

Apple Valley— Mrs. G. Hayton Feted with Party

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Nearly 30 ladies honored Mrs. George Hayton (nee Lenna Mae Lewis) with a miscellaneous bridal shower last Tuesday evening at the church basement. She received many lovely gifts. Several interesting games were played during the evening and refreshments were served by the hostesses, Miss Myrna Wagner, Mrs. Severt Fox and Mrs. Forrest Reed.

Teachers of the Parma Educational association met at Apple Valley school Wednesday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting. Cecil Breshears, president, took charge of the business session. Apple Valley teachers served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Andrew Standal has been ill the past week and is unable to do the work about the place. Wallace Strate has been assisting with the chores during his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Marostica and children have moved into the house on the Fisher place recently vacated by the Robert Percy family.

Visit Here from Seattle

Mrs. Nolan Richards and Debra have been visiting the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkerson and family and with her husband's parents, the Perle Richards family and other relatives. She plans to leave Wednesday to return to her home in Seattle where Nolan is employed at the Boeing Aircraft company.

Cecil Breshears, Apple Valley school principal, attended the two-day workshop sponsored by the Idaho Association of Elementary School Principals in Boise last Thursday and Friday. The panel discussions and speakers for the meeting were very instructional, he reported. Mrs. Dwight Seward substituted for his classes at school during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Borden and son, Patrick, of Parma were dinner guests Saturday evening at the Forrest Reed home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson and family visited his daughter, Mrs. Dick Curtis and children in Boise Saturday.

Mrs. Cecil Scott and Wanda were dinner guests Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wagner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fritts visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tuning in Roswell, Sunday.

A dinner was given Sunday at the Perle Richards home in honor of Mrs. Nolan Richards and baby who are visiting here from Seattle. Others present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkerson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Parrill and Larry of Nyssa and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Rich-

County "Bookmobile" to Visit Here



PICTURED ABOVE with Gov Robert D. Holmes is Boyd Beelman of Portland and Eleanor Stephens, state librarian, as they discuss the many books from the shelves of the Bookmobile. Bookmobile, a library on wheels, is the newest public service addition to Malheur county. It is supported by federal and state funds and is in

the second year of the government's original five-year program, set up on a yearly terminal basis. Bookmobile will be visiting in downtown Nyssa on Friday afternoon, after visits to Vale and Ontario on Tuesday and Wednesday. All persons are invited to make use of this new service.

Nu Acres Farewell Honors Steven Bolz

By Farmerettes Club

A group of young people held a skating party and winter roast Saturday night in honor of Steven Bolz who was leaving for the Air Force.

Arlene Nelson, Virginia Christenson, Barbara and Bob Thomson, Steven Bolz, Mark Forman and Jeanne and Ronald Akins of Boise attended the event.

Bolz left last Wednesday for Lackland Air Force base, Tex., to enter basic training in the Air Force.

Deanna and Larry Ziegler were honored at a bridal shower Tuesday evening at the grange hall.

J. T. Martin of Nu Acres, O. J. Kurtz of Nyssa and W. A. Sullivan of Hometown celebrated their birthday anniversaries at a gala dinner at the Sullivan home Wednesday. Also present were the celebrants' wives and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kurtz and three children of Nyssa.

George Pulsipher's granddaughter, Lola May, stopped in for a short visit enroute to western Oregon last Friday afternoon.

Attending the basketball game and Gary visited Monday with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pierce of Nampa, to honor the latter's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Reed were among those who attended the annual farm implement and hardware convention in Boise Monday and Tuesday.

County Library

The saga of a great western ranch, essays on modern life, a gigantic novel and other assorted novels and readable non-fiction go into circulation Saturday, Jan. 25, at Malheur county library.

"The King Ranch" by Tom Lea is a two-volume history of the vast Texas ranch from its beginnings in the lifetime of Richard King who died in 1885, through its development by other members of the family.

"Any Number Can Play" by Clifton Fadiman contains essays on such varied topics as challenges to American privacy, TV, radio and "other malign influences," and some second and current thoughts on books.

"Atlas Shrugged" by Ayn Rand is a novel nearly 1200 pages long which "pictures America as ruined by false leaders who persecute the doers and builders for earning large amounts of money."

"The Locust Fire" by Eugene Brown is a novel about the air transport forces attached to Chiang's troops in China during World War II.

"The Unforgotten" is a novel by Alan LeMay with its setting in the Texas territory of the 1870's and tells the story of an Indian raid at the time of the Kiowa woman and of a girl whose family has protected her from the knowledge that she was a founding, quite possibly an Indian.

"Going into Politics" by Robert Merriam and Rachel Goetz is a beginner's guide to political action, explaining such things as day-by-day operations of political parties and volunteer work opportunities.

"Not Guilty" by Jerome and Barbara Frank presents 36 actual cases in which innocent men were convicted.

"No Down Payment" by John McPartland is a novel that deals with four young married couples who live in new packaged-community dream houses of a California suburban development area called Sunrise Hills.

"The Hanging Tree" by Dorothy Johnson is a collection of short stories about frontier life and Indians. The title story concerns a true story in Montana's past.

"When the Bough Breaks" by Otis Carney is a story about big business and fashionable suburban living and their impact upon individuals.

"The Lovely Day" by Dorothy Evelyn Smith is a story of Yorkshire people and what happens to them on the annual outing of the church choir.

"By Appointment Only" by Lucie Heymann is a novel translated from the French which tells about a woman psychiatrist who falls victim to anxiety neuroses for which she finds the cause by keeping a diary.

"Drugs and the Mind" by Robert De Ropp is an account of many types of narcotic drugs and their effects from the earliest uses by primitives to present-day uses by addicts and mentally-disturbed hospital patients.

"The River of Life" by Rutherford Platt describes the earth's living things and their ways of surviving and reproducing.

"Pathways of the Inner Life" edited by George Barrois describes the search for God by 33 believers from Augustine to Albert Schweitzer.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Jackson were hosts to overnight guests Wednesday evening. Guests were her mother, Mrs. Nellie Olmstead of Nampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shoemaker and Ricky of Boise.

Mrs. Verde Steinke and Mr. and Mrs. George N. Bear spent Sunday in Boise.

in Caldwell last Saturday from this community were LaPrelle Talbot, Frank and Jesse Fry, Gary Kersey, Maynard Sager, Freda Evans, Dan Stokes, Danny and Donnie Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nielsen visited at the Archie Kersey home last Friday evening.

Mrs. Raggie Buttram moved to Fruitland last week. Sunday dinner guests at the George Pulsipher home were Mrs. Clair Beus and son of Nyssa, Mrs. Gene Haggerty, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jenkins and sons of Fruitland and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jenkins of Twin Falls. All but one of Mrs. Pulsipher's children were there.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nielsen of Ontario visited at the Edward Nielsen home Saturday evening. Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. George Pulsipher visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy in Nyssa.

Saturday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jenkins of Twin Falls arrived at the George Pulsipher home to visit his mother, family and relatives. That evening the former visited in Fruitland with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jenkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kersey overturned their car on highway 95 Friday afternoon. Neither of them was hurt.

Women's Duties in Civil Defense Pointed Out by Local Director

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The modern meaning of civil defense is not to conjure ideas of America at war, but actually to prepare for a civil way of life if threatened by disaster, whether it be natural or wartime.

In emergencies we tend to act as we have been trained to act, assuming that we have been trained. If we have no knowledge of what to do, our efforts are ineffective or we are unable to act at all.

Civil defense rests upon the principal of self-protection by the individual, extended to include mutual self-protection on the part of groups and communities.

Preparedness Is Personal

Living in the 20th century, we know that times have changed. So, to BE INFORMED AND PREPARED is a matter of personal concern to every adult American.

When we know there is a threat to our Democracy, can we afford to sit idly by and do nothing? Dare we be indifferent? Women have a natural civil defense potential, for their skills in nursing, first aid, blood bank assistance, social work, food handling and similar activities are vital for quick action in a disaster-stricken community.

Adult Business Courses Offered

Night adult education classes in beginner's typing, shorthand and bookkeeping started this week on schedule at Nyssa high school. Under the instruction of Mrs. Jack Jenkins, the first typing class met from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Monday night in room 4, followed by shorthand from 8:30 to 10 in room 5.

Bookkeeping for beginners, instructed by M. L. Spitz, opened class sessions Tuesday night at 7:30 in room 6 of the high school. One class per week will be continued in each course.

There is room for several more people in each class, according to Supt. of Schools R. V. Wilson. All interested individuals may call Wilson's office for further details or report to class to enroll.

County Arthritis Chairman Named

Mrs. Robert Pierce of Ontario has been appointed Malheur county chairman of the Arthritis and Rheumatism foundation's annual statewide education and membership program proclaimed by Gov. Robert D. Holmes for this week, Jan. 20-25.

Mrs. Pierce held a series of Malheur county community "coffee hours" with local hostesses Monday morning when activities and purposes of the foundation were explained. In his proclamation, Gov. Holmes urged Oregon citizens to cooperate with the Oregon chapter through community groups.

Nyssa Recounts California Trip

Mrs. Joe Bellon returned Monday evening from a two weeks' visit in California.

While there she visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bellon and family at West Covina, Calif., at the home of her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gorbet and family at Lomita, and with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Metz of Guide Rock, Neb., who were also guests at the Gorbet home. It was the first time she had seen her brother in 10 years.

The entire group and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Opal Gresham of Long Beach held a family reunion at the Gorbet residence.

Mrs. Bellon reports pleasant weather there with temperatures ranging from 77 to 81 degrees.



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Women's Responsibilities
Traditionally, women are mainly responsible for family welfare and of necessity must assume the responsibility for home preparedness.

Recognizing the need for guidance, the women's division of the Federal Defense administration has prepared a "Home Preparedness Workshop Guide," covering every phase of civil defense for group discussion. One of the best ways to develop preparedness is through study action. Take a program, study it, then activate it within the family circle and in the community.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Penrod and sons of Pocatello, Ida., spent the past week end visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Penrod.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Savage and Kirk were Thursday evening dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nicholson.

Michael Ray spent from Sunday until Thursday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ray in Boise. He was accompanied home by his grandparents who visited in Nyssa at the Reed Ray residence.

Mrs. Fern Hatch and Mrs. John Reeves were Thursday evening dinner guests at the home of Delmar Messersmith in Weiser.

P3/c Marvin Patterson, who is stationed at Mountain Home Air Base, spent the past week end visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morgan left last Sunday for Denver where they are visiting with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ballah. From there the Morgans plan to travel through Phoenix enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Patterson spent Sunday in Caldwell visiting their son, Dale, who recently returned home from the hospital.

Visiting recently at the Roy Knoedler home was his brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Knoedler of Gothenburg, Neb. The Knoedlers were enroute to visit relatives in Salem and Springfield, Ore., and then on to California.

W. Jacksons Called To Texas by Death

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Jackson returned home Wednesday evening from Abernathy, Tex., where they were called by the death of his step-father, Guy Thompson. They were accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Nora Thompson, who plans to remain with the Jacksons for a short visit.

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