

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

COMMERCIAL CLUB HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM-MEETING

The Commercial Club of the Roseburg Senior High School held its annual banquet at the Umpqua Hotel Wednesday evening. Miss Ruth Roberts, commercial instructor, was in charge of the entire banquet, with the photography of the class acting as host. Miss Donna Flint presided as toastmistress.

The two guest speakers were Mrs. Roy Fent, a former student of R. H. S. and now employed as a secretary in the vicinity and Leroy Hlatt, an ex-instructor of R. H. S., now chief radio engineer at KRNZ.

Mrs. Roy Fent spoke on "It's All in a Day's Work." She stated the many duties of the average secretary and how they may be accomplished. It was very educational.

In the talk, "The Ideal Secretary," the subject of Mr. Hlatt's talk, the class was spoken of as "future secretaries." He expressed the importance of accuracy, promptness and personal appearance, all characteristic of the ideal secretary.

Other guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Laws, Miss Esther Dyer and sixty commercial students.

A short program was presented between the two speeches as follows:

"Bidin' the Roller Coaster," reading, Betty Wood; solo and tap dance, Irma Williams; Terry O'Milligan, Irish philosopher, reading, Mary Martin, and Clair de Lune, piano solo, Irene Long.

GIFT GOSSIP

by Margie

Hello there, all you joyous people! Recently a friend in South Africa wrote me, telling what she did on Boxing Day. Which led me to wonder how I disposed myself. I certainly didn't go boxing that for sure. Well, it turns out to be the first week day after Christmas, so it's safe to report that I just coasted along on the momentum of the previous day. Tomorrow, the 25th, will be Lady Day, and if you were living in England you'd be paying your quarterly rent. I hope that day by day, holiday, pay day, or Woden's day, you'll be doing your self a favor to patronize DOROTHY'S, 115 S. Stephens St., where the gifts are gorgeous, glamorous, and just plain grand.

Be that as it may, and maybe you're skeptical, there's one sure method of convincing yourself. Pull up your socks and jog down to DOROTHY'S for a quick reconnaissance. Easter's just over the way and you still have some gifts on the waiting list. I betcha. If Grandmom hasn't been checked off yet, how about one of those delicately tinted plaques of The Last Supper, always a popular subject, and especially so at the Easter season. The sacred pictures are appropriately lovely, also. See them at DOROTHY'S before the sun goes down.

If Junior has been getting in your hair, then consider his problem settled. Give him, or the Jr. Miss, a Rollicoke or a Rollicoyse. Now, these little jiggers must be seen to be appreciated. They are wooden animals, with joints in various unorthodox places. When you exert pressure (poosh, poosh) on the bottom, they cut some of the weirdest antics ever executed. Even Walt Disney couldn't improve on their articulation. They're more fun than a barrel of monkeys and just as unpredictable.

Then, there are so many colorful spring-like pottery pieces that would make marvelous Easter gifts for the lady who loves to be remembered. And who doesn't? Look them over and shed your shopping anxieties. Wrapped and tied at DOROTHY'S on Stephens. Joyous Easter, everybody. Margie. (Paid Adv.)

H. E. C. HAS POTLUCK LUNCHEON AT MARKS HOME FRIDAY

Riversdale Home Economics Club met for a delightful twelve-thirty o'clock potluck luncheon Friday at the home of Mrs. Eva Marks. Covers were placed for Agnes Schmidt, Dessie Tipton, Minnie Cox, Nellie Madsen, Hulda Howe, Helen Lehn, Lucy Cloake, Belle Ewens Alice Kruse, Evelyn Stillman, Avis Harmon, Marie Flint McCall, Margaret Hughes, Ramona Hampton, Anna Trozelle, Millie Beckwith, Lela Spray and Eva Marks, members, and Edith Bond and Rose Goberville, guests.

Agnes Schmidt, chairman, conducted the meeting and plans were made for the Sheriffs Posse dinner-dance, Marie Flint McCall entertained the group with charming piano numbers. Plans were also made for the social night to be held at 8:30 o'clock March 27 at the hall. Mr. and Mrs. Argos Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuck will be in charge.

The next regular meeting of the club will be April 9 at the home of Mrs. Margaret Hughes.

D. A. V. TO MEET THURSDAY NIGHT
D. A. V. Dean Perrine, No. 9, will meet at eight o'clock Thursday night, March 25, at the armory. A door prize will be awarded. All members are urged to be present.

The D. A. V. sewing bee has been announced for March 31 from 2 to 4 p. m. at the home of Mary Hoover at 1102 Umpqua Avenue. All members are urged to be present.

W. C. T. U. RADIO PROGRAM TO BE FRIDAY
The W. C. T. U. will present Mrs. Arthur Marsh and her girls over KRNZ radio station at 4:45 o'clock Friday, March 26, in the second installment of a program giving unique glimpses of life among the children at the W. C. T. U. Children's Farm Home near Corvallis.

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AUXILIARY SEWING CLUB MEETS AT STEPHENS HOME

The American Legion Auxiliary sewing group met at the home of Mrs. Jane Stevens, Wednesday afternoon. A quilt was completed and children's garments were sewn for the Child Welfare Center which is located at the Armory. Refreshments were served to Mrs. George Jackson, Auxiliary president, Mrs. Betty Moore Auxiliary 1st vice-president, Mrs. Gertrude Hatfield, Auxiliary chaplain, Mrs. Leah Brown, Auxiliary color bearer, Miss Ollie Krueger, and Mrs. Mary Dolan. Mrs. Jane Stevens, sewing group chairman, urges all old and new members who possibly can attend these meetings to do so as more help is needed in this department.

Those ladies who could come if they had transportation are asked to call 1140-J. The group meets the second Wednesday of the month. The next meeting will be April 14.

Mrs. Erwin Short, Child Welfare Chairman, reports that one out of every two American children is the child of a war veteran. The vast increase in the number of children of veterans since World War II has increased greatly the Auxiliary's work in this field.

"Misfortunes of war have fallen heavily on children of the war years," said Mrs. Short. "So many of their homes have been broken by death, divorce and desertion. Their health, happiness and future have been jeopardized by the unsettled conditions resulting from the war. We of the Auxiliary believe that everything possible must be done to bring these unfortunate children the normal advantages of American childhood."

"We believe that the best place for a child is in his own home under the care of his own parents, so when we find a veteran's child in need our first efforts are to rehabilitate the home. If one or both parents are living and at home, we endeavor to bring them the aid that will enable them to keep the home going. We co-operate closely with the American Legion and with child welfare agencies to make this possible."

"The Auxiliary realizes that merely providing shelter, food, and clothing is not enough to give needy children a fair start in life. The child must also have medical and dental care. He must have character and citizenship training to prepare him for a happy and useful life, and he

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must have religious training to give him a sound foundation on which to build his life. These are the goals of the Auxiliary in its efforts for the needy children of veterans."

Ten scholarships, each with a value of \$600, are being offered by American Legion Auxiliary to daughters of deceased war veterans graduating from high school this spring. Mrs. George Jackson, president of Umpqua Unit of the Auxiliary, has announced.

The scholarships, known as the National President's Scholarships are for use during the first year of college. Two will be awarded in each of five regions of the country, but not more than one in any one state. Winners will be selected on a basis of character, scholarship and need. Applications should be made to the local Auxiliary Unit.

SHERIFFS POSSE BANQUET AND DANCE IS ENJOYABLE AFFAIR
A banquet and dance was enjoyed by the Sheriffs Posse and their ladies Wednesday evening at the Riversdale Grange hall with the Grange Home Economics Club serving the dinner to 85.

C. T. Tipton, captain, conducted the meeting and plans were made for the annual rodeo to be held June 19-20. Extensive plans are being made to make the 1948 rodeo the best and largest to date. It was announced the posse will hold drill practice Sunday, providing it does not rain.

Plans were discussed for a ladies auxiliary and the following committee was appointed: Mrs. L. M. Lehnbach, Mrs. J. D. Meyers, Mrs. Bruce Carter and Mrs. Allen Sherlock. All women, whose husbands are in the posse, and who are interested in joining the auxiliary, are asked to contact a member of the committee.

Dancing was enjoyed during the social hours.

D. U. V. BANQUET
WOODS DEPARTMENT
PRESIDENT AND OFFICERS
Florence Nightingale Tent, No. 15, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, honored the department president, Mrs. Nellie C. Hiday, and the department secretary, Sarah M. Cutler, at a charming banquet at the Hotel Umpqua Friday evening, following a meeting at the K. of P. hall. Local members present were Anna Peterson, Ruth Plummer, Anna Carson, Evelyn Cyrus, Marion Patrick, Doris Garrett, Edna Knages, Essie Olson, Mary Peterson, Nettie Hallcraft and Jeanette Higgins.

The table decorations were beautifully carried out in a red and white and blue patriotic motif. Mary Peterson and Ruth Plummer had charge of the decorations.

PIE SOCIAL TO BE HELD FRIDAY NIGHT
Riversdale Community Club will sponsor a pie social at eight o'clock Friday night, March 26, at the schoolhouse. Ladies attending are asked to bring either pie or cake, which will be sold during the evening. A program will be presented. Proceeds of the affair will be used for Riversdale School.

AUXILIARY HOLDS DELIGHTFUL POTLUCK SUPPER AND MEETING
The Roseburg Ladies Auxiliary, No. 712, of the National Association of Latter Carriers, held an enjoyable potluck supper and meeting last week at the home of the president, Mrs. Raymond Clark, on Winchester street, having their husbands as guests.

The auxiliary has been inactive and in reorganizing voted to hold meetings the first Friday evening of every month.

Delegates and their alternates to the state convention to be held at Hillsboro in June were elected as follows: Mrs. J. L. Saunders and Mrs. Raymond Clark, delegates, and Mrs. Elvin Cloake and Mrs. L. A. Miles as alternates. A report was given of a noon luncheon meeting of recent date when the state president, Mrs.

LEGION AND AUXILIARY CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY AT JOINT AFFAIR

The American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary met at the Armory Tuesday evening to celebrate the American Legion's birthday. The joint semi-business meeting was opened by Robert Heilwell, Vice-Commander, Umpqua Post No. 16, William Mills, program chairman for the American Legion, introduced Miss Norma Lockwood who played two piano selections for the large audience. Fred Snyder entertained with several peppy "bones" selections. Keith Phillips accompanied audience in group singing and also entertained with several piano selections. Mr. Mills called for four women volunteers. Mrs. Bonnie Albright, Mrs. Mary Parsons, Mrs. Leah Brown, and Mrs. Rose Dauber volunteered for a surprise nail driving contest. Mrs. Albright won first prize, a small novelty skunk; second prize, Mrs. Rose Dauber, small novelty bear; third prize, Mrs. Mary Parsons, small novelty dog; fourth prize, Mrs. Leah Brown, a small hamster.

Two veterans, Leo Santerre and Raymond Standley, were introduced. These two men have made 14,000 poppies at the Veterans Hospital. Mr. Santerre is a World War I veteran, and Mr. Standley is a World War II veteran.

The American Legion birthday cake was presented by Mrs. George Jackson, Auxiliary President, to Robert Kelly, Umpqua Post Commander. The cake was decorated with the American Legion Emblem in the center, and the American Legion colors, gold, white, and blue were prevalent throughout the entire decoration. Birthday candles were blown out by Mrs. George Jackson and Robert Kelly, and the cake was served. Mrs. George Jackson, Unit President, Mrs. Gus Angel, Mrs. Jennie Midland, Mrs. Christina Micelli, Mrs. M. E. Ritter, Mrs. Violet Hannon, and Mrs. Ritzman.

After refreshments dancing was enjoyed. Legion and Auxiliary members were pleased with the fine job William Mills accomplished.

The next American Legion Auxiliary meeting will be held at the Armory Tuesday evening, April 6, at 8 P. M. with President Mrs. George Jackson presiding. The Unit will observe Pan-American Day at this meeting. Mrs. Roy Young, Pan-American Chairman, will have charge of the program. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Walter Fisher, who will report on her recent trip to South America. The Camp Fire Group which the American Legion Auxiliary sponsors will prepare and serve the refreshments. Miss Virginia Young is in charge of this group. Cards will be played after the business meeting, for those who wish to.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a Food and Bait Sale April 3. All members who have bulbs to contribute call 1066-J; all who have food to contribute call 1140-J. The sale will be held at Mrs. Dorothy Teeter's Gift Shop, 115 S. Stephens.

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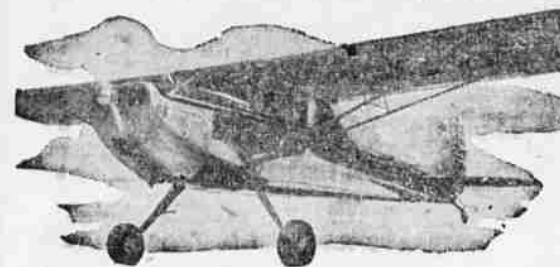
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