

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

ANNUAL SPRING PICNIC IS ENJOYED

CAMAS VALLEY—The annual spring picnic of the Garden club was held on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Emory Thrush. The house was decorated with spring flowers. A special attraction was two window boxes of mammoth pansies in full bloom. After the women had gathered, Mrs. Thrush led the way to a beautiful picnic spot in the nearby woods, where the bountiful dinner was served. A walk through the woods revealed many flowers in bloom. Mushrooms were collected by some and maidenhair ferns dug up by others to take home to various gardens for transplanting. The next regular meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Bob Wheeler in upper Camas on the first Tuesday in June. The women will also meet at the school house for an all-day meeting with Miss McWhorter beginning at 10:30 on Tuesday, May 15. This will be a highly instructive meeting and

all women of the valley are urged to be present.

Those present for the picnic were Mrs. Harry Boyle, Mrs. Rose Kinnan, Mrs. Bob Wheeler and son, Mrs. Howard Milton and daughter, Mrs. Dave Thrush and son, Mrs. Hiram Thrush, Mrs. Nettie Hollenbeck, Mrs. Cecil Perry, Mrs. Chas. Crouch, Mrs. Ell Thrush, Mrs. Bert Krogel, Mrs. M. A. Jones, Mrs. Bill Cunningham, Mrs. Guy Moore, Mrs. C. Hagen, Mrs. Clarence Emert, Mrs. Case, Mrs. Brown Wakefield, Mrs. Knute Holt and daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Roberts and the hostess, Mrs. Emory Thrush.

JR.-SR. HIGH P.T. A. TO MEET TONIGHT

The last meeting of the year will be held by the Junior-Senior High P.T. A. tonight at 8 o'clock at the Junior high school. Mrs. Alta Arthur, president, has urged all parents to be present.

Election of officers will be held. The evening's topic, "Postwar Military Training," will be discussed by Paul Elliott, Omer Monger and R. R. Brand.

Discussion on a cafeteria at the Junior High school will take place. The funds are already on hand for this project, but the officers state they desire a vote of the members as to whether the hot lunch program will be put into effect at the school.

A musical program will be presented by students of both high schools and an exhibit of crafts, art and from the home economics department of the Junior High will be enjoyed.

FAREWELL PARTY IS GIVEN ON APRIL 26TH

WILBUR—Mrs. Ralph Holt, Mrs. Ralph Loomis, Mrs. Ray Howard, Mrs. Everett Vincent, and Miss Francis Stout were hostesses at a charming farewell party honoring Mrs. Ed Mascal at the home of her sister, Mrs. Loomis, in Roseburg. The evening passed quickly at the theater, after which refreshments were served, and a gift was presented to the guest of honor, who with her small son, Eddie, will leave for New Jersey Tuesday night to meet her husband, Lt. Ed Mascal who is returning from overseas.

EPISCOPAL GUILD TO MEET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

St. George's Episcopal Guild will meet Wednesday night at a potluck supper at the parish hall. All members and guests are invited.

PATCH AND CHAT CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Patch and Chat club will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. D. W. Kasey. All members are most cordially invited to be present.

OUT OUR WAY



BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

BY J. R. WILLIAMS

Eviction Rules Under Control of Rents Set Forth

Any notice to vacate rental dwelling units subject to rent control in Douglas county must comply with the federal rent regulations in order to be valid, now that federal control is in effect in this county, says Daniel D. Gage, district rent executive, Portland.

"During the interim between May 1, 1945, the effective date of the rent regulation, and the date the Roseburg rent control office is opened, there are bound to be questions on evictions," Gage stated. "Unfortunately we have no local staff at present to advise people on their eviction rights."

"However, the salient factors may be pointed out. Any notice to vacate rented dwelling units must comply with the federal rent regulations, which do not prevent evictions, but limit them to certain specific grounds. One of the purposes is to prevent unlawful evictions which tend to circumvent the regulations."

Advance Notice Required
Another rule which Gage pointed out requires that copies of all eviction notices sent tenants also must be sent to the local area rent office within 24 hours. Also the rule specifically states:

"At the time of commencing any court action to remove or evict a tenant—the landlord shall give written notice thereof to the area rent office, stating the title

of the case, the number of case where possible, the court in which it is filed, the name and address of the tenant, and the ground under this section under which removal or eviction is sought."

Persons with serious eviction problems arising before the local office is staffed and which cannot be deferred, are advised to write the nearest rent control office, at Corvallis, for the attention of the Rent Attorney. Problems which can wait, however, should be withheld until the rent control office is established. Many questions on all phases of rent control may be answered from the Question and Answer Booklet on Rent Control, which may be secured at the Roseburg War Price and Rationing board.

Boy Killed in Fall

PORTLAND, May 5—(AP)—Twelve year old Robert G. Warden died today of injuries from a 30-foot fall through a schoolhouse skylight into the boiler room.

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Workers' Exodus From Portland is Creating Problem

PORTLAND, Ore., May 5—(AP)—Shipyard and War Manpower commission labor recruiters in this war-boomed west coast city are fighting what looks today like a losing battle against an ebbside of workers leaving before their jobs are done.

Thousands of mid-western men and women who migrated west two and three years ago to build ships in yards here and at nearby Vancouver, Wash., already have left for home and jobs offering more postwar security.

One Oregon planning committee estimates 16,000 workers have pulled out in the past 100 days. The exodus at Henry Kaiser's big-Swan island yard has forced swing and graveyard shifts to merge with day crews. During the same weeks, Kaiser's managers said they needed 1,000 more workers to complete contracts on schedule.

But this seems to be only a starter. Newspaper columns advertising homes for sale have doubled, and realty agents admit values are skidding as owners unload before leaving.

Actually the move "back home" is just what some Oregon civic leaders have been wanting.

Ever since it became evident a few months ago that the boom was about to go boom, WMC spokesmen and industrialists have warned there soon wouldn't be enough jobs for everyone. The peak working force in half a dozen larger yards and plants here was about 120,000. When it was predicted this would dwindle to 25,000 by mid-August, worried natives hinted that newcomers should "go back where they belong."

Now that they've started back, hoping for jobs at home, nobody is certain it was the right idea.

Dorcas Johnson Ordered To Active Nursing Duty

Dorcas Johnson, 346 S. Pine, Roseburg, has received her orders to active duty with the army nurse corps and will report to Madigan General hospital, Tacoma, Wash., soon for basic training. It was announced today at Ninth service command headquarters, Fort Douglas, Utah. The Roseburg nurse, recently

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