

**HORDVILLE NEWS**

by Marie Clayton

**Plans For Hordville's Diamond Jubilee, Sept. 5 And 6, Are Detailed In This News Column**

Word has been received of the death of Mrs Harry Hughes of Medford, Ore. Mrs Hughes will be remembered as Mrs Lucy Cohagan, the wife of Billy Cohagan. They lived in this area on a farm south of town during the 30s. Mrs Hughes lived with her daughter, Lois in Medford. Funeral services were Tuesday at Escalon, Cal.

The Baptist Church will be having lakeside church services next Sunday morning at 10:45 a.m. at the Emmett Shoup lake. To get to the site drive 3 miles north of Hordville to the Covenant Cedars Bible Camp. Turn east and go 1/4 mile. Go through the gate on the north side of the road and follow the pasture road to its end. There will be a potluck dinner following the morning worship. There will be no Sunday School that day.

Dallas Timmons of Houston, Tex. was guest of honor at a get-together and picnic supper Sunday afternoon and evening at the Norvan Parsons cabin. The afternoon was spent swimming and water skiing. Seventy five schoolmates, friends and relatives were in attendance from Hays, Kansas, Las Vegas, Nev., Verdigre, Central City, Silver Creek, Polk, Lincoln, Clarks, Grand Island and Hordville.

Craig Garrett left Thursday for National Guard Camp at Camp Ripley, Minn. He will be gone through August 23rd. Mrs Garrett and Dana have gone back to Lincoln to spend a few days with her parents.

Guests of Mr and Mrs Roger Clayton Sunday afternoon in honor of his birthday were Mr and Mrs Cliff Kahler, Doug and Susan of Lincoln, Mr and Mrs Jack Lincoln and family of Grand Island, E. L. Clayton, Mr and Mrs Edwin Cobb, Mr and Mrs Gary Clayton and girls, Jim Clayton and Aaron all of Central City and Mrs Marie Clayton.

Mr and Mrs Charles Van Pelt held an open house at their home Saturday evening in honor of their 45th wedding anniversary. One hundred and eighty friends and relatives joined in the happy occasion. Present were the Van Pelt children and their families, Mr and Mrs Dan Van Pelt of Bennington, Glen and Mary Fesser and daughters of Morrisonville, Ill., Nancy Brown and sons of Beaver Crossing, Stan and Carol Corbett and boys of Glenwood, Iowa, Mike and Doris Cerny and Brianna of Columbus, Bonnie Van Pelt of Lincoln and Jay and Paula Van Pelt and boys of Hordville.

Friday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Orville Garrett were Mr and Mrs Mike Garrett and boys, and Mr and Mrs Bill Garrett and Jeremy of Polk. The occasion was in honor of Dennis who was celebrating his 12th birthday.

There will be a mini-town cleanup on Monday, August 31 at 6:00 p.m. followed by a potluck supper after the work is completed.

Mrs Rick Blase and daughters of Gothenburg were visitors of relatives here the week end of August 1. Mrs Blase and family and Mr and Mrs Emmett Shoup attended the Czech festival at Wilbur Sunday. Emmett rode in the parade with the Shrine Motor Patrol.

The planning committee for Hordville's Diamond Jubilee met Thursday morning to finalize the plans for the celebration. On Saturday, September 5 at 12:30 p.m. there will be a parade, starting with the kiddies' parade. At 2 p.m. there will be the judging of the beard contest. From 3-4 there will be games for the younger children and a softball game for children, in grades 2-4. At 3 there will be a cow-chip throwing contest, dunking stool, muddy pig contest, a unique golf game on an unusal golf course, Anything Goes bingo and other events. At 5 p.m. there will be a pork barbecue. There will be other events going on during the afternoon including a Pepsi Challenge, horse back rides, etc. There will be several

food stands and booths, an opening at the conclusion of the parade. There will be a street dance from 8-midnight featuring the 4 C's. At the same time there will be the showing of slides and movies of Hordville happenings at the Community Building. Sunday morning union services will be held in the park after which those people who have lived in the District 61 school district 75 years or were at the land sale September 12, 1906 will be honored. A potluck dinner will be served at noon. It is planned to have a flea market in the town park from 12:30-5 p.m. There will be horse shoe pitching contests and water fights Sunday afternoon. Items for sale during the celebration include booster tee shirts, quilt blocks for a Diamond Jubilee quilt, souvenir spoons and a reproduction of either the 1st or 2nd copy of the newspaper, The Hordville Leader, of June 1906. Those desiring to enter the parade can contact Darold Ortegren or the elevator. Those interested in setting up a stand at the flea market should call Mrs Donald Lampshire. Those who have lived here 75 years can call Verna Frickson or Margaret Larson or Iola Fowler. Tee shirts can be ordered from Mrs Randy Fowler. Mrs Patti Becker is taking entries for the kiddie parade. Mrs Nadine Guilford and Mrs Marie Clayton are still collecting old photographs and snapshots and getting films and slides to show. There are many more events that could be listed and will be as the celebration draws nearer.

Mrs Nadine Guilford has an interesting collection of pictures at the store, of pioneers, present day citizens and those youngsters who will be the ones in charge of the 100th Hordville celebration in 2006. Stop in to see the pictures and bring yours to add to the collection. These pictures will be on display at the Community Building during the celebration.

Mr and Mrs Emmett Shoup attended the Shrine Parade and Shrine football game in Lincoln Saturday. Emmett rode with the Shrine Motor Patrol in the parade.

Members of the Fridhem-Grace parish had morning worship services at South Park in Central City Sunday morning followed by a potluck picnic dinner.