

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY IS HELD

The annual Christmas party of the Green study club was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. George Piper at Kelley's Korner Tuesday.

Gifts were exchanged and sewing and visiting were enjoyed during the afternoon. At the tea hour a Christmas luncheon was served by Mrs. Piper to Mrs. A. F. Lounsbury, Mrs. Walter Jones, Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. Percy Myers, Mrs. John Hess, Mrs. E. P. Ballou, Mrs. Carl Schmidt, Mrs. Vellie Lewis and Mrs. Norman Fisher.

The meeting on January 6th will be held at the home of Mrs. Norman Fisher.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HAS FINE MEETING

GLENDALE, Dec. 31.—The Presbyterian Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. R. D. Sorrels Friday afternoon. A short business meeting was held and a chapter from the book "Throughfare for Freedom" was read by Mrs. Moushatt. The title of the chapter was "Let My People Go," which was about the American negro.

The members present were, Mrs. Sorrels, Mrs. B. E. Mouchet, Mrs. Roy Cunningham, Mrs. Harry Older and Mrs. H. B. Y'Blood.

JUNIOR MEMBERS OF COUNTRY CLUB TO BE HONORED AT DANCE

The tournament committee of the Ladies of the Country club have completed arrangements for a very charming dancing party honoring the junior members of the club Friday evening at the clubhouse.

Patrons and patronesses for the dance included Attorney and Mrs. Guy Cordon, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hume, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McClinton, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Ellsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Quine.

RIVERSDALE GRANGE TO MEET FRIDAY

Riversdale grange will meet Friday night at 8:15 o'clock at the hall. A program will follow the business session. All members are urged to be present. Refreshments will be served by Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cloake.

TURKEY DINNERS ENJOYED AT SUTHERLIN

SUTHERLIN, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Maude Vogelwohl entertained with a lovely dinner at her home on Fourth avenue Christmas day for Mr. and Mrs. William Hardesty and son, Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Batchelor, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardesty and son, all of Eugene and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Vogelwohl and children, Betty Lou and Maurice, Jr.

A delicious one o'clock turkey dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Slack at their home on Fourth avenue Christmas day. The table was very pretty with a centerpiece of electric tapers in the Christmas colors.

Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Slack, Mrs. Sylvia Bamber, Clint Bamber, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Slack and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Slack.

C. E. GROUP HAS ENJOYABLE PARTY

GLENDALE, Jan. 1.—The senior Christian Endeavor held a party in the parlors of the Presbyterian church Monday night. The evening was spent in playing games and later refreshments were served. The committee in charge included Author Young, Esther Harbour, Creston McNeel and Hazel McNeel.

Those present for the evening were Mrs. Ira Lewis, Harvard and Beverly Lewis, Mildred Gardner, Gloria Wunsch, Sam Witzel, Creston and Hazel McNeel, Ruel Meissner, Beth Meissner, Esther Harbour, Doll Harbour, Wilma Martin, Author Young and Phyllis Smith.

I Saw

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For one thing, Fred's method was a lot less painful than having rheumatism in a joint; and a lot less fatiguing than hunting all through a forest looking to see what the wild animals were doing.

Of course, one might have been able to find an Indian, and he'd have known all about what the weather would be. All Indians know that. But don't forget that even so he wouldn't have been allowed to tell anyone.

In all seriousness, I don't see why the government couldn't have let McCallister, the weather man here, continue dishing out his usual run of information, for publication. If that one act wouldn't have done a miraculous job of confusing the enemy and rendering him slap-happy with indecision as to what the weather actually was going to be, I'm a bigger liar than I even think I am. For that's the way it worked on us.

Canal Defenses "Ready," Word Received Here

Mrs. W. G. Gildersleeve, 828 Hoover street, received a letter this week from her daughter, Mrs. Jerome F. Evans of Balboa, Panama Canal Zone, which contained assurance that the zone's defenses were in readiness, and there was no reason to fear an immediate attack.

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"You can't even get the necessities of life any more without being taxed - and even then, half the time it isn't fit to drink!"

Aliens Respond to Camera-Radio Call



In San Francisco, resident aliens were quick to respond to an order to give up their cameras and short-wave radios, with Martin Donig, right, German alien, one of the first to turn in his camera to Officer Lorraine Eckhardt. The order, effective for some time in Honolulu, has been applied to the seven Western states.

Poverty Faced by Kin of Pacific Island Crews

GRANTS PASS, Ore., Jan. 1.—(AP)—With the fate of more than 200 southern Oregon workmen on mid-Pacific isles uncertain, a payless winter threatened their families.

Checks for November work, expected December 15, have not arrived, W. C. Allen, hiring agent for the contractors, said today. The November checks, if they come, probably will be the last in a long while.

Allen said that families of many of the men who signed for work on Midway, Wake, Midway and Palmyra were in straitened circumstances.

Mrs. Cleve Stevenson, county welfare head, said the relief problem in the county might become serious.

Chinese Halt Japanese Drive Toward Changsha

CHUNGKING, China, Jan. 1.—(AP)—Reinforcements were reported today to have swelled Japanese forces south of the Milo river to 50,000 for the drive on Changsha, but Chinese said they had been stopped by the stone-wall resistance of China's armies.

The invaders suffered heavy losses, it was said. Nevertheless Chinese suggested that the situation of Changsha, capital of Hunan province and a silk producing center, was grave.

On the north Kiangsi front the Chinese said they stormed a Japanese base at Kao-An Monday and inflicted heavy losses.

Enemy detachments which entered Wuning last Saturday have been under constant attack from surrounding heights, the Chinese said.

Fire Destroys Farm Home, Brooder House, Chicks

SALEM, Jan. 1.—(AP)—Two fires near Sublimity early today destroyed a farm home and a brooder house containing 900 chickens.

The R. C. Morton family, living on the John Smith farm four miles east of Sublimity, was

awakened at 12:30 a. m. by a barking dog. The house was ablaze, the family barely escaping into the cold winter night before the roof caved in. The house and furnishings, as well as a truckload of furniture which was being stored for a neighbor, were completely destroyed.

A fire at 6:30 a. m. in the brooder house at the Shoemaker poultry farm killed the 900 chickens, which were four to six weeks old.

MARKET REPORTS

LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 1.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—HOGS: Market about steady; good-choice 165-185 lb. weights 11.85-12.00; 235 lb. kinds 11.50; few 150 lb. weights 11.50; 82 lb. feeder pigs 11.00.

CATTLE: Limited supply cows and heifers steady to strong; steers scarce; strictly good fed steers quotable upward to 13.10 or above; few cullery dairy heifers 7.50-8.00; medium beef heifers up to 10.25; canner-cutter cows 5.00-6.25; fleshy dairy type cows 6.75-7.00; with heavy kinds quotable to 7.50 and over; medium-good beef cows salable 7.50-9.00; selected weaners to 14.00; calves, mostly cutter and common, at 7.00-8.00.

SHEEP: Market mostly nominal; few medium-good 83 lb. lambs 10.50; common 57 lb. weights 8.00; top fed, woolled lambs this week 11.50; fat ewes quotable 5.50-6.00.

Portland's distinctive hotel THE BENSON Broadway at Oak St.

Local News

Garden Valley Club to Meet

The Garden Valley Women's club will meet Friday at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Simpson.

Will Take Training

Wallace Cox and Don Harmon, of this city, have left for southern California to work for Douglas aircraft.

Attends to Business

R. B. Hampton, of the Umpqua forest service, with headquarters in Roseburg, went to Layng ranger station at Disston yesterday on business.

Leave For Seattle

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bull have left for their home in Seattle, following a visit here with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hennessy.

Return to Eugene

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith, of Eugene, spent the Christmas holidays in Roseburg visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morgan, and family.

Doing Nicely

Doris Rand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Rand of this city, is reported to be doing nicely at Mercy hospital, where she underwent an appendectomy a few days ago.

Back in Town

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Riley and children, Bill and Patricia, are back at their home in Laurelvood following the Christmas holidays spent at their cabin on Cavitt creek.

Arrive From Portland

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bailey and son, J. C., of Portland, arrived here last night to remain over the week-end visiting Mr. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey.

Back From Portland

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McClain and sons, John and Donnie, are back at their home on South Jackson street, following several days visiting relatives and friends in Portland.

P. E. O. to Meet

Chapter III of the P. E. O. Sisterhood will meet Friday at a 1:15 o'clock dessert-luncheon at the home of Mrs. Will H. Gerretsen at 123 Blakeley street.

Arrive Here

Attorney William W. Knight, secretary for the Pacific Northwest Newspaper association, Portland, arrived here last evening to join his family and to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Knight.

Arrive From Portland

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Johnson and children, Agnes Ruth and Tommy, of Portland, have arrived here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Riley and family. The Johnsons formerly made their home here.

Here Wednesday

James Rainville, of Tillier, spent Wednesday in this city attending to business and visiting friends. He was accompanied home by his sister, Miss May Belle, who has been working at Woolworth's during the Christmas season.

Keystone Club to Meet

The Methodist Keystone club will meet Friday at a 1:30 o'clock dessert-luncheon at the home of Mrs. Vernon Keel, 218 Court street, with Mrs. Ned Dixon and Mrs. Roscoe Marsters, assisting hostesses.

Bible Class to Meet

The Mid-Week Bible class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Friday at a one o'clock potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. Coenenberg in Sutherland with Freda Schaeffer acting as joint hostess. Election of officers will be held.

Returns South

Miss Cora Ueland has left for her work in Los Angeles, following the Christmas holiday in Roseburg visiting her father, L. A. Ueland, and sister, Miss Alice Ueland. Other visitors over the holidays at the L. A. Ueland home included his daughter, Miss Emma, of Glendale, Calif., who is still here; his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ueland, of Montana, and his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ness Knollin and son, Bob Roy, of Eugene.

Here From Tillier

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Berry, of Tillier, were here on business yesterday.

W. S. of C. S. to Meet

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the Dillard church Friday at a one o'clock potluck luncheon.

Sewing Group to Meet

The Christian Science relief sewing group will meet Friday at two o'clock at the Perkins building to work on bundles for Britain.

Visiting Parents

Miss Virginia Young, who is visiting her parents in San Francisco, and Miss Faith Young, student at O. S. C., are spending the holiday vacation here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young.

Support Urged On Douglas for Work Facing Red Cross

Disaster relief units of the American Red Cross are mobilizing in chapters throughout America to meet the threat of indiscriminate bombing. Chairman C. M. McDermott of Douglas county Red Cross chapter declared today in asking our all-out support of the American Red Cross \$50,000,000 fund for American war relief.

"For a number of years," Mr. McDermott pointed out, "the disaster service of the Red Cross has been preparing itself not only for fire and hurricane but for air attack and large scale sabotage. Now, as war comes to America, its work looms bigger every minute."

Word has come, he said, that chapters in Hawaii during the recent raids were right on the job, carrying out rescue work and giving extensive relief to the wounded and homeless. Red Cross personnel and volunteers removed civilians from the danger zones. Ten emergency medical stations, established there by the Red Cross some months ago, have given valuable service during this emergency. In the Philippines, thousands of trained volunteers were ready and were quickly mobilized.

"Its disaster service," he continued, "is just one Red Cross service which must be enlarged to meet our great crisis. More thousands of volunteers must be trained into its ranks. Welfare and medical services for our armed forces must undergo vast expansion, and every branch of the Red Cross enter the field of battle with flags flying. That is why a minimum of \$50,000,000 is needed to finance the program. Let's not wait another day. Let's make our contribution right now and show that Douglas county is one hundred per cent strong behind its Red Cross and the service of its country."

New Year's Revelry in U. S. Costs Lives of 61

(By the Associated Press) Violent death brought tragic endings to new year celebrations of at least 61 persons, victims of automobile crashes, homicides, falls and other causes.

Traffic took the larger share of the toll, 40 deaths, while miscellaneous causes accounted for the other 21.

The national safety council said the degree of care exercised by motorists and pedestrians on new year's eve might mean the difference between a new record traffic death list of nearly 40,000 for 1941 or a total short of 1937's mark of 39,643.

The national death total over the Christmas holiday was 431, consisting of 334 traffic and 97 from other causes.

Police Begin Stopping Auto License Laggards

SALEM, Jan. 1.—(AP)—State police began today to stop automobiles which do not have their 1942 license plates. Only 162,000 sets of the plates have been sold, while the total should be 450,000.

Nazis Preparing Attack on Turkey, Observer Reports

Suffering Greece Scene of Large-Scale Activity to Shift Blitzkrieg East

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Jan. 1.—(AP)—An observer arriving from Greece has given the allied authorities here information of extensive axis military activity in Greece and has described the tragic extent to which German-Italian plundering has brought on famine in that conquered land.

The Germans, he stated, are building new airports in Greece and the Greek islands close to Turkey, are practicing air invasion tactics similar to those used against Crete, and are building up a submarine force in the Aegean sea. New air bases have been constructed on the occupied islands of Mytilene, Chios and Samos—all less than 15 minutes flying time from the Turkish shore and the Dardanelles.

Other new airfields outfitted with steel-reinforced concrete runways surround Athens, this observer stated. He declared he had seen the Germans practicing with gliders attached to power planes, each glider capable of carrying a truck, small tank or 20 troops.

Subs, Bombs Stored. The German commandant at Athens, he went on, had requisitioned 3,000 rooms for air personnel "expected from Russia." He said he had learned that the axis had put together a number of prefabricated submarines for use in the Aegean and possibly beyond.

Warehouses in the Athens area, he went on, were "stuffed with oversized bombs running between 1,250 and 2,500 pounds." There has been another report here that large numbers of German troops and marines are in Grecian Thrace just west of the Turkish border. In this area, thus went the same account, French artillery taken from the Maginot line was seen, but Greek patriot bands fighting constantly against German convoys in western Thrace and many never reach their destination.

From Athens, it is reported that axis espionage bureaus are sending spies into Turkey, Iran, Syria and Egypt under the master Italian spy Major Emile Bassigiano, Greek Suffering Told.

This same report described purported first hand observation of the Greeks' suffering from famine caused by axis seizures of the conquered country's food.

The only food available was said to be that supplied at fabulous prices by theft from axis canteens. Very few benefit from axis illicit trade, however, because of the high prices demanded even for the simplest food and the unwillingness of the Greeks to deal with the enemy.

Hundreds of bodies, mostly of children, are picked up on the streets every day, the report said, picturing a horde of children clawing in garbage cans for bits of fruit and potato peelings.

Three secret Greek newspapers were said to circulate from hand to hand in the occupied Hellenic capital, spreading principally hopeful news selected from foreign broadcasts.

Rotary Club to Give 10 Books in U. S. O. Drive

Ten books, to be selected by a committee of the club, are being sent as a gift from the Roseburg Rotary club to the U. S. O. book drive for them in service. The action was taken by the club at its meeting yesterday upon the motion of John Runyan.

The meeting program was informal. Lt. J. T. Runyan spoke briefly emphasizing the seriousness of the war situation so far

as this area is concerned. The volunteer workers on the observation posts and in other activity in connection with the filter service need cooperation of all, he said. Lt. Runyan is in charge of the local filter center.

Visiting at Gordon Home—Miss Doris Chapter, of Corvallis, formerly of this city, is spending several days here visiting at the home of Attorney and Mrs. Guy Cordon.

INDIAN TODAY - FRIDAY SATURDAY DYNAMIC DRAMA of people who make the headlines! BETTY GRABLE VICTOR MATURE CAROLE LANDIS I WAKE UP SCREAMING Shows Today 2:30-7:15 9:15 P. M. Adults 30c-40c Kiddies 11c

LOUIE ENDS TODAY "Johnny Apollo" with TYRONE POWER PLUS LAUREL HARDY GREAT GUNS with SHEILA RYAN Coming Friday and Saturday Raiders of the Desert Richard ARLEN Andy DEVINY AND AHERNE The MAN WHO LOST HIMSELF with FRANCIS Adults 30c Kiddies 11c Shows Today 2:30-7:15-9:30 P. M.

FANCY YOUNG FRYERS lb. 27c 15c GROUND BEEF or SAUSAGE, lb. 15c KAMPFER'S HI-GRADE Sliced Bacon lb. 29c BEEF SHORT RIBS lb. 13 1/2c KAMPFER'S MEXICALI CHILI, lb. 25c TENDER RIB OR LOIN STEAKS, lb. 27c KAMPFER'S HI-GRADE HAMS lb. 28 1/2c BETTER MEATS Kampher BROTHERS

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