trimmed with gold roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard were married at Lewiston, Idaho October 7, 1914. They farmed in Idaho for eight years and during that time, they also took up a homestead at Brothers, Oregon.

In 1922 they came to Vernonia and Mr. Willard was employed at the Oregon American mill until it closed. He has been retired since that time. For the reception, four of Mrs. Willard's sisters and three brothers were here. In addition to the two sisters who served the cake, Mrs. Fred Young of Seattle and Mrs. Stuart Martin of Costa Mesa, California poured. Brothers here were Odus Laramore of Portland, Lewis Laramore of Elmira and John Laramore of Winston. Others who assisted at the recep-

tion were Mrs. Carl Davis and Mrs. Donald Bentley of Portland who had charge of the guest book; Miss Sandra Heath of Spokane and Miss Susan Bentley of Portland who cared for the gifts; Mrs. Evelyn Heath and Mrs. Frank Lange who poured. Additional out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Peter Anderson and Fred Young of Seattle; Donald Bentley, Mrs. Odus Laramore and Mrs. Ora George, Portland; Stuart Martin of Costa Mesa, California; Mrs. Lewis Laramore of Elmira; Mr. and Mrs. John Kauffman and sons Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Light; Mr. and Mrs. Middleton Crawford and Mrs. Robert Yandell, Beaverton; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schroeder, Oakridge; Mrs. Orvel Edwards. Banks; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Cantwell and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gwinn, Cannon Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kasper, Sunset Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ludwig, Forest Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ladd and Suzy, North Bend.

Following the reception, the rela-tives gathered at the Willard home for a buffet supper.

#### **Future Teachers Date Joint Installation**

The Future Teachers of America club held its first meeting Wednesday, September 30. Several money making projects were planned between now and homecoming.

The installation of officers will be held October 20 with a spaghetti dinner with the FTA groups from St. Helens and Clatskanie.



SOME of the distinguished guests at the reception September 26 in honor of Mrs. Lillian Davis, were, from left, Claude Sanders, worthy grand patron; Iola Warnick, associate grand matron of Washington; Ralph Bergerson and Mrs. Bergerson, worthy patron and

**Reception For Grand Chapter Officer Draws Large Crowd** 

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergerson presided at a reception honoring Mrs. Lillian Davis, associate grand matron of the Grand Chapter of Oregon, Order of Eastern Star, Saturday evening, September 26, at the Vernonia high school.

Among the people here from out of town were: David O. Bennett of St. Helens, a committee member of the general grand chapter and a past grand patron of Oregon; Mrs. M. Lamar, Silverton, worthy grand matron; Claude Sanders, Reedsport, worthy grand patron; Paul Sorensen, Pendleton, associate grand patron; Mary E. Miller, Portland, grand secretary; Belle Bateman, Portland, grand treasurer; Margery Jones, Bend, grand conductress; Laurie Woodard, Portland, grand associate conductress; Ruth Atkinson, Milton-Freewater, grand chaplain; Ellen Sanders, Reedsport, grand marshal; Isabelle Sullivan, Portland, grand organist; Martha Powell, Klamath Falls, grand Adah; Telma Nelson, Portland, grand Ruth; Leah Vantzelfden, Portland, grand Esther; Winifred Nelson, Coos Bay, grand Martha; Mae C. Finlay, Silverton, grand Electa; Helen Tate, Stayton, grand warder; Harold Gribble, Portland, grand sentinel; Laurose Hibbard, grand lecturer and past grand matron; Iola Warnick, associate grand matron for Washington; Mabel Roach, grand conductress for Washington, and Audrey Stewart, district deputy for Washington.

matron of Nehalem Chapter; Merle Lamar, grand matron of Oregon; Mrs. Davis; Paul Sorenson, associate grand patron and Mable Roach, grand conductress for Washington.

bow. They performed a black light drill which was very impressive.

The Willamette Valley association performed an addendum, honoring Mrs. Davis after which Ralph Bergerson presented Paul Sorensen of Pendleton, associate grand patron, an honorary membership in Nehalem Chapter.

Refreshments were served after the degrees with Mesdames Harry Sandon, F. E. West, Guy I Thomas, Walter Linn, Albert Brunsman and DeeVeere Hershey pouring coffee and punch for some 700 guests.

#### **European Tours Provide Club Program Material**

A very interesting evening was provided members of the Vernonia Study club Thursday of last week when Mrs. Justin Folken showed movies taken during the nine months spent in Europe last year. She gave an interesting commentary with the pictures and also showed folders, booklets and postal pictures of many places visited.

Mrs. Mathilde Bergerson was hostess for the meeting.

November 5, the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Marvin Kamholz and will view slides taken by Mrs. Ralph Reynolds while she and her husband were touring Europe this summer.

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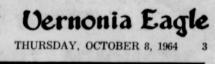
## **Pythians Plan Rummage Sale**

Vernonia Temple Pythian Sisters will meet Wednesday evening of next week, October 14, and hear informal reports by Grand Representative Irma Chance and Supreme Representative Lesta Garner on the Grand Temple sessions which they will attend in Roseburg Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Chance will give her complete report at a later meeting.

At the last meeting September 23, plans were made for the annual rummage sale November 5, 6 and 7. Mrs. Frank Lange 1s chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

The charter was draped in loving memory of Past Grand Chief Sadie Graham who passed away at the Oregon-Washington Pythian Home in Vancouver.

Following the meeting, a silent auction was held which created much fun and realized a good sum for the temple treasury. Refreshments honoring those whose birthdays were in July, August and September were served by Mrs. Dane Brady, Mrs. Harry Culbertson and Mrs. Irma Chance



see who could help their mothers by sewing on the buttons this year.

'Also discussed was manners at meetings and TV slippers for a new project.

The club will meet the first Saturday of every month.

Refreshments were ice cream sundaes

Reporter, Sharon Brewer

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It was all very interesting. Another meeting will be held Octo-

ber 21, 8:00 p.m. at the Washington school in the band room. This is the date of the achievement meeting and it is hoped many will attend and sign up for 4-H clubs.

> Lina Wright, secretary Maple Meadows Club

### **Honor Society Elects New Slate of Officers**

At the first meeting of the school year for the Vernonia high school chapter of the National Honor Society, Jim Bellingham was named as president.

Other officers elected were as follows: Vice-president, Vicki Pollock: secretary, Sharon Brunsman; treasurer, Christine King; concessions representative, Linda Jensen. Possible projects for the group to

carry out this year were discussed.

Problem on States, Containing



September 29, some of the members attended a workshop in Beaver-Dessert was served and memton. bers brought home many ideas for the local club. Those attending were Kathy Minger, Jeanie Roediger. Chris Bender, Peggy and Ann Sargent, Marilyn King, and Geri Clason.

#### **Ridge Riders Discuss** Park Improvement Work

The Vernonia Ridge Riders met at the fire hall September 29. Clair Devine was welcomed as a new member.

Projects to improve Anderson park were discussed and action will be taken later in the year.

Coffee was served and a movie, "Back Packing in the Yukon" was enjoyed.

Any interested persons are welcome to attend the meetings. The next regular meeting will be October 27 at 8:00 p.m. at the fire hall.

of past grand matrons and patrons, a group of grand committee memberts, grand representatives and many other friends. The stage and tables were beauti-

Also present was a large group

fully decorated with baskets of dahlias, donated by Mrs. Waunita Yeager

A drill was presented by a group of associate matrons and patrons of Portland and vicinity, who call themselves "Hi-Lillies," during which they officially welcomed Wilbur Davis into their group.

Mrs. Davis was presented an honorary membership in Wabanang Chapter in Clatskanie by the worthy matron, Mrs. Irené Hannula, and a group of her officers.

A number of officers of Nehalem Chapter and Nehalem Assembly, Rainbow Girls, assisted by the De-Molay of Clatskanie, depicted the histories of the Masonic Lodge, Nehalem Chapter and Order of Rain-

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