

Elgarose Comfort Club Plans Dessert Luncheon

By MRS. THELMA HANSON
The Elgarose Comfort Club will meet Dec. 11 at the home of Mrs. Wave Getzen for a dessert luncheon at 1:30 p.m. Gifts will be exchanged. All members and friends are invited to attend.

Visit Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Johnson have returned to their home after spending a week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Muller and two children of Helix, Ore. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hansen of Vancouver, Wash.

Miss Donna Sundberg of Portland and her brother, Donald, of Eugene visited over the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sundberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holmquist and two children, Jon and Linda, of Eugene visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Holmquist.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Johnson left Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wimer and daughter Stephanie. On Thanksgiving day they had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Wimer in Albany. While there they visited with Mrs. Heard of Salem.

Glenn Sand bruised his left leg quite badly when he was returning a tractor to David Sand on Friday, when it hit a soft shoulder along the road and turned over the steep embankment pinning him under it. He is recovering satisfactorily from the accident.

In Astoria

Mr. and Mrs. David Sand and children have returned to their home after spending this week in Astoria visiting with the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Elliger and family. Also Mrs. Mary Elliger and children. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hetzge of Richfield, Wash. Mrs. Sand's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Polk went with them but are staying for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson of Portland, Joe Sand, a student at Oregon State College, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Werber and family of Coos Bay were Thanksgiving visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sand and family.

Harry Nelson is reported to be convalescing satisfactorily at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nelson of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lucas have received word that Dr. and Mrs.

Herbert Sorenson of San Diego, Calif., have a baby son, James Allen, who was born Nov. 8. He weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces. They also have another son, Mark.

Attends Funeral

Mrs. Edna Sjogren has returned to her home after spending a few days in Portland where she attended the funeral of her uncle, Victor Anderson, who passed away Nov. 23. Anderson was a brother of Mrs. Mable Backlund.

Mrs. Warren Lucas received word that her uncle, Ora Murphy, passed away in Portland Nov. 27. Murphy had been ill for some time. He was a brother of Mrs. Ada Durch and was known by many in the Roseburg area.

Arthur Backlund of Newberg spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Backlund, and also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sjogren and other relatives. He returned Saturday. Backlund teaches school in Newberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Casper and family of Coos Bay enjoyed the Thanksgiving holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Casper.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylor Lucas of Redding, Calif., and the former's mother, Mrs. Paul Blasky, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lucas, Carmen and Larry Cooper.

Medford Man Leaves \$5½ Million Estate

MEDFORD (AP) — A Medford business man who died in October left an estate of \$5,486,798, it was shown this week in an inventory account filed by the U. S. National Bank's trust department.

John R. Tomlin bequeathed \$800,000 to individuals and the rest of his estate to seven charitable and social organizations.

The charities sharing in the estate: one-fourth to the Oregon Society of Crippled Children and Adults; one-eighth to the Albertina Kerr Home in Portland; one-fourth to the American Cancer Society's Oregon division, the funds to be used only within the state; one-eighth to the American Printing House for the Blind, in Louisville; one-eighth to the American Foundation of the Blind, New York City; and one-eighth to the Rogue Valley Area Girl Scouts Council and the Crater Lake Area Council of the Boy Scouts.



CLOCK IN THE CLOUDS—The world's largest super-accurate clock was recently put into operation atop the 30-story Continental National Bank Building in Fort Worth, Tex. The clock makes one complete revolution every minute and flashes the time minute by minute in giant illuminated numerals over two stories tall. It can be read day or night at distances of three miles or more. Accuracy is controlled within 1/20th of a second by a short wave signal from the National Bureau of Standards Transmitter at Beltsville, Md.



JUST DUCKY—This design has been chosen for the 1958-59 "duck" stamp. Drawn by Leslie C. Kouba, of Minneapolis, Minn., it depicts Canadian geese feeding in a picked corn field. It is the 25th in the series of migratory bird-hunting stamps.



NOT A CANDIDATE — Sen. William E. Jenner, 49 (R-Ind) has announced he will not be a candidate for re-election. He said he will practice law in Indianapolis. Some sources think he may run for governor of Indiana in 1960.

Oakland Chamber Hears Water Talk By Senator Dimick

Sen. Dan Dimick spoke at the Oakland Chamber of Commerce meeting this week on water possibilities and potentialities for this region, according to correspondent Edith Dunn.

He also explained the recent session of the legislature. Judge Randolph Slocum of the Juvenile Court in Roseburg talked on juvenile delinquency.

Robert Johnstone of Roseburg, representing the Southern Pacific Railroad, explained procedure for acquiring the right of way to plant a permanent Christmas tree on their property. The tree will be put up at the end of Locust St. on the west side of old highway 99. The tree is a 25 ft. tree donated by L. F. Stearns.

The Chamber of Commerce will also erect a sign on the same property, the slogan to be announced later.

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Starvation Around Wealth Tale Told Of Three Women

CHICAGO (AP) — A story of how a 90-year-old mother and her two daughters starved amid relative wealth was disclosed in probate court this week.

The court proceedings disclosed, too, that the mother, Mrs. Hattie Rice, had, according to police, been held captive by one of her daughters, Dorothy, 60, in a suburban Oak Park eight-family apartment building which the Rices owned.

It was disclosed at proceedings to name a conservator for the estate of Mrs. Rice that police went to the Rice apartment Nov. 18 after a passerby reported that Dorothy was yelling incoherently from a balcony. Inside the litter-strewn apartment they found Mrs. Rice, weighing only 60 pounds, in a bed with her other daughter, Marian, 53, lying dead beside her.

Prayed For Year

Capt. Fremont Nester, of the Oak Park police, said Mrs. Rice told him: "Thank heavens, you came. I'm hungry and I prayed for a year that somebody would rescue me."

Heat, gas and electricity had been turned off in the apartment two years ago because of unpaid bills. The only food was a large box of a breakfast cereal.

Nester said that police found five cashier's checks totalling \$5,300 in the apartment, along with \$14.03 in cash.

The court was told that the apartment building is owned by Mrs. Rice and is valued at about \$100,000. The other eight tenants were evicted in 1945 as were tenants in an eight-room residence owned by the Rices. Both buildings have been idle since except for the Rices' apartment.

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