

# Society and Clubs

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## 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.

### MRS. SWANSON HONORED AT SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Ivar Swanson was very pleasantly surprised Friday afternoon, when a group of friends dropped in to help her celebrate her birthday. Led by Mrs. Henry Bullman, the group entered carrying a beautifully decorated birthday cake and other refreshments and many lovely gifts. When the group arrived they found Mrs. Swanson in the back yard hanging up clothes.

Those enjoying the afternoon with Mrs. Swanson, were: Mrs. Charles Tidwell, Mrs. Leland Leeper, Mrs. Floyd Engle, Mrs. William Staniford, Mrs. Clifford Townsley, Mrs. Edgar Mernert, Mrs. Henry Bullman and her sister, who is visiting, at the Bullman home from Montana.

Mrs. Sydney Vaale, who was unable to attend on the account of illness, sent a gift.

### COMMUNITY CLUB LADIES ANNOUNCE MEETING

The Winchester Community club ladies will meet September 8th at eleven-thirty o'clock for a luncheon at the clubhouse with Mrs. Ance Ketcherside and Mrs. Jim Davidson as hostesses. This will be the last regular club meeting before the Home extension unit begins in October. Definite date of the unit opening will be announced later. All women of the community are urged to take part in the unit program, which has proved of so much help and value to women throughout the county. Anyone interested in the unit and desiring further information may contact the Home Extension officers at any time. They are: chairman, Mrs. O. P. Van Horn; vice-chairman, Mrs. Jim Davidson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Eugene Ridenour.

### FRIENDLY HOUR CLUB ANNOUNCES MEETING

The Friendly Hour club will meet at one o'clock Wednesday, September 7, at the home of Mrs. Clara Herrman. The roll-call subject will be mountains. Katie Conn will be in charge of the program. Members and their invited guests are asked to attend.

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### ROSEBURG WOMAN'S CLUB ANNOUNCES TWO-DAY RUMMAGE SALE, SEPT. 9-10

The Roseburg Woman's club will sponsor a two-day rummage sale September 9, beginning at 1 p. m. and September 10, both morning and afternoon in the basement of the Methodist church. Donations may be left at the church or will be picked up by calling Mrs. W. H. Carter at 749-J.

Mrs. C. W. Dishman and Mrs. Clyde Carstens, co-chairmen, will be assisted by the president, Mrs. J. M. Boyles, Mrs. A. J. Geddes, Mrs. A. S. Coen, Mrs. H. C. Darby, Mrs. C. E. Roberts, Mrs. E. M. Bliele, Miss Estelle V. Conover, Mrs. Bayard Reed, Mrs. J. Kester, Miss Alice Ueland, Mrs. Louis Kohlhaugen Sr., Miss Jennie E. Jorey and Mrs. Jessie Dorviller.

The chairmen have announced that members of the club having sales and whom they were unable to contact by telephone, are also needed to assist with the two-day sale. Any member not contacted, who has the time to assist with the project, has been asked to help.

### CLUBHOUSE WORKERS TO ENJOY CHICKEN POTLUCK DINNER ON SUNDAY

Sunday, September 4, there will be a chicken potluck dinner at the Winchester clubhouse for everyone interested in working on the building. A number of things are to be done to the building before the rains set in and residents of the community are being urged to assist in getting the necessary work done.

### MISS OAKLEY TO ATTEND ST. HELENS HALL

Miss Phyllis Oakley, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. K. H. Oakley, 129 North Jackson Street, Roseburg, will start her junior high school year as a student at St. Helen's Hall, Episcopal church school in Portland, the week of September 6.

The historic church school will commence its 81st year of continuous education and character development this fall under the direction of a new administration headed by Miss Jane Allen Saxton, headmistress, and Miss Lois R. Robison, associate headmistress.

The school is maintained by the Episcopal diocese of Oregon.

### RECEPTION TO BE GIVEN FOR TEACHERS OF WINCHESTER SCHOOL

On September 9th at eight-thirty o'clock there will be a reception for the teachers of the Winchester school at the clubhouse with the school board members and their wives as special guests. Everyone in the community is urged to attend and get acquainted with the teaching staff and the new residents of the district.

### DEDICATION OF TENMILE LADIES CLUB IS HELD FRIDAY

The dedication of the Tenmile Ladies club new clubhouse was a huge success Friday evening, Melrose, Olalla, Camas Valley and Tenmile residents attended the affair, which opened with a seven o'clock potluck dinner.

A report was given by Burt Mellus on the building of the clubhouse, the costs, donations of labor and supplies, which was very interesting. Mr. Mellus also treated the guests to ice-cream.

The program was in the form of a "Hill-Billy" mock wedding. Kate Mack was in charge and the entertainment proved most delightful. Blanche Degner played the piano music for the dancing.

After the wedding, the bride's packages were opened, which consisted of many useful and lovely gifts for the kitchen and clubroom.

Members of the club have expressed their appreciation to everyone attending the dedication and to those helping make the community club building possible.

### NEW IDEA CLUB ATTENDS FAIR

The New Idea Club of Sutherlin had a very enjoyable meeting Thursday when they motored to Roseburg to attend the Douglas county fair and at noon went to Umpqua park to eat a sack lunch.

Those enjoying the day were: Mrs. Lola Rose, Mrs. Bonnie Bennett, Mrs. Marjorie Denley, Mrs. Jo Carr, Mrs. Meryl Wahl, Mrs. Hallie Martin, Miss Ethel Manning, Mrs. Minnie Abene, Mrs. Phreda Wahl, Mrs. Maggie Francis.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Wednesday, September 7th, at the home of Mrs. Fern Flory, east of town.

### MISS LOGSDON ATTENDS STATE BOARD MEETING

Miss V. Vivian Logsdon, president of the Roseburg Business and Professional Women's club, attended the state board meeting of the Federation of B. P. W. clubs of Oregon, at Corvallis Saturday and Sunday, August 27-28. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Roadman of Roseburg and her mother, Mrs. Anna Logsdon, who returned to her home in Albany, following a couple of weeks visiting here.

### RIVERSDALE GRANGE TO HOLD BIRTHDAY POTLUCK THIS EVENING

The quarterly birthday party of the Riversdale Grange honoring members having birthdays in June, July and August, will be held at a six-thirty o'clock potluck dinner tonight, September 2, at the Grange hall. First and second degrees will be conferred on candidates following the dinner. All Granges in the county having candidates for these two degrees are privileged to bring them to this meeting.

### GOLD STAR MOTHERS TO SPONSOR RUMMAGE SALE

Roseburg chapter, American Gold Star Mothers Inc., will sponsor a rummage sale September 10 from eight in the morning to five o'clock in the afternoon at the Episcopal parish hall on East Cass street. Those having donations to be picked up are asked to call the president, Mrs. Martha Wells at 958-L, or Mary Lou Newhouse at 854-J.

### RAY S. PETREQUIN HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

To honor Ray S. Petrequin on his birthday, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Seeley entertained at a delightful dinner at their home at Melrose Monday evening. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Ray S. Petrequin and son, Jean; Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Thompson and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Seeley.

For a luncheon omelet add sauted sliced mushrooms to the eggs and cook as usual.

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TRIPLE DOUBLE—Charles E. Summers and his wife, Margaret, former WAC, who started rearing their own "army" with three sets of twins in 27 months, arrive in New York from Doylestown, O., en route to Philadelphia where Mrs. Summers will attend WAC convention held by couples are John and Charles, 1. On steps, left to right, are Paul and Michael, 2; and Patricia and Susan, 3. The Summers were married in 1945 in New Guinea when both were in the service.

Timber Contract Dissolution Aim Of Suit On File

Coon Creek Timber Co. has filed suit in circuit court against Claire G. Wheelchel and Herbert E. Anderson, doing business as A. & W. Loggers, asking that the contract between the two companies be broken.

The complaint states that Wheelchel, a director, vice-president and general manager of Coon Creek Timber Co., and in complete control of its operations is also associated with Anderson in A. & W. Loggers.

The plaintiff alleges that the company, through Wheelchel, contracted to buy from Umpqua Plywood Corp., all merchantable timber standing, lying or being upon the property described as the Emile Creek tract in section 35, township 36, and section 2, township 27 south, range 2 west of Willamette meridian.

Under the agreement all peeler logs were to be sold, and after paying the stumpage of \$4 per thousand, the remainder would go to the logging company for construction of a road, for which \$15,000 was declared necessary, the complaint states.

The plaintiffs allege the road cost only \$2,500, and that the defendants received from the sale of peeler logs to Umpqua Plywood \$22,360.5.

The plaintiffs ask a decree setting aside their agreement with the defendants, entered into in April 1948, and requiring the defendants to account to the plaintiffs for all moneys or benefits received or accruing to the defendants from the sale of the peeler logs, and awarding the plaintiff judgment in an amount equal to the profits.

Rummage Sale Saturday—The Eagles auxiliary will sponsor an all-day rummage sale Saturday, September 3, at the Episcopal parish hall on East Cass street. Those having donations to be picked up are asked to call Mrs. Myrtle Dage, 1139-L.

## YMCA Objectives, Benefits Told By Marlen Yoder At Rotary Meet

Best summation of the YMCA program is that it is the "friend of youth, and that includes every age up to 95," said Marlen Yoder, general secretary of the Roseburg Young Men's Christian association, at the Rotary club luncheon Thursday noon.

Yoder told the Rotarians of the YMCA program in Roseburg, and of the past history of the organization.

The YMCA was founded during the industrial revolution in England, in 1844, by George Williams, who was lonely, needed companionship and invited friends to his rooms to start the movement which has since been symbolized by its familiar red triangle.

The three sides of the triangle, Yoder pointed out, signify "body," "mind," and "spirit."

The YMCA has been criticized in recent years for "losing the 'C' in its name," Yoder said. He asserted, however, that there is "no better way" to teach the difference between right and wrong than through the YMCA activity program.

Church Attendance Urged—Yoder said the YMCA encourages church attendance and has a program wherein boys pledge themselves to attend church at least three out of five Sundays. Some Y's require such church attendance before their boys may participate in the athletic program.

He told of a boy he had known elsewhere, who had never been inside of a church until he joined the YMCA. The boy continued going to church after the end of the basketball season, because he liked the friends he made.

"I always thought church was a strict sort of place," he confessed to Yoder.

The YMCA is non-sectarian, Yoder pointed out, and leaves to the churches the study and interpretation of the Bible. The YMCA teaches its members to live a wholesome life.

"To live the wholesome life you want to live," said Yoder, "you will be leading a Christian life."

The YMCA helps the spirit of brotherhood and neither race, creed, nor color bar persons from membership. There is strength in the activity program because it combines people in a common cause, he explained.

The difference between the Y and many other organizations, said Yoder, is that the Y is organized on the local level. Area and national offices are merely advisory. Each local board decides what the local program shall be.

Activities Told—The Roseburg YMCA grew out of a summer activity program, Yoder explained. This past summer, the Y has conducted a tennis tournament, story hour on KRNK, a day camp for boys, and the "Old Woodenface" pitching contest.

The local high school has "one of the best" Hi-Y and Tri-Y groups in the state. YMCA activities are to be organized in the Junior High school and the elementary schools, Yoder promised.

The Roseburg Y is also to cooperate with the Medford YMCA in use of the summer camp at Diamond lake. The camp is to be open also to YMCA groups at Klamath Falls, Ashland, and Grants Pass, if the latter city organizes a Y.

This winter, the YMCA expects to organize gymnasium facilities for adults.

Small paper baking cups may be used inside muffin pans, in preparing cupcakes, to save pan scrubbing. The tops of the cupcakes may be frosted in the paper cups and served this way or they can be removed from the cups and then frosted.

## Pendleton Vets Want Rent Control Retained

PENDLETON, Sept. 2—(AP)—Executive Committee of American Legion Post No. 23 passed a resolution Wednesday to support rent control in Pendleton when it learned that the rent control office would be closed Sept. 15.

A statement from the committee said that housing was still critical. The committee sent 10 telegrams were being sent to Tighe Woods, rent control expediter in Washington, D. C., Gov. McKay, and Senators Morse and Cordon for continuance of rent control in Pendleton till conditions improve. The committee expected support from the local V.F.W. and D.A.V.

Rub a beef roast with salt, pepper, and a little dry mustard for good seasoning.

Points in installing good home aerials, particularly for farm homes, have been summarized for the O. S. C. extension service by radio engineers at Oregon State college. This was in response to requests from farmers living a considerable distance from Corvallis who desire to get KOAC regularly for market reports or other features of its 12 to 14 hour per day programs.

Older style receivers and most battery type sets require an antenna outside the cabinet, and preferably outside the house, the engineers point out. A vertical antenna receives equally well from all directions if free from nearby obstructions such as metal roofs or other wires.

Other Suggestions—Better reception may frequently be obtained with an antenna having a high vertical section plus a horizontal section 25 feet or more long. The vertical section may be from 25 to 50 feet high. To avoid outside noise, see that the horizontal section is at right angles to instead of parallel to any power line.

If any antenna is installed it is worth while to see that it is supported with good glass or porcelain insulators, the engineers add. If lightning storms are at all common a lightning arrester outside the house is recommended.

A good ground connection is important except for AC-DC type sets which are usually designed to work without a ground. With these reversing the power plug will sometimes improve reception.

A good ground connection may be obtained by attaching the ground wire to an underground water pipe or to a rod driven 10 or more feet into moist earth. Gas or heating pipes are not suitable for ground connections. It pays to use a ground clamp designed to make a good connection with the rod or pipe.

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