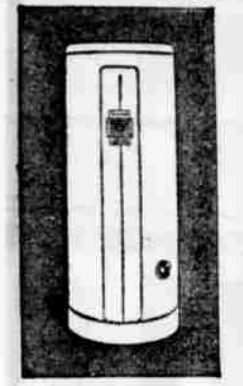


FILES FOR BANKRUPTCY
William C. Lewis, Twin Springs tel, Dillard, has filed a bankruptcy petition in U.S. District III, Portland. He lists debts of \$29.09.

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RICHARD E. HENBEST, chief lithographer, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Henbest of Roseburg and husband of the former Betty J. Gilkeson, also of Roseburg, has re-enlisted in the Navy for six years. Henbest is serving with the Registered Publication Issuing Office at the Naval Communication Station at Pearl Harbor. Before entering the service in January 1943, Henbest attended Roseburg High School and was employed by the News Review.

Melrose Unit Studies Plants, Ornamentals

"Propagation of Ornamental and House Plants" was the topic for a recent all-day meeting of the Melrose Home Extension Unit at the Grange Hall. Project leaders were Mrs. James Doyle and Mrs. Amy Seelye, who talked on the propagation of plants and gave an actual demonstration of mixing types of soil and potting and repotting plants. The talk at the next meeting of the group will be "Herbs and Other Seasonings" which will be given by Helen Chandler, Douglas County home extension agent. The meeting is scheduled for March 1 at the home of Mrs. Dennis Johnston.

LITTLE AMERICA BOUND

Reuben E. Hall, electronics technician third class, USN, 1066 Cedar St., departed recently from McMurdo Sound, Antarctica for Little America, aboard the seaplane tender USS Curtiss.

Church Activities

Class Schedules Valentine Party

St. Valentine's Day has become a regular theme for Roseburg First Baptist Church groups in recent days.

It was announced today that the Homebuilders Class of the church will hold a potluck dinner and valentine party Saturday night at 6:30 in the church social room. It is open to all members, friends and their families.

A program for both children and adults is under the supervision of new class president, Ann McLain. Other new officers of the class are: Lynn Everson, vice president; Virginia Owens, treasurer; and Joe Deets, teacher.

Another party is scheduled Friday. It will be for all classes of the junior department. Valentines will be exchanged in the social room of the church. Members and friends are invited. The party will last from 7:30 p.m. to 9.

Refreshments will be served. Games are being planned by the fifth grade and teachers Carlos Page and Helen Lehne. Decorations will be by the sixth graders and their teachers Peggy Snyder and Bill Hester.

Two parties have already been held by groups at the church. The junior high Baptist Youth Fellowship class held one last Saturday. Refreshments were served and games played.

An open house valentine party was held during the Sunday school hour for children of the kindergarten. Children made valentines for their parents and served refreshments. It was announced that the department has almost tripled in the past six months under the supervision of Mrs. Irene Patterson and her staff.

Demos Want Governor To Appoint Official

COOS BAY — The State Democratic Central Committee thinks the governor should be allowed to appoint the state's chief election official.

At a meeting here this week the committee, with this exception, called for the same changes in the state's election laws as have been suggested in a report by the Legislative Interim Committee on Elections.

Gov. Robert D. Holmes was principal speaker at the meeting.

Canyonville Youths Win Garb Awards

Prizes were awarded at a valentine costume party staged at the Canyonville Methodist Church for members of the junior class, according to correspondent Virginia Proctor.

Twenty young people turned out for the party. Mrs. Robert Proctor and Mrs. Betty Connor were in charge.

Winning prizes for costumes were: Cheryl Soeteber, most like Valentine's Day; Leonard Clinton, most original; Judy Johnson, funniest. Judges were Mrs. Elmer Stanley, Mrs. Elmer Burkey, Mrs. Bart Nordling and Mrs. White.

The junior class has reached its goal of 30 members. It was reported. It is now making plans for a field trip to Roseburg to visit The News-Review and radio station KRNR.

Citizenship Teachings Stressed At Oakland

A lesson on "Jesus Teachings in Citizenship" was directed by Mrs. Lee Sending at the latest meeting of the Ladies Bible Class of the Oakland Community Church, according to correspondent Edith Dunn.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Esther Peaker. Each member gave a short prayer.

A discussion was held on the possibilities of sending used Christmas cards to hospitals. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting of the class will be at the home of Mrs. Charles McMahon.

Methodists Set Record Budget

CHICAGO — A record high budget of 38 1/2 million dollars has been set by the Methodist Church for its general program this year, it was disclosed Tuesday.

Dr. E. Harold Mohn, of Chicago, general secretary of the Commission on Promotion and Cultivation, said the 38 1/2 million dollars is a "minimum goal." He said it is earmarked for three general areas: World service, \$12,200,000; general benevolences, \$14,226,500; and Christian higher education, 12 million.

The budget is an increase of 11 million over 1956. Dr. Mohn said in a prepared address to some 800 Methodist officials attending the quadrennial conference of the denomination's bishops and district superintendents. The group, representing every state, and Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and Cuba, is holding a four-day meeting.

In describing the church's general budget, Dr. Mohn said: "These are the blueprints not only for our missionary task, but for our evangelistic, educational and philanthropic enterprises." He said the 38 1/2 million goal does not include local budgets of the denomination's 40,000 churches.

Mohn said the program calls for increased financial support of 118 Methodist-related colleges, universities and seminaries, 143 Wesley foundation student centers at state and private schools, and a national program of church extension with a goal of three new churches a week.

Bullets Suspected In Glass Breakage

By RUBY MEACHAM

School officials at Curtin Grade School are investigating the possibility that bullets were fired into the school last Friday night. The multipurpose room door window was discovered with two holes through it about the size of half dollars. At first it was thought the holes had been caused by rocks, but no rocks were found inside.

Daughter Born

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson at the Cottage Grove Hospital Feb. 6. The baby weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces and has been named Tracey Kaye. Jackie Deeds underwent tonsillectomy at the Cottage Grove Hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fritch of Rogue River visited at the J. R. Sowles home last week.

Disabled War Veterans Tax Exemption Deadline

SALEM — Disabled war veterans and war widows must apply by April 1 to get property tax exemptions, the state Veterans Department advised Monday.

The exemption amounts to \$7,500 of the true cash value of the property.

The exemption is given to all veterans of the Indian, Mexican or Spanish-American wars; veterans of other wars who have 40 per cent disability; and unmarried widows of veterans of any war.

Exemptions are obtained by application to county assessors.

Canyonville City Recorder Says Many Houses Vacant

By VIRGINIA PROCTOR

A shortage of tenants for Canyonville houses has been noted by City Recorder Mrs. Ralph Goodell.

She said there are more vacant houses in town than in any previous year since she's been in office. She said only three persons have been added to the water users' lists since Jan. 1.

The new residents in town are Rhoney Paschel, who moved into McClane cabins and Mrs. Goldie Schaefer, who moved into a T. L. Weaver rental.

Leaves For Mexico

Charles Dowd, a chemist for the Hanna Nickel Smelting Co. at Riddle, left Sunday from Medford by plane for Santa Rosalia, Mexico, and the Hanna company's installations there. He will assist in the laboratory in the company's Mexican facility, according to Mrs. Dowd. She said his assignment would be of from three to six months duration. She and sons, Chris and Bryce, will remain at Canyonville.

Frances and Maxine Oaks were initiated into the South Umpqua Business and Professional Women's Club at Canyonville at the special ceremony in the Youth Center. The Roseburg BPW chapter officiated.

Vivian Logsdon, past president of the Roseburg organization took charge of the emblem ceremony and initiation. A social hour preceded the ceremonies. Mrs. Carl Moodie was hostess.

Attending Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dolson of Canyonville and Robert L. Fisher of Glendale are in Seattle this

week attending the Western Council Convention of the American Federation of Labor. They are delegates of the union from Local 2716. Lumber and Sawmill Workers, of the Canyonville-Glendale area.

E. A. Antis, who suffered a stroke several weeks ago is reported improving slowly although still bedfast. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Averill of Albany, the Antis' youngest daughter and husband, spent a few days here last week assisting in the care of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Graham were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Klumph of Medford, former Canyonville residents.

Make Stopover

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Swift of Lamont, Wash., both well-known in the area made their annual stopover in Canyonville en route home from attending the trap shoot matches in Nevada and other Southwestern states.

The Swifts spent the week-end here visiting both the John Hammons and the Charles Hamlin families and displayed the trophies Swift won at the matches.

RETURNS FROM FAR EAST

Marvin C. Flory, boilerman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester H. Flory of Milo, returned to San Diego, Calif., Saturday after a six-month cruise in the Western Pacific and Far East.

Flory is the husband of Mrs. Marjorie E. Flory of San Diego. The Navy man returned to Dan Diego aboard the radar picket destroyer USS Chevalier. The ship visited Brisbane, Australia, Japan, the Philippine Islands and Hong Kong during the cruise.

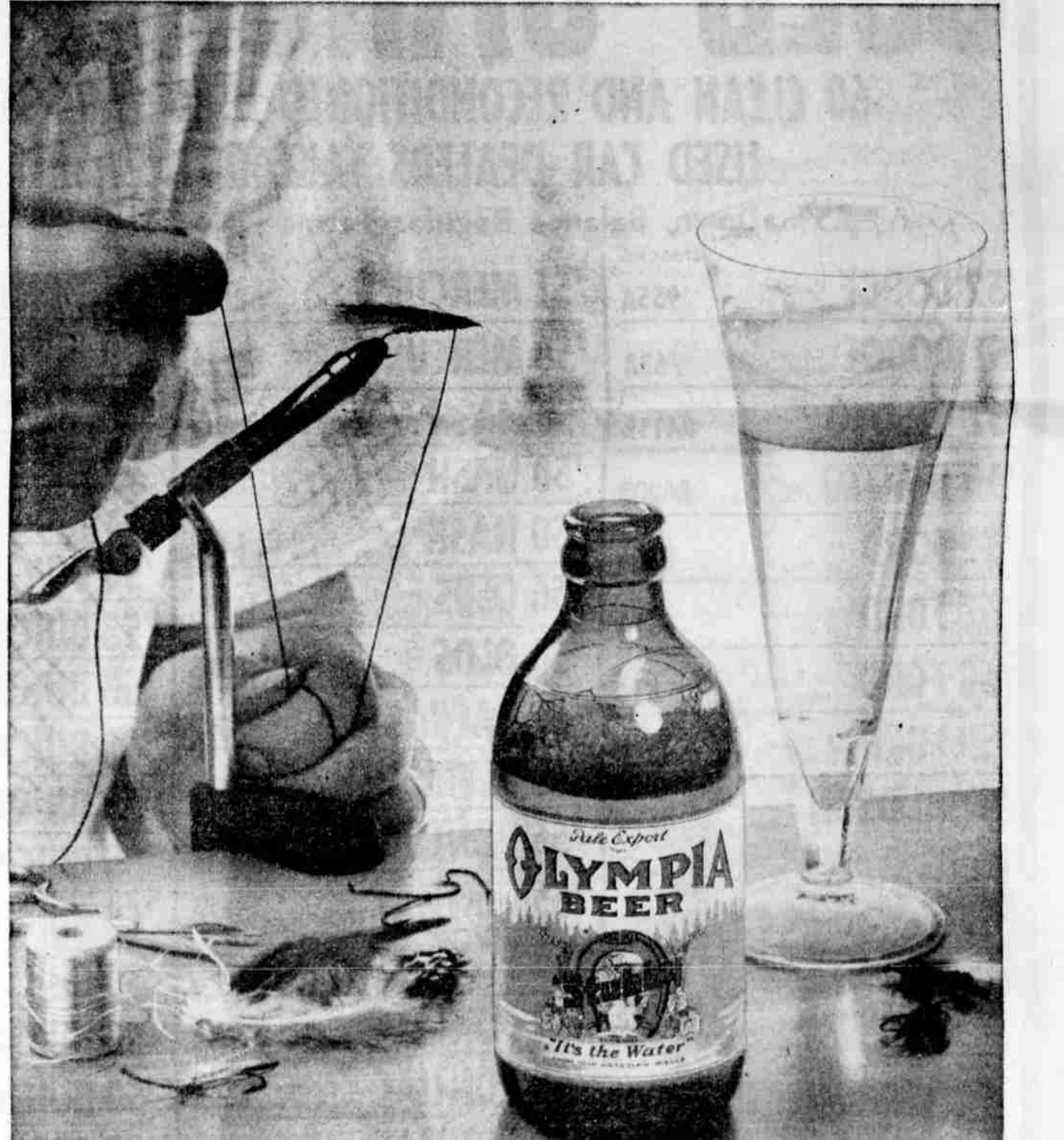
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