

SOCIETY and CLUBS

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two-act comedy, which promises to be of great interest to everyone attending. A cast of seventy-five local residents will take part in the entertainment.

Campfire Activities



Eldora DeMots

Eldora DeMots, of the national field staff of Camp Fire, will be in Roseburg next Wednesday, February 26, and will speak to Camp Fire leaders and all mothers interested, at the junior high school building at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Eldora DeMots joined the national field staff in January, 1931. Her father was born in the Netherlands, a fact of which the whole family is very proud. Her father and mother were among the pioneers who settled the Dakotas. The story of their experiences reminds one of "The Covered Wagon" and "Reverend's" novels. There were Indians, both neighbors and otherwise, prairie fires, bitter winters, summer droughts, plagues of locusts, and other hardships which these pioneers faced with sturdy courage. Later the family moved to Minnesota, where Eldora DeMots was born, and then to Sioux Center, Iowa, where she went to grade school and high school.

It was at Fresno college that she received her B. A. degree. At college she was very popular and active in school activities, was president of the study body organization and prominent in athletics and dramatics. To help defray her expenses she worked on the Fresno playgrounds directing athletics and club programs, and it was through this work that she began her professional connections with the department of recreations and playgrounds at Fresno where she worked three years. Then she went to Bakersfield, California, and joined the staff of the Kern county high school and junior college, first as a teacher in the department of physical education and later as head of the department. Her work brought her in touch with all the girls and the direction of the school's social and club activities came under her supervision. Her enthusiasm, sincerity, vivid personality and sympathetic understanding made her a real friend of all the girls in school. She became very much interested in Camp Fire, was a Camp Fire guardian herself and served as a member of the committee of awards. The Camp Fire program is so popular in Kern county that it is the outstanding club activity for girls, and school credit is given for membership.

Summer was a time of enriching experiences for Eldora DeMots. She attended the Sierra summer sessions of the Fresno college, University of California at Los Angeles, at Huntington Lake, California, and one summer session at Columbia university in New York, and the University of Hawaii in Honolulu. For four years she directed the camp of the Kern County Camp Fire girls. She loves outdoor life and hiking and has some rather exceptional achievements to her credit. She has scaled the top of Half Dome (Yosemite valley) a feat and often accomplished by a woman. This accomplishment required a good many miles of rough hiking to reach the base of this barren, unforgiving glacier polished granite rock, where her hiking shoes were exchanged for shoes with rubber soles for the final climb of more than 1000 feet at an angle of forty-five degrees. This granite cliff has had eye bolts driven into it, and through these bolts a cable of rope is passed so the climbers may have assistance. When Eldora DeMots scaled Half Dome, the first woman of that season, the cable was down, making her feat the more remarkable. She has also swum more than once, farther than a half mile across an icy mountain lake, at an elevation of 7200 feet, and has killed rattlesnakes with a revolver.

So, you see, she is resourceful, quick-witted and courageous, and has staying qualities as well as enthusiasm.

Ab-Neah-Nika

A meeting of the Ab-Neah-Nika Camp Fire group was held Tuesday to plan a tea to be held at the armory Saturday.

On Saturday the tea for the mothers of the Camp Fire group was enjoyed at the armory. The following program was presented: tap dance by Jean Dillard, Phyllis Hinsdale and Beverly Britt; duet by Faith and Virginia Young; piano solo by Louise Smith; and piano selections by Ethelwyn MacLay and Peggy Smith.

Mrs. Thomas Parkinson, presi-

dent of the American Legion auxiliary, presided at the tea table.

Ki-Lo-Hab-Nee had a brief business meeting following school at the junior high Thursday evening. The group completed records of membership for the guardian's annual report. Members present were: Claretha Roslund, Marjorie Ott, Corinne Anne Perry, Barbara Collier, Corinne Harpham, Eva Baker, Delores Cacy, Wilma Feldkamp, Betty Mae Whipple and Mary Ellen Bywater.

The group will attend church services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, Feb. 23.

LEAP YEAR DANCE AND BAZAAR ANNOUNCED FOR NEXT SATURDAY

A most enjoyable affair of next Saturday night, February 23, is the Leap Year dance and bazaar to be held at the South Door Creek grange hall and to which the general public has been most cordially invited.

The home economics club of the grange will sponsor a bazaar from eight to nine-thirty o'clock, which will be followed by dancing. The proceeds will go to benefit the grange hall.

MRS. J. N. BOOR ENTERTAINS FOR HOUSE GUEST

Mrs. J. N. Boor entertained at a charming bridge luncheon at her home this week to compliment Mrs. A. C. Gates, of Bridge, who is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Boor. Three tables of bridge were in play during the afternoon with Mrs. Gates winning the high score prize and low score prize going to Mrs. Paul Dussau. The serving tables were beautifully appointed in the Washington motif.

JOB'S DAUGHTERS DANCE TO BE HELD NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

February 28 has been announced as the date of the Job's Daughters formal dance for this month to be held at the Elks temple at eight-thirty o'clock. Mrs. Paul Jenkins is general chairman of the dancing party, which promises to be a very delightful affair.

MASONS WILL ENJOY CRAB FEED NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Next Wednesday evening, February 26, Laurel Lodge No. 13, A. F. and A. M. members will enjoy a six-thirty o'clock crab feed at the Masonic temple, after which the E. A. degree work will be put on. All members are invited to enjoy the evening at the temple.

PUBLIC INVITED TO NOON LUNCHEON ON NEXT TUESDAY

The general public has been most cordially invited to attend a noon luncheon from 11:30 to 1:30 o'clock next Tuesday, February 25, to be sponsored by the Catholic Ladies Sewing society at St. Joseph's Catholic parish hall.

Mrs. L. L. Miller is general chairman of the dining room and Mrs. W. F. Fiest chairman of the luncheon.

FIRESIDE PARTY PLANNED FOR COUNTRY CLUB MEMBERS, MARCH 1

The ladies of the Roseburg Country club met Thursday and at the business meeting planned a delightful fireside party for members of the club only to be held at the clubhouse Sunday, March 1. A five o'clock potluck supper will be followed by a very pleasant social evening.

Contract bridge was played from ten to twelve o'clock with Mrs. H. A. Davis winning the prize for high score. At noon luncheon was served to Mrs. Walter Fisher, Mrs. Phil Harth, Mrs. H. A. Davis, Mrs. R. D. Bridges, Mrs. J. F. Dillard, Mrs. W. E. Ott, Mrs. C. C. Archibald, Mrs. Glenn Owen, Mrs. J. M. Judd, Mrs. Broadway, Mrs. C. W. Wharton, Mrs. W. F. Chapman and Mrs. J. E. Marks. Golfing was enjoyed in the afternoon.

A public card party has been planned by the ladies to be held at the clubhouse the middle of March. Next Thursday the ladies will meet at 10 a. m. at the clubhouse for bridge and a potluck luncheon. The committee announced for the fireside party for March 1 includes Mrs. Broadway and Mrs. C. W. Wharton, joint chairmen, and Mrs. A. W. Davis, Mrs. Clair K. Allen, Mrs. R. D. Coen, Mrs. W. F. Chapman and Mrs. George H. Smith.

CHARMING SHOWER PARTY GIVEN MRS. MADDOX AT STEPHENS HOME THURSDAY

Mrs. Alfred Stephens was a most gracious hostess Thursday, when she entertained at a lovely shower party to compliment Mrs. R. R. Maddox. Following the presentation of the many lovely shower gifts to Mrs. Maddox, games and visiting were enjoyed with prizes going to Mrs. Maddox and Mrs. Kronke.

At the tea hour Mrs. Stephens served delicious refreshments to Mrs. Maddox, guest of honor, Mrs. Henry Weber, Mrs. A. Townsend, Mrs. M. Coulee, Mrs. Harry Burr, Mrs. Walter Kurtz, Mrs. Sam Campbell, Mrs. Albert Kronke, Mrs. Francis Chase, Mrs. William Stark and Miss Geraldine Stephens.

UNIVERSITY CLUB WILL MEET AT TAVERN NEXT MONDAY EVENING

All members of the University club are urged to attend the meeting next Monday evening, February 24, to be held at Carl's Tavern at eight o'clock. Election of officers will be held.

EAGLES DRILL TEAM WILL SPONSOR LEAP YEAR DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

The Eagles auxiliary drill team has announced a leap year dance to be held at nine o'clock next Saturday night, February 29 at the Maccabee hall.

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MELROSE H. E. CLUB HOLDS ALL-DAY MEETING

The Melrose Home Economics club met Thursday for an all-day meeting at Mrs. J. F. Bonebrake's. The ladies worked on a quilt and made plans for a program to be held at the grange hall February 27. At 1 Mrs. Bonebrake with Mrs. Clara Christiansen served a two-course dinner to the following guests: Mrs. Grace Fenn, Mrs. Margaret Fenn, Mrs. Norma Fenn, Mrs. Crystal Conn, Mrs. Catherine Horn, Mrs. Ethel Buesenark, Mrs. Eunice Wicklund, Mrs. Alice Goff, Mrs. Amy Matthews, Mrs. Gladys Mabley, Mrs. Lucille Conn and the hostesses, Mrs. Bonebrake and Mrs. Christiansen. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Della Egley March 5.

B. P. W. C. WILL MEET NEXT MONDAY AT CLUBHOUSE

The Business and Professional Women's club will meet at eight o'clock Monday evening, February 24, at the clubhouse with Miss Vera Carothers, president, in charge of the business session. Mrs. Elizabeth Garrett, international relations chairman, will have charge of the program. All members are urged to be present.

MISS MINA GILE ENTERTAINS CLUB AT LOVELY LUNCHEON

Miss Mina Gile entertained the New Idea club at a very lovely one o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. R. L. Gile Wednesday. Daffodils and a yellow motif completed the pretty table appointments.

Covers were placed for Mrs. Ella Lough, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Robert Gile, guests, and Mrs. Williams, Mrs. John H. Porter, Mrs. C. E. Marks, Mrs. Ella Harris, Mrs. V. R. Buckingham, Mrs. R. L. Gile, Miss Betty Anne Faulkner and the hostess, Miss Mina Gile.

Sewing and visiting were enjoyed during the pleasant afternoon hours. The next meeting of the club will be a one o'clock luncheon March 4 at the home of Mrs. C. E. Marks.

EPISCOPAL GUILD WILL MEET NEXT TUESDAY EVENING

All members and friends have been invited to enjoy the meeting of St. George's Episcopal guild to be held at the parish hall at eight o'clock next Tuesday evening, February 26. Mrs. Robert C. Buck, president, will conduct the business meeting.

ness meeting. Mrs. L. A. Dillard will have charge of the program for the meeting and hostesses for the social hour are Mrs. Will H. Gerretsen and Mrs. H. Zacharisen.

American Legion Auxiliary Activities

Motto: "We honor the dead by serving the living."

Meeting Held

A meeting of Umpqua unit of the American Legion auxiliary was held Wednesday afternoon at the armory with Mrs. Thomas Parkinson, president, in charge. On account of the state convention to be held in Roseburg in 1936, it has been decided that the meeting days of the auxiliary should be held at the same time as Umpqua post of the American Legion, so considerable discussion was given over to changing the Wednesday afternoon meeting dates back to Tuesday evenings.

The auxiliary is now making a study of the constitution and at this meeting papers were read by Mrs. Roy O. Young and Mrs. A. O. Rose, followed by an interesting panel discussion. At the next meeting, Tuesday night, March 3, at

eight o'clock at the armory, papers on this subject will be read by Mrs. Roy O. Young, Mrs. Ned Dixon, Mrs. L. E. Gile and Mrs. J. A. Cobb, with the panel discussion following.

The annual poppy poster contest was discussed and bulletins have been sent to teachers in the county from the county school superintendent's office.

The annual Memorial Day Poppy sale was also discussed and veterans at the home are already beginning plans for making the poppies for this annual sale. About 3000 will be made this year at the home here.

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