

Malheur Homemakers' Festival Set May 13 at Oregon Trail Grange Hall

"Extension Through the Years" will be theme of the annual Malheur county Homemakers' Festival scheduled Thursday, May 13. This year's festival, with plans carried out by extension units in the county, will be held at Oregon Trail Grange hall, according to Helen Dwellle, county extension agent.

GUESTS IN STEFFENS HOME

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Steffens of Moscow, Idaho, were weekend guests in the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steffens. Dr. Steffens is academic dean at the University of Idaho and attended Saturday inaugural ceremonies for Warren Barr Knox at College of Idaho.

The two Steffens couples visited Saturday evening in the Mel Ingebritsen home at Ontario.

HOSTS PINOCHLE CLUB

Members of the Wednesday afternoon pinochle club met last week at the home of Mrs. S. C. McConnell. Prizes were won by Mrs. Bill Schoen, high; Mrs. Wyatt Smith, low; Mrs. Fred Guthrie and Mrs. Jim Malloy, traveling.

SATURDAY DINNER GUEST

Paul House was a Saturday evening dinner guest in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Marcum, Billy and Sara.

VISIT BOISE RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Towne were Sunday visitors in the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Towne in Boise.

Elaine Carlson, extension clothing specialist at Oregon State university, will be featured speaker at the all-day affair.

Lunch will be served by ladies of the Oregon Trail Grange. Tickets should have been purchased by May 5. They will not be available at the door.

Ontario junior high Glee club will sing several numbers during the lunch hour.

"All Malheur county homemakers are invited to attend the festival," Miss Dwellle said. Registration will be from 10:30 to 11 a.m., followed by the program slated to last until about 3 o'clock.

Babysitting service will be provided. Women taking children to the meeting should also take a sack lunch with the child's name written on it.

Hosts Thursday Club

Mrs. George Mitchell entertained last week for members of the Thursday afternoon bridge club with two tables in play. Guests were Mrs. K. A. Danford and Mrs. Elsie Diven. Prizes were won by Mrs. Joe Maughan, high, and Mrs. Diven, traveling.

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Hansen-Willis Engagement Told



JACQUELINE HANSEN
... No Definite Date Set

Mr. and Mrs. Everett J. Hansen of Payette, Idaho, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jacqueline Marie, to William Vernon Willis.

The future bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Willis of Adrian.

A definite wedding date has not been selected by the betrothed couple.

Oregon Trail HEC Group Plans Fun Night Event

Oregon Trail HEC club meeting was held April 27 in the home of Mrs. Loyd Adams with Mrs. Ira Price, Sr., assisting as co-hostess. The 11 women in attendance answered roll by telling how they might plan their time to make the day seem longer.

During the business session, "fun night" was discussed and tentatively scheduled in June. A report was also given on the recent HEC conference held at Oregon Trail hall.

Next meeting will be May 25 in the home of Mrs. Frank Parr.

PAYOFF DINNER HELD

Members of the Friday evening pinochle club held their payoff dinner Friday evening at Twilight cafe. Following dinner, the group went to the Oscar Kurtz home for cards.

High score winners were Mrs. Charles Zinn and Mrs. Rose Toombs.

Mary Haburchak Honored On 12th Anniversary

Miss Mary Haburchak celebrated her 12th birthday anniversary with a slumber party held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Haburchak.

Young ladies helping Mary celebrate the occasion included Jeanine Saito, Teresa DeMinck, Bonnie Howard, Nancy Jackson, Teresa Wilson and Janice Church.

Marvel Stettler, Wayne Callister Plan May 8 Rites



MARVEL STETTLER
... To Wed in LDS Temple

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stettler of Notus, Idaho, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marvel, to G. Wayne Callister, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Callister of Adrian.

The bride-elect studied at Brigham university and is presently employed as dental assistant in the office of Dr. Robert Jensen at Caldwell.

Her fiancé is a graduate of College of Idaho and is now an accountant for Boise Cascade corporation in San Francisco.

A May 8 wedding is planned in the Oakland LDS temple with a May 15 reception to be held in the Caldwell LDS church.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. S. P. Bybee took her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chamberlain, to Boise Monday when they visited the latter's brother, E. L. Jensen. He accompanied the Nyssans to dinner in observance of Chamberlain's birthday anniversary.

NOW'S THE TIME TO MAKE SURE

... you won't be disappointed next fall when you take your winter clothes out of storage.

Some people call our county extension offices to find out why plastic buttons and hangers have softened, resulting in damage to the fabric. This happens when garments are mothproofed and hung in a tight garment bag.

Mothproofing chemicals are not compatible with some plastics. Remove plastic buttons before storing and use a wooden or cloth covered hanger.

HAVE TROUBLE REMOVING POLISH

... from linoleum, vinyl and other floors? Some of the new products are not easily removed with the usual soap or detergent solution or with regular floor strippers.

These polishes are made with the idea of keeping a clean looking floor without removing the polish during cleaning. But they can be removed with an acid solution while most other polishes require alkali such as detergent in the water.

Check the information on the label. If you don't find the answer here, try vinegar in the cleaning water.

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By BERNICE STRAWN, Extension Home Management Specialist

SPRING TIME IS CURTAIN WASHING TIME
... First, soak curtains 10 minutes in clear cool water to get rid of dust.

For sheer, filmy Dacron and other man-made fibers, hand washing is usually best. However, you can wash them in the machine, but don't spin them. Hang them to dry, dripping wet.

Wash in cool water with a cold water or regular detergent dissolved first in a little warm water. Cool water helps prevent wrinkling. After rinsing several times in cool water, blot them with heavy towels. Do not crush, twist or wring as this could put in permanent wrinkles.

Steam iron lightly if they need it.

COOKING FUMES

... and extra moisture are a problem in some homes. We're often asked if a ventilating hood without ducts to the outside is satisfactory.

This type of hood over a range is good if it isn't possible to have ducts. It will reduce grease, smoke and odors in the kitchen. If you want to remove moisture and heat also, you need ducts leading outdoors.

Ventilators without ducts draw the air through a filter and the same air is returned to the room through a grill at the top of the hood.

CHILDREN AND THEIR CHORES

... sometimes lead to family friction. If your child doesn't take easily to the chores you think he should do, try this.

Mrs. Roberta Frasier, extension family life specialist at Oregon State university, suggests introducing a child to chores by doing them with him.

Then the work becomes a source of contact with the parent instead of a source of friction. A pleasant start will make it easier for a child to assume responsibilities because he'll associate chores with a pleasant experience.

HOW DO YOU REMOVE INK STAINS

... from wood floors? These spots can be bleached with oxalic acid. Get this at a drug store and dissolve a small amount in water.

Use a glass or enamel container. Remember oxalic acid is poisonous. Be very careful. Don't get it on your skin and keep it out of reach of children.

IF YOU BUY A NEW REFRIGERATOR

... to replace one that is 10 to 15 years old, don't be surprised if the motor runs more. The typical refrigerator today is bigger than a few years ago and also has more features that use electricity.

An engineer from a large manufacturer who visited the OSU campus recently told us that one model actually uses more power for heating than for cooling! Sounds strange, but he went on to explain that the cabinet had several different temperature zones.

To keep the butter at spreading consistency, some electricity is used for heat. The same is true for special compartments for eggs and cheese.

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FRIDAY MEETING SLATED

Mrs. Owen Gann will be hostess Friday to members of Rebe-kah Sunshine club members and their guests for 1 o'clock dinner. A Mothers' day program is planned for the afternoon.

SUNDAY DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Toomb, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer, Jeanette and Roger were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Toomb.

Mrs. Zora Osborn Feted On Birthday Anniversary

Several neighbor women of Mrs. Zora Osborn treated her to dinner Saturday evening in observance of her birthday anniversary. In addition to the honoree, those dining at East Side cafe in Ontario included Mrs. Jan Barton, Mrs. Darwin Jensen, Mrs. Melvin Cottrell, Mrs. Gordon Williams and Mrs. Marion Glenn.

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