

Hometown News

Janalee, a student at EOC, Jeredee and Jonae Wilson of Burns, returned home Sunday March 26 after spending the week of spring vacation with their grandparents, the J. Elwood Flinders and other relatives in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blackburn and children visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Newberry in Jerome, Idaho last Friday. Mrs. Blackburn's father had suffered a heart attack but is reported doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Adams visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Adams of Caldwell Friday evening.

Larry Miner, a student at EOC called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Jensen during spring vacation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ives of Nampa were dinner guests at the home of the Jensens March 24. The occasion being the birthday anniversary of Clayton Jensen.

Visiting March 23 at the home of Mrs. A. H. Keck were Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Keck of NuAcres and a grand-daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pugh of Lakeview, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heldt, Karen and Kevin of Portland were weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. A. L. Heldt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rinehart of New Plymouth called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jenkins Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hazel Sewight was a Sunday dinner guest at the Bruce Jenkins' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Riggs visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Manning in Notus Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell, Jan and Don of Pilot Rock visited this weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Oden and Mrs. Afton Mitchell. They came to get Jill and John who had spent their spring vacation visiting their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Oden were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Robb.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wahlert left March 19 for Spokane where they spent the night with Mrs. Wahlert's sister, Sister Rosetta, the next day they traveled into Canada on a short trip, and then back to Bonners Ferry to a Seed Council business meeting, Tuesday and Wednesday at Moscow, Idaho at a Seed Council meeting, returning home Thursday.

Mrs. David Johannesen and her daughter, Mrs. Francis Scott and her daughter and grandson all of Beaverton were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Towne.

Stephanie Wilson, a junior at University of Oregon Nursing School and a friend, Debbie Van spent a short weekend here with Stephanie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilson. They were returning to school after their spring vacation which they spent in different parts of California visiting friends and relatives. Also here for a short stay this weekend was the Wilson's son, Paul, who is a senior at the University of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Hernandez and girls of Adrian returned home from a trip Sunday morning in Pharr, Texas where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Northrup and Kristi accompanied the pep band to Eugene to the state basketball tournament Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Talbot were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Culbertson.

Mrs. Finley Shuster, who is well known in this area underwent surgery in the Ontario Hospital Monday and is now

receiving visitors. She plans on being home in Nampa this weekend at the Flamingo Trailer Court there.

Doyle Riggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Riggs returned to Corvallis Sunday after visiting his parents during the spring vacation. Doyle is a student at OSC.

Mrs. A.H. Boydell had as her dinner guests last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boydell of Salt Lake City and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Long of Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley of Twin Falls were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cartwright. Mrs. Bradley is a former resident of Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dickey and children of Boise visited last weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Servoss.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Roberts of Ashland were house guests at the homes of their parents Dr. and Mrs. J.R. Cundall and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Ballou and family traveled to Pueblo, Colorado on spring vacation to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ady and Tommy. Enroute they visited Mrs. Ballou's brother, the Charles Howells and family at Green River, Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beck of Burley, Idaho were Sunday afternoon visitors and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Beck.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byers were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Noel of Parma; John Somers of Caldwell and Eva Embree of Ontario.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byers were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bethel and Little John and Judy Somers of Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Farmer and Karla of Billings, Montana were Sunday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byers. They were enroute home from Donnelly, Idaho and left Monday morning for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burningham and Chipper and Debbie Adams spent spring vacation in Provo and Salt Lake City, Utah visiting friends and relatives and skiing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Clapp, Mrs. Neta Mae Wiley and children attended the 45th wedding anniversary openhouse in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Art Tews at Notus Sunday where they were pleased to visit with old friends who they hadn't seen for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wiley visited Sunday evening in the Elton Clapp home.

Mrs. Elton Clapp visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith at different times during the week.

Dr. and Mrs. K. A. Danford's son, David was home during spring vacation from Southern Oregon college. He had as houseguests, friends from college, Rich Leiter of Los Gatos, California, Greg Tennet of Pasadero, California and George Williamson of Portland. While here the boys all spent a few days skiing at Sun Valley.

Weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. Danford were their son, James Danford and family of Bend.

Mrs. Arlan Haroldsen and son Larry of Kingsburg, California are visiting this week at the home of her husband's parents, this coming weekend her husband will join them.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ruebensen were Mrs. Arlan Haroldsen and Larry, their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Orlee Sipes of Homedale and Mrs. Edna Hartley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Corak and Tori of Halfway and Mr.

and Mrs. Dan Reece and family of Mt. Vernon were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reece.

Kathy Daudt spent spring vacation visiting her mother Mrs. Leonard Burrage, III, at Kent, Washington.

Welcome Spring With Easter Brunch



Of all the mornings of the year, Easter is the most perfectly suited for a festive brunch. There is the joy of the fresh spring to be shared by a gathering of family and friends. Plans for brunch may be quite elaborate or extremely simple. Here's a menu that is easily prepared but packed with taste appeal. For a nutritious and flavorful beginning to Easter brunch, start with a milk-made beverage. Orange, strawberry or even lemon-flavored milk drinks would be perfect. And then for the entree, there's Gourmet Chicken Livers served in patty shells. Toast points or noodle baskets would also make fine beds for these chicken tidbits. Fresh pineapple and whole strawberries are threaded on fanciful skewers to be laid aside each cream-filled patty shell. And, don't forget to include the decorative Easter eggs to be used as a centerpiece and also as part of the menu. Dessert takes many forms at brunch. It may well be the traditional Easter breads this time of the year, or choose the elegant Coeur a la Creme.

Make Easter brunch as bright and gay as the new spring! Serve foods that are nutritionally sound and exciting for the season. Your family and friends will welcome a form of entertainment that is easy on the hostess, and so delightful for the guests!

SPRING BUTTERMILK DRINK

2 cups buttermilk
2 cups cold orange juice
Dash of salt
2 tablespoons sugar
Combine all ingredients. Beat until frothy. Makes 4 servings.

GOURMET CHICKEN LIVERS

1/3 cup butter
1 pound chicken livers
1/4 cup finely chopped onion
1 teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
1 cup sliced fresh mushrooms
1 tablespoon flour
1 cup half and half
2 tablespoons cognac, optional
4 patty shells or toast
4 crisp bacon curls
Melt butter. Add chicken livers, onion, salt and pepper. Saute chicken livers slowly just until cooked through, 8 to 10 minutes. Add mushrooms, during last 3 to 4 minutes cooking time. Remove chicken livers from pan. Blend in flour. Add half and half; cook slowly, stirring constantly, until sauce is thickened. Add cognac and chicken livers; mix and heat. Serve in patty shells or on toast. Garnish with crisp bacon curls. Makes 4 servings.

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NU ACRES --A gentle Holstein cow kicked Mr. Ralph Lauer in the leg resulting in a spiral fracture and a dairy cow auction on the Lauer farm this week. It is estimated that Mr. Lauer will have his leg in a cast for the next three months. The Farmerette club will have the food concession at the auction.

Sgt. Terry Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Conner, will be home from Guam for a short leave before reporting to duty in Kansas for specialized training.

Mrs. Ralph Baxter spent the past week at Madras, Oregon with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Schmidt. She also spent two days at Bend with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Heap and their children, Calib and Genevieve.

Recent dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baxter were Mr. and Mrs. Mike McCullough of Emmett.

Pfc. Steve Kersey and Pfc. Denny Jenkins, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Kersey and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jenkins of Fruitland, shipped out for DaNang, Vietnam from Seattle recently. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pugh and their children, Rebecca and Scott were with Mrs. Pugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Keck for a week during spring vacation. Mr. Pugh is a music teacher in Lakeview, Oregon schools. His wife is the former Kathy Keck.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Mike McKague were Mr. and Mrs. Van Haueter of Westfall, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Dykstra of Ontario, were Friday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McKague.

Roy Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans, was home for spring vacation from Idaho State College at Pocatello. Evans who is majoring in Parks and Recreation, is a junior.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans of Nu Acres and Mr. and Mrs. James Stephen of Nyssa drove to Richland, Washington, this past weekend to attend a Lay Witness meeting at the Central United Protestant Church. Mrs. Evans stated there are about eight different denominations

united in that church, and that it started as a small chapel in a government-laid out town. It is now a large, thriving church.

A wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Kent Cronk at the Boise Rodeway Inn was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans, Mrs. Gerald Russell and Cindy Russell. Mrs. Cronk is the former Sharlene Schubert, daughter of Mrs. Helen Tirrell of Boise, formerly of Fruitland. Mrs. Cronk is presently employed by the State Health Department. Her husband is a student at Boise College.

Mrs. Forrest Carpenter reports that her granddaughter, Vicki Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Franklin, of Nyssa was with the Advanced Biology and Science Club from Nyssa High School which recently took a week-long field trip to the Oregon coast.

The group traveled by school bus and had planned to camp out nightly but rain altered that. They did stay one night at a State park but after that were put up in the Junior High building in Florence.

Purpose of the trip was to gather specimens for several projects. Vicki's interest was flowers, others collected sea animals, bugs, plant life. In the course of their beachcombing they did go swimming once. There were about 25 young people in the group, chaperoned, of course.

From Florence they ranged south as far as Bandon and north to Newport where they visited the Marine Science Center. They also visited the Devil's Punch Bowl, the Sea Lion's Cave, Otter Rock, Cape Perpetua, saw the Devil's Churn and the tide pools. At Coos Bay they saw three ships come in, one a Japanese vessel.

Brent Richardson is attending State F.F.A. Convention this week at Pendleton.

Minerals are the stuff that rocks are made of.



THE CRUCIFIXION by Richard Hook from Taylor's Bible Story Book

THE CRUCIFIXION

As the crowd led Jesus away to his death, Simon of Cyrene, who was just coming into Jerusalem from the country, was forced to follow, carrying Jesus' cross. Great crowds trailed along behind, and many grief-stricken women. Two others, criminals, were led out to be executed with him at a place called "The Skull." There all three were crucified. Jesus on the center cross, and the two criminals on either side. "Father, forgive these people," Jesus said, "for they don't know what they are doing." And the soldiers gambled for his clothing, throwing dice for each piece. The crowd watched. And they laughed and scoffed. "He was so good at helping others," they said, "let's see him save himself if he is really God's Chosen One, the Messiah." The soldiers mocked him, too, by offering him a drink...of sour wine. And they called to him, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" A signboard was nailed to the cross above him with these words: "This is the King of the Jews." One of the

criminals hanging beside him scoffed, "So you're the Messiah, are you? Prove it by saving yourself...and us, too, while you're at it!" But the other criminal protested. "Don't you even fear God when you are dying? We deserve to die for our evil deeds, but this man hasn't done one thing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom." And Jesus replied, "Today you will be with me in Paradise. This is a solemn promise." By now it was noon, and darkness fell across the whole land for three hours, until three o'clock. The light from the sun was gone...and suddenly the thick veil hanging in the Temple split apart. Then Jesus shouted, "Father, I commit my spirit to you," and with those words he died. When the captain of the Roman military unit handling the executions saw what had happened, he was stricken with awe before God and said, "Surely this man was innocent."

LUKE 23:26-47 from The Living Bible translation

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