

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

R. A. AND E. CLUB HAS ENJOYABLE MEETING

The Roseburg Art and Embroidery Club held an enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. Glenn Cox on the Curry estate Wednesday. Mrs. Frank Bergh, president, conducted the business meeting. A nominating committee will be appointed at the next meeting and plans will be made for a Christmas party. An auction will be held at the next meeting and members are asked to bring gifts not to exceed twenty-five cents. Birthday gifts were presented to Mrs. A. Rhoads and Mrs. Cox from their mystery sisters and a gift from the club was given to Mrs. Zella Miller, who is convalescing from a recent major operation. Mrs. F. J. Cornell was reported to be ill at her home.

The next meeting will be November 20 at the home of Mrs. Frank Bergh.

Visiting and sewing were enjoyed and at the tea hour lovely refreshments were served to Mrs. Ethel Mortimer, a guest. Mrs. Frank Bergh, Mrs. A. Rhoads, Mrs. H. Snyder, Mrs. Henry Erskine, Mrs. George Cluck, Mrs. Carlos Page and the hostess, Mrs. Cox.

JOLLY CIRCLE CLUB MEETING ENJOYED

The Jolly Circle Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Millard Manning in West Roseburg. Following the business session, a social hour was enjoyed and the hostess served delicious refreshments to Mrs. A. M. Ison, Mrs. Arthur Hillman, Mrs. Oakley Bibby, Lola Bibby, Mrs. Clayton Bibby, Mrs. R. D. Manning, Bobbie Manning, Miss Clara Schluenz, Mrs. Grover Craft and Mrs. Floyd Simpson.

The next meeting will be held November 20 at the home of Mrs. A. M. Ison at Tenmile. At that time an auction sale will be held.

PARTY AND PROGRAM ENJOYED FRIDAY

Parents and friends were delightfully entertained with a Halloween program and party by the students of the Elgarose school Friday evening. Mrs. Verna Farmer, teacher, directed the children's program of Halloween songs, dances, poems and stories. Following the entertainment, carnival booths, arranged by the children, were enjoyed. Proceeds of the booth sales will go to the playground equipment fund for the school. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

ELGAROSE COMFORT CLUB HAS MEETING

The Elgarose Comfort Club held an enjoyable meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nettie Lundeen. Plans were made to hold a Christmas party at the next meeting, December 10, at the home of Mrs. Edna Sporen. Each member is asked to bring an inexpensive gift to exchange.

The door prize was won by Mrs. Ella Johnson. Delicious refreshments were served at the tea hour by the hostess, Mrs. Lundeen.

VERNA BELLE GRIESEL AND CLIFFORD WHEELAND MARRY ON NOVEMBER 7

Miss Verna Belle Griesel and Clifford Dale Wheeland, both of Roseburg, were married Thursday evening, November 7, at eight o'clock at the home of the bride, Dr. Charles A. Edwards performed the impressive ring ceremony in the presence of a few close friends. Miss Nadine Nickell and O. L. Anderson were attendants. The couple will make their home in Roseburg.

MR. AND MRS. BERG INVITE FRIENDS TO OPEN HOUSE THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Berg, who recently moved into their new home at the corner of Riverside Drive and Bowden Avenue in Laurelwood, have invited friends to attend an open-house affair Thursday evening, November 14, from seven to eleven o'clock.

KEYSTONE CLUB TO HOLD RUMMAGE SALE

The Methodist Keystone Club will sponsor a two-day rummage sale Friday and Saturday, November 15-16, in the basement of the church. All persons having donations to be called for are asked to telephone 222-Y.

RIVERSDALE GRANGE TO MEET FRIDAY

Riversdale Grange will meet Friday evening at eight-fifteen o'clock at the hall with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Healy, Mr. and Mrs. LaBore, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Harding and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Gilbert in charge of refreshments.

P. E. O. SISTERHOOD TO MEET ON FRIDAY

Sisterhood will meet Friday, November 15, at a one-fifteen o'clock dessert-luncheon at the home of Mrs. Will H. Gerretsen at 123 Blakeley Street.

GOP Win Brings Back to U. S. Man In F. D. R. Feud

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Nov. 13.—(AP)—Howland Spencer, wealthy American "refugee" who returned to the United States because of a Republican congressional majority, reported today that his bitter feud with President Roosevelt began over the name of the estate, "Krum Elbow."

"Franklin was a distant cousin of mine," said Spencer. "His father, James Roosevelt, Sr., was married the first time to a Howland."

Spencer, who returned from what he called "exile" in the Bahamas, said that his estate was named by Hendrik Hudson, who anchored there while exploring the Hudson in 1609 and recorded in his log that he anchored at the "Bent Elbow" (Krum Elbow) of the river.

Franklin D. Roosevelt inherited an estate from a relative, said Spencer, and wanted the name "Krum Elbow" for his horse. Spencer said he refused to give up the name, and the feud began. Spencer declared the late president under emergency war powers, appointed a committee to rename historic places. One day Spencer discovered a bronze plaque at the entrance to his estate which read: "Spencer's Point Club—\$25 fine for removing this plaque."

He said he drove to Mr. Roosevelt's estate and saw another name which read: "Krum Elbow," and giving the authority for the name to the special committee.

Spencer returned yesterday for the first time in seven years because of the Republican landslide of Nov. 5.

Driver Rescued After Car Dives Into River

REDSFORD — Jack W. Stokes, logger, was treated for minor injuries at a Redford doctor's office Saturday, after rescue from his automobile in the Schofield river, which landed there after a plunge off Winchester street while he was driving south.

The tide was out and the car was not submerged. Stokes was knocked unconscious. Two passengers, Juanita Holman and Peter Mortenson, escaped with scratches. Poor condition of the road was blamed for the accident.

Counties Assn. Dated

PORTLAND, Nov. 12.—(AP)—The annual convention of the Association of Oregon Counties will be held here Dec. 9-11, Frank Shull, Multnomah County Board of Commissioners chairman, said today.

Prizes Awarded Douglas 4-H'ers For Achievements

National 4-H Achievement Week, November 2 to 10, was observed in Douglas County with a 4-H dinner and awards held at the Wilbur High School last Thursday evening, November 7. More than 200 prizes, summer school trophies, and other special awards were made to 120 4-H members of the county.

Marjorie Zeller, Brookway, was awarded a 10-jewel wrist-watch for her outstanding garden project, by the Allis Chalmers Company, through the Farm Industrial Equipment Company of Eugene. Presentation was by Eddie Pope and Perry Thiele, Douglas County representatives of the latter company.

Six hundred dollars in cash was awarded club members by the Roseburg Lions Club and the Douglas County Fair Board for projects in dairy, beef, sheep, swine, poultry, rabbits, canning and gardening.

First place winners in each division were Barbara Jacobs, C. V. Route, Roseburg, dairy; Larry Fitzgerald, L. G. Route, Roseburg; beef; John McGinnis, Yonealla, sheep and rabbits; Dick Bonebrake, Melrose Route, Roseburg, swine; Alice Ward, Days Creek, poultry; Ann Toth, Brookway, canning; and Marjorie Zeller, Brookway, gardening.

Ivan Pirkens, of the Roseburg Branch of the U. S. National Bank of Portland, presented a check for \$5 to Marjorie Zeller for being in the blue ribbon class in this year's state style revue at the state fair. The award was sponsored by the Oregon Bankers' Association. Awards won at this year's state fair and Pacific International Livestock Show were also made at the meeting.

Cal Monroe, assistant state club leader, talked to the group of 130 4-H members, Lions, and parents on club work. Special guests at the meeting were J. W. Middleton, and Eddie Pope, of Eugene and Mr. Perry Thiele of Roseburg, representing the Farm Industrial Equipment Company, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Danielson of Eugene, Mr. Danielson being county club agent for Lane County, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Britton of Eugene.

Common Stock Split by U. S. Plywood Corp.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—(AP)—A two-for-one split of the common stock of the United States Plywood Corp. was announced today by President Lawrence Ottinger.

The distribution to common stockholders of record Dec. 20, of one additional share of common stock for each share then held, was approved by the board. This action will double the number of shares issued to 1,401,525.

Hunting Hunters

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—(AP)—Hunters who went to suburban Deerfield to hunt pheasants have found no pheasants but have been fined for trying.

Six of 15 seized for violating a Deerfield law against hunting "for attempting to hunt" within city limits were fined \$25 and costs each. The other nine will be arraigned later.

None had fired a single shot.

Family Affair

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—(AP)—Harold Barnard was divorced by his wife Ruth yesterday but his mother-in-law is going to continue to live with him.

Mrs. Barnard's mother, Mrs. Lucky Clement, told Superior Judge U. S. Schwarz she had decided to live with her son-in-law, rather than with her daughter, and take care of the three Barnard children.

Mrs. Barnard, who won the divorce on charges of desertion, had asked that custody of the children be given her mother. Barnard, a bus driver in Hammond, Ind., agreed to pay Mrs. Clement \$20 a week.

Physicians Devise New Operation to Save "Blue Babies"

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—(AP)—A new way of performing the operation to save the lives of "blue babies"—introducing a surgical fist previously considered impossible—was announced today by three Northwestern University physicians.

Instead of connecting with a less important artery, the surgeons for the first time tanned the body's main artery, the great abdominal aorta, which springs from the heart's left chamber and gives rise to all the arteries of the circulatory system.

Physicians said the operation would not benefit all "blue children" who are born with crooked hearts, but would help the majority to overcome otherwise hopeless invalidism and in some cases prevent death.

Details of the new surgical technique, first performed on a human being (a 21 months old girl) only two months ago, were announced in the Journal of the American Medical Association by Drs. Willis J. Potts, Sidney Smith and Stanley Gibson of Children's Memorial Hospital at the University's medical school.

They said the operation achieves the same result as one originated by Dr. Alfred Blalock and Dr. Helen B. Taussig, who in 1944 performed the first successful operation on a "blue baby" at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore.

The malformed hearts of "blue

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babies" cannot pump enough blood to the lungs to pick up the vital oxygen needed by the body. This deficiency results in blue fingernails, purple lips, bluish complexion and, sometimes, death.

In the Blalock-Taussig operation, the physicians said, a lung artery is joined to either of two big arteries near the heart, the subclavian or the innominate. This rerouting of the blood stream forces blood into the lung artery and on through the lung.

Oldest, Youngest Senators Claimed By Republicans

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—Democrats average two years older than the Republicans in the new senate, but the GOP claims

both the youngest and oldest members.

The average age of the 17 new Republican and five new Democratic members is almost exactly 50 years, contrasted to 58.40 years for the 40 holdover Democrats and 58.06 for the 34 holdover Republicans.

The new average age of all 96 members, as of today, is 56.42 years. The Republicans ran up to a 55.49 year average, the Democrats 57.47.

Of the aggregate 5,416 years of living represented, Senator-elect Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) can claim only 37. Senator Capner (R-Kas) is 81.

McCarthy, a former Marine Corps captain, is hard-pressed by

two 38-year-old Republicans for the title of "Baby Senator." William F. Knowland, reelected from California, was born June 26, 1908, and William Jenner, new Indiana senator, on July 21 the same year.

Senator-elect Cain (R-Wash.) is 39. Four are 41—Magnuson (D-Wash.), Ball (R-Minn.), Fulbright (D-Ark.) and Eastland (D-Miss.). Senator Taylor (D-Idaho) is 42.

Others in their forties include: Morse (R-Ore.), 46; Ecton (R-Mont.), 48.

Ages of other Pacific northwest senators include: Dworshak (R-Idaho) 52, Cordon (R-Ore.), 56.

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