

Miss Ellen Sager, Larry Williams Plan June Rites



Miss Ellen Sager

Announcement was made Dec. 18 of the engagement of Miss Ellen Sager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sager of Nyssa, to Larry Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams of Fruitland, Idaho.

Miss Sager was graduated from Nyssa high school with the class of 1957. She attended Willamette university for two years and will graduate in home economics from Oregon State college at Corvallis in June.

Her fiancé was graduated from Fruitland high school with the class of 1957 and will graduate in June from the University of Idaho in electrical engineering.

A June wedding is being planned by the couple.

Couples Host Party At Clarence Clapp Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clapp were hosts at a New Year's eve party and supper at the Clapp home.

Guests were the Messrs. and Meses Reed Ray, Mark Hartley, Gene DeMince and Earl Marks of Meridian.

Barbara Beck Honored On Birthday Anniversary

Barbara Beck was guest of honor at a party Thursday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Beck. Thirteen friends gathered to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary.

The girls played games and refreshments were served, after which the group went bowling. Miss Beck returned Monday morning to Brigham Young university to resume college.

Limings Entertain With New Year's Party

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Liming entertained New Year's eve for members of their bridge club with three tables in play. Guest players were Mr. and Mrs. George Sallee.

Job's Daughters Install Officers In Open Ceremony

Miss Karen Ellis was installed honored queen of International Order of Job's Daughters, bethel 33, Dec. 29 in an open installation ceremony held at the Masonic hall. Retiring Queen Mary Lou Lancaster installed Miss Ellis. She is the daughter of Mrs. Beth Ellis.

Other installing officers were Dianne Maulding, guide; Joan Maulding, marshal; Barbara McPartland, chaplain; Gloria Gonyer, musician; Cleta Belle Boetger, recorder; Mrs. Glenn Marcum, senior custodian; Mrs. Glenn Mefford, junior custodian.

Officers installed were Jan Rinehart, senior princess; Mary K. Olsen, junior princess; Kathleen McPartland, guide; Pamela Alexander, marshal; Sharon Newman, chaplain; Vicki Newman, musician; Vicki Maxfield, treasurer; Betty Glascock, recorder; Sandra Lewis, librarian; Judy Wilson, first messenger; Bonnie House, second messenger; Carolyn Lowe, third messenger; Cokie Cole, fourth messenger; Judy Mackey, fifth messenger; Lucille White, inner guard; Karen Stoneberg, outer guard; Irene Wilson, senior custodian; Delores Morris, junior custodian; Marilyn Gonyer, senior page; Linda Wilson, junior page; Triana Rinehart, lady of the lights.

Preceding the installation ceremony, the Friendship Circle of Faith was recited by Clyde Swisher. Candles were lighted by Mildred Staples, Sally Evans and Bonnie Staples; and Sarah Grief escorted the Bible to the altar. Flag bearers were Pat Eastman, Bobbie and Rickie Smith. Crown bearers were Mary Jean and Shelley Johnson, Vallisa and Valerie Smith. Mrs. Robert Smith sang a solo, "The Lord Is My Shepherd."

Special guests included Mrs. Beth Ellis and son, Larry. Escorted were Lois Wilson, Cleta Boetger, Gloria Gonyer, Barbara Mefford, Joan Maulding, Mary Lou Lancaster, Barbara McPartland, Pat Marcum and Dianne Maulding, past honored queens; Jan Rinehart, grand senior princess; Evelyn Rogers, past grand guardian; Dr. L. A. Maulding, past associate grand guardian; Mrs. L. A. Maulding, grand guide; Mrs. Paul House, guardian; and Gerald Mackey, associate guardian.

Retiring Queen Mary Lou Lancaster presented Miss Ellis with a pin and Karen presented Miss Lancaster with a past honored queen's pin.

Miss Loeta Rogers of bethel 34, Monmouth and Independence, and Kristine Melton of bethel 33, Cascade, Idaho, were also present.

Evelyn Rogers poured coffee and Helen Maulding served the punch. Patty Michaelson presided at the guest book. Refreshments of fruit cake, coffee and punch were served.

Following the meeting, a slumber party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith.

Frozen Food Care Rules Outlined, Cautions Listed

Assure your family of fresh, flavorful foods from the freezer with these three rules of frozen food care from Oregon State college home economists.

Keep freezer at zero degrees, follow recommended storage time and get frozen food from store to freezer as rapidly as possible.

The OSC home economists say that the most common cause of loss of quality in frozen foods is storage at too high temperatures. Foods should be stored at zero degrees F., or lower, to maintain best quality. At temperatures above freezing, foods undergo chemical changes which cause loss of color, flavor, texture and nutrients.

Turnover in foods in the freezer varies anywhere from one to 12 months depending on the food. In a new U. S. Department of Agriculture bulletin, "Home Care of Purchased Frozen Foods," time-tables are offered for about 75 purchased frozen foods.

Copies of this bulletin, Home and Garden Bulletin No. 60, are free on request from the Office of Information, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D.C.

Nazarene Church Wins Lighting Contest

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Lighting committee members report that all cash prizes, amounting to \$100, were won by the Nazarene church. In addition to the grand prize of \$50, winners in other divisions were presented with \$10 each.

The committee has asked the church to accept the prize for the fine participation given by residents entering the contest. They found all high on and all entered displays intact when the judging team arrived at the various homes.

Valene Mitchell, EOC Student, Named To Who's Who Roster



Miss Valene Mitchell

Seven seniors and seven juniors at Eastern Oregon college have been named to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, a national publication.

Among juniors named was Valene Mitchell of Nyssa. She is majoring in elementary education and is a 1958 graduate of Nyssa high school. Miss Mitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Mitchell, 706 North Second street.

Students are nominated for the honor on the basis of scholarship, leadership in educational and extracurricular activities, general citizenship and "promise of future usefulness."

Miss Mitchell was also named to the EOC honor roll for the fall term, according to the office of the registrar.

In order to be named to the list a student must maintain a 3.5 grade point average (4.0 is perfect) in all subjects.

Local Group Attends Ontario Pinocle Party

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cruson of Ontario entertained Saturday evening for members of the Mr. and Mrs. pinocle club. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burt were guest players.

Others from Nyssa attending were Mr. and Mrs. Asa Winchester and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Myrick. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Winchester.

Holiday Dinners Highlight News Of Arcadia Area

By Dorothy Houston
(Last Week's News)

ARCADIA—Mrs. Grover Lytle's sister, Mrs. Ethel Harris of Delmont, S.D., is spending the Christmas holidays with the Lytle family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bowers recently attended a potluck dinner for the Malheur Guernsey club. The dinner was held at the Gilbert Sproul home in Ontario.

Messrs. and Meses George Boyack, Marvin Jensen, Lee Dail and family and Harold Dail and family were Christmas dinner guests at the Otis Bullard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowers and Bob spent Christmas day with the Charley Bowers family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wilson had Christmas dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zittercob were Sunday evening callers at the Otis Bullard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowers spent Christmas eve with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Corn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baltzor and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Baltzor were Christmas dinner guests at the Fay Corn home.

The Fred Schilling family was Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Recla.

Mrs. Viola Schoeneman and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown of Placerville, Calif., were Sunday evening guests of the Clyde Bowers family.

Gale Coleman visited friends in Boise Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Feik and family and June Feik spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Parley Feik.

Visit in Dietrich Home

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparks of Othello, Wash., and their son, Frankie, and his family were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Dietrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schilling and family were Christmas evening dinner guests of the Bob Meisinger family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams, Elmer, Luthie and Hapton were Christmas eve dinner guests of the Fred Schilling family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Olsen and family had Christmas dinner in their home on the 24th. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. John Ray in Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Olson had Christmas breakfast with the Neil Peterson family.

Nyssa FHA Group Elects Officers At Holiday Party

Election of Nyssa chapter FHA officers for the 1961 term was held at the annual White Christmas party Dec. 20.

Officers include Jan Rinehart, president, replacing Karen Kent; and Mary K. Olsen, vice president, replacing Wanda Long. Karen Saito is secretary-elect, taking Donna Lane's place; and Betty Glascock, treasurer, will replace Regina Moss.

Vicki Maxfield, this year's assistant historian, has advanced to 1961 historian, taking Irene Brower's post. Lynn Jackson is assistant historian-elect.

Replacing Mary K. Olsen as reporter is Jeanie Seuell. Moving up from assistant merit checker to merit checker is Marsha Savage, replacing Jan Rinehart. Assistant merit checker is Sherrie Glenn.

Elaine Munn and Karen Saito will be replaced by Kathleen McPartland and Georgia Peterson as song leaders. Diana Cutler will fill Carol Reece's position as parliamentarian.

Jayce Morinaka, 1960 assistant degree chairman, has been promoted to degree chairman; her assistant is Mary Evans. Degree chairman for 1960 was Frances Cleaver.

Every year FHA members give gifts to the WTCU farm home. The gifts are usually brought to the White Christmas party.

Lena Kalaya gave a talk on Christmas in Greece which included customs for both Christmas and New Year's.

A miniature fashion show was held with Pamela Alexander furnishing background music on the piano and Jeanie Seuell narrating. Jeanie was also mistress of ceremonies. Models were Karen Saito, Sherrie Glenn, Georgia Peterson, Gloria Medina, Arlene Payne, Neva Flake and Leora King, with comments by Jo Jury.

Miss Olsen led Christmas carols ending the program.

—Jeanie Seuell, Reporter.

Birthday Party Honors Miss Shelley Myrick

Mrs. Howard Myrick entertained Saturday with a birthday party honoring her daughter, Shelley on her third anniversary. A circus theme was carried out in decorations. The serving table was centered with an elephant cake frosted with pink icing and covered with coconut. The cake was baked and decorated by Mrs. Lyle Miner, Shelley's aunt.

Those present were David Mitchell, Jeffery Hipp, Michael Curry and Lori Ann Miner.

Journal Classifieds Pay!

Coming Events . . .

Today, 2 p.m.—WSSC general meeting in church parlor.

Tonight, 8 p.m.—"Lights on for Education" program at school cafeteria.

Jan. 6, 2 p.m.—Rebekah Sunshine club meeting at home of Mrs. Harry Kingrey.

Jan. 7, 7:30 p.m.—Knife and Fork club meeting at East Side cafe in Ontario.

Jan. 9, 7 p.m.—Adult classes begin at high school.

Jan. 9, 7:30 p.m.—Class in basic Christian beliefs in Methodist church parlor.

Jan. 10, 8 p.m.—Installation of officers at IOOF hall.

Jan. 11, 7 p.m.—Methodist fellowship potluck dinner at social hall.

Jan. 12, 1:30 p.m.—Home extension unit meeting at Methodist church.

Jan. 12, 7 p.m.—PTA executive meeting in room 7 of junior high building.

Jan. 12, 8 p.m.—PTA meeting.

Jan. 13, 1:30 p.m.—Time management meeting at Methodist church.

Knife and Fork Club Members to Hear Historian From East

Bible Lands of the Middle East, where religion and oil have been teaming together to create one of the most confusing and lasting problems of the current cold, war between communist and democratic theories of living, will be the subject to be discussed at a meeting of the Knife and Fork club Saturday evening at 7:30 at East Side cafe in Ontario.

Guest of honor, who will address the club, is Catherine McKinney Butler, just returned from the East. Historian and student, she has concentrated on conditions and religions of the countries involved in the titanic struggle.

Home Extension Unit Schedules Meetings

Home extension unit meeting is slated Jan. 12 at 1:30 p.m. at the Methodist church. The lesson, "Wardrobe Planning and Selection," will be given by Mrs. Edna Mae Wimsatt, county extension agent.

The series of "Time Management" meetings are scheduled to begin Jan. 13 at 1:30 p.m. and will also be held in the Methodist church. A baby sitter will be available at the church during the time management meetings.

The public is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Bear visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lynn near Sheaville.

Pioneer Resident Mrs. Mary Lyells Is 98 Years Old



MRS. MARY LYLLE

. . . pioneer resident of Malheur county who celebrated her 98th birthday anniversary Dec. 13 at Presbyterian nursing home in Ontario. Members of the Ontario PEO presented Mrs. Lyells with a birthday cake that day.

Mrs. Lyells is the mother of Mrs. Angie Cook and Bill Lyells of Nyssa. Of her six children, four are still living. In addition to Mrs. Cook and Lyells, they are Sylvia Palmer of Boise and Eva Poorman of Seattle.

Mrs. Lyells came to Oregon from Dennison, Iowa, in 1877 with her parents, brothers and sisters when she was 15 years of age. They left Dennison on April 4 of that year and arrived in Baker on Sept. 29. Enroute to Baker, they arrived in Vale three days after the Indian skirmish and were housed overnight in the old stone fort which still stands today.

The family lived in Baker until 1891 when they moved to Vale. In 1900, the Lyells moved to Ontario where Mrs. Lyells has resided for the past 60 years.

The Rev. and Mrs. Omar Barnhouse and family returned Monday evening from Denver where they attended a family reunion Dec. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hooper were New Year's eve and overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bateman in Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. George McKee were Monday luncheon guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armstrong in Wilder.

Little Change Seen For 1961 in Meat, Livestock Prices

Oregon livestock and retail meat prices for 1961 are likely to average close to 1960 levels, reports an Oregon State college agricultural economist.

Local cattle prices are expected to slip a little from last year's average, hog prices should average slightly higher, and lamb is likely to hold near the 1960 average, believes Stephen C. Marks, OSC extension economist.

Food buyers can look to a good supply of all red meats — 165 pounds per capita, only two pounds below the 1956 record — with little price change.

Increasing national beef production is putting pressure on cattle prices but any decline will probably be too slight to be felt at retail meat counters, at least during the first half of 1961, Marks said.

Oregon hog prices which follow midwest trends should average slightly higher in the year ahead due to a reduction in hog marketings compared to 1960. Present strong prices are expected to hit a peak by early summer and decline for the second half of the year.

Most noticeable declines in both beef and pork prices will likely come next fall with increased seasonal marketing of grass-fat cattle and hogs.

The generally well-balanced livestock picture for 1961 was further smoothed out when hog farmers recently reported intentions to increase the size of their spring pig crop by no more than 5 percent over last spring. Total beef marketings in 1961 are expected to be up about 7 percent from 1960.

Lamb prices will probably hold near the 1960 average with domestic production little changed from last year. Large imports of lamb and mutton will likely continue but are expected to be less than in 1960, the economist said.

Oregon lamb prices have been bolstered recently by demands from California meat packers for Oregon slaughter lambs. Good grazing conditions in California have encouraged sheepmen there to hold animals on the range longer than usual, reducing local supplies of slaughter lambs for California packers, Marks explained.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brower spent New Year's eve in Boise at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McConnell, Nellie Newbill and Mary McConnell were Tuesday breakfast guests of Mrs. Angie Cook.

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