

# STOUTENY

**BETROTHAL ANNOUNCED**  
The coming wedding of Wanda Lee Atkeson daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Atkeson to Jake Groot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Groot, was announced by Mrs. Atkeson this week and also informally at the parties held on Saturday and Sunday at the Gerrit Groot home in Alberta Valley.

No date has been set for the wedding but it will probably take place in the early fall.

**FRIDAY AFTERNOON PARTY**

On Friday afternoon Mrs. R. G. Larsen and Mrs. George J. Mitchell entertained with a dessert bridge party at the home of Mrs. Mitchell. Guests were invited to make five tables of contract, at which prizes were won by Mrs. J. J. Sarazin, Mrs. Herbert H. Fisher and Mrs. Carlos Buchner.

**SUNDAY PICNIC DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. John Liebhard entertained Sunday at a picnic dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoneman and family of Star, Ida. Thirty-five guests were present. The Stonemans are former residents of the Boulevard.

**H. E. C. OF OREGON TRAIL**

A large number of members of the Oregon Trail H. E. C. were entertained by Mrs. Boersma at her home on Friday. Following a routine business meeting a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed.

**MRS. GERRIT GROOT CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

In celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Groot a series of parties were given by Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Groot at their home in Alberta Valley on Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon.

Those attending the Saturday party were Grandma Stam and Klaas Stam Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stam, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stam, of Oregon Trail, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Davidson of Parma, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Groot and son of Arcadia, Fred Koopman, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Stam and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groot.

On Sunday those enjoying the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Groot were Mr. and Mrs. John Koopman of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Findling, Mr. and Mrs. Lint Stam, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boersma, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Vander Oort.

**THURSDAY CONTRACT CLUB**

The Thursday Contract Club was entertained last week by Mrs. George J. Mitchell who invited Mrs. Leo Hollenberg, Mrs. Burnall Brown and Mrs. May Chandler to play as guests for the afternoon. High scores at cards were made by Mrs. Hollenberg.

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**TUESDAY BRILL**  
Mrs. Bernard Frost entertained the members of the Tuesday afternoon contract in her new home this Tuesday and invited Miss Eva Boydell, Mrs. Keith Bailey and Mrs. Arthur H. Boydell. High scores for the afternoon were made by Mrs. C. L. McCoy and Mrs. George J. Mitchell.

**THOMPSON - MERRICK**  
At a quiet ceremony performed on July eleventh at Payette, Miss Helen M. Merrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Merrick, Nyssa, became the bride of Kenneth E. Thompson. The brides mother accompanied them to Payette.

The bride wore a street frock of blue lace and crepe with white accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are making their home at the Gale Garrison ranch southwest of Nyssa where Mr. Thompson is employed.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

In honor of the ninth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Helen Janice, Mrs. Bernard Frost invited twenty of Janice's friends for a lawn party on Monday afternoon. Lawn games and refreshments were enjoyed.

### LOWER BEND

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Case were pleasantly surprised last week when old neighbors from Wyoming, whom they had not seen for 18 years, arrived for a visit.

Miss Emma Young, of Ontario spent a few days in the Joe King home the past week.

Mrs. Marshall Hyatt and family, and Miss Florence Russel were Caldwell shoppers Saturday.

Miss Kathaleen Kattler of Caldwell was a supper guest in the Marshall Hyatt home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Lowe and family of Nyssa spent Sunday with her sister and family, Mrs. Harry Russell. Later they attended the ball game at Big Bend Park.

Mrs. Wm. Stradley visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. M. A. Bradley of Adrian Thursday.

Mrs. Joe King and house guest, Miss Emma Young attended the shower for the Roberts twins at the home of Mrs. Harvey Hatch last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Wilson and family were Sunday visitors in Nyssa.

### WORTHWHILE CLUB MEETS

**SUNSET VALLEY**—Bernice Robb entertained the Worthwhile Club July 11 with seventeen members present. The afternoon was spent visiting, Lucille Kendall and Le Vina Howard was appointed as flower committee.

The 4-H Sunset Sewers Club will have a style revue at the next meeting which will be held at Ada Schweizer's August 11.

The Sunset Valley Sunday School held every Sunday at C. A. Ditty's is being well attended, last Sunday the attendance was 38.

Mrs. Cash Turner had an attack of appendicitis last week and is confined to her bed.

Mrs. Roy Rookstool has been on the sick list but is reported as much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Horning of Parma were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Howard.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Landreth on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scott of Vale, I. A. Gleditsy and family of Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cooper and Lloyd Landeth and family. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Verie Landreth and Miss Betty Johansen of Ontario called in the same home.

Leslie Ditty and family and John Case and family and Elmer Culbertson were dinner guests of Chas. Ditty Sunday. In the afternoon John Case's brother, Elmer Case and Lucille Fleming of La Grande and Mrs. Brandow and daughter Dorothy of Pendosa and Mrs. W. Fleming of Ontario visited in the same home.

Mrs. Paul Ransome is sick. Several farmers threshed wheat last week and it made an average of 20 bushels to the acre. If the ditch had not broken the same farmers feel that their wheat would have averaged 60 bushels.

### CATTLE TO PORTLAND

**VALLEY VIEW**—Coy, Win and Arthur Brown shipped a truck load of cattle to Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McConnell of San Francisco visited his niece Mrs. W. E. Brown and his sister Mrs. R. A. Williams Thursday. Mr. McConnell is assistant traffic manager for Consolidated Freight.

Mrs. Russell Cochran, Mrs. Kenneth Cochran and Mrs. Wilbur Holcomb and son motored to Fruitland after cherries and stopped at the A. A. Bratton home on their way to Nyssa.

Mrs. Salley Downs was hostess Thursday evening at a bridal show-

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er honoring her sister, Wilma Hickery who is to be married soon.

The Womens Club was well attended Thursday. Twenty five women met at the Valley View school house. Next meeting date is September 8 at the school house.

Mrs. Cory Brown accompanied Mrs. Amos K. Johnson of Ontario to Caldwell Friday to a college alumna reunion.

David Rees threshed barley for Fred and August Moeller Saturday. Elna Brown is on the sick list this week.

A. A. Bratton planted late potatoes this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hanchett of Oregon Slope attended a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bronser honoring Mr. Hanchett and Mr. Bronser's birthday anniversaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lefler, Bud Conner and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Penton of Denver Colorado visited from Saturday till Thursday at the Lefler home.

Mrs. Martha Amidon, Tom Amidon and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Amidon and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Leinhardt and family of Nyssa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spitzer and Oscar Bratton were among the group that left by bus for the Wallowa Lake Institute early Sunday morning. They will return on Monday the 22.

A. A. Bratton did some plowing for Gerald Goodfellow this week.

### ADRIAN LEGION HALL DEDICATED

The Legion hall in Adrian built by the Legionnaires of Post No. 109 was dedicated Tuesday evening, July 9, after a banquet prepared by the Auxiliary. The hall was dedicated by the Dept. Commander of Idaho, Homer Hudleson.

Mrs. Wm. Horsfall, Dept. of Oregon President of Marshfield, presented Mrs. Roy Perry with her Post President pin.

Mrs. Otis Palmer, 7th District President of La Grande installed the new Auxiliary officers.

Earl Graham, 7th District Commander of Vale, installed the Legionnaires to their new offices.

Other visiting dignitaries were Mrs. Palmer Sr., Past Dept. President of La Grande, and Mrs. Homer Hudleson of Boise.

Legion and Auxiliary members of Nyssa, Vale and Ontario were also present.

Ellen McConnell visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles McConnell near Nampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thrasher attended the funeral Friday of six-year-old Charles Kieth Elsberry who died of spotted fever. The boy was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Elsberry of Caldwell who were friends of the Thrashers.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Greer and children of Jordan Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ashley of Yuma, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. George Elsberry of Caldwell visited at the Ray Thrasher home Saturday.

Miss Irene Poage of Apple Valley spent the week-end with Ellen McConnell.

Howard Hatch and his sons attended the ball game at Boise

Thursday evening with Jim McGinnis.

Mrs. E. E. Parker of Big Bend is staying in Adrian with her son, Vernon Parker while recovering from her injuries received in the accident last Wednesday.

Mr. Patch was in Pendleton on business from Tuesday to Thursday. While he was there Mrs. Patch and their sons visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sherwood of La Grande.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Wade of Orofino, Idaho and James DeCoursey of Lewiston, Idaho were visitors at the H. R. Otis home from Wednesday evening to Friday morning. The Otis family and their guests were Thursday evening guests at the Lester French home near Roswell.

Wednesday morning a baby girl weighing six pounds and 12 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter McPartland in the Brittingham nursing home in Ontario.

The garden club met at the home of Mrs. Howard Hatch Friday afternoon. The greater part of the meeting was spent enjoying a talk on dahlias by Mrs. Hatch.

Mrs. Lancaster and her son, Dean, of Roswell were Sunday callers at the D. W. Patch home.

The members of the Jolly Janes gave a shower for Mrs. Dire Roberts at their regular meeting Thursday.

Wednesday Mrs. Howard Hatch visited her father, E. D. Wymer of Parma. He is in the Ontario hospital.

Jim McGinnis has been improving his store by painting it and has brightened it with a green stripe all around it.

### SHOWER GIVEN FOR MRS. ROBERTS

**BIG BEND**—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Swer and Robert arrived Saturday from American Lake, Wn. to spend their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Swer.

A group of friends from Parma, Roswell, Adrian and Bend attended the shower for Mrs. Dyré Roberts' twin daughters at the Hatch home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Parker and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Viri Bishop were Ontario visitors Wednesday evening.

Mrs. R. L. Haworth left Tuesday for Cascade for a vacation.

Rev. Buchoe of Payette was guest in the Brumbach home Friday.

Miss Virginia Miller returned home Monday from a weeks outing at McCall in company with Miss Ketchum of Vale and Miss Hofshoback of Ontario.

Miss Mary Weir left Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends in Chicago and other places in the middle west.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brewer and children with relatives from Wilder spent last week end fishing on Bear Creek, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mogus are driving a new Chevrolet coupe. Ezra Brumbach was a Boise visitor Monday.



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### Dinner Guests

**Monday Evening Dinner**  
Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Thompson were Mr. and Mrs. George Webster of Lincoln Heights.

**In Nampa**  
Mrs. Stella Butler and E. S. Frost spent Sunday in Nampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob De Gross of Richland had as their Sunday dinner guest Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Nyssa Heights.

**Dr. Abbotts Office Closed**  
The offices of Dr. C. A. Abbott will be closed until August 17th.

Dr. Abbott and Mrs. Abbott with Mrs. Fauchier will enjoy an outing in the Wallowa mountains until then, having left Nyssa on Wednesday.

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