

## Sunday Installation Rites Conducted For Grange Officers of Big Bend Unit

**By Mrs. Dyre Roberts**  
BIG BEND — Henry Roberts, president of the Grange Mutual Life Insurance company, together with a drill team from Nampa, attended a Jan. 9 potluck dinner at the Big Bend community hall and later installed subordinate and junior Grange officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coble of Richland, Ore., Oregon Grange deputy, were also present.

Subordinate officers installed are Dale Teter, master; Ernest Rogers, overseer; Ruth Chaney, lecturer; Marge Sykes, secretary; Ted Avery, treasurer; Charles Witty, chaplain.

Mrs. Lorraine Blamier and children spent most of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Smith. The Blamiers are being transferred to Richfield, Idaho.

Mmes. Boyce Van DeWater, Lester Campbell and Varner Hopkins attended a Mission circle meeting Jan. 6 at the home of Mrs. Rogers.

**Millers Host Family Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller entertained Jan. 9 for members of the Holly family. Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Holly and daughters of Boise, Dan Holly, Richard Holly and family, Gerrit Timmerman and daughters and Mrs. Romilda Miller.

Miss Lynn Chaney returned recently from Spokane, Wash., and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Don Kadel in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Smith entertained Jan. 9 with a family dinner. Guests included their daughters, Mrs. Marilyn Slabaugh and children of Caldwell, Mrs. Pearl Abbott and family, Mrs. Lorraine Blamier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shelton and Lona of Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van DeWater, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Reed and daughters of Boise were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bauman at Nyssa. Mrs. Bauman recently spent a few days with her parents while her husband was on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Welsh of Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Welsh and children of Nampa were recent afternoon callers at the Horace Chaney home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cartwright called Jan. 9 on Mr. and Mrs. William Lawler at Meridian. Mrs. Lawler has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Willem Mantel returned recently from a vacation with friends and relatives at Mt. Vernon, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Verl Bishop and Steve visited Jan. 8 with Mr. and Mrs. Will Bishop of Caldwell. Will Bishop is reported to be slowly recovering from recent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van DeWater visited recently with Mrs. Bill Van DeWater at Fruitland. The latter is recovering from virus pneumonia.

**Attend Wedding in Weiser**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Avery attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Charlotte Walker, and Robert Martin Jan. 9 at the Don Oatman home in Weiser.

Helen Hatch is staying with her sister, Mrs. Pauline McGinnis, while on vacation from College Place, Wash. She was a Jan. 5 overnight guest of Mary Weir and the next evening visited Mary Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rogers left Jan. 5 for Casper, Wyo., to visit his brother, Eldon.

Jolly Jane club members met Jan. 5 at the home of Mrs. Margaret Olsen. Mrs. Sarah Cartwright was hostess. Fifteen members and two guests, Winifred Bennett and Uvela Ammons, were present. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Mrs. Pauline McGinnis, president; Pearl Abbott, vice president; Edythe Prosser, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Zelma Ocamica became a member of the club.

Mrs. Myra Westfall of Grants Pass visited several days recently with her brother, Chet Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Dennis and son of Nyssa visited Jan. 5 with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith.

**VISITORS FROM CALDWELL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Klahr of Caldwell were Friday evening visitors in the Willis Bertram home following the Nyssa-Vallivue basketball game. Mrs. Klahr is the former Louise Hinton of Adrian.

**ENTERTAIN WITH DINNER**  
Recent Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Chamberlain were Mr. and Mrs. J. Elwood Flinders, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Flinders and Randy.



"Failure to look in the rear view mirror is apt to provoke a bad case of hindsight."

## Navymen Arrive To Visit Parents In Owyhee Area

**By Emily Myers**  
OWYHEE — Dick Skogan arrived home Jan. 12 on leave from the Navy and is visiting his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Skogan and family. Mrs. Skogan has been quite ill during the past week.

Orville Carroll arrived home Jan. 12 and Johnnie Carroll came home Saturday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carroll. Both young men are serving with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Walters went to Nampa Sunday to visit Marlene Slippy, who is in a hospital. The Walters later called at the Vernon Slippy residence and brought Danny home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stephen were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tobler at Nyssa.

**OKK Club Meets Today**  
OKK club meeting will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the home of Mrs. William Peutz. Mrs. Gladys Morfitt will assist as co-hostess.

Sunday dinner guests in the Chester Mills home were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Batt of Nyssa. The dinner honored Batt on his birthday anniversary. During the afternoon, the two couples drove to Caldwell to visit Mrs. C. R. Mills who is in a nursing home.

Paulette Patton, granddaughter of the Earl Crocker, is home from the hospital and is reported to be somewhat improved.

Mrs. Dick Bones and children were Saturday visitors in the Melvin Crocker home.

**Duane Fenn Hospitalized**  
Mrs. Duane Fenn and children were Saturday overnight guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crocker. Fenn is a patient at Malheur Memorial hospital.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Clara Corfield were Clyde Gilbert, Dorothy Pattee and children, Mrs. David Ushaw and children of Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland returned home Jan. 11 from a vacation trip to Missouri where they visited relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kygar and Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Talbot of Westfall were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Culbertson. The latter and Mrs. Kygar recently visited Marlene Slippy in a Nampa hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith left Monday for their home in Johnston, Neb., after visiting in the Ken Lorensen, Wilbur Chapin and William Turner homes. Mr. and Mrs. Lorensen and girls and the Wilbur Chapins were Sunday dinner guests in the Turner residence.

## Trio From Canada Visits Petersons; Feted at Dinners

**By Mrs. G. E. Mackey**  
ADRIAN — Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Piercy entertained with dinner Jan. 12 for Mr. and Mrs. K. I. Peterson and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beck and Donald of Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Foster of Star.

The Peterson couple and Beck trio were Jan. 11 evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stafford of Caldwell and evening dinner guests last Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Mervil Hutchinson and daughters in Nyssa. On Sunday the Becks were hosts for a dinner at East Side cafe in Ontario with the Petersons, Hutchinsons and Piercys as their guests.

The Becks, who reside in Duchess, Alberta, left Monday morning to continue on a trip to Arizona.

Sunday visitors in the G. E. Mackey home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johannesen of Nampa, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lovitt and sons. Diane Jennings of Nyssa was a weekend guest of Laura Mackey. Mr. and Mrs. Mackey and Larry visited last Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Florence Gowey in Boise.

**Visitors From Portland**  
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dominee and Lloyd Hines of Portland spent a recent weekend with Mrs. Dominee's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ausman, and did some duck hunting while in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hamilton of Boise visited Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ashcraft. The Ashcrafts visited Saturday evening with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fredericksen and family at Nyssa.

Ross Mills was a Sunday dinner guest of his mother, Mrs. Ruby Mills at the Benjamin guest home in Caldwell and took her for a drive in the afternoon. Mrs. Mills is reported to be fully recovered from the flu and is doing nicely. Mills was a Saturday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mackey and family.

**Ward Attends Meeting**  
Mrs. Glenn Ward and children were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Glen Sr. at Parma. Supt. Ward returned home Sunday evening after attending a principals' conference in Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dines of Baker and Keith Cameron of Wallowa were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wally Steiner. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Nebraska visited Saturday with the Steiner family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Matthews and family of Boise were Sunday visitors at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Matthews Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Webster spent the weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Webster in Burley.

## Adrian News

By Mrs. G. E. Mackey

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Richards and family of Madras spent the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ashcraft. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hamilton and John and Miss Becky Rigney of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft joined the group for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shelton and family of Harrisburg spent the holidays visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ausman and family and other relatives.

Frank Pratt of Nampa and Laura DeVinci of Boise, Bill Looney Jr. and Teresa Sauer of Ontario and Mrs. Marjorie Looney were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Looney and Mary.

Mrs. Florence Gowey, Mrs. Lois Durocher and family and Pat Long of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lovitt and sons were New Year's dinner guests of the G. E. Mackey family.

**Visit Portland Relatives**  
Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Martin and family recently spent several days visiting relatives in Portland. Helen and Avanel visited their mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wood at John Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Spelman and sons spent the Christmas holidays visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lance and family at Pocatello.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Piercy were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Toomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer and Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Scott and family of Reubens, Idaho, and Miss Jeanette Martin of Clarkston, Wash., were recent Monday evening dinner guests in the W. E. Piercy home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mackey and Leland Crummett were New Year's eve guests of Mrs. Jean Martin and sons. The evening was spent playing pinocle.

**Visitors From California**  
Major and Mrs. Don Patrick of Riverside, Calif., recently spent five days visiting at the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brown, Messrs. and Mmes. Bob Brown, Jim Moncar of Boise and Robert Eastman of Caldwell and their families were Christmas dinner guests of the Browns. It was the first time in 23 years that the family had been together for a Yule holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Parker of Ontario were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Toomb. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Toomb of Nyssa were recent Sunday visitors in the Parker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sessions and Brad were New Year's dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Webster. During the evening, they visited Mr. and Mrs. James Webster and Danny.

Miss Marilyn Parker was hostess at a recent pink and blue shower feting Mrs. Ralph Leavitt.

## Oregon Potato Growers Fail to Agree On Yield, Quality of New Varieties

Problems with new potato varieties, such as Norgold, Shoshoni and Kennebec, and chemical control of disease and insects were targets of a potato seed growers meeting at Oregon State university Friday and Saturday, Jan. 14-15.

George Carter of the Klamath Falls research station compiled yield results from 10 fields in Klamath county in 1965. He said that where the three new varieties were grown side by side with Netteed Gems, Norgold yielded 31 percent more number one grade tubers, Shoshoni yielded 33 percent more and Kennebec yielded 35 percent more.

He said that growers were divided in their opinions on the Midwest-developed Norgold, with some saying they will plant more and others claiming they will have nothing more to do with them.

Carter noted that there was a much higher percentage of hollow heart in the Norgold variety, especially in the larger tubers and it did not appear to have tolerance to verticillium wilt. Shoshoni, on the other hand, appeared to have considerable tolerance to wilt.

**Treatment Controls Aphids**  
In a report on the use of Di-Syston for aphid control, Extension Plant Pathologist Robert Powelson said that the chemical gave a 93.2 percent aphid kill at the rate of one pound per acre in Klamath county trials. In addition, the treatment gave good control of leaf roll infection and there was a reduction in the amount of net necrosis (browning). There was also good increase in production of No. 1

potatoes in the 1-pound and 2-pound Di-Syston rates. Powelson also noted that Di-Syston used in conjunction with soil fumigation helped control early blight.

**Potash Results Observed**  
In a report on use of potash in Central Oregon, Dr. Malcolm Johnson, superintendent of the Central Oregon Experiment station, said applications of potash at rates of 800 to 1600 pounds per acre gave yield increases of up to seven tons an acre over a two-year period.

Members of the Oregon Seed Potato Advisory council met Saturday morning to discuss proposed changes in the certification standards to permit production of certified seed potatoes on land with a nematode history under certain conditions and methods of handling certification tags, bulk shipping certificates, shipping point inspections and digging inspections.

**GUESTS IN WEEKS HOME**  
John Weeks of Seneca was a weekend visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weeks. Other Sunday guests in the Weeks residence were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Squier of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Weeks and family of Parma.

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