

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

COUNTRY CLUB NEW YEAR'S PARTY TONIGHT

An open-house affair will be sponsored by the ladies of the Roseburg Country Club at eight-thirty o'clock tonight at the club-house. An orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music for the affair. Members and their invited guests are asked to attend. Mrs. Frederick Chapman, Jr., and Mrs. Albert Micelli, are co-chairmen, assisted by Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, Mrs. H. C. Stearns and Mrs. William Courter.

O. E. S. TO INSTALL OFFICERS WEDNESDAY

Oregon Chapter O. E. S., Canyonville, will meet at eight-thirty o'clock Wednesday evening at the hall for installation of the 1946 officers. Gladys Michaels, worthy matron, will preside. Refreshments will be served by Elizabeth Unger, Audrey Ullam and Henrietta Wilson. Members and visiting members are invited.

NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL TO BE HELD AT ARMOY TONIGHT

A New Year's Eve ball will be given by the Roseburg Recreation Program at the Armory tonight from 9:00 P. M. to 1:00 A. M. A six-piece orchestra has been booked for this event and confetti and other party favors will be furnished to add to the gaiety in bringing in the New Year.

NEW IDEA CLUB TO HOLD HOLIDAY PARTY

The annual Christmas party with the exchange of gifts will be enjoyed by the members of the New Idea Club at a one o'clock luncheon Wednesday at the home of Mrs. C. B. Calkins. All members are cordially invited to be present.

THETA RHO CLUB TO INSTALL OFFICERS

Formal installation of the 1946 Theta Rho Club will be held at seven-thirty o'clock Tuesday evening at the L. O. O. F. hall. The installation ceremony is reported to be unusually beautiful and impressive.

WEST MELROSE CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

MELROSE—A very enjoyable afternoon was spent by the ladies of the West Melrose Club Thursday, December 20, at the home of Mrs. Jennings Gravening. A delicious dessert-luncheon was served at 1:30 by the hostess, after which the business meeting was held in the large living room, gay with Christmas decorations. The presents were then distributed and opened from the gift exchange. Conversation and needlework filled in the spare moments. Those attending were: Mrs. Moon, a guest who became a member; Mrs. C. O. Critser, Mrs. E. M. Seeley, Mrs. Lyle Kobornik, Mrs. Eli Sanders, Mrs. H. G. Thompson, and the hostess, Mrs. Gravening.

The next meeting will be Thursday evening, January 3, at the home of Mrs. Critser. All members are cordially invited to attend and bring their families. Election of officers will be held.

JOLLY CIRCLE CLUB TO HOLD ALL-DAY MEETING WEDNESDAY

An all-day sewing meeting will be held Wednesday by the Jolly Circle Club at the home of Mrs. Verney Sanders. A potluck luncheon will be enjoyed at noon. All members are urged to be present.

ART AND EMBROIDERY CLUB TO MEET

The Roseburg Art and Embroidery Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Lawson on Cobb Street. All members are urged to be present.

Truman Proclaims Day to Honor Negro Scientist

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—(AP)—President Truman Saturday proclaimed Jan. 5, 1946, as George Washington Carver Day in commemoration of the achievements of the noted Negro scientist. Jan. 5 is the second anniversary of his death.

Marriage Contract Between Hitler, Eva Braun Found

NUERNBERG, Germany, Dec. 31.—(AP)—U. S. Third Army headquarters has announced the seizure of the original marriage contract between Hitler and Eva Braun.

The contract and a political and private testimony of Hitler were reported seized coincidentally with the arrest by British counter intelligence agents of Friedrich Wilhelm Paustian, adjutant to the missing Martin Bormann, at Villhagen.

The documents were dated April 29, 1945, British intelligence officers announced recently they had concluded that Hitler and Eva Braun committed suicide in Berlin April 30, one day after they were married.

With the documents American agents found three photographs, two of which they believed to be of Eva Braun. The other is of a boy about 12 years old, unidentified.

In the note written to accompany the testaments as Russian assault forces closed in on Berlin, Bormann had scrawled: "Since all divisions failed, our situation seems beyond hope. The fuhrer dictated the attached political testament last night."

In what he described as "my private will," Hitler expressed a wish that he and Eva Braun, who chose the opportunity to marry and die with him, both be cremated immediately after death "at the place I have done the greatest part of my work during 12 years of service to my people."

"Myself and my wife choose death to escape the disgrace of being forced to resign or to surrender," he said.

Pampering of German Industrialists Charged

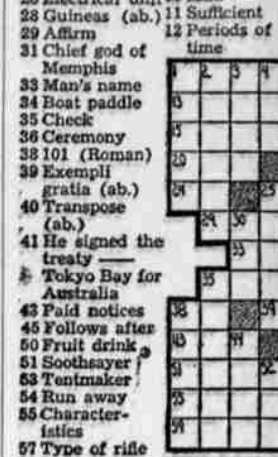
BERLIN, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Russell A. Nixon, deputy director of the division of investigation of carrels and external assets of the American military government, asserted Saturday that military authorities in the American zone

Signed for Aussies

HORIZONTAL 59 Landed property 17 Pictured Australian army leader, Lt.-Gen. Sir

13 Come back 14 Dyestuff 15 Excited 16 Dill 19 Canoe 20 Pastry 21 Seem 22 Europe (ab.) 24 Senior (ab.) 25 Symbol for 26 Electrical unit 28 Guinea (ab.) 29 Affirm 31 Chief god of Memphis 33 Man's name 34 Boat paddle 35 Check 36 Ceremony 38 101 (Roman) 39 Exemplify 40 Transpose (ab.) 41 He signed the treaty 42 Tokyo Bay for Australia 43 Paid notices 45 Follows after 50 Fruit drink 51 Soothsayer 53 Tentmaker 54 Run away 55 Characteristic 57 Type of rifle

VERTICAL 1 Snare 2 Flight of Mohammed from Mecca 3 Indian vessel 4 Drinking 5 Area measure 6 Philip 7 Greek letter 8 Behold 9 Snake 10 Mud 11 Sufficient 12 Periods of time 17 Notary public (ab.) 18 Eye (Scott.) 21 Adjust 22 Accounts 27 Step 30 Contend 32 Skill 35 Horsemen 37 Diligent 38 Indian social system 42 Requires 44 Chair 46 Nostrils 47 Symbol for samarium 48 Underwriting account (ab.) 49 Work units 50 Winged 52 Narrow inlet 54 Brother 56 Size of shot 58 Near



were "pampering" German industrialists.

Nixon declared that German industries were not being destroyed and that industrialists were not being arrested as he believed they should be under a directive of the joint chiefs of staff.

He also declared that "pressure" forced his division to release from jail a number of leaders of the I. G. Farben industry, gigantic German chemical trust, after they had been interrogated.

Stage Line's Appeal From Reduced Fares Rejected

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Petition of the Oregon Motor Stages for an order suspending the reduced fares of Pacific Greyhound, recently filed by that company, was denied Saturday by George H. Flagg, Public Utilities Commissioner. The new reduced fares will go into effect January 1.

Oregon Motor Stages, who operate in the Willamette Valley and to certain coastal points, contended in its petition that fares presented were too low to permit proper service within their system.

End of Army Course Opens OSC "Dorm" to Civilians

CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 31.—(AP)—The Oregon State College dormitory used by Army specialized training students will be available to civilians with end of the Army program at the college.

The 290 ASTP enrollees began moving from the campus Friday. About 40 will be transferred to the University of Utah. College officials report more than 3,000 men have received instruction under the Army program at OSC.

Reed College, Cal. Tech To Exchange Students

PORTLAND, Dec. 31.—(AP)—An agreement between Reed College and California Institute of Technology for exchange of students to speed training of young scientists was announced today.

Reed College students will study for three years here then enter Cal Tech with advanced standing for two years' additional work, receiving bachelor's degrees from both institutions.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Florida Governor Issues Dissent on Label of Lynching

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Governor Millard Caldwell Saturday told an Encyclopedia Britannica writer that in his opinion the October slaying of a jailed Negro at Madison "did not come within any recognized definition of lynching."

Jesse James Payne was taken from an unguarded jail and shot to death after he had been indicted for attempting to rape a 5-year-old white girl. No witnesses to the shooting were found and the grand jury said it was unable to fix the responsibility.

R. B. Eleazer of the Methodist Church General Board of Education at Nashville, Tenn., wrote the governor about the case with the explanation that he had been asked to prepare a 1945 report for the Encyclopedia yearbook.

Eleazer asked the governor about the accuracy of a published statement that although Sheriff Lonnie T. Davis "has in this case proved his unfitness for the office, he was nevertheless the choice of the people. Stupidity and ineptitude are not sufficient grounds for removal of an elected official by the governor."

Another Angle Cited Governor Caldwell sent Eleazer the full text of his public statement containing the quotation, which he made after an investigation of the case.

"Whether or not the killing of Jesse James Payne was a lynching must depend upon one's definition of that term. My personal opinion is that the crime did not come within any recognized definition of lynching," the governor said in his letter to Eleazer.

He said, "The ordeal of bringing a young and innocent victim of rape into open court and subjecting her to detailed cross-examination by defense counsel could easily be as great an injury as the original crime."

"This fact probably accounts for a number of killings or lynchings which might otherwise be avoided. Society has not found a solution to this problem."

Until she became a queen, Victoria never slept a night away from her mother's room and was not allowed to converse with any grown-up person, friend, tutor or servant without her mother or governess being present.

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Spain Wants No Interference in Internal Affairs

MADRID, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The Spanish government asserted Saturday that Spain would not tolerate "interference of the foreigner in its internal affairs."

The statement, issued by Francisco Franco's Council of Ministers, apparently was in answer to a projected meeting of the United States, France and Britain to review their relations with Spain.

The communique said that Spain stood "ready to isolate itself" from countries which have used her as a "lightning rod to draw off internal storms," and accused communists of waging a "campaign of defamation" to smear the Franco government.

Both the allies and the axis had planned during the war to violate Spain's neutrality, the statement said, but these "machinations" were defeated by her "firm, gentlemanly" foreign policy.

The communique said Spain had shown its sympathy for the United States by breaking diplomatic relations with Japan after the Pearl Harbor attack.

(Spain maintained relations with Japan until April 11, 1945. Then she broke off diplomatic contact with the official explanation that the action was taken because Japanese soldiers had murdered Spanish nationals and destroyed Spanish property in Manila.)

Milder Punishment at Boys School Is Advised

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 31.—(AP)—The Marion County Grand Jury, investigating whipping of boys at the Oregon State Training School, recommended Saturday that incorrigibles be spanked, not strapped.

M. D. Woolley, training school superintendent, had already discontinued the practice.

The investigation was one of several to follow a charge of W. H. Runyon, ex-employee, that two boys were "brutally beaten." The state board of control reported that the boys received "very severe whippings" but not enough to injure them.

The Grand Jury recommended that spankings be administered

Pine Belt Wage Accord Reached

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Negotiators for operators and AFL lumber worker unions of the Klamath basin area have announced an agreement for a 15-cent an hour across-the-board wage increase which is expected to break the three-months-old strike in this section of the pine belt.

The agreement will be recommended to locals for 19 operations and 14 companies, involving about 2,500 men. It was reached in discussions between union representatives and Pine Industrial Relations Committee, which is the largest operator representative organization in the pine belt.

The 15 cents increase provides

in serious cases by qualified instructors, under the direct supervision of the superintendent. It also urged that segregation buildings for incorrigible cases be constructed soon.

a sawmill minimum of \$1.021 cents an hour and retains the area differential of 21 cents between pine and fir, as well as remanufacturing differentials within the area. Original union demand was for \$1.10 minimum, and the operators in recent negotiations had been holding out for \$1.

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