



# SOCIETY

**Portia Club**

Mrs. W. B. Blackaby presided during the business session of the Portia Club on Monday afternoon of this week. The music chairman, Miss Louise Harland, led the club in the singing of the George Wifertson that charge of the program for the afternoon, and presided Mrs. John McKinney, who gave a very interesting talk on the post war perspective, and Sylvia Petree, who played a piano solo. Mr. McKinney, presided at the tea table and an open discussion on the peace plan was opened by the members.

**Wedding Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ladd celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary on Monday night of this week by entertaining at a pinochle party. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stenger, Mr. and Mrs. George Albrecht, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hildreth and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Vickle. Prizes were received by Mr. and Mrs. Stenger, Ralph Van Vickle and Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht. The guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Ladd a 15-piece set of Iowan China.

**Fellowship Dinner**

A large group of the members of the Methodist church enjoyed a fellowship dinner in the church basement following the morning worship service last Sunday. The group held a discussion on the Bishop's Crusade for New World Order. Several of the members will attend the Idaho meeting in connection with this crusade, which will be held in Boise next Saturday and Monday, January 15 and 16.

**Nyssa Pinochle Club**

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Patch entertained the members of the Nyssa pinochle club at their home on the Heights on Wednesday night of last week. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borgman, and Helen Ponning, all of Nyssa; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Patch, and the host and hostess. Prizes for high score were awarded Mrs. Cotton, and L. W. Patch. Traveling prize was received by Mrs. Borgman.

**Republican Women Meet**

The Payette County Republican women met at the home of Mrs. B. W. Grover in Fruitland on Tuesday afternoon of this week. Due to so much illness the attendance was smaller than usual. Mrs. F. H. Hogue gave a talk on field subjects and this was followed by a round table discussion. Hostesses were Mrs. Clarence Hallbeck, Mrs. L. L. Young, Mrs. Ed. Mess, and Mrs. Grover.

**Sunday Dinner**

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Thornton entertained at Sunday dinner honoring their son Allen who recently arrived from California and who left that evening for service with the U. S. Air Corps. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gowdy, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carpenter; Josephine Thornton, and the guest of honor, Jim Conrad, Virginia Souder, Harry Anderson and Lt. Charles Frazier were others at the Thornton home during the evening.

**Tabitha Society**

Mrs. Lester Asmussen, Mrs. S. M. Peterson, and Mr. L. T. Reimers were hostesses to the members of the Tabitha Society on Monday night at a dinner at the Baheroff. Following the dinner the business meeting was held with guest speakers including Rev. Lienkampf and Frieda Reimers. Lt. Reimers was also a guest of the society.

**Dorcas Society**

The Dorcas society of the Church of God met in the basement on Wednesday of last week for an all day session. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon and quilting was the activity for the rest of the day. Twelve members were present and Mrs. Lee Inniss of the Oregon Shire was a visitor.

**Past Masters Club**

The Past Masters of the Masonic Blue Lodge met last Tuesday night at Peterson's Cafe for a six-thirty dinner. The Past Masters club was organized with Bill Rowberry, the immediate past Master of the Blue Lodge, selected as president for this year. Sixteen past Masters were present.

**Tuesday Night Club**

Mrs. Ivor Williams, entertained the members of the Tuesday night club at her home this week. Guests of the club were Mrs. Emil Freudenthal, Mrs. C. E. Nelson, Mrs. Lyle Wells and Mrs. Leonard Dugald. Prizes were won by Mrs. Jim Smith, Mrs. Harry Evans of Fruitland and Mrs. Freudenthal.

**Sunday Dinner**

Mrs. and Mrs. Ed Martin of Weiser and Petty Officer, and Mrs. Clifford Martin of Boise were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sipe.

**Thursday Afternoon Bridge**

Mrs. Mary Johnson, president of the Thursday afternoon bridge club, reported the Friday afternoon session. Guests were Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Ed. Wicks, Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. DeMont, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. DeMont, Judd, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Mary Dungan, Mrs. Paulson, Mrs. Louise Johnson, Mrs. Snyder, and the regulars.

Mrs. Thelma Thompson, one of the leading supporters to the Noble Order of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and Mrs. Norma Blair and Christine Johnson, other supporters, Inez Berg and Ethel Ausman.

During the meeting, instructive and entertainment talks were given by the special guests, Blanch Young, retiring Noble Grand, was presented a past grand pin.

Other guests were Mrs. Stephen Flesher, a former member, Miss Emma Moulton of Emmett and Mrs. Bert Weisz of Ada, wife of Boise, now living in Fruitland.

**I.O.O.F.**

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows held their installation meeting on Wednesday night of last week. Installing officers were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Taylor, ouring for Mrs. Taylor who has died, with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Menefee, District Deputy Grand Master; Clarence Hallock, Dist. Deputy Grand Marshal; Charlie E. Dist. Deputy Grand Secretary; Tom Moogridge, Dist. Deputy Grand Warde; L. C. Rader, Dist. Deputy Grand Chaplain. The following officers were installed to serve for the year 1944: Ralph Bellings, N. G.; Earl Fellows, Vice Pres.; A. M. Harland, Rec. Sec.; C. E. Fenton, Fin. Sec.; E. H. Moore, General; Claude Cartwright, G. S. Davis, L. S.; John May, Welfare; Virgil Fellows, Cond.; Clarence Hallcock, Chaplain; Charlie E. R. S. S.; L. C. Rader, L. S. S.; Walter Steiner, Inst. Guards; Lawrence Bergman, Outside Guard; Tom Gladding, R. S. V. P. and Lawrence Warden, L. S. V. O.

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**Sunday Turkey Dinner**

At the home of Mrs. Forney Stanley on Monday night of this week, Mrs. Melvin Carpenter and Mrs. Stanley entertained at a big shower for Miss Albert Strey who will become the bride of Loy Hanson on Sunday, January 16th. The living room was decorated with flowers and on the mantle, a gay bride dressed in a white satin gown and surrounded by hearts and bells covered by silver beads was the main attraction. Prize winners in contests during the evening were Mrs. C. L. Ball, Mrs. DeMont, Judd, Mrs. Mathew Brumell, and Miss Strey. The invited guests were Mrs. Fred Strey, Mrs. Helen Strey, Mrs. A. A. Hansen and Dennis, Mrs. Ronald Hale, Mrs. John F. Stroer, Mrs. Matthew Brumell, Mrs. Ernest Mattson, Mrs. Schmitt Peterson, Mrs. Patrice, Mrs. D. O. Schroeder, Mrs. Emil Freudenthal, Mrs. Tolie Masling, Mrs. Edith Clark, Mrs. Lyle Wells, Mrs. Joseph Wahlin, Mrs. Dorell Trussell, Mrs. Earl Dean, Mrs. Arnold Sabier, Mrs. Sue E. Jones, Mrs. Ada Congdon, Mrs. A. B. Moss, Mrs. Clara Sherwood, Mrs. Eli Wells, Mrs. C. L. Ball and Ruth Ann, Mrs. Ollie Walker, Mrs. Corsi Thompson, Mrs. Clayton Hawkins, Mrs. Jim Hutchin-

son, Mrs. Clarence Hallbeck, Mrs. L. L. Young, Mrs. Ed. Mess, and Mrs. Grover.

**Sunday Dinner**

No host dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tolie Masling, on Sunday evening of this week, honoring John Baldridge who is visiting in Payette from Peary, Virginia. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Baldridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wicks, Mr. and Mrs. Nowlen Howard of Ermitland and Mr. and Mrs. Masling.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hanigan and family were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Shaefer and son, Hudson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Meekan and family at dinner on last Sunday. This dinner was given in honor of Hudson Shaefer, who is here from Oregon State college at Corvallis.

**Rebekah Installation**

New officers of Harmony Rebekah Lodge of Payette were installed at the regular meeting Thursday evening which was preceded by a dinner at six-thirty for the six members present. Table decorations were red ribbons, crystal candelabra, and red carnations, and white chrysanthemums in crystal bowls. Lovely corsages were placed by the white dress guest.

A special installing team composed of Idaho Assembly officers who conducted the ceremonies were Mrs. Grace Baird of Caldwell, vice president of the Rebekah Assembly of Idaho; Mrs. Ida Warner, warden; Mrs. Mabel Garland, secretary; Mrs. Leila Schetter, treasurer; of Nampa; and Mrs. Edith Florence, marshal of Emmett, who was assisted by Mrs. Myrtle Albee, Mrs. Carmilla Putzett, Miss Josephine Wilson and Mrs. Hazel Rogers of Emmett, who acted as escorts in seating the officers.

Elective officers installed were: Flossie Patton, Noble Grand; Jeanette Farnham, vice grand; Fern

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Mrs. Edna Morrison, Mrs. Edna Johnson, Mrs. Ed. Wicks, Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. DeMont, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. DeMont, Judd, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Mary Dungan, Mrs. Paulson, Mrs. Louise Johnson, Mrs. Snyder, and the regulars.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harland, Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schubert of North Pay-

ette, and Mr. Martin Bailes of Portland, Oregon, arrived Thursday night, this week to visit Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stroer of Payette. They will be engaged in their work in the Payette Safeway Store and Mr. W. Wilson, operator of the Safeway, will be in charge. The opening is scheduled for next Saturday.

Edward Soileau arrived from Hermiston, Oregon, the first of the week, to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives in Payette.

Robert Kell, left Payette Sunday for Billings, Montana, after receiving word of the death of his father, Charles Lewis.

Both Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fasson are victims of the flu and are confined to their home for a few days.

Miss June Schamberger has been absent from the West Side school this week and Mrs. Muriel Doan is substituting in her room.

Dean and Clyde Creek, accompanied by Elsie VanHiston, left Wednesday morning for Portland, Oregon where Clyde is employed by the Disney Corporation. Dean and Mr. VanHiston will return to Seattle where they will go on a new assignment for the War Department.

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