

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

NOTICE

Social items submitted by telephone for the society page must be turned in before 12 o'clock Monday through Thursday and by 10 a. m. Fridays, at which time the social calendar and Saturday's society page are closed weekly.

SUTHERLIN REBEKAH LODGE HAS MEETING

Sutherland Rebekah Lodge met on Thursday evening in the basement of the Methodist Church with Mrs. Helme Burns, noble grand, presiding, assisted by the vice-grand, Miss Luella Pleuard. The applications of Mrs. Olga Bielman and Mrs. Juanita Atchbury were balloted upon and they were elected to become members.

Mrs. Juanita Holgate's husband, who was badly injured last week, was reported as holding his own and members were asked to remember him.

Mrs. Mahel Ross reported on the Degree of Chivalry and stated that she was very proud to have received the degree and that their pins did not come, but that they would receive them later. In place of the pins each person, 57 of them, had a beautiful flower corsage.

The second nominations of officers was held with the following being nominated: Miss Luella Pleuard, noble grand; Mrs. Eunice Beck, vice grand; Mrs. Leona Slack, secretary and Mrs. Emma Vandenberg, treasurer.

Mrs. Burns reported she had secured 15 feet of space for a refreshment booth at the Douglas County Timber Days Celebration and appointed Mrs. Velma Brauninger as chairman. She to pick her own committees to work with her.

Visitors present were Mrs. Eva Lockman, Mrs. Vivian Nicolson and Mrs. Phreda Wahl. Members, Mrs. Hazel Green, Mrs. Belle Cook, Mrs. Alma Anderson, Mrs. Eunice Beck, Mrs. Charlotte Parker, Mrs. Velma Brauninger, Mrs. Leona Slack, Mrs. Hallie Martin, Mrs. Grace Wood, Mrs. Helme Burns, Miss Luella Pleuard, Mrs. Mahel Ross, Mrs. Rosmarie Jones, Mrs. Emma Vandenberg and Mrs. Ella Wegner.

COURTIER-PEARSON CUP QUALIFYING ROUNDS TO BEGIN ON THURSDAY

Women of the Roseburg Country Club will meet Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the clubhouse. Second flighters will begin the qualifying rounds for the Courtier-Pearson golf tournament. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 and the contract bridge play will begin at 1:30 o'clock. All members of the club are asked to be present as plans will be outlined for the June 9 Play-Day affair for members and invited guests.

P. N. G. CLUB TO MEET AT DESSERT-SUPPER

The P. N. G. Club will meet Thursday night at a 7:30 o'clock dessert-supper at the I.O.O.F. hall with Maggie Dent, Ona Williams, Rubie Bloom, Maude Needham and Edna Fenley, hostesses. The entertainment will be in charge of Mildred Thompson. Lena Poole and Gertrude Hatfield. All members are urged to be present.

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THIMBLE CLUB MEETS AT POTLUCK LUNCHEON AT BEAVER HOME

Neighbors of Woodcraft Thimble Club met Monday at a delightful 1:30 o'clock potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. P. E. Beaver. Iris formed the beautiful decorations for the occasion.

Covers were placed for Mrs. Naomi Joiner, Mrs. Cora Dourte, Mrs. A. D. Hawn, Mrs. James Miller, Mrs. Bertha Worthington, Mrs. Henry Erskine, Mrs. Harry Lohr, Mrs. W. P. Fredrickson, Mrs. Lydia Hooper, Mrs. A. Neal, Mrs. Robert Burton, Mrs. Nora Frauendiner, members, Mrs. Geo. Campbell and Mrs. Victor Bean, guests; and the hostess, Mrs. Beaver.

Following the luncheon the group enjoyed the garden surrounding the Beaver home.

CANYONVILLE O. E. S. SOCIAL CLUB MEETS

The Canyonville O. E. S. Social Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Ruby Ulam in Myrtle Creek. Refreshments were served following the business session to 12 members and two guests including: Dorothy Cox, Adah Brown, Lillian Womack, Florence Hill, Margaret McGee, Lucia Snyder, Marion Gill, Mary Gaulke, Evelyn Harry, Freda Little, Carol Ulam, Ernestine Ledgerwood and the two hostesses, Ruby Ulam and Gladys Michaels.

The next meeting will be June 15 at the home of Zola Weaver. All members are urged to attend as plans will be made for a fall carnival.

PAST PRESIDENTS CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT AT COUNTRY CLUB

Mrs. Emily Judd will entertain the Past Presidents Club of the American Legion Auxiliary at a 7 o'clock dessert-supper at the Country Club Friday night, May 27, instead of Wednesday night as previously announced. All past presidents of the American Legion are invited and those desiring transportation are asked to call Mrs. Wenger at 198.

ALPHA IOTA CHAPTER SPECIAL MEETING TO BE HELD THURSDAY

Alpha Iota Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi will hold a special meeting Thursday night, May 26, at eight o'clock at the home of the president, Mrs. Robert Phillips, on Winchester street, to make plans for the Barn dance, which will be an event of June. All members are urged to attend this special meeting.

LADY ELKS TO MEET AT DESSERT-SUPPER THURSDAY EVENING

The Lady Elks will meet at an eight o'clock dessert-supper Thursday evening at the temple with Mrs. C. M. Iles, hostess chairman, assisted by Mrs. Harold Haskin, Mrs. Edward Murphy, Mrs. Harold Barber and Mrs. D. L. Taylor. Contract bridge and pinocle will be in play during the social hour. All members are urged to be present.

EVERGREEN H. E. C. TO MEET THURSDAY

The Evergreen Home Economics Club will meet Thursday at the hall for a noon potluck luncheon with Garnet Folmsbee, Rennie Jenkins and Margaret Burt, hostesses. All members are urged to be present.

STEDFAST CLASS TO MEET AT LUNCHEON

The Stedfast Class of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at a twelve o'clock potluck luncheon Thursday, May 26, in the church parlors. All members are urged to be present.



SOME FUN—Whether these children are amused at the thought of having their picture taken or from some other factor, they appear to be a happy bunch of youngsters. They constitute the third grade at Canyonville's combined grade and high school. Standing in the rear, left, is their teacher, Ellen Stonebraker. The kids (not identified as to position) are: Glenda Kay Chesnut, Viola Martin, Boyd Littlejohn, Glenda Spencer, Jean Harry, Paul Parrett, Patricia Billing, Genevieve Stever, David Geer, Neal Palmer, Peter Richardson, Darrel Johnson, John Dunbar, Loretta Hyatt, Viola Mikelson, Sandra Fairfield, Joan Tryon, Marion Owen, Norman Palmer and Glen Whiting. (Picture by Paul Jenkins.)

PYTHIAN SISTERS TO HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING

Temple No. 23, Pythian Sisters will hold an important meeting at eight o'clock Thursday night, May 26, at the K. of P. hall. All members are requested to be on time as formal initiation will be held and a special program will be presented.

Plans will be made for the benefit dance to be held at the K. of P. hall the evening of June 4th to raise money to send the K. of P. Girls Drum Corps to the Portland Rose Festival. The music will be donated by the Wheeler family. Refreshments will be sold. The public is invited.

MISS HELEN CASEY TO GIVE TRAVELOGUE WEDNESDAY EVENING

Miss Helen Casey will present a travelogue of her trip to South America at a meeting to be sponsored by Circle 2, of St. Joseph's Altar Society Wednesday night, May 25, at eight o'clock at the Catholic school. All women of the parish are invited to bring a guest and enjoy the occasion. Refreshments will be served.

VISIT AZALEA CIRCLE AT GRANTS PASS

Mrs. Robert Burton, Mrs. James Miller and Floyd Hanchett and his mother, Mrs. Carrie Hanchett, representing Lilac Circle, No. 49, Neighbors of Woodcraft in Roseburg, paid a visit to Azalea Circle in Grants Pass last week.

XI EPSILON CHAPTER TO MEET AT PICNIC SUPPER THURSDAY

Xi Epsilon Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi will meet at a six-thirty o'clock picnic supper Thursday evening, May 26, at the home of Mrs. Bernard Saar, 1110 N. Jackson street. All members are urged to be present.

SUNSHINE CLUB MEETING IS CHANGED

The Northside Sunshine Club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Stewig, 1020 West First street, instead of the meeting place previously announced. All members are urged to be present.

HELPING HAND CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Helping Hand Club of Ed-enborer will meet Wednesday (instead of Thursday) at eleven o'clock in the morning at the home of Mrs. Elmer Walker, 1939 Beacon Way, to upholster a chair for the hostess. A potluck luncheon will be served at noon.

WRITERS CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Roseburg Writers Club will meet Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George E. Houck on South Stephens street. All persons interested in writing are invited.



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By PETER ERSON

NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—Next time you're in a mood to cuss out the bureaucrats—the underworked and overpaid employes of the federal government who are supported by the taxpayers—save one or two kind words for the "WOC." A "WOC" is government alphabet lingo for the people who work for Uncle Sam for nothing.

There are about 65,000 of them "on the payroll." They are technically carried as employes working "With Out Compensation." The initials furnish heroes who contribute as much of their time as they can to various government enterprises, expecting no other reward than the satisfaction of knowing that they're honest citizens doing something for the good of their country.

More than half of the WOCs are the volunteer members of the 3600 draft boards operating throughout the country. They haven't been as busy as they were in wartimes, because the armed services have been getting all the recruits needed by enlistment. But the average draft board of three to five members has the important job of local administration of Selective Service regulations. When the armed services call for draft quotas, draft board members meet regularly, go over registrations and decide who in their community is I-A, and who is I-F.

Helping out the 13,000 draft board members are some 10,000 volunteer "advisers." Their job is to help the registrants fill out the various Selective Service forms and keep records for the board. **Doctors Hardest Worked**—Hardest working members of the draft board staffs, however, are the 7000 or more doctors who give the preliminary physical examination to every draft registrant. There are an average of two medical officers for every draft board.

Since all these people have to go on living in their own communities, and must make decisions affecting the lives of the young men who come before them, their responsibility is not a small one. That these people work without pay is all the more to their credit.

Veterans' Administration places heavy reliance on its WOC workers. At the head of the procession are some 11,000 "Gray Ladies." They go to school for training, then sign up for regular tours of duty in veterans' hospitals for extra service.

Information on the state of the nation's health, stream pollution and data for use in mortality statistics is furnished by some 4200 WOCs working for the Federal Security Agency's Public Health Service.

Others Serve Gratis—Treasury's big Savings Bond campaigns each spring and fall would be impossible without thousands of WOCs and other volunteer workers. Last year they sold over \$7,000,000,000 worth of

The government furnishes them with the necessary instruments. They make reports on which weather forecasts and statistics are based.

DRIVERS EXAMS DATED

Drivers' license examinations will be given in Roseburg Thursday and Friday, May 26 and 27, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. Persons wishing licenses or permits to drive are asked to get in touch with the examiner well ahead of the closing hour, in order to assure completion of their applications with a minimum of delay. All original applications must be made before 4 o'clock.

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Newbry, Pearson Defend Their Action In Ousting Two Tax Commissioners

WALDPOR, May 24.—(AP)—Secretary of State Earl Newbry and Treasurer Walter Pearson defended their appointment of Robert Maclean, Waldport, as a state tax commissioner here Sunday night.

At a testimonial dinner given for Maclean by friends here, the two officials said Maclean was a capable man, and a "good choice" for the position.

The appointment, to become effective next month, has been criticized by some Republican leaders, mostly because veteran Commissioners Wallace Wharton and Earl Fisher will be let go. Each had served several terms.

Pearson asserted, "no one is getting fired," adding that Wharton's and Fisher's four-year terms expire in June. He said there was "no political deal" between him and Maclean, and that he owed no political debts. Maclean, a Democrat, was named because traditionally one member of the three-man Tax Commission represents the minority party, Pearson said. He is to replace Wharton, also a Democrat.

Ray Smith, Portland, is to replace Fisher. Both are Republicans. The third member of the commission, Carl Chambers, also a Republican, continues in office. Pearson said he had considered ten persons for the appointment, but settled on Maclean because he knew he was a capable man and because Lincoln County never previously had been represented on the Tax Commission. Maclean has been a Lincoln County commissioner.

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