

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

EPISCOPAL GUILD HAS ELECTION OF OFFICERS

REEDSPORT—At the regular meeting of St. Mary's Episcopal Guild at the residence of Mrs. Myrtle Smith of Gardiner, last Saturday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Myrtle Smith, president; Mrs. Maude Wright, vice president; Mrs. Annie L. Perkins, secretary and Mrs. Margaret Sagaberd, treasurer. Mrs. Mary Sagaberd, retiring president has served the Guild in that capacity for more than 10 years and has been a most efficient officer in conducting the affairs of the organization and serving the church.

In attendance at this meeting were eleven active members of the Guild, three invited guests and the presiding pastor, Rev. J. Thomas Lewis, Rector of Emmanuel Church of Coos Bay. The financial report of the treasurer as well as the report of the president showed that the affairs of the Guild are in excellent condition, that during the past year there has been a substantial growth in membership as well as in attendance at the church meetings. Lunch was served by the hostess following the meeting.

NURSES ASSOCIATION TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY

District No. 11 of the Oregon State Graduate Nurses Association will meet next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Marion Davis at Brockway with Miss Ward as co-hostess. All graduate nurses are urged to be present.

CLUB TO MEET AT POTLUCK SUPPER TONIGHT

The Edenbow Community Club will meet tonight at a seven o'clock potluck supper at the school playshed. Those attending are asked to bring a covered dish, bread and butter for their own families and their own table service.

MARY-MARTHA CLUB MEETS AT LUNCHEON

SUTHERLIN—The Mary Martha Club of the Sutherlin Christian church met Friday at the home of Mrs. Maude Murphy. Following the potluck luncheon at noon, the business meeting was held, presided over by the president, Mrs. Royal Abene. Mrs. Naomi Murdoch was in charge of the devotionals, which consisted of the singing of the hymn, "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us," and the 23rd Psalm repeated by all. Mrs. Lillie Castleberry led in prayer.

Mrs. Murdoch acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Gordon Epps. Twenty members responded to roll call. Following the routine business, names were drawn for "Secret Pals" and "Mystery Mothers."

It was announced that the club has been asked to serve a banquet for the County Christian Endeavor convention in March, which is to be held at the Sutherlin Christian church.

Members present and enjoying the day were: Mrs. Edna Long, Mrs. Sarepta Sauerman, Mrs. Marie Sheibourne, Mrs. Maude Murphy, Mrs. Elva Egli, Mrs. Florence Cook, Mrs. Ada Abene, Mrs. Grace Pope, Mrs. Leta Young, Mrs. Katie Graham, Mrs. Ruth Lewis, Mrs. Minnie Abene, Miss Ethel Manning, Mrs. Little Castleberry, Mrs. Naomi Murdoch, Mrs. Juanita Fisher, Mrs. Clara Papple, Mrs. Martha Jones and Mrs. Etta Shamp.

The work for the day was quilting on the "Flower Garden" quilt. The next meeting will be held in the west wing of the church, Friday, February 15.

BILLYGOATS 4-H CLUB MEETS ON TUESDAY

The Billygoats 4-H Club met at the Gordon Ware home Tuesday evening and presented gifts to Mary Ruth Makinson in honor of her birthday. Names were exchanged for Valentines and following the meet-

ing, Mrs. Ware served delicious refreshments.

The next meeting will be March 5 at the Harlan Moore home, at which time members will present birthday gifts to Marcelene Moore.

CIRCLE NO. 2 TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Circle No. 2 of St. Joseph's Altar Society will meet Monday evening, February 11, at eight o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ruby Scallon. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Sidney Domenico and Miss Cecelia Watzig served the breakfast to the children of St. Joseph's Catholic School February 1. The Circle sponsors a breakfast for the children of the school the first Friday morning of every month.

MR. AND MRS. PATTON CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY AT DINNER FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Patton celebrated their wedding anniversary at a very enjoyable dinner at their home Friday evening, having as guests: Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Patton and daughters, Carolyn and Barbara; and Bob Patton and son, Robbie.

Visiting was enjoyed during the pleasant evening hours.



IROQUOIS

The Iroquois Camp Fire group met Monday evening at the home of the guardian, Dorothy Insley. Those answering roll-call included: Joyce Claypool, Bernice Lounsbury, Karna Henson, Mary Lynn Holm and Shirley Fisher. The group worked on their honors and rank and following the meeting Dorothy Insley served lovely refreshments and entertained the girls with piano and accordion music.

SUNSHINE CLUB HAS ENJOYABLE MEETING

AZALEA—Mrs. Everett Roach and Mrs. Ben Phelps were hostesses for the Sunshine Club at the home of Mrs. Roach Wednesday afternoon.

The regular business meeting was held presided over by the president, Bea Cruff. Mrs. Floyd Ames was appointed to furnish entertainment for the club meeting for the coming year. The club voted to entertain the Busy Bee Club at the Grange Hall Wednesday, February 27.

Mrs. Roach who is moving away soon was given a handkerchief shower from the club. New members welcomed into the club recently were: Mrs. Lillian Daugherty, Mrs. Louise Swindler, Mrs. Almer Wilkerson, Mrs. Ann Cooke, Mrs. Ed Johnson and Mrs. Donald Johnston.

At the usual tea hour lovely refreshments were served to Mrs. William Jantzer, Mrs. Henry Coyte, Mrs. Almer Wilkerson, Mrs. Floyd Ames, Mrs. Louise Swindler, Mrs. Ed Johnson, Mrs. Donald Johnston, Mrs. Roy Hardage, Mrs. Fred Horton, Mrs. Jim Croff, Mrs. William Croff, Mrs. Maurice Croff, Mrs. Carl Koehler, Mrs. John Jantzer, Mrs. Rollin Johns, Mrs. Lillian Daugherty, and the hostesses, Mrs. Roach and Mrs. Phelps.

Mrs. Jim Croff, Mrs. Carl Koehler, Mrs. Maurice Croff and Mrs. Floyd Ames are on the committee for the next meeting Feb. 27.

MR. AND MRS. STACKHOUSE HONORED AT PARTY

AZALEA—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stackhouse were honored at a delightful winter roast and supper party at their home on Quine's Creek Wednesday evening. Eight tables of progressive luncheon were in play during the social hour with prizes going to Frank Van Valkenberg, Roy Rife and Shirley Kynstra. Readings were given by Paul Eldridge, Mrs. Mary Heinzelman and Lois Stackhouse.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Stackhouse and daughter, Lois; guests of honor: Mrs. Blaine Johnson, Glenn Johnson, Mrs. Mary Heinzelman, Paul Eldridge, Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Valkenberg, Hazel and Harold Van Valkenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Kynstra and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Falkert Sipkins and daughter, Betty; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rife and daughter, Priscilla; George Shoenhart, Mrs. Rachel Rutter and son, Billy; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Hardage and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Slooper and son; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fitzgerald and daughter, Doris, and son, Donald, and George Stackhouse.

B. P. W. C. TO HOLD ANNUAL PARTY MONDAY

The annual Valentine party of the Business and Professional Women's Club will be held at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the Presbyterian Church, corner of Jackson and W. Lane Streets. Vivian Logsdon, Edna Helgeson and Ada Mae Rice will have charge of the party. All members are asked to bring a comic valentine and a guest to the party.

U. OF O. MOTHERS CLUB TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

The University of Oregon Mothers Club will enjoy a 7:30 dessert-supper and social evening Monday, February 11, at the home of Mrs. Hans T. Hansen, Madrone Avenue, Laurelwood. All members are most cordially invited to be present.

Landlord Takes Vets' Artificial Foot in Rent Bill

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 8.—(AP)—Ignatius Miedziecki, 22-year-old former GI, hopes a Philadelphia magistrate can get his artificial foot back for him.

The youthful veteran says his former landlord, Joseph Galzarano, 51, seized all his furniture and the foot for non-payment of \$28 in rent.

Magistrate John F. Daly held the landlord in \$800 bail for grand jury action on a charge of fraudulent conversion.

Miedziecki testified he was just getting used to the new foot — "it weighs only five pounds—four pounds less than this one I have" — when he and his 16-year-old wife, Doris, had to vacate their apartment in Galzarano's home in suburban Roxborough.

"My funds were getting so low we couldn't buy food," he said. "The government cut my pension from \$108 to \$81 a month because of the job training and the artificial foot it gave me."

Miedziecki, who lost his left foot above the ankle in North Africa, said he owed \$28 for four weeks rent and promised to pay it back as soon as he could.

But when he went to pay Galzarano back, the ex-soldier told Daly, he said the landlord ordered him out and refused to return the artificial foot and other personal things left behind when he moved. Miedziecki said he learned later Galzarano had sold his furniture at a constable's sale.

Galzarano stated the constable's sale was held Dec. 28, and that he understood that Miedziecki had received notice. He denied the veteran's assertion that he had refused to return the artificial foot and clothing, asserting he was anxious to have them out of his place.

Port of Umpqua Elects, Adopts Financial Report

REEDSPORT—All officers of the Port of Umpqua Commission were re-elected this week for the coming year. Norman Weatherly will continue to serve as president, O. H. Hinsdale as vice-president, Nonda Anderson as secretary, and James Ford as treasurer. H. C. McCrea will serve as assistant secretary. Only commissioner without an office is H. L. Lewis.

Both Weatherly and Lewis announced they will file for re-election as port commissioners this year in the November general election.

The financial report was read and adopted by the commissioners. No new tax levies were planned for the Port of Umpqua this year.

General Robbins, recently re-

tired U. S. Army engineer and consulting engineer for the Port of Portland, told Commissioner Hinsdale by letter that he will be glad to advise the Port of Umpqua at any time his services are required.

AAA Committeemen Begin Survey of Soil Weeds

AAA committeemen this month are making a grass-roots appraisal of the conservation measures needed on Oregon's farmlands. The check will include all practices needed to make repairs on land damaged by erosion and depletion, as well as the measures necessary on good lands to keep them that way. In addition to the work needed, the survey will show the extent to which assistance is necessary to get the job done.

This statewide check-up on the condition of agricultural resources is being launched in most counties with a general meeting of all community committeemen and other representative farmers and leaders. At this meeting basic figures on acreages and production are turned over to the committeemen who will do the job in each community. The information gathered in each district will be put together into a county report at a second meeting later this month.

Helium sold at the rate of \$2,500 a cubic foot in 1918. Today the price is under a half cent a cubic foot.

Technical Help Offered On Farm Conservation

Farmers in many Oregon counties will have technical help in staking out a dam, planning a drainage ditch, or reorganizing an irrigation system under the 1946 agricultural conservation program. A new provision makes it possible to use part of the funds for practice payments to provide conservation services in the form of such assistance to farmers taking part in the program.

The state committee has earmarked \$30,000 of the 1946 funds for that purpose. The amount of such assistance offered in any one county will be up to the county committee in deciding whether practice funds should be used for services. The availability of engineers or other men with the right qualifications probably will be a limiting factor in some counties. The amount of funds set aside for technical help will be deducted from the county's allocation for practice payments.

Spring Pig Crop of Oregon May Exceed 1946 Goal

Preliminary USDA reports on the intended 1946 spring pig crop indicate that this is one Oregon production goal which will be met or exceeded. The goal calls for 20,000 farrowings—the same as 1945. The report on intentions indicates that there will be 22,000 farrowings, which is progress toward the pre-war "normal" of

34,000 farrowings. Mounting feed costs and prices which made it more attractive to sell the grain crops rather than feed it to hogs brought about the big drop during the past several years.

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Privately owned improvements situated on land owned by the state or by a county, city or other municipal corporation are real property and should be listed as such.

Give the legal subdivision, section, township and range, on which such improvements are situated; also, the year of construction and the total cost and the true cash value as of January 1 of the current year.

MERCHANDISE AND STOCK IN TRADE: The amount listed should agree with the inventory as shown by the books, including shipping and other charges. Take no discount or other deduction.

FIXTURES, FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT IN BUSINESS OR COMMERCIAL USE: The true cash value of all furniture and equipment in auto courts, apartments, hotels, offices, and that part of household furniture and equipment used for commercial purposes in rented rooms, etc., should be listed.

The value given should correspond to the cost of replacing with like furniture and equipment (not new), rather than the amount which might be realized from a forced sale.

Household furniture, domestic fixtures, household goods and effects, actually in use as such in homes and dwellings, where not used for business or commercial purposes, are exempt from taxation and should not be reported on this form. Exemption also applies to wearing apparel, watches, jewelry, and similar personal effects actually in use.

The assessor shall cause blank forms for such returns to be prepared and distributed, but failure to receive or secure the form shall not relieve any such person, managing agent or officer from the obligation of making any returns herein required.

LIVESTOCK: Horses, cattle, sheep, goats, hogs, etc. Also poultry, chickens, ducks, turkeys and geese should be listed.

Space is also provided on the form for fur bearing animals, rabbits and bees.

All farm implements and machinery, oil industrial equipment—sawmill, logging and mining equipment, etc.

Garage and service station equipment, pumps, tanks, oil storage containers, etc.

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