Al Thompson Couple Honored Friday At 55th Wedding Anniversary Event

By Ruth Bowers

KINGMAN KOLONY — Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Thompson entertained Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson on their 55th wedding anniversary. Those attending in addition to the honored couple were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Walters of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long of Adrian, Mrs. Helen Bowman of Highland, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ron Thompson and Collette.

Pollyanna club members presented the honorees with a chrysanthemum plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brandt visited Saturday in Nyssa at the Walter Fox home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Storm of Nyssa and Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith of Parma spent Sunday afternoon at the Ed Brandt home.

Visitors From Ruebens

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Scott and girls of Ruebens, Idaho, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Toomb. Other Sunday dinner guests there were Mrs. James Phifer and Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker and girls.

Mrs. Klaas Laan, Mary and Effie entertained with Sunday dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laan and family in observance of Klaas Laan's birthday anniversary.

Messrs. and Mmes. Klaas Hart, John Timmerman, Luit Stam and Pete Vander Oord were Sunday evening guests in the Klaas Laan home.

The Siempre Adelante organization entertained with dinner Monday evening for the Migrant Ministry at the Legion hall in Nyssa. Mrs. Tony Martinez helped with serving and Tony was a member of the panel who discussed business and social relations.

Pollyanna Club Meets Today

Pollyanna club members will meet today, May 2, at the home of Mrs. Klaas Laan. A handkerchief and plant exchange will be held.

James Phifer returned Sunday evening from Vancouver, Wash., where he attended a purebred Jersey dispersal sale.

Mrs. Ralph Baxter of Nu Acres called Friday afternoon on Mrs. George Besendorfer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernal Maybon visited Sunday in Caldwell with Mrs. Viola Charlton and daughters who are moving this week to Las Vegas, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fox visited in the evening of April 24 at the James Chamberlin home in Nyssa.

Mrs. Al Thompson and Mrs. Marie Earp attended a luncheon Friday in honor of Mrs. Marie Moore at the Marion Kurtz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson visited Apr. 23 with Mrs. Otis Bullard and Mrs. John Zittercob at Arcadia.

Leave For Eugene

Mrs. Tony Martinez left Monday with Mrs. Howard Myrick for Eugene to attend the PTA convention.

Mrs. Alzina Salter and Keith were Sunday dinner guests at the Eddie Sharp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. John Auker and David were April 23 visitors at the Oscar Schafer home to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schafer and baby prior to their departure for Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thiel and family were Sunday evening dinner guests at the John Thiel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvon McGinnis and Mrs. Loura Smith of Adrian called Friday afternoon at the Walter Pinkston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Besendorfer and family of Grandview, Idaho spent April 20 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Besendorfer.

Honored On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Horn took ice cream and cookies to the Guy Moore home Sunday evening to help Moore celebrate his birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Piercy and family were Friday evening dinner guests in the Carl Piercy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Piercy took Mrs. Mary Leader to her home in Buhl Friday. The Piercys plan to spend some time visiting relatives before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Piercy and family were Saturday evening dinner guests at the Thurman Piercy home to help celebrate Thurman's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowers spent Sunday afternoon at the Charlie Bowers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft called Sunday afternoon at the Bill Toomb home.

RIEBS HAVE NEW SON

A son was born April 18 in Malheur Memorial hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rieb of Nyssa. The infant weighed 8 lbs., 11 ounces and has been named Mark Adam. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brown of Nyssa and Mrs. Pauline Jeffers of Ironside is paternal grandmother.

SUNDAY DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bybee, Mr. and Mrs. Parley Feik were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chamberlain.

BOISEANS VISIT HERE

Mrs. Neil Coburn and children of Boise spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Malloy.

Merry Matrons To Meet May 8 With Mrs. H. Farr

By Peggy Brown

OREGON TRAIL — Merry Matron's club met April 24 at the home of Gladys Byers with 11 members present. Roll call was a plant exchange.

After the business meeting, bingo was played with several winning prizes.

Refreshments were served by the hostess. Club adjourned to meet with Hazel Farr on May 8 Roll call to be "Your Favorite Poem."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byers spent Sunday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thiel of Adrian.

Mrs. Alice Holmes and Mrs. Rolland Holmes accompanied Mrs. Bob Holmes and Mrs. Finley Shuster to Boise Monday to visit Mrs. Don Royce and children.

Mrs. Dave Savage and girls and Mrs. Don Savage and Randy visited April 23 with Mrs. Jerry Gyllenskog and children in Ontario. Mr. and Mrs. Gyllenskog have just recently moved into their new home.

Visit In Jamieson

Mrs. Larry Holmes and children spent Friday in Jamieson visiting her sister, Mrs. Frances McKinney and family.

Mrs. Gib Holmes and Mrs. Kenneth Reece of Nyssa spent April 24 visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stephen visited Sunday evening in the Russell Gressley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Orland Cheldelin and their houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crow of Tracey, California visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gressley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nicholson of Nyssa visited Saturday evening with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Savage and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bretz spent Saturday in Payette visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cross.

Dee Shuster of Portland was an April 24 overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holmes. The next day his mother, Mrs. Finley Shuster and his two children, Mia Lee and Mike returned home with him.

Sunset Valley

By Lois Counsil

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Bingaman of Payette were April 21 guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Strickland. Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Robb of Nyssa were also callers.

Mrs. Glen Strickland Mrs. Bill Hamilton and Mrs. Ralph Curry attended the Christian Women's Fellowship workshop April 22 at Homedale.

Mrs. Lloyd Geiger and son Richard of Canby, Ore., were April 20 overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Knowles, Dent and Henry Mitchell had a picnic dinner Easter Sunday at Cherry Creek park.

Auxiliary Meets May 2

Sunset Valley auxiliary will meet May 2 at the home of Mrs. Carl Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reffett were April 19 overnight guests of Mrs. L. W. Van Dorien of Nampa. Their granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Dean and small son were to leave April 23 to join her husband in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Robb of Nyssa spent the evening of April 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Robb.

Donnie Wilson of Nyssa was an April 19 overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newgen. L. E. Newgen and Jim Elkins, both of Nyssa, took Boyd and Stanley Newgen and Donnie Wilson fishing at Lake Owyhee the next day and they caught several nice fish.

Spend Weekend in Emmett

Mr. and Mrs. John Reffett spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dee McKie of Emmett. The Reffetts visited April 22 with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Princehouse in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cleaver of Nyssa spent April 21 at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Magnus Ekanger.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith of the Mitchell Butte area were April 21 dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Smith of Ontario.

April 21 dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newgen were Mr. and Mrs. George M. Wilson and Harold of Nyssa and Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Payette.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Haburchak and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Westerberg and family of Nampa and the Paul Westerberg family of Caldwell picnicked and swam Sunday at Givens hot springs.

Agriculture Board Names Ontario Men For Monetary Awards

Two Ontario men, C. T. (Vern) Alexander and W. T. Connell, have been selected by the Oregon Employee Suggestion Awards board for one of the board's monetary awards.

The men divided a $50 award granted them for their modernization of procedures and equipment used in grading potatoes.

Presentation of the checks and the certificates accompanying the checks were made by Joe Saito, Ontario, member of the State Board of Agriculture at the April 25 meeting of Idaho-Oregon Fruit and Vegetable association at East Side cafe in Ontario.

Alexander is supervisor of the Federal - State Shipping Point Inspection district serving Malheur county; and Connell, now manager of the Ontario plant of Muir-Roberts company, was his assistant when the new system was developed last year.

The innovation, which has stepped up the State Department of Agriculture official platform inspection of potatoes at the big Ontario Ore-Ida Foods, Inc., plant by more than 30 percent was put into use last fall.

The gravity flow system operates on three levels and has a split table, automatic dial scales, rapid dumping bins and an elevator to transport the potatoes to a truck located in the cellar.

The new system has not only meant an increase of 13 samples per hour but has also resulted in more accurate weights, reduced grading errors and improved working conditions for the inspectors.

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WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Looney spent the weekend visiting her brothers-in-law and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Norland and family in Umatilla and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Knighten at Arlington.

GUESTS FROM PORTLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Goben Bodle of Portland were weekend guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell.

Farmers Reminded Of May 8 Deadline For Flood Assistance

Malheur county farmers whose land was damaged in the February floods were reminded this week that May 8 is the final date on which applications for federal cost-sharing will be accepted at the ASCS county office.

Paul Bunch, county ASCS chairman, said that applications which have already been filed are valid and need not be resigned. He called attention, however, to the decision that no stream channel work on any stream will be approved.

Practices approved for cost-shares must be completed within the 1963 calendar year. The chairman warned that there will not be any incompleted practices carried over into 1964.

Bunch also noted that this is a restoration program only for damage caused by the flood.

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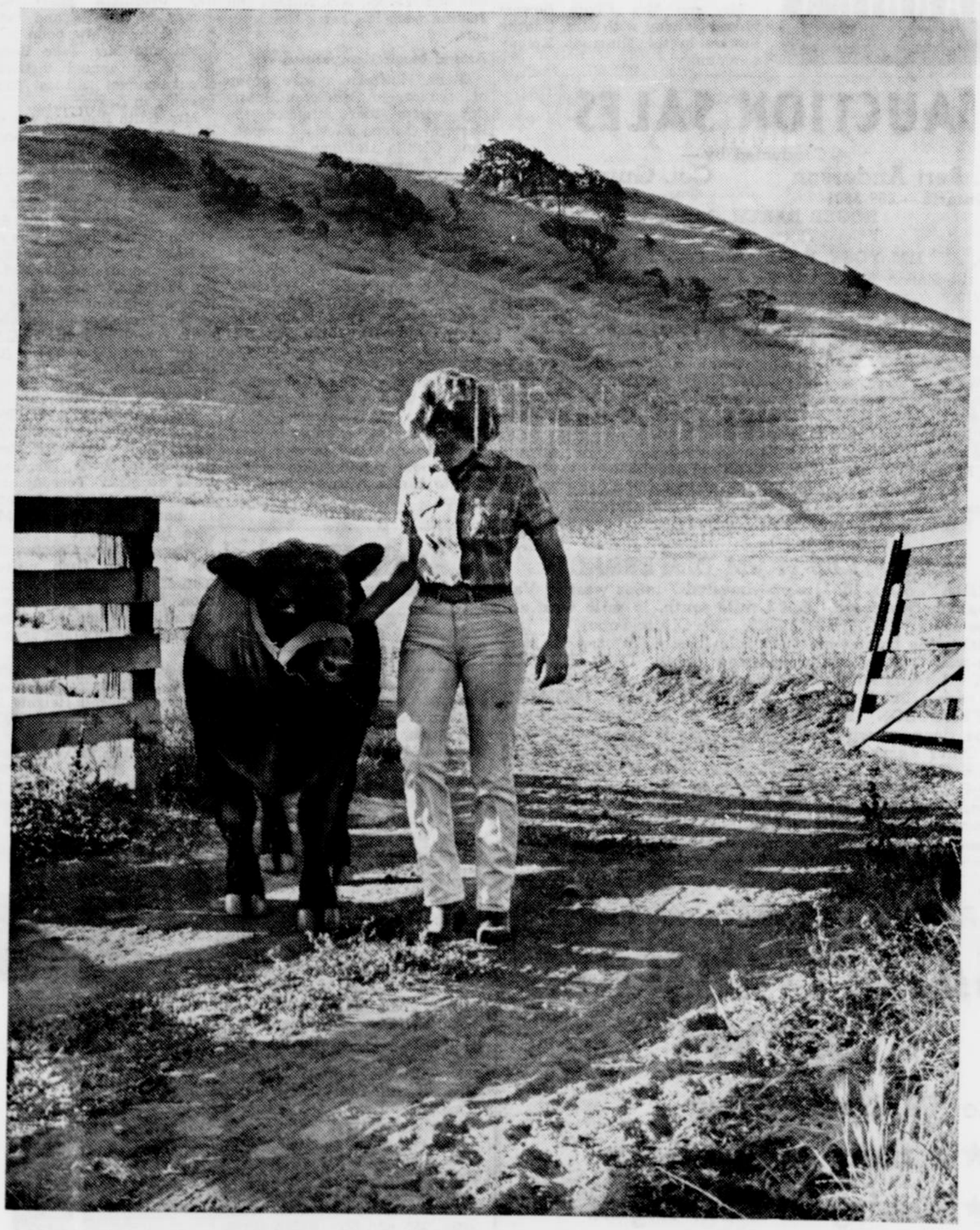

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