

Society

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER
ALPHA IOTA CHAPTER
MEETING IS HELD
ON THURSDAY EVENING

Alpha Iota Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, met at the home of Mrs. Bernard Saar Thursday evening with Mrs. Ernest Barker, Jr., Miss Melva Williamson and Miss Gun Bragiel, hostesses. The interesting cultural program on music was presented by Miss Williamson, who illustrated her talk by playing piano numbers.

Refreshments were served later by Mrs. Ernest Barker, Jr., Mrs. Ray W. Barnhart, Mrs. Vordun Houcock, Miss Adeline and Miss Gun Bragiel, Miss Lols Fitzgibbons, Mrs. L. E. Garrison, Miss Phyllis Hanse, Miss Eunice Kishman, Mrs. Frank O'Brien, Mrs. Robert Phillips, Mrs. Ed Radigan, Mrs. Robert Rhodes, Miss Mary Rutison, Mrs. Jerome Sheldon, Mrs. Stanley Short, Miss

Ethel Van Voorst, Mrs. Harold Wayman, Mrs. Frank Wickham and Miss Melva Williamson, members; Mrs. L. L. Wimberly, social sponsor; Mrs. Bernard Saar and Mrs. Walter Schoenleber, guests from Mu Chapter.

The next meeting will be April 1 at 8 p. m. at Ritter's Back Porch on the North Umpqua at Winchester with Miss Ethel Van Voorst, Mrs. Bernard Saar and Mrs. Mae Matthews, hostesses. The program on "Life as an Art" will be in charge of Mrs. Sidney Domenech.

GROVE FAMILY ENJOY REUNION ON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Grove entertained at a very delightful dinner and family reunion at their home Sunday having as guests the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Rissberger, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rissberger and two children, all of Eugene; and Mr. Grove's wife, Mrs. Charles Grove and oldest son, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, daughter, Mrs. Ashland, and Eugene and Ashland visitors returned to their homes Sunday evening.

B. H. LAIRD IS ONE OF 42 HONORED BY STANDARD OIL COMPANY

B. H. Laird, Roseburg, was one of 42 honored at a banquet in the Multnomah Hotel Junior Ballroom Friday night by the Standard Oil Company of California.

A beautiful Hamilton wrist watch was presented to each of the 42 guests of honor in appreciation of service given by them to the Standard Oil Company.

Mr. Laird retired November 15, 1947, following 30 years of service in the Roseburg area. The combined years of these 42 men of the Portland agency represented 1379 years of service.

Mr. Laird was accompanied to Portland over the weekend by his wife. They visited their daughter, Miss Maxine Laird, and with Mrs. Laird's sister, Mrs. A. Alderton, and returned to their home on Winchester street the first of the week.

SOUTH DEER CREEK GRANGE HAS MEETING

South Deer Creek Grange honored the playcast of "Aunt Min Drops In" at a potluck luncheon Saturday evening at the hall.

Mrs. Joe Brumbach had charge of the program, following the regular Grange session. The Home Economics Club meeting was announced for April 2 to be held at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. William Bailey.

The next meeting will be April 3 at 8 p. m. at the hall. Refreshments will be in charge of Mr.

and Mrs. Lewin Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Collison, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Collison, Jr. The program and social hour will follow the Grange meeting.

RIVERSDALE GRANGE HAS BIRTHDAY DINNER
Riversdale Grange held a sixty-third birthday dinner Friday night at the hall honoring members having birthdays in January, February and March. Covers were placed for 70.

B. F. Chilson, master, conducted the meeting and reports were given. The third and fourth degrees were conferred on Mr. and Mrs. Paris by Ray Deadman. The Grange voted to purchase 50 chairs. Plans were outlined for the Jay-Cee dinner to be held at seven-thirty o'clock April 3 at the hall.

A program was presented by the Riversdale Breakfast 4-H Cooking Club under the leadership of Mrs. H. B. Kruse. The pledge to the flag; 4-H pledge, songs and vells were presented by Richard Goodenough, Kenneth Wanda Neptune, Joan Kruse, Carmen Cox, Sandra Humphreys, Janice Eastman and Frances Vi-lette.

Frank Von Borstal, 4-H Club leader, showed motion pictures of Victory Gardens and also pictures taken in Mexico.

The next meeting will be April 2 at 8:15 p. m. at the hall. Refreshments will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. E. Sullivan, Mrs. C. E. Marks and Charles Emery.

P. N. G. CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Past Noble Grands Club will meet Friday night at a seven-thirty o'clock dinner at the I. O. O. F. hall with Ethel Bailey, Lena Poole, Mamie Hudnell, Blanche Marr and Daynise Beach, hostesses. The entertainment will be in charge of Margaret Miller, Nora Porter and Inga High. All members are asked to be present.

CATHOLIC FOOD SALE DATED FOR SATURDAY

Circles, No. 1 and No. 2, of St. Joseph's Altar Society, will sponsor a cooked food sale Saturday, March 27, at Easton's Grocery on Jackson street. Mrs. Sandy McDonald will be general chairman.

LEAP YEAR BASKET SOCIAL TO BE HELD

Wilbur Community Club will sponsor a Leap Year basket social at the schoolhouse Friday evening to be followed by the business meeting. Men are asked to bring baskets and the women will buy them. The public is invited.

WOMAN'S CLUB SPRING FLOWER SHOW IS MOST SUCCESSFUL TO DATE

The greatest number of exhibitors, together with a record attendance of visitors, made the annual spring flower show of the Roseburg Woman's Club Thursday and Friday, the most successful to date. Mrs. Kenneth W. Ford and Mrs. Jack West, co-chairmen, and their general committees are being congratulated for putting on the most beautiful exhibit ever sponsored by the club.

There were 23 camera exhibitors showing 40 varieties; 11 Primrose growers had exhibits and 15 daffodil growers arranged exhibits. Magnolias, violets, saxifrage, grape hyacinths, peacinthas, acacia, flowering peach, plum, skimmias, azaleas, adironomies completed the arrangements made by 55 exhibitors.

Camelias for the years 1943 to 1948 were exhibited and included Kumsaka, 1943; Rosea Grandiflora, 1944; Mikkenaku, 1945; Julia Drayton, 1946; Magnolia, 1947, and Lotus, 1948.

There were 950 visitors attending with seven states represented and twenty-three Oregon cities were represented.

Exhibitors included: Mrs. Edgar Lewis, Mrs. Jack West, Mrs. Kenneth W. Ford, Mrs. Wynham, Mrs. H. C. Berg, Mrs. Paul Jenkins, Mrs. Fred Chapman, Jr., Mrs. O. R. E. Sullivan, Mrs. William Hutch, Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, Mrs. H. T. Hansen, Mrs. I. B. Riddle, Fern Florists, Moore's Nursery, Lehn Nursery, Martin's Nursery, Moyer's Nursery, Mrs. J. P. Mot-schenbacher, Mrs. Robert Irving, Mrs. Charles A. Brand, Mrs. Earl Flegel, Mrs. Foster Butner, Mrs. A. Goff, Mrs. Lucy Haines of Oakland; Mrs. L. John William Robertson, Mrs. L. M. Lehrbach, Miss Alice Ueland, Mrs. J. P. Joyce, Mrs. O. J. Feldkamp, Mrs. O. D. Gossnell, Mrs. J. J. Kester, Mrs. A. J. Geddes, Mrs. Carl Nelson, Mrs. Joe Blosser, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Clark Lodgey, Mrs. Roy Bellows and Mrs. Frederick J. Porter and Lil-lie's.

The co-chairmen were assisted by Mrs. Foster Butner, Miss Alice Ueland, Mrs. R. H. Solt, Mrs. O. D. Gossnell, Mrs. A. P. Micelli, Mrs. J. M. Boyles, Mrs. Earl Flegel, Mrs. J. P. Joyce and Mrs. H. C. Berg. A large number of members of the Woman's Club acted as hostesses during the two-day show.

Mrs. Ford and Mrs. West, with their committees, have expressed their appreciation to all exhibitors and everyone helping to make the show the finest to date.

MINERAL CLUB HAS INTERESTING MEETING ON THURSDAY EVENING

Leslie Roberts spoke before a large audience of Umpqua Mineral Club members at the K.P. hall Thursday night on the subject of "Tenuous Rocks and Oregon's Relation to Them." His talk, which he illustrated with prepared drawings and charts, was completely absorbing and revealed keen knowledge and deep research into the subject. He described the internal processes of volcanism, and the external results as manifest in the McKenzle Lava Beds and the paligades along the Columbia River.

He concluded his illuminating talk by reading an article describing the eruption of Krakatoa, which resulted in the loudest noise ever heard by human ears. It was audible at a distance of 3000 miles and set up a series of atmospheric waves which traveled at least three times around the earth.

Mrs. Leslie Roberts read a short informative article on the March birthstone, the bloodstone, in the absence of Mrs. Essie Koenitz, who was originally scheduled to present it. The April birthstone, the diamond, will be discussed at the next meeting by Mrs. Dorothy Teater.

Roy Rose gave an interesting report on a field trip into the Ashland area and urged that the club plan a similar trip as a summer project. A pro and con discussion regarding the purchase of a kodachrome slide projector for showing rock transparencies resulted in the decision to wait until more complete information could be secured.

Clair Pettit also appointed a committee of one to look some directional signs for use at the entrance of the hall on meeting nights. Mrs. E. E. Maurer, chair-

man, Mrs. Donna B. Thompson, and Fred Chapman were appointed to the refreshments committee for the April meeting. Everett Teater is slated to talk on the making of jewelry.

Jack Wharton had for display an unusual pair of exquisite oriental moonstone earrings belonging to Mrs. Marie F. McCall, loaned by her for the occasion. These stones were of exceptional quality, the moons clearly perceptible. Mr. Wharton also had with him a number of cut and polished opals, his own handiwork, which were greatly admired.

Following the meeting flash pictures of the group were taken by Clair Pettit, Jr., and refreshments were served by the committee consisting of Marjorie Pettit, Clair Pettit Jr. and Clair Pettit Sr., the latter serving in the absence of Bob Housley. The long table was centered by a miniature of the Big Rock Candy Mountains composed of quartz crystals from the Rock Creek region. A color scheme of yellow, with scattered green shamrocks suggested that St. Patrick's Day was imminent. Refreshments were served later.

Those enjoying the occasion included Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rose, Mr. and Mrs. William Woods and son Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Bond, Miss Hallie Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Teater, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Maurer, Mrs. Donna B. Thompson, Mrs. Manuela Hutchins, Mrs. Leah Brown, Mrs. Hilda Peterson, Miss Verna Carothers, Mrs. C. J. Ingram, Jim Ingram, Dewey Bennett, Art Evans, Jack Wharton, Fred Chapman, Clair Pettit Sr., and the host and hostess, Clair Pettit Jr. and Marjorie Pettit.

LADY ELKS ENTERTAIN ELKS AT DELIGHTFUL PARTY FRIDAY NIGHT

Lady Elks entertained the Elks at a delightful card party Friday evening at the Temple. Mrs. Bert Anderson won the high score for ladies in the bridge play with A. M. Jacklin winning the high score for men. Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gossnell were winners of the high scores in the pinocchio play. Refreshments were served by the committee, including Mrs. Blaine Flora, chairman, Mrs. Hayden DeCamp, Mrs. Willis Fritts and Mrs. Joe Brant, assisted by Mrs. W. M. McEachern and Mrs. L. L. Wimberly. The lace-covered buffet table was centered with arrangement of daffodils, Daphne

and tall lighted tapers. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jacklin, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stever, Mr. and Mrs. Armour Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dishman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Quine, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brant, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Casey, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gossnell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lowe, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bailor, Dr. and Mrs. Leo Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Shoemaker, Mrs. L. G. Twoby, Mrs. M. Hazel Dixon, Mrs. E. O. Radtke of Dunsmuir, Calif., L.

W. Metzger, Mrs. Bert Anderson, Mrs. L. L. Wimberly, Mrs. J. H. Taylor and Mrs. Willis Fritts.

D. OF U. V. TO MEET ON FRIDAY EVENING

Florence Nightingale Tent, No. 15, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will meet Friday night at seven-thirty o'clock at the K. of P. hall. All members are urged to be present.

EVERGREEN GRANGE TO MEET AT POTLUCK SUPPER

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