

Society and Clubs

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ETHEL BAILEY PAYS OFFICIAL VISIT TO ROSEBURG REBEKAH LODGE

A no-host banquet was held at the Hotel Umpqua Tuesday evening honoring Ethel Bailey, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon, who paid her official visit to Roseburg lodge No. 41 following the banquet.

Covers were placed for sixty guests. The Odd Fellows three link symbol of three links, arranged with cedar and laurel sprays and tall pink tapers graced the table. Mrs. Alice Goff acted as toastmistress. Officers of the Roseburg lodge acted as hostesses and introduced corresponding assembly officers, each of whom responded with a short talk. Decorations for the affair were in charge of Alice Goff, Mabel Wilson and Mayme Picketts. Other special guests were Mrs. Lydia Roadman, inside guardian of the Assembly; Ralph L. Russell, grand master of the grand lodge of Oregon; George Dimmick, grand conductor; J. B. Bailey, Mrs. Ralph L. Russell, Mrs. George Dimmick and H. B. Roadman.

The official visit of Mrs. Bailey to the lodge was made at the I. O. O. F. hall, Miss Lois Updike, noble grand, presided. The hall was beautifully decorated with the Christmas motif, while the large pedestal was topped by the three-links symbol, which had been silvered and decorated in the lodge colors of pink and green. The assembly president's slogan, "Look for the Good," was also decorated and used in the decorations. The hall was decorated by Velma Herman and Lois Updike.

The courtesy committee composed of Ethel Busenbark, Ella Lenox and Ina Laubach introduced the following grand officers: Ethel Bailey, president; Lydia Roadman, inside guardian; Ralph L. Russell, grand master; Marian Wilson, vice-president; Rena Marjary, marshal; May Hart, chaplain; Maggie Dent, district deputy president of the Roseburg Rebekah lodge.

An address was given by Evelyn Fredrickson was read by Alice Goff in tribute to the grand officers from the Roseburg lodge. Two members were admitted by card, Isabelle Hiney and Catherine Dearing and the degree work was conferred upon Eva Van Veen, Myrtle Thompson, Isabelle Hiney and Mildred Rietman of Sutherland lodge No. 218.

On behalf of Roseburg lodge, Gertrude Hatfield presented a gift to Mrs. Bailey and also to Marian Wilson, followed by an original song by Evelyn Fredrickson in tribute to the president and sung by a quartet composed of Ina Farnsworth, Margaret Saunders, Oliver Plummer and Fred A. Goff. Gifts were also presented to other grand officers.

A most interesting address was given by the assembly president, Mrs. Bailey, who expressed her pleasure in again being in her home lodge. Other entertainment included: community singing by Ina Farnsworth and humorous readings by J. B. Bailey. Following the meeting, refreshments were served in the banquet room at tables beautifully decorated in the holiday motif. Maggie Dent and Effie Schwartz acted as co-chairmen of the committee.

F. S. CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS DINNER AND PARTY SUNDAY

The F. S. club members entertained their husbands and guests at a delightful Christmas dinner and party Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patrick. Lovely Christmas decorations were used for the occasion.

Visiting was enjoyed during the evening. Those enjoying the occasion included: Mrs. Mabel Wilson, Mrs. Ruth Porter, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Decker, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Laird, Mrs. Harry F. Hatfield, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Blount, Mrs. B. W. Melson and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick.

The next meeting of the club has been postponed until January 24, at which time it will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl Decker. Christmas gifts will be exchanged by the members at this meeting.

CHRISTMAS CHEER COMMITTEE TO SPONSOR HOLIDAY PARTY DEC. 22

The annual Christmas party for the veterans at the facility will be sponsored by the Christmas Cheer committee next Friday evening, Dec. 22, at the facility.

Members of the committee are asked to meet next Wednesday night at 7:30 in the chamber of commerce to put seals on the packages and to meet again Thursday evening at the chamber of commerce office to fill the packages.

JOB'S DAUGHTERS ENTERTAIN AT PARTY

GLENDAL — Friday night, Dec. 8, the Job's Daughters gave Evelyn Uebel, a past honor queen, a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodley. A lovely supper was served and games were played. A lovely diary was given to Miss Uebel with all the girl's pictures in the back of the book. Later in the evening the girls went to the basketball game.

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CHRISTMAS MEETING OF WOMAN'S SOCIETY IS ENJOYED ON THURSDAY

Miss Margaret Clapp, chair, Mrs. C. H. Bailey, Mrs. C. E. Richmond and Mrs. W. M. Campbell were hostesses at a one-thirty o'clock dinner-luncheon and annual Christmas party of the Woman's society of the First Presbyterian church Thursday at the church parlors. Red and white candles on the tables were used for lighting, while bouquets of chrysanthemums and sprays of holly graced the table and were used in baskets about the room.

Mrs. O. S. Chambers, president, was in charge with Mrs. W. M. Campbell presenting the following Christmas program: devotions by Mrs. John E. Runyan who continued the study of the Book of Ephesians, picturing Paul as writing his letter to the Ephesians; year book of prayer, Mrs. Effie Schwarz, on study of foreign missions of Thailand and Syria and home missions on "The Inter-Mountain Area," group singing of "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," accompanied by Mrs. Homer Grow; Christmas story told by Mrs. W. M. Campbell with Mrs. Morris H. Roach playing "Little Town of Bethlehem," softly on the violin; beautiful Christmas prayer by Mrs. C. E. Richmond, violin solo, "Holy City," by Adams played by Mrs. Roach, accompanied by Mrs. Grow; piano solo, "Grand Opening March," by Blake, played by Mrs. Marie Flint McCall; vocal solo, "Silent Night," by Mrs. J. Roland Parker, accompanied by Mrs. Grow; Christmas reading, "Christmas Bells," by Lowell, presented by Mrs. Margaret Rodgers, and during the offering, Mrs. Grow whistled the solo, "The Birthday of the King," by Neldlinger; vocal duet, "There is a Song in the Air," by Harrington, sung by Mrs. Armour Murdoch and Mrs. Earl Plummer, accompanied by Mrs. Campbell; piano duet, "Moonlight," by Haven played by Mrs. C. H. Bailey and Mrs. Frank Bergh; group reading of "Joy to the World," and closing prayer by Mrs. Campbell.

Reports were made by Mrs. Murdoch, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Fies and Mrs. Plummer. A beautiful gift was presented by the society, Mrs. D. and Mrs. Morris H. Roach and family.

The 1945 nominating committee appointed included: Mrs. Harold Bellows, chairman, Mrs. Peter Crummett and Mrs. Ida Bailey. Those attending the meeting were: Mrs. C. A. Dunning and daughter, Mrs. O. W. Hahn; Mrs. L. A. Wells, Mrs. Anna Wolford and Mrs. A. C. Fries, guests, and the following members: Mrs. O. S. Chambers, Mrs. J. Roland Parker, Miss Margaret Clapp, Mrs. C. H. Bailey, Mrs. C. E. Richmond, Mrs. Hulda Thompson, Mrs. Margaret Rodgers, Mrs. Frank Bergh, Mrs. W. M. Chambers, Mrs. John Pinkerton, Mrs. J. F. Barker, Mrs. Marie Flint McCall, Mrs. E. L. Knapp, Miss Estelle V. Conover, Mrs. Armour Murdoch, Mrs. W. M. Campbell, Mrs. Morris H. Roach and daughter, Betty; Mrs. George Sewell, Mrs. George Kohlhaugen, Miss Jeanie Burk, Mrs. D. D. Fies, Mrs. L. E. Thompson, Mrs. Effie Schwarz, Mrs. Peter Crummett, Mrs. E. G. Kohlhaugen, Mrs. A. E. Kent, Miss Clara Dillard, Mrs. Earl Plummer, Mrs. Maurice J. Newland, Mrs. R. Eastman, Jr., and daughter, Cynthia Sue; Mrs. John E. Runyan, Mrs. Homer Grow and Mrs. A. A. Bellows.

The ladies of the club met at the lovely home of Mrs. J. P. Moteschbacher on Winchester Monday evening. Holly, mistletoe and Christmas candles graced the table and a dessert-supper was served by the hostess to Mrs. James Bowley, Mrs. Jack Farley, Mrs. Bruce Tack, Mrs. G. J. Gilbo, Mrs. J. W. Doyle, Mrs. Earl Henry, Mrs. L. M. Lehnbaech, Mrs. D. W. Helliwell, Mrs. J. E. Henbest, Mrs. Buckley Bell, Mrs. H. E. Rinsberger, Mrs. Bruce Elliott, Mrs. S. C. Richmond, Mrs. Earl Singleton, Mrs. Forest C. Loefer, Mrs. Joe Wilkoff, Mrs. Rose Sunderland, Mrs. Kenneth Minnick, Mrs. H. D. Palmer, Mrs. Luether Ellison, Mrs. Phil Harth, Mrs. Frank Long and Mrs. Marvin M. Brown.

Christmas carols were sung, accompanied by Mrs. Sunderland, after which Santa Claus appeared and presented gifts and Elliott Moteschbacher read "The Gift of the Magi" and Mrs. D. W. Helliwell read "Why the Chimes Told," accompanied by the piano by Mrs. Sunderland.

ARMY MOTHERS CLUB HAS INTERESTING MEETING THURSDAY

The Army Mothers' club held its regular meeting Thursday at the Woman's club. General business was discussed. The next meeting will be January 4, and election of officers will be held. A social hour and refreshments will follow the regular meeting.

EPISCOPAL GUILD HAS DELIGHTFUL MEETING AT HOME WEDNESDAY

St. George's Episcopal guild met Wednesday evening at the attractive home of Mrs. J. C. Hume on Blakeley street, at which time the officers, Mrs. E. H. Kenney, president; Mrs. Hume, vice president; Mrs. Leslie C. Cummings, secretary, and Mrs. Ethel Littler, treasurer, were hostesses at a delightful eight o'clock dinner-supper.

The dining table and three small tables were attractively decorated with holly and tall red candles, while a very pretty Christmas scene decorated the mantel.

Mrs. Kenny presided over the business session and plans were made for a potluck supper to be held the evening of January 19 at the parish hall, at which time the men of the church congregation are also invited.

Father William Blaker presented a fine talk, after which the group sang Christmas carols, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Kelly. Mrs. Vera McClintock Jones beautifully sang "Jesu Bambino" and "Away in a Manger," accompanied by Mrs. Kelly and Miss Verna Carothers read the story, "The Christmas Donkey."

Visiting was enjoyed during the pleasant social hour.

JUNIOR CLASS GIVES ANNUAL PLAY FRIDAY

SUTHERLIN — The Sutherland Junior class presented "Miss Jimmy" a comedy in three acts by Jean Providence, in the school gym Friday evening.

Members of the cast of characters in order of appearance are as follows: Louise, a sophomore, Carol Jean Groulx; Florence, her room mate, Mary Cooper; Catherine, a junior, Betty Jo Tomlinson; Doris, her freshman room mate, Betty Hosman; Harriet, a senior, Jacqueline Thompson; Droopy, colored man of all work, John Morgan; Miss Smith, dean, Donna Mae Smith; Jimmy, a junior from State Jack Amodeo, and Professor Frazier, English instructor, Raymond Chester.

The scene was the study-living room of Louise and Florence in the exclusive Briar Mountain college for women.

The time in act I—Late evening in early spring. Act II—Early in the next afternoon. Act III—An hour later.

The production—Director, Miss Madeline Stearns; general manager, Miss Bessie Aquino; assistant manager, Miss Doris Gardner; stage manager, Norman Brown; publicity manager, Miss Betty Hosman.

SKATING PARTY HELD AT WINCHESTER RINK

SUTHERLIN — The members of the King's Daughter class and the boys' class of the Sutherland Christian church enjoyed a skating party at Winchester rink and were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Newell Morgan.

Those entitled to attend were those who attended Sunday school on Nov. 19 and they met at the church where transportation was furnished. Those enjoying the evening were: Peggy Parrott, Evelyn Garman, Beverly Pope, Mylinda Chester, Joan Lang, Beverly Jane Weber, June Young, Leanne McCrea, Virginia Norris, Betty Hosman, Ha and Evelyn Cornish, Joyce Holgate, Barbara and Karen Fisher, Clara Mac Kendall, Betty and Nancy Haight, Given Holden and Donna and Etta Daugherty of the girls' class, and from the boys' class: Donald Robertson, David Garman, Maurice Vogelbein, Jr., Marvin Walters, Don, Jack and Bill West, Alden Montgomery and Frank Holgate, Jr.

MR. AND MRS. BARNEBURG ENTERTAIN AT DINNER

WILBUR — Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barneburg entertained at a very lovely six-thirty o'clock dinner at their home Tuesday evening. Chrysanthemums formed a pretty decorative motif for the occasion.

Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Omer Monger and Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKay, of Roseburg, host and hostess. Visiting was enjoyed during the pleasant evening hours.

CIRCLE NO. 2 HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY AT CARTER HOME

Mrs. Bruce Carter and Miss Madlyn Stearns were co-hostesses at a charming Christmas party for the Circle No. 2 members of St. Joseph's Altar society at the attractive Carter home Monday evening. A lovely red and white cloth graced the table, while fir sprays and tall tapers carried out the holiday motif.

A delightful dessert-supper was served by Mrs. Carter and Miss Stearns to: Father William Coughlan and Mrs. H. Watzig, guests, and Miss Helen Casey, Miss Meta-Marie Amiot, Miss Kay and Miss Annaloris Ward, Miss Colette Langenberg, Mrs. Joseph Fest, Mrs. Dennis Doyle, Mrs. C. M. O'Malley, Mrs. Paul Jenkins and Mrs. A. P. Collins.

Games were played and Mrs. Fest conducted a short business session, after which gifts were exchanged. The circle will meet the evening of January 8 at the home of Mrs. Paul Jenkins in Laurelvood with Miss Stearns as co-hostess.

POET'S CORNER

LIFE LINES

(By Norma Parker Brodie)
We love the sunshine of the day, the quietness of night, the beauty of the sunset flowers, the awe of candle light. We love the distant mountain scenes and sparkling waters too and joy and light that comes each day in everything we do. We love the morning with a smile and buckle in and try to do our best along the way before we say goodbye. For, all of us must some day leave our possessions we have here, but if we've lived within the light we'll find our Saviour near.

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ROSEBURG, OREGON

Processed Prunes Now Put in Jars

The Paulus Bros. cannery at Roseburg is processing canned dried prunes and for the first time is sealing the fruit in glass jars instead of tin cans. E. E. Hill, general superintendent, reports. A very attractive pack has been achieved in the new process, which has required installation of all new equipment, with the exception of pressure retorts. A large tonnage of prunes was purchased locally, but the supply has been exhausted and dried prunes are now being shipped from the Salem area.

The run on dried prunes was started Dec. 11, and the plant is at present working two shifts daily with about 70 employees.

Old-Fashioned Candy For Christmas Scarce

PORTLAND, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Portland youngsters will find little or no rainbow-tinted hard candy when they peek into their Christmas stockings.

Wholesalers, who import most of their supply from the east to this area, reported today that the old-fashioned sweets are scarce, chiefly because of the labor shortage. The few candy canes which graced dealers' shelves a few weeks ago have vanished.

Although the chocolate supply is normal, it probably will not last through the Christmas rush, retailers said. Cookies, however, were reported plentiful.

Shortage of Riggers Threatens Shutdown

OREGON CITY—Ore., Dec. 15.—(AP)—Ostrander Railway and Timber company operations east of Molalla face a two-month shutdown unless about 15 riggers can be found, officials said today.

From 100-120 employees, from fallers to clerical help, will be laid off unless logs now piled up in the woods are hauled to loading points.

Wells Says Its Time for Churchill to Retire

LONDON, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Novelist H. G. Wells declares that Prime Minister Churchill has "outlived" his role as Britain's fighting symbol and asserts that "it is high time he retired upon his laurels before we forget the debt we owe him."

In an article published yesterday in the Weekly Tribune, the historian said the prime minister's intervention in the Greek situation was a "discredit" to the nation. He declared Churchill had "lost his head completely" and become a "would-be British feudist."

Wells asserted the British policy in Greece resulted from Churchill's "pro-royalism," his "snob-

bishness" and "limited range of ideas." The article was entitled "Churchill must go."

Parcels to GIs Matched By Money Order Flood

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Servicemen are keeping Postmaster Albert Goldman doubly busy with Christmas gifts. He reports 48,000,000 parcel post packages have been sent overseas from the New York post office, while soldiers are sending home \$1,000,000 daily in money orders.

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Gospel Messages

Rom. 1:16
Paul—"I am not ashamed of the gospel . . ."



New Testament Conversion

What is conversion? Webster defines the verb convert as "to turn or to change." Now for a Bible definition: "Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out." Acts 3:19. In supplying the words "turn again" for "converted" as they appear in the Revised Version, we have the expression: "Repent ye therefore, and turn again etc." Hence conversion is a turning, a turning from the service of sin to the service of Christ.

Just what part of the sinner is converted or changed? Unquestionably every part that has been alienated from God through sin. First the sinner is away from God respecting his heart. Jeremiah 17:9, Matt. 15:8. Hence the heart must be converted, or changed. But how? By faith Acts 15:9, Rom. 10:10. This change of heart establishes the love of God in a sinner.

Second the sinner's life is changed by repentance Acts 3:19. Repentance is a change of will. Matt. 21:28-29.

Third the sinner is away from God as respecting his relationship to the world and to God. He must be brought into a new relationship with God, Christ, and the Holy Spirit. What brings about this new relationship, read Gal. 3:27. The apostle here affirms that baptism is the act that puts us into Christ.

Remember that there must be a change in the heart, by faith. There must be a change of life by repentance, and a change of relationship by baptism.

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