

Onion Meeting With Speakers, Election Set Tues.

Facing industry problems will be the theme of the annual membership meeting of Malheur Onion Growers association, according to President Clarence Lee of Ontario. Lee announced that the organization meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 4, in Ontario at the East Side cafe, starting at 10 a.m.

Onion growers and their guests will be provided lunch by the association.

How the industry is meeting its problems, Lee says, will be covered in reports on local research in weed control and in dealing with onion neck rot. Growers will consider also a new research project aimed at control of onion maggot.

Dr. Edward Vaughan of Oregon State college will report on the second year's results of experiments with onion neck rot.

Powell Anderson, also of OSC but formerly research assistant at the Malheur experiment station, will report on methods of chemical weed control in onions that were tested in farm trials here last year.

Dr. H. H. Crowell of the entomology department at OSC will review the latest methods in use to control onion maggot and will discuss plans for more intensive research here on the problem in the coming season.

Chairmen of special committees within the onion association will review work done on advertising

onions, on work toward prohibition of futures trading and in financing supplied by the association toward research. Roy Hirai of Nyssa, Warren Farmer of Ontario and Kay Teramura of Ontario are scheduled to talk on these projects.

Directors for the association from Nyssa, Vale, Ontario and Oregon Slope districts plus one director-at-large, will be elected at the annual meeting, President Lee said. Present directors whose terms are expiring include Lee, Farmer, Min Watanabe of Vale, Thomas Itami of Oregon Slope and Lawren King of Ontario who has served as director-at-large.

Newell Heights—Farm Bureau Member Drive Gets Underway

By Mrs. M. L. Kurtz
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Nolan Field, Farm Bureau insurance agent, gave a report of his trip to Bend at the regular meet of the Adrian Farm Bureau last week. This meeting also saw the kickoff for the membership campaign. Those attending from Newell Heights were Luther Perkins, Maurice O. Judd, Kenneth Olsen, Joe Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kreigh and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Borge.

Mrs. R. D. McKinley attended the executive PTSA meeting Monday night at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Hamilton visited their daughter, Mrs. Rodney Funk in Nampa Saturday.

Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Seuell, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Piercy, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kreigh and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price met to make plans for the annual ham dinner. Money from this dinner will be used to pay the insurance on the Adrian Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Edith Hammon left Saturday to spend a few days with Mrs. Sam Hartley, who is recovering from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Farr attended the Gold and Green ball Friday night at the Owyhee ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and Danny and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stam and Johnny were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hirai visited Mr. and Mrs. K. Okano Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hill have been visiting in the Harry Sipes house this week. Mr. Sipes is seriously ill.

Tuesday afternoon, Gregory Topliff was honored with a birthday party. Mr. and Mrs. Seuter, his grandparents, Tommy and Danny Judd, Larry and Rodney Price, Sylvia, Bobbie and Mathew Dalton and Kelly and Craig Kurtz helped the four-year-old celebrate.

Mrs. Stanley Hill was the auctioneer Thursday afternoon at her home when the ANK extension group met for their annual March of Dimes white elephant sale. A total of \$11.96 was raised for the drive. Mrs. Ray Laan

Beef Commission Referendum Set For February 10

A referendum on the proposed beef commission will be held throughout Oregon from Feb. 10 through Feb. 24, Robert J. Stewart, the state's director of agriculture, announced this week.

The referendum will be conducted on a mail ballot basis from the office of the state department of agriculture in Salem. All cattle owners—both beef and dairy—who registered in the period ending Jan. 21 are eligible to vote in the mailed ballot.

The department has not completed tabulation of the number of cattle and owners registered. However, figures of registrations received at county agents' offices and relayed to department headquarters in Salem up to Jan. 17 indicate 3,646 owners have registered 447,437 head of cattle.

If the commission is approved, two-thirds of those voting in the referendum must favor the commission and one-third of the cattle numbers in the state must be represented in the total vote.

Happy Health 4-H Club Organized

Mike Roberts, Reporter

The first meeting of the Happy Healthy 4-H club was held Tuesday, Jan. 28, in Mrs. Melvin Spitz's fourth grade room.

Officers are Susan Schenk, president; Eugene Brown, vice president; Kenneth Cooper, secretary; Mike Roberts, reporter; Nancy Leavitt, program chairman; Julian Montoya, song leader; Steven Marez, cheerleader.

Members filled in their 4-H record books.

Girl Scouts Have Officer Election

Vicki Maxfield, Reporter

Girl Scout troop No. 1 held election of officers Wednesday, Jan. 22. Eleven members were present.

Those elected were Lynn Jackson, troop leader; Triena Rinehart, assistant troop leader; Nancy Quast, scribe; Susan Roth, treasurer and Vicki Maxfield, reporter.

Members plan to make baskets and sawdust logs at their next meeting.

and Katie, Mrs. Frankie Worden, Mrs. Ginny Hill and Mrs. Meta Kurtz attended from Newell Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hill were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Judd.

Keith Farr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Farr, left Monday night for Burbank, Calif., to attend a radio announcing school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kreigh and family spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Piercy.

Harold Scott of Nampa and Gary Wilson of Caldwell were week end guests of Pete Hammon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Topliff and family attended the annual Western Idaho Production Credit association meeting Wednesday afternoon.

The ways and means committee of the American Legion, Roger Norland, Charlie Chapin and Pearl Davis of Hometown, met at the George Hirai home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Topliff and family were dinner guests Thursday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Topliff.

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Kingman Colony—Kingman Couples Donate to Polio

By Mrs. Ronald Batt
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Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson entertained Monday afternoon at their home with a coffee hour for polio benefit. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft, Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Laan, Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb, Mrs. Oscar Schaffer, Mrs. Tracy Mefford, Mrs. Carl Begeman and Mrs. Ida Hodge. Assisting Mrs. Thompson was Mrs. Hershal Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fox helped his parents move to a new home between Nyssa and Ontario Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft and Mrs. Luit Stam were guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Dieking.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Witt of Newell Heights and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vanderpool played pinochle at the Carl Begeman home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Conant attended a birthday party Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goudout in Ontario. The event honored the anniversary of Richard Conant.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowers were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapin and C. D. Pittenger. Callers in the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer and Janie.

Mrs. Mae French was hostess at a 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday for the Presbyterian Women's prayer and study group. Those attending were the Mmes. Mills, Hurst, Packwood, Gilbert, Day and Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Begeman and Mrs. Ida Hodge were Sunday dinner guests at the Oscar Schaffer home.

Mrs. Art Sparks attended the Big Bend extension club meeting at the home of Mrs. Keith Cameron Tuesday afternoon.

AKH Aids March of Dimes
Mrs. Klaas Laan attended the March of Dimes coffee hour given by the AKH extension club last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Stanley Hill.

The Kingman Colony Polyantha club will meet Feb. 6 at the home of Mrs. Dale Ashcraft with Mrs. Don Fox as assisting hostess. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Theil went to Boise Friday to visit their daughter, Catherine, a nurse at St. Alphonsus hospital.

Donnie Thompson attended the Youth Day program and dinner at the Presbyterian church in Adrian Sunday.

Terry Thompson of Nyssa was a week end guest of Gary and Donnie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Montgomery attended the Gold and Green ball Friday night and took part in the floor show.

Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb played pinochle at the Fred Vanderpool home Sunday evening.

Art Sparks attended the Baptist Men's Fellowship dinner in Roswell Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fox went to La Grande Friday to get their daughter, Sharon, who came home to spend the week end. She returned to school Sunday.

Grange Sponsors Benefit
Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft attended the pinochle party Friday night at the Adrian grade school, sponsored by the Kingman Grange and given for the polio benefit.

Miss Effie Laan celebrated her birthday anniversary Saturday. Guests at her home were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Laan and daughter, Katie, and her grandmother. They spent the afternoon in Caldwell.

Miss Lois Seuell of Big Bend was a Sunday dinner guest of Janie Phifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft attended the Mr. and Mrs. card club party Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dye Roberts.

Visitors at the Carl Begeman home Sunday were Gregory Theil

Newell Heights

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(Last Week's News)

Patricia Norris was a Sunday afternoon guest of Teresa Topliff.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Judd were Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kinney of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Downer of Parma, Miss Karen Downer of Boise, Stan Norwick of Mountain Home and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Judd and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glenn and boys of Bellevue, Wash., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Kurtz. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kreigh and Bill Hamilton and family.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam were birthday dinner guests Jake Groot of Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pratt and Gene Pratt were called to Lebanon this week by the sudden death of their uncle, Frank Steen.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Hamilton spent Friday in Nampa with their daughter, Mrs. Rodney Funk, who is ill.

Mrs. Kenneth Farr and children left Wednesday for Ogden, Utah, to visit her daughters, Joanne Allred and Colleen Dahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee Hill and son were Wednesday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Kurtz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Suter and Janice of Parma were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Topliff.

Mrs. Harold Newman, Mrs. Klaas Laan and Mrs. Durlin Hammon attended the project leaders meeting for the tailoring workshop in Nyssa Friday at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Glenn and daughter spent Saturday evening visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mastro of Moses Lake were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huse. Miss Alice Simpson was a week end guest of Karla Kreigh.

Miss Kay Borge did a dance routine for the Parma PTA function Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Goodell of Ontario were Sunday evening visitors at the Judd home.

Miss Vicki Hamilton of Nyssa spent the week end visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kreigh and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Kurtz attended the pinochle party and supper Saturday evening at the Kenneth Price home. Margaret Piercy and Dudley Kurtz won high prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bybee entertained at dinner Wednesday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Flinders.

and Ross Lane. Monday, Boyce and Bill Van De Water visited. Mrs. Art Sparks and Mrs. Jim Miller of Big Bend attended an extension program planning meeting in Ontario Monday at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kurtz near Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft and Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb attended the Kingman Grange meeting at the Adrian grade school Tuesday night. There were eight members present. Mrs. Luit Stam served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer attended the Paul Cleaver sale near Ontario Thursday.

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Buena Vista—Relatives Attend Funeral Rites For Mrs. Cleaver

By Mrs. Alva Goodell
Phone 2804

Funeral services for Mrs. George A. Cleaver, who died Jan. 21, were conducted Friday afternoon at the funeral home in Nyssa. Pall bearers were her six sons, Lester, Lloyd, Leonard, Eugene, Delbert and Lavern.

Coming from a distance for the funeral were the Cleaver's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Elliott and two children of Houston, Mo.; cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coats of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Baty of Buhl, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bailey of Buhl and Mr. and Mrs. William Orr of Richland, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Baty, Mr. and Mrs. Hailey and Mr. and Mrs. Orr left for their homes Saturday.

A birthday dinner was held last Wednesday at the George

Knowles home for anniversaries occurring during January in the Knowles family. Honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jones; Jack Knowles and daughter, Jackie; Scott Hiatt, and Frank Morris. Others attending besides the families of the honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Knowles and Mr. and Mrs. Man-cil Bishop.

Mrs. Eugene Stephen and infant son, Stuart Eugene, returned home Thursday from the Nyssa hospital, where the baby was

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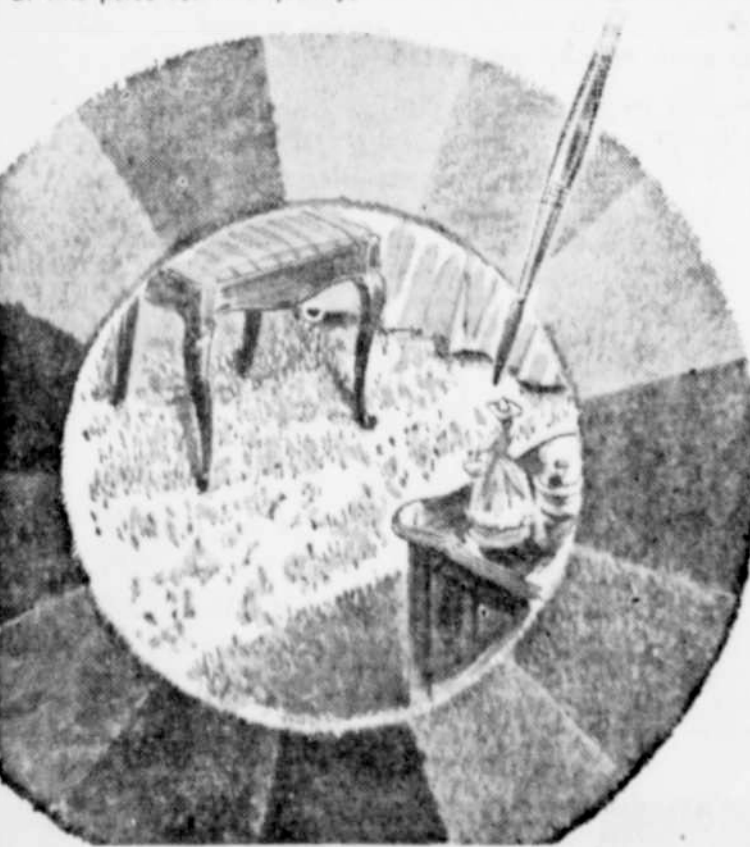
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