





**F. F. A. ELECTS**

Members of the Kendrick F. F. A. chapter elected officers for the coming year at a meeting held Tuesday, April 29, at the Vo Ag building. Nineteen F. F. A. youths were present for the annual election.

Chosen president for the coming year was Jerry Galloway. Vice president will be Ronnie Renfrow; Secretary, Donnie Parks; Treasurer, Doug Pratt; Reporter, Ray Helmgartner and Sentinel, Boyd Candler. Class Advisor Doyle Whittig.

Third At Moscow  
Mr. Whittig and six members of the local chapter drove to Moscow Saturday to attend the annual Livestock Judging contest at the University Farm Buildings. The Kendrick boys placed third in this competition. — Ray Helmgartner, reporter.

Pienicking? See Blewett's in Kendrick for your supplies.

**THANK YOU**

We gratefully thank all who helped in so many ways in the passing of our wife and mother. Especially do we thank the Assembly of God Church women for the bounteous dinner for the family and friends following the funeral, and to those who furnished the music, words of sympathy, etc. Our sincere thanks to the hundreds of you who sent cards, flowers, memorials, gifts during her illness and at her death. Words cannot express our feeling of gratitude for your thoughtful kindness through these past months. — Louis Wright and Margaret. 18-1

**WOMEN'S SOCIETY**

The Women's Society of the Kendrick United Methodist Church will meet on Thursday, May 8 at the parsonage, home of Mrs. Marvin Maddux. Mrs. Dave Clayton will be co-hostess.

**THE MEANEST MOTHER . . .**

I had the meanest mother in the whole world. While other kids ate candy for breakfast, I had to have cereal, eggs and toast. While others had cakes and candy for lunch, I had to eat a sandwich. As you guess, my supper was different from the other kids' too.

But at least I wasn't alone in my suffering. My sister and two brothers had the same mean mother I did. My mother insisted upon knowing where we were at all times. You'd think we were on a chain gang. She had to know who our friends were and what we were doing. She insisted if we said we'd be gone an hour, that we be gone an hour or less. . . not one hour and one minute. I am nearly ashamed to admit it, but she actually struck us. Not once, but she actually hit me several times. Can you imagine someone actually hitting a child just because he disobeyed? Now you can begin to see how mean she really was.

The worst is yet to come. We had to be in bed by nine each night and up early the next morning. We couldn't sleep in till noon like our friends. So while they slept, my mother actually had the nerve to break the child-labor law. She made us work. We had to wash dishes, make beds, learn to cook and all sorts of cruel things. I believe she laid awake at night thinking up mean things to do to us.

She always insisted upon our telling the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, even if it killed us — and it nearly did.

By the time we were teenagers, she was much wiser, and our life became even more unbearable. None of this touting the horn of a car for us to come running. She embarrassed us to no end by making our dates and friends come to the door to get us. I forgot to mention, while my friends were dating at the mature age of 12 and 13, my old-fashioned mother refused to let me date until the age of 15 and 18.

Fifteen, that is, if you dated to go to school functions . . . and that was maybe twice a year . . . my mother was a complete failure as a mother. None of us has ever been arrested, divorced or beaten his mate. Each of my brothers served his time

**GOLDEN RULE**

ALMA BETTS

Mr. and Mrs. George Finke drove to Orofino last Sunday, where they met the Dick Watson family, and toured the countryside.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Owens of Cle Elum, Wn. (nee Barb Ballard) called on Alma Betts Monday evening. On Tuesday she took them on a tour of the Dix Creek area, where she was born in 1936.

Mrs. Albert Lawrence visited with Mrs. Dan Sullivan at Teakean, Wednesday.

Mrs. B. A. Kite and Alma Betts visited Mrs. Nell Vaughn Wednesday afternoon. Thursday they drove to Pierce to spend the day with Alma's daughter, Mrs. Don Christensen, who is nursing a broken leg. Others joining in the day's visit were Carl Finke, Mrs. Dick Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grottel, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lacey and baby and Eugene Betts, the latter of Coeur d'Alene.

Chester Martin has spent his two-week vacation here at their ranch. Mrs. Martin joined him part-time. They returned to their home in Lewiston on Saturday. Mr. Martin visited with Alma Betts Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hasse visited his mother, Emma Hasse, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. George Finke visited her mother, Mrs. Chas. Baack on Wednesday.

Mrs. Elmer Souders spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. George Finke.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bashaw of Orofino visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Martin Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Albert Lawrence and Bonnie were Lewiston visitors Friday. They called on Mrs. Marlene Meyer at the hospital there and report her as getting along nicely.

Mrs. Agatha Perkins was a Lewiston visitor, Thursday. Hazel Brudzman returned home with her for a visit. Friday they were luncheon guests of Alma Betts.

Mrs. Albert Lawrence and children visited in the Reinhardt Schroeder home Saturday.

Elsie Darby of Kendrick and Fred Darby of Moscow visited with Wm. Kander, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lumper visited her mother, Mildred Wright, Sunday. They were enroute home from Coeur d'Alene and Spokane.

Mrs. Elmer Lohman and Mrs. Marvin Trout and Billie Jo of Kendrick visited in the Albert Lawrence home Sunday.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Miss Sharon Schoonover was honored at a miscellaneous bridal shower, given by the ladies of the Kendrick Assembly of God Church on Thursday afternoon of last week.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received. About 30 guests attended. Those from out of town were Mrs. Adrian Schoonover and Margaret (mother and sister of Sharon), Lewiston, and Mrs. Samuel Stedman, David and Ann of Clarkston. Mrs. Robert Smith was in charge of the games.

A lovely lunch was served by the ladies of the church.

**WILLIAM O. HAXTON NAMED TO NFO COUNTY POST**

GENESEE—William O. Haxton, local farmer, was chosen county bargaining supervisor Monday during the regular monthly meeting of the Latah Co. NFO. As bargaining supervisor, Bill will work closely with other Latah County NFO members and act as liaison between them and the NFO marketing area coordinator, Vance Combs, of Pasco, Washington.

The Latah Co. NFO has met the requirements necessary for a county organization and has received its charter from the Corning, Iowa, headquarters.

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in the service of this country. And whom do we have to blame for the terrible way we turned out? You're right, our mean mother.

Look at all the things we missed. We never got to march in a protest parade, nor to take part in a riot, burn draft cards, and a million and one things our friends did. She forced us to grow up into God-fearing, educated, honest adults.

Using this as a background, I am trying to raise my three children. I stand a little taller and I am filled with pride when my children call me "mean."

Because, you see, I thank God. He gave me the "meanest" mother in the whole world. — Anonymous (borrowed from California News Letter). — Contributed to the Gazette-News by Chas. Fey, Kendrick.

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