

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

W. S. OF C. S. HAS REGULAR MEETING

SUTHERLIN—The Women's Society of Christian Service met Thursday afternoon for its regular business session with Mrs. William C. Woods, president, in charge.

The meeting opened with devotionals by Mrs. Nellie Parker followed by prayer by Rev. Robert Matthews and the singing of three hymns, minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Plans were made for a cooked food sale to be held on May 5th at the Bank building from 2 to 4 p. m. After several matters were attended to the meeting was adjourned.

A social time was enjoyed and was followed by a delightful tea. Two beautifully decorated birthday cakes were used to honor the two birthdays of the month, Mrs. M. French and Mrs. Annabelle DeMuth.

Those enjoying the afternoon were: Rev. Robert Matthews, Mrs. William C. Woods and son, Donald, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Jack Chase, Mrs. R. E. Matthews, Mrs. Nellie Parker, Mrs. Charlotte Parker, Mrs. Jesse Cooper, Mrs. Nickens, Mrs. LeRoy Jones, Mrs. Mary Solbeck, Mrs. P. A. Comstock, Mrs. Fred Rietmann, Mrs. Wilson Hartshorn, Mrs. Myrtle Kunkle, Mrs. L. Sheffield, Mrs. Miranda French, Mrs. Orville French, Mrs. Mildred Chapman, Mrs. Annabelle DeMuth, Mrs. A. P. Slack and Mrs. H. S. Phillips.

WESLEY BIBLE CLASS HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM

The Wesley Bible class met at the Methodist church Friday evening at 6:30 for its regular monthly potluck supper and program. A short business session was followed by devotionals led by Mrs. A. J. Geddes, who was also chairman of the program committee. A most interesting impromptu program was carried out and enjoyed by those present.

The Rev. Mr. Feenstra gave a ten-minute talk concerning our late president, Franklin D. Roosevelt, and our new president, Harry S. Truman. Mrs. Feenstra was asked to present a communication from Mrs. Amadee Smith of Portland, expressing the need for Christian principles to be observed at the Peace Conference, and recommended the selection of a World Christian leader like E. Stanley Jones to represent the Christian forces at the peace table.

After a discussion of the topic "What May We do to Promote Temperance," the program closed with an interesting quiz and a humorous story from the Reader's Digest.

MRS. HARRELL IS HOSTESS TO CLUB

AZALEA—Mrs. Emma Harrell was hostess for the Busy Bee club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The regular business meeting was held presided over by the president, Mrs. Johnson.

The afternoon hours were pleasantly spent in fancy work and visiting.

Those attending were Mrs. Virgil McCollum, Mrs. Joe Anderson, Mrs. Ray Fitzgerald, Mrs. Stackhouse, Mrs. C. A. Worley, Mrs. Ray Rife, Mrs. Norman Ashcraft, Mrs. Macke, Mrs. Walter Tanner, Mrs. Blaine Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. Harrell.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Macke.

EASTERN STAR TO MEET AT POTLUCK SUPPER
Roseburg chapter of Eastern Star will meet at a sixty-three potluck supper at the Masonic temple Thursday evening. All members, their husbands and visiting members are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. A. B. Taylor, Mrs. H. H. Turner and Mrs. Walter Hercher are in charge of the potluck supper and those not already solicited, are asked to bring either a covered dish or to telephone Mrs. Taylor at 575-L or Mrs. Turner at 861.

Mrs. G. C. Finlay, worthy matron, will conduct a short chapter meeting, after which cards and games will be enjoyed during the social hour.

MELROSE GRANGE TO MEET THIS EVENING
Melrose grange will meet at 8 o'clock tonight, April 17, at the hall. An interesting program has been planned and refreshments will be served by Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kruse. All members are urged to be present.

CALAPOOIA LADIES CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Calapooia Ladies club will hold an all-day meeting with a noon potluck luncheon at the clubhouse Wednesday, April 18, with Mrs. Thelma Broszio and Mrs. Vera Bacon acting as co-hostesses.

Miss Doris McWhorter, home demonstration agent, will be present to talk on the care and repair of electrical appliances. Members will select new Pollyannas at the meeting and during the afternoon, quilting and other sewing will be enjoyed.

A war relief clothing drive is scheduled for the day and the club motto is "what can you spare that they can wear?" All members are urged to bring donations for this drive. A truck has been secured to pick up the donations.

GAMMA CHAPTER OF DELTA KAPPA GAMMA MEETS IN EUGENE

Gamma chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary sorority for women in education, met at the home of Juliette C. Gibson in Eugene Saturday with Mrs. Victor P. Morris as guest speaker on the subject, "Teachers Here and in other countries."

The meeting followed a charming luncheon.

Those attending from Roseburg were: Margaret Adair, Amanda Anderson, Vera Fredrickson, Ina Farnsworth, Alva Wetherell, Violet Wilshire and Verna Carothers.

Members are requested to bring sewing equipment to work on afghans for the marine naval hospital at Corvallis. Members are also requested to bring donations of clothing for the war relief clothing drive.

ENTERTAINS BOWLING TEAM THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Elliott entertained Patchett's Flying "A's" bowling team at their home Thursday evening after bowling at the local alley.

Refreshments were served late in the evening to the sponsors: Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Sherman; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmons; Mr. and Mrs. R. Bruton and Ted Coulson by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott.

This team took second place in the Men's Commercial league.

AZALEA JUVENILE GRANGE HAS MEETING

AZALEA—The Azalea juvenile grange met Friday night at the hall with 20 members present. The grange has charge of collecting usable clothing for the war relief clothing drive and all persons in the community having donations, have been asked to notify Billie Walton, Billie Jantzer or Velma Anderson and the donations will be picked up.

STATE PRESIDENT TO VISIT W. C. T. U. ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Fred Toozie, Portland, state president of the W. C. T. U., will be guest speaker at an important meeting of the W. C. T. U. Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church. All members and friends are most cordially invited to enjoy the meeting.

MID-WEEK BIBLE CLASS TO MEET

The Mid-Week Bible class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Thursday at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. Murphy at Umpqua. Cars will be provided to furnish transportation and all members not having transportation are requested to be at the church not later than 1 o'clock.

REBEKAH DEGREE STAFF TO PRACTICE

The degree staff of Roseburg Rebekah lodge No. 41 will meet at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall for practice. All members are urged to be present.

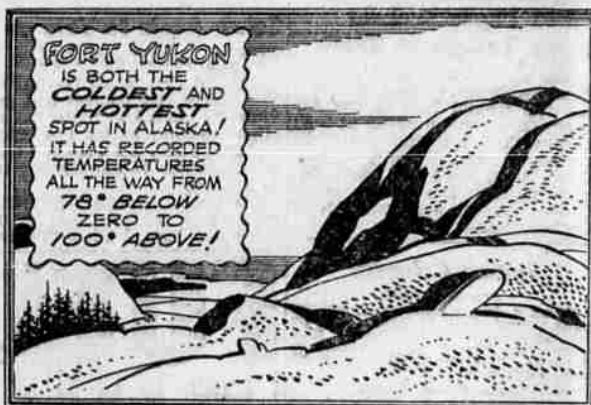
WEST MELROSE CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The West Melrose club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lyle Kobornik. All members are urged to be present.

Youngsters Celebrate First Christmas in April



It's Christmas in April for Charles and Susan Jones, four and three years old, respectively, as they enjoy their first visit from Santa Claus in their Seattle, Wash. home. With their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clayton Jones, they were interned at Santo Tomas prison camp in Manila until last February.



CONTRARY TO POPULAR OPINION, ROSES CUT IN THE AFTER-NOON, KEEP LONGER THAN THOSE CUT EARLY IN THE MORNING.

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

NEXT: Sending messages by honeybees.

France as Great Power Foreseen By Rep. Stockman

WASHINGTON, April 16—

(AP)—France, Says Rep. Stockman (R-Ore.) has an opportunity to emerge from this war as the second most powerful nation in Europe, yielding only to Russia.

Stockman bases his prediction on his observations during a visit to the European war zone last fall.

Description of France as a third or fourth rate power which will require a generation to make a comeback are far out of line, in Stockman's view.

"It looks to me," he told a reporter, "as though France will emerge, next to Russia, as the strongest power in continental Europe. They have suffered comparatively little actual damage from the war. Their buildings have not been bombed and their industries destroyed to the extent they have been in Britain and some other countries. They have had sufficient manpower to

GARDEN VALLEY WOMEN'S CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The Garden Valley Women's club will meet at one o'clock Thursday, April 19, at the clubhouse instead of at two o'clock as previously planned. All members are urged to be present.

keep their farms productive and, despite unfounded reports to the contrary, their numbers of livestock are probably as great as before the war."

He thinks it possible that the Germans encouraged the French to keep up their livestock herds and increase production to supply German-occupied Europe, then got booted out of France so quickly they were unable to rape the nation.

Will Regain Colonies.

"In addition to regaining possession of their homeland in a comparatively undamaged condition," Stockman continued, "apparently their vast colonial system will be returned to the French. Next to the British empire, this is the most extensive colonial setup in the world."

"France still has most of her large stocks of gold and other financial assets and, what is still more important, she has contracted no huge national debt, either external or internal. This will be a financial advantage difficult for many countries to overcome. Then, too, France has most of her young manhood still with her. She will have very few disabled veterans to support and few hospitals and sanitariums filled with sick and diseased young men."

About all France needs to become a first class nation, Stockman said, is national unity and he observed "There are increasing indications that General De Gaulle may furnish that leadership."

News of 4-H CLUBS

The annual 4-H Marketing day program scheduled for April 14 has been postponed until Saturday, April 28. The same program that was planned for the 14th will be carried out on the 28th. All marketing club members were informed of the postponing and all were in agreement that it was the 4-H members patriotic duty to honor our late president by postponing the program until a later date.

Information on a county health contest to be held May 3 has been sent out to all health clubs in the county. One boy and one girl from each health club will be examined and county winners announced. The county winners will each receive a summer school scholarship and will represent Douglas county at the state health contest later in the year.

4-H club members in southern Douglas county will meet Friday evening, April 20, at Glendale High school. Arrangements will be made for holding of spring achievement days and completion of projects. The meeting is for 4-H club members and parents. Moving pictures will be shown following the meeting.

Coast 4-H club leaders will hold a meeting at the Reedsport High school Thursday, April 19. Plans for holding exhibit days will be made. Possibility of organization of a coast leaders association will be discussed as well as other problems in connection with 4-H club work.

Edenbow 4-H Club News by Dick Nelson

The livestock club met at the home of its leader, Mr. Harlan Moore. The meeting was called to order by the vice-president, Tom Findlay. The club plans to have pictures taken of its projects and homes. Various things were discussed.

The sewing club met at the home of Mrs. C. R. Bartlett April 4. The meeting was called to order by the president, Theresa Murphy. Projects work on.

The health club met April 5 at the schoolhouse. Various problems were discussed.

The forestry club met at Austin Wells April 4. The meeting was called to order by the president and record books filled in. Members began work on their exhibition boards. One was finished and

DAILY DEVOTIONS DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS

A deep sense of obligation is fundamental to Christian character. In every sphere of life we are debtors to God and man. The material benefits and conveniences which we every day enjoy are accumulation of the labors of unnumbered generations. Our system of government, our schools, our cities, the roads over which we ride were built by the sweat of other men's brows and by other men's brains. Millions of people contribute daily to the material and spiritual good of each of us. All of us receive more from the world than we contribute. We are debtors to the past and the present. Who can measure our debt to God? Before time began, He planned that we should be His immortal sons and daughters. His passion is to give Himself to us. This is the meaning of His love. Herein is the wonder of His grace, that He gave His Son our Saviour. Who can ever pay that debt? When we think of our debt to man and God we are humbled. Gratitude drives out selfishness. The least that an honest and grateful person can do is to dedicate himself to serve the tragic needs of man and to further God's purposes for the world.—Amen

the rest will be by the next meeting.

The cooking club met at Mrs. Ed Verell's April 5 and worked on various projects.

Ultra-violet rays are used in the production of cigarettes, chickens, cheese, soft drinks, felt hats, beer and bread.

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