

### Families of Modern Pioneer Club To Meet Friday for Potluck Dinner

**By Mrs. Wilson Witt**  
 NEWELL HEIGHTS—Modern Pioneer club members and their families will meet Friday evening, Jan. 28, for a potluck dinner in the Adrian Community church basement.  
 Serving will begin at 7:30, and each one attending is asked to take own table service. Those having slides of interest to the group are also requested to take them.  
 Regular meeting of the club will be Feb. 2 at the home of Eleanor Topliff. Each member is asked to take paper scraps, ribbon or materials that can be used to make valentines to be given to nursing home patients.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Warren and family, Mrs. J. R. Suter and Janice were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Irvin Topliff residence.

Ray Simpson recently accompanied Mrs. Alfred Simpson and family to Portland, returning home Saturday night. Mrs. Ray Simpson stayed overnight that week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holdt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Witt were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wolfgang in Boise.

**Brother Critically Ill**  
 Walter Metzger of Seattle visited Friday evening with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Fenn. He had been to Lexington, Neb., to see a 45-year-old brother who is critically ill with lung cancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stringham and family of Jerome, Idaho, were Saturday dinner guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chamberlain and family. They also visited friends in Newell Heights before returning home that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Floyd and two sons of Ontario were recent Sunday visitors in the Rollo Fenn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Leedy of Sacramento arrived Saturday for a visit of several days with his parents, the Charles Leedys.

Mrs. Ray Simpson and Mrs. Linda Strong were recent Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. Johnnie Eason in Homedale.

Terrilyn Chamberlain attended a slumber party Friday night at the home of Cindy Shy.

#### Visit Texas Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Judd and family went to Boise Saturday evening to meet her father, L. J. Kinney of Ontario. He had flown in from San Antonio, Texas, where he and his wife had spent the past two weeks with relatives. Mrs. Kinney remained with her sister whose husband is quite ill.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ward of Nyssa were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Fenn.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Carl Fenn home were the Howard Fenn and Gene Simpson families, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Deville of Cow Hollow, Richard Fenn, Mrs. Wesley Walker and children.

James McKinley of Albany arrived Tuesday on a business trip and remained until Friday with his parents, the R. D. McKinleys.

**Card Group Meets**  
 Happy Dozen card group met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Pete VanderOord in Nyssa. Guest players were Velma Stam, Gnetta Piercy, Ima Begeman and Betty Phifer. Prize winners were Mabel Piercy, Minnie Stam, Gnetta Piercy and Sue Ashcraft.

Mrs. Letha Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott of Nampa visited Sunday with Mrs. Thelma Hammon, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hammon. The Scotts are former residents of Big Bend.

Gilbert Deffenbaugh of Nyssa visited Friday afternoon in the L. C. McDermott home. Alfred Simpson was a Saturday afternoon caller.

Ray Calhoun of Dale, Ore., was a weekend guest in the Sid Hardman home.

**Guests in Kurts Home**  
 Dale Kurtz of Merrill, Ore., and a friend, Esther Anderson of Pacific college in Forest Grove, arrived Friday afternoon to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz.

Cheryl Kurtz, a student at the College of Idaho in Caldwell, was also a weekend guest of her grandparents. The Bob and Dudley Kurtz families joined the group Friday evening when Dale showed pictures of a recent three-month stay in the Philippines.

Dale and Miss Anderson left Saturday afternoon to spend the night with his mother's parents, the Proudys at La Grande, and then returned to their respective homes. Dale planned to enlist Tuesday in the U. S. Army.

S. E. McLaughlin of Atlanta, Ga., also spent the weekend with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz. McLaughlin and the Kurtz couple took Cheryl back to Caldwell Saturday and enroute home visited with A. W. Andrews in Notus and with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Proctor at Parma. The trio visited Sunday evening in the M. L. Judd home and on Monday they and Mrs. Ida Collins visited relatives in Boise.

### Big Bend

By Mrs. Dyre Roberts

Mrs. Charles Reno is staying in Boise with her granddaughter, Debbie Hilderman, while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons, are vacationing in Arizona and New Mexico. Mrs. Reno spent the weekend at home so she and her husband could attend the Jan. 16 district meeting of World War I veterans in Caldwell.

#### Enters Boise Hospital

Mrs. Ted Avery entered St. Alphonsus hospital Jan. 13 for skin grafting on her leg. Mrs. Dale Teter is assisting in the Avery home.

Dr. and Mrs. Jim Hollingsworth and family of Boise were Jan. 16 guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Swigert visited Jan. 12 with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hawk in Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Delno Brock visited Jan. 17 in the Lester and Everett Murray homes at Emmett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edens and children of Payette were Jan. 16 dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edens. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Murray and children of Parma were evening dinner guests in the Edens home.

Miss Mary Weir, Mrs. John Samer and Miss Helen Hatch visited recently with Miss Alice Weir at a Payette nursing home.

#### Visits in Bennett Home

Tommy Boren of the U. S. Navy recently spent several days visiting his sister, Mrs. Dick Bennett and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hamilton took him back to his base at Fallon, Nev., on Jan. 15 and vacationed a few days in that state. Mrs. Dyre Roberts cared for the Hamilton children and the Earl Campbells and Mrs. Charles Glenn, the Bennett children.

Charles Reno was a recent dinner guest of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Robuck in Fargo.

Mrs. Lydia Worden and Mrs. Kinney recently returned to their homes after visiting relatives in Medicine Lodge, Lake City and Emporia, Kan.

#### Attend Boise Services

Mr. and Mrs. Dyre Roberts attended Jan. 15 funeral services for her cousin, Jim Kerr in Boise. Later they visited Albert Howland at the Veterans' hospital in the Idaho capital city.

Mrs. Dolly Jones and children were Jan. 16 dinner guests of Mrs. Gertye Jones in Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Chaney and family spent a recent Sunday afternoon visiting Mrs. Anna Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gifford in Nyssa.

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### My Neighbors



#### BYBEE COUPLE VACATIONS IN NEVADA, CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bybee returned Jan. 20 following a 12-day vacation trip to Nevada and California. The Nyssans traveled to Las Vegas and were met there by Mr. and Mrs. Vibert Kesler of Salt Lake City, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wakewood, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Morgan of Rupert.

After spending several days in Las Vegas, the Bybees went to California to visit her brothers-in-law and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Alvord at Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Schow at La Puente.

H. E. Chamberlain, the women's father from Nyssa, arrived Jan. 16 to visit relatives.

Mrs. Bybee reports a highlight of the trip was a ride on the Tramway at Palm Springs. It is a cable car on which passengers are taken up and down the mountain and goes from sea level to 8,600 feet elevation in 15 minutes. It is reported that the Tramway was built with all materials being taken to the site by helicopter.

Mrs. Bybee states that when they boarded the conveyance, the weather was warm and when they reached the top of the mountain a quarter of an hour later, it was snowing and people were skiing.

The Bybees visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nielsen in San Francisco before starting their return trip to Nyssa.

**DINNER GUESTS IN PARMA**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Obenchain and family and her mother, Mrs. Neva Russell, were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Lola Birkes at Parma. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rucker of Boise were also visitors in the Birkes residence.

### Owyhee News

By Emily Myers

Visitors last week in the Melvin Crocker home were Mrs. Dick Bones and girls, Mrs. Martha Moore and Mrs. Keith Tallman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jones and Effie Nielsen of Nu Acres were Jan. 18 evening visitors in the James Stephen home.

#### Father Ill in Nebraska

Mrs. Chester Mills recently received word that her father, Arvid Anderson of Scottsbluff, Neb., is seriously ill and in the hospital.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Vern McCain home were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Lane and children. Evening guests of the McCains were Mr. and Mrs. Herb Wenke.

Mrs. Alice Hill is home after undergoing surgery in a Boise hospital. She is reported to be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carroll and children were Sunday visitors in the Henry Carroll home.

#### Leaves for Oklahoma

Orville Carroll left Monday morning for Oklahoma where he plans to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Beulah Carroll at Jay, and his grandfather, John Wood at Colcord. He will then go to Sanford, Fla., to visit a sister, Leta, before reporting on Saturday at Norfolk, Va., to board the destroyer, USS Laffey, on which he will be stationed. He had been visiting his parents, the Henry Carrolls, and served as best man at his brother's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. William Peutz called recently on Mrs. Amanda Peutz, who is a patient at Holy Rosary hospital in Ontario.

#### Observes 86th Anniversary

William Turner celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary on Friday, Jan. 21.

Sunday dinner guests in the Earl Crocker home were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Moore of Notus, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Fenn and children, Perry and Melvin Crocker. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett were afternoon visitors in the Crocker home.

OKK club meeting was held Jan. 20 at the home of Mrs. William Peutz with Mrs. Gladys Morfitt assisting as co-hostess. Fourteen members were in attendance.

### Merry Matrons Elect New Officers; Plan Meeting at Holmes Residence

By Alberta Tyner

OREGON TRAIL—Merry Matrons club meeting was held Jan. 19 at the home of Virginia Rookstool with eight members and two guests, Mrs. Edith Whipple and Mrs. Eileen Udlinek, in attendance.

During election of officers, Jessie Chard was named president; Cora Rookstool, vice president; Viola Adams, secretary; and Virginia Rookstool, historian. Opal Holmes will continue as club treasurer.

Bingo was played with Mary Smiley and Cora Rookstool winning prizes. Next meeting will be Feb. 16 at the home of Opal Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ballantyne and sons visited Jan. 18 with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sipsen in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knowles visited last Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Bretz.

#### Guests in Adams Home

Sunday morning callers at the Loyd Adams home were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Talbot of Juntura. The Adams' were Sunday afternoon guests in the Jack Ward home. Friday evening visitors in the Adams residence were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ausman.

Weekend guests in the Frank Byers home were her sister, Mrs. Ethel Lay of Payette, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and children of The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hendricks were Sunday dinner guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gib Holmes in Nyssa. Other visitors included the latter couple's daughters, Susan and Sally Holmes of Pendleton.

#### Entertains Bridge Club

Mrs. E. H. Brandt entertained last week for members of the Thursday afternoon bridge club. Prize winners were Mrs. Harry Miner and Mrs. Fred Guthrie.

Patty Neely recently spent a few days with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Benoit at Nyssa. Jeannie Neely was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Higgins at the Four Seasons cafe in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crocker were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byers. Sunday afternoon callers in the Byers home were Russell Gressley and Esther Stephen.

Friday overnight guests in the Rolland Holmes residence were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Holmes of Denio, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tyner visited Tuesday evening of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Favinger. The Tyners were last Thursday callers in the Gabe Astoreca residence.



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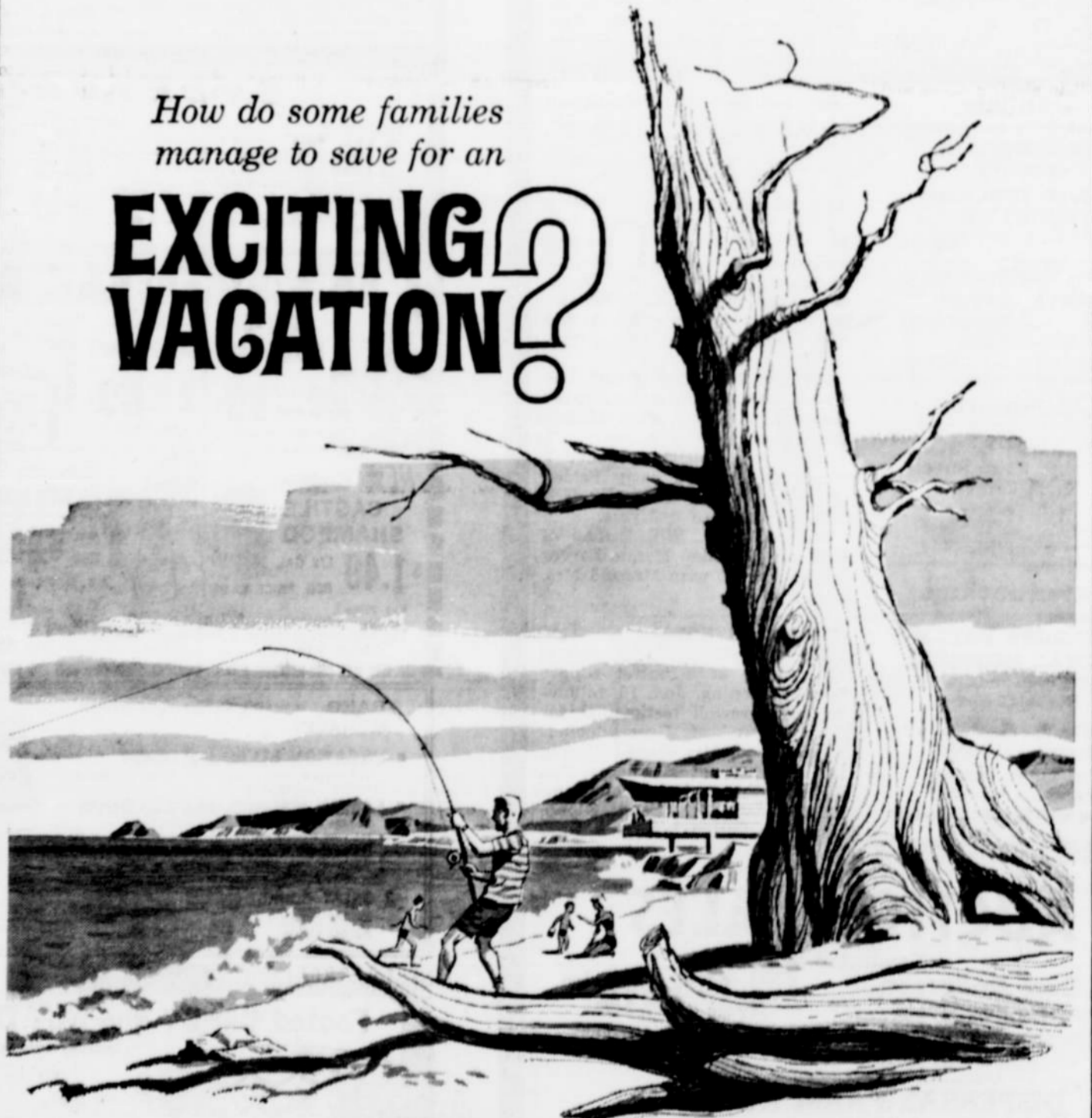
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