

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

SEW AND SO CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

SUTHERLIN — Mrs. Harry Barker graciously entertained the Sew and So club members and several guests at a charming one-thirty o'clock salad-luncheon at her home on East Third Avenue Friday.

Pink chrysanthemums formed the centerpiece for the table and were used about the rooms with pink chrysanthemums favors at each place. Covers were placed for: Mrs. Meryl Wahl, Mrs. Erma Cornish, Mrs. Naomi Riggs, Mrs. Mildred Culver, Mrs. Ruth Vogelphol, Mrs. Juanita Holgate and the hostess, Mrs. Barker, members; guests were: Mrs. George Wilcox, Mrs. Lon Hunt, Mrs. Edward Peterson and Mrs. A. O. Bunch.

A social afternoon followed the luncheon. Mrs. Barker was presented with a lovely hostess gift from Mrs. Meryl Wahl. The club will meet at one-thirty next month at the home of Mrs. Mildred Culver and this will be their annual Christmas party with the exchange of gifts.

BRIDAL SHOWER IS CHARMING AFFAIR

SUTHERLIN — Mrs. Ruby Branton entertained at a charming bridal shower party at the home of Mrs. Carl Thornton East of Sutherland Wednesday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Norma Dice, nee Norma Thornton, who was married recently. Fall flowers formed the decorations.

Lovely gifts were presented to Mrs. Dice and the afternoon was spent in viewing the gifts and visiting.

A charming lunch was served later in the afternoon to: Mrs. Dice, guest of honor, her mother, Mrs. Carl Thornton; Mrs. Annie Peplot, Mrs. Frank Peplot, Mrs. Vinnie Cooper, Mrs. Flossie Ison, Mrs. Royal Abene, Sr., Mrs. Royal Abene, Jr., Mrs. Fay Wood, Mrs. McCumber, Mrs. Fay Hogan, Mrs. Hazel Jameson, Miss Gladys Mahley and the hostess, Mrs. Branton.

Those sending gifts, who were unable to attend were: Mrs. Lloyd Quimby, Mrs. Lynn Moore, Mrs. Rodney Leatherwood, and Mrs. Leonard Peplot.

BAZAAR AND RUMMAGE SALE DATED FOR NOV. 23

The Canyonville Woman's Society of Christian Services will sponsor a bazaar and rummage sale beginning at ten in the morning Saturday, November 23, in Gray's building across the street from the Red and White store. A cooked food sale will also be held. Coffee and doughnuts will be served. Donations will be called for by contacting Mrs. T. L. Weaver, Mrs. Ray Bartley, Mrs. E. L. Moyer or may be left at Weaver's Realty office.

BAZAAR AND CARNIVAL TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Riversdale Grange has invited the public to enjoy a bazaar and carnival Saturday evening, November 23, at eight o'clock at the hall. All types of carnival booths are being arranged and a large number of articles will be on sale. Food will also be sold and dancing will be enjoyed during the social hour.

GRANGERS AND FAMILIES INVITED TO DINNER

Evergreen Grange members and their families are invited to enjoy a six o'clock turkey dinner at the hall Sunday, November 24. The Grange will furnish the turkey, potatoes and rolls. Members are asked to furnish the other food for the dinner.

APRON AND FOOD SALE TO BE HELD

The Navy Mothers Club will sponsor a food and apron sale Saturday, November 23, at Powell's Hardware store on North Jackson street.

THANKSGIVING BALL TO BE EVENT OF NOV. 23

The annual Thanksgiving ball will again be resumed by the Business and Professional Women's Club Thanksgiving evening, November 23, at the armory, after dispensing with the event throughout the years of World War II.

Mrs. Story Iles and Mrs. L. L. Spencer are acting as co-chairmen of the 1946 event and tickets may be purchased from any member of the club. The public is most cordially invited to enjoy the occasion. Vic Rie's orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music.

BOX SOCIAL AND BENEFIT PARTY TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Riddle Grange will sponsor a benefit party and box social Saturday night, November 23, at 8 o'clock at the hall. The public is cordially invited. All types of booties will be maintained and ladies attending are asked to each bring a box lunch. The lunches will be sold during the refreshment hour.

U. OF O. MOTHERS CLUB TO MEET MONDAY

The University of Oregon Mothers Club has announced its first meeting of the season for Monday evening, November 25, at seven o'clock at the home of Mrs. Carl E. Roslund, 700 East Sixth street. All mothers of University of Oregon students are urged to be present.

British-American Economic Link In Germany Proposed

NEW YORK, Nov. 21. — (AP) — Secretary of State Byrnes was reported ready today to press for discussion of Germany by the foreign ministers council the next time the Big Four strike a time-consuming snag in their work on Italian and other satellite peace treaties.

Following a conference with Byrnes and British Foreign Secretary Bevin yesterday on the proposed economic merger of American and British German occupation zones, Lt. Gen. Lucius D. Clay told reporters he and Ambassador Robert Murphy were standing by here for the German talks and for consultation with Byrnes on United States policy toward Germany.

Clay is deputy commander in the American zone and Murphy is his top political adviser. While preparing for the Big-Four attack on long-range control and development of the defeated enemy country, they are also winding up arrangements for the two-zone economic integration.

This step, Clay said last night, should make the two zones economically self-sufficient in the next three years but meanwhile will add many millions a year to the American budget for importing food into the reich.

American expenditures for this purpose, exclusive of military costs, presently amount to \$200,000,000 annually. The British, with a larger population to feed, are spending about twice that much.

Self-sufficiency should be attained, he said, by a joint British-American export program, selling German products on the world market for money which then can be used to buy the food that is Germany's greatest need.

Clay said he felt optimistic about the possibility of Russia's eventually adding her zone to the German economic group being formed by the United States and Britain. Some progress may be made on this in the Big-Four discussions.



In the future, screen dancing star Vera-Ellen will probably keep her valuable feet close to the stove, as pictured above. Right now she's suffering from an ailment rare in southern California — frost-bitten feet. She and her mother drove up into the mountains to see the snow and their car stalled. Vera-Ellen walked nearly a mile in flimsy, low shoes before finding help.

Political Prophet



Peter Edson, NEA Service Washington correspondent, picked the winners with racing form accuracy in Newsweek's pre-election poll of 50 top political writers. He forecast a Republican gain of 52 seats in the House and 11 in the Senate. The actual gain was 54 in the House and 12 in the Senate. Edson tied for first with Mark Foote of the Booth Newspapers, who predicted gains of 49 and 12.

Descendant of Douglas County Pioneers Dies

COOS BAY, Nov. 21. — Louis Gordon Smith, 63, mechanic for the local fire department, died at his home Sunday.

Joining the fire department as a volunteer in 1904, he became a paid employee 33 years ago and since had been in charge of maintaining all of the department's motorized equipment, as well as equipment of other city departments.

He was born on the Smith donation land claim at Yoncalla, in Douglas County, a descendant of the pioneer Robert Smith and Charles Applegate families. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna S. Smith, and four sisters.

Suppression of U. S.-Jap Pre-War Notes Are Hinted

TOKYO, Nov. 21. — (AP) — The defense at the international war crimes trial strongly implied in questioning today that the U. S. State Department suppressed significant memoranda on 1941 Japanese-American negotiations.

Outside the courtroom, Lt. Col. Franklin E. N. Warren of defense counsel replied to correspondents' questions: "I would not be surprised to see another congressional investigation of the State Department regarding events prior to Pearl Harbor."

He did not elaborate. Warren also implied by cross-examination of Joseph W. Ballantine, special assistant to the Secretary of State, that then Secretary of State Cordell Hull refused to

accept a report prepared by former Ambassador Joseph C. Grew. The Grew report was submitted after he was released from a Japanese prisoner of war camp and returned to Washington. Ballantine said "I know nothing of such a report."

Warren inquired if Stanley Hornbeck, Hull's adviser on Far Eastern matters, hadn't prepared a memorandum "about using a policy of economic strangulation to force Japan to do what the United States wanted" and if it hadn't been suppressed. "I do not recall such a memorandum," Ballantine replied.

Found Dead in Cabin

Norman McCurtain was found dead in his cabin near Whitney's Trading Post, south of Myrtle Creek, early Wednesday morning. He was the apparent victim of a heart attack, Coroner Harry C. Stearns reported. A brother, O. K. McCurtain of Talent, Ore., survives.

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