

# Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

## SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY IS ENJOYED

Mrs. Anne Chitwood of Melrose was honored at a surprise birthday party at the Grange Hall Saturday night by a group of friends. Her birthday occurred Feb. 29.

Hostesses were Mrs. D. N. Busenbark, Mrs. Ray Doerner and Mrs. H. Adelotte.

Prizes were awarded for high score in bridge and pinochle. Bingo was also enjoyed.

A beautiful birthday cake and yellow tapers decorated the serving table with daffodils about the rooms.

A waffle iron was presented to the honored guest by the group. Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Busenbark, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kruse, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Doerner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cring, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stidham, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nickens, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Conn, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Chitwood, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young, Jerry Stidham and Clark Chitwood.

**BENEFIT PARTY IS HELD AT AZALEA**  
AZALEA—More than 100 Home Extension Unit members and guests attended the potluck supper and entertainment given as a benefit at the grange hall Saturday night. The party cleared \$90 to be turned over to Mrs. Wallace Boling, Douglas County Home Demonstration agent, to be sent to Corvallis to help build Azalea house on the Oregon State Campus for 4-H Club members.

## P. N. G. CLUB MEETING HELD THURSDAY NIGHT

P. N. G. Club met Thursday night at the I. O. O. F. hall with Vivian Logsdon, Lydia Roadman, Emma Taylor and Viola Spencer hostesses at a dessert-supper. Fifteen were present. The dining room tables were beautifully decorated in the George Washington birthday motif.

Covers were placed for Rubie Bloom, Ethel Busenbark, Carmen Clark, Minnie Clark, Maggie Dent, Alice Goff, Vivian Logsdon, Elsie Mills, Mayme Pickens, Lydia Roadman, Elsie Russell, Viola Spencer, Emma Taylor, Louise and Mary Curtis.

George Washington games were conducted by the entertainment committee and prizes were awarded to winners.

The March 12 meeting will be in charge of Ethel Bailey, Lena Poole, Marnie Hudnell, Blanche Marr and Daynie Beach with Margaret Miller, Nona Porter and Inga Hild in charge of the entertainment.

## GREEN STUDY CLUB HAS POTLUCK LUNCHEON

Green P.T.A. Study Club held a potluck luncheon Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Ethel Ascott with the following present: Mrs. Hurley and baby, guests, and Mrs. Bea Corralison. Mrs. Percy Myers and son, Dale; Mrs. Lois Miller, Mrs. Jeannie Hern and daughter, Ann; Mrs. Gladys Stafford, Mrs. Eddy and daughter, Teri; Mrs. Guy Wilhoit, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Vivian Heater, Mrs. Freda Steinhauser and daughter, Karen; Mrs. Belle Holm and Mrs. Clem O'Neil.

The next meeting will be held at the Steinhauser home. All members are asked to be present.

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**V.F.W. AUXILIARY TO SPONSOR DANCE**  
A St. Patrick's dance will be sponsored by the V.F.W. Auxiliary Monday night at eight o'clock at the Veterans Administration recreation hall. Women of the community and members of the auxiliary are asked to attend. Music for the dance will be furnished by Jack Gorthy's orchestra.

## WEST MELROSE CLUB MEETING ENJOYED

Mrs. Howard Sheldon entertained the West Melrose Club at a delicious dessert-luncheon Thursday at her home. The Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations. Mrs. Ed Moore, president, conducted the meeting and roll-call was given by a seed exchange. A social hour was spent in visiting and sewing.

Those present were Mrs. Fred Agee, Mrs. William Knaggs and two children of Roseburg; Mrs. H. G. Thompson, Mrs. Eli Sanders, Mrs. Rose Gravening, Mrs. G. Matthews, Mrs. Ed Moon, Mrs. E. M. Seeley, Kay Sheldon and the hostess, Mrs. Howard Sheldon.

## TIMBERLINE RIDERS CLUB MAKES TRIP

A group of Timberline Trail Riders went to Kelo, Wash., last Friday to look at saddle horses and arrange for purchase of horses by some of the members. They stopped at the Joe Fisher ranch near Scappoose to see his registered Domino strain of Hereford cattle and to also see the registered Palomino stallion. Following a stop in Portland, the group went on to the Loren Kerr ranch to see his Tennessee Walkers, American Saddlebreds and standard bred horses of many kinds. Mr. Kerr reported that owners of Tennessee Walkers would present a specialty show in Eugene March 21 without charge. He reported that an auction had been planned for April.

The next meeting will be March 8 and all members are asked to be at the Legion hall at Sutherlin promptly at 8 p.m.

## GRANGE MEETING HOLDS POTLUCK

Evergreen Grange held a six-thirty o'clock potluck supper at the hall Friday evening with 49 members in attendance. Worthy Master, Bonnie Barryman, conducted the meeting and the organization for the third and fourth degrees were given to Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Ferguson of Dillard.

It was announced a public card party will be held March 6 at 8 o'clock at the hall. Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded winners in five-hundred and pinochle.

The next meeting will be March 12 at the hall at 8 o'clock. Members having birthdays in January, February and March will be honored. Refreshments will be in charge of the Home Economics chairman, Evelyn Nickerson.

## SPRING CONFERENCE TO BE HELD HERE SUNDAY

Madras Business and Professional Women's Club plans well under way for the Southern Oregon District Conference to convene in Roseburg next Sunday March 7th.

The morning session will begin at 9:00 a.m. with registration at the Junior High School Building in charge of Mrs. Hazel Smith, Mrs. Ann Struss and Mrs. Laura Iles. Mrs. Minnie Clark and her hospitality committee will serve doughnuts and coffee to early arrivals. Miss Laura York of Medford and district conference chairman will preside. Speakers will include Mrs. Leone Jensen, president of the Oregon Federation of B.P.W. Clubs; Mrs. Carmelite West, first vice-president, and Miss Elenora Weatherford, state public affairs chairman.

The conference concludes with a luncheon at the Hotel Umpqua in charge of Mrs. Jean Whittenberg and her committee. Local members are requested to make their reservations not later than March 3rd by telephoning Mrs. Laura Iles at 196 or 334-R.

## EVERGREEN H. E. C. HAS MEETING

Evergreen H. E. Club met Thursday at the hall for a potluck luncheon. Covers were placed for Evelyn Nickerson, chairman, Garnet Polmsbee, Renie Jenkins, Ethel Forrest, Mildred DeLoath, Louise Ellyer, Gladys Stafford, Margaret McCord, Bease Lounsbury, Isabelle McDowell, Jessie Thomas, Margaret Burt, Blanche Tipton, Rubie Belle Kobornik, Minnie Wagner and Mabel Lange.

A business meeting was held. The next meeting will be March 11 with a potluck luncheon at noon at the hall.

## MRS. CARR HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

SUTHERLIN — Mrs. Emma Carr very graciously entertained the Tillamook Bridge Club and guests at a salad-luncheon at her daughter's, Mrs. Nadine Stearns, home in Oakland. The small linen covered tables were tastefully placed about the spacious room with beautiful bouquets of pussy willows and daffodils used as decorations.

Covers were placed for: Mrs. Margie Hunt, Mrs. Mary Barker, Mrs. Mable Randall, Miss Mary Alice Randall, Mrs. Betty Stearns, Mrs. Juanita Holgate, Mrs. Florence Groshong, Mrs. Marjorie Coenenberg, Mrs. Eloise Lamoreaux, Mrs. Lina Torrey, Mrs. Nadine Stearns, Mrs. Helme Burns and the hostess, Mrs. Carr.

The pleasant afternoon hours were spent in playing auction bridge with Mrs. Hunt winning high score, Mrs. Barker second high, Mrs. Juanita Holgate low and Mrs. Groshong the traveling goose.

The next club meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Nadine Stearns in Oakland, with her mother, Mrs. Emma Carr as co-hostess.

## JESSIE WAGGONER TO BE GUEST SOLOIST

Mrs. Jessie Waggoner will be guest soloist at the Evening Worship Service at 7:30 p. m. at the First Methodist Church it was announced today by Rev. W. A. MacArthur. Mrs. Waggoner studied at Oregon State College with Paul Petri and also at Marfield Studios at Pasadena. At this Lenten service Mrs. Waggoner will sing "Art Thou The Christ" by O'Hara; "No Disappointments in Jesus" by Hallett; and "My Friend" by Alfred Mollette.

Mr. MacArthur will bring a meditation "The Eternal Value." This will be a service of great congregational singing, wonderful special music, and inspiring message. Plan to attend and bring others.

## MELROSE H. E. C. TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Melrose Home Economics Club will meet Monday night at a seven-thirty o'clock dessert-supper at the home of Mrs. Nellie Meyers with Mrs. Margaret Reese and Mrs. Laverne Nickens assisting. All members and grange women are invited.

## CANYONVILLE WOMAN'S CLUB IS ORGANIZED

Canyonville Woman's Club was organized this week with 34 present at the first call for active members. Officers were elected and included: president, Mrs. Lota Marks; vice-president, Mrs. Freda Daniels; secretary, Mrs. Elvira Green; and treasurer, Mrs. Dee Dazee.

The following committee was appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws: Mrs. Edith Dahl, Mrs. Dorothea Marshall, Mrs. Mary Ford, Mrs. Mary Rodman and Mrs. Beatrice Boyles.

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## Destructive Starlings Seen in Eastern Oregon

MADRAS, Ore., March 5.—(AP)—Fifteen starlings—a crop-destructive bird which only occasionally has been found in Oregon—were reported in Jefferson County this week.

LaVerne Brugger, who is doing wildlife research here for an advance degree at Oregon State college, told the county agent that he had seen the starlings in the Metolius district south of here.

Brugger planned to try to shoot some of the birds to be mounted for exhibits to warn Central Oregon ranchers. The bird is not generally known in this area.



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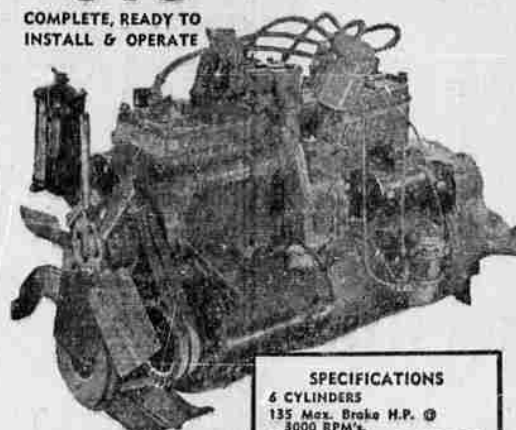
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