



TELLS OF TRIP—Recent visitors to the La Grande American Legion Auxiliary were Mrs. Charles Gunn (center) who told the members of her trip to Europe as National President of the group; and Mrs. Jack George (right) department president. While here they were accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Wilkins (left), local president. (Observer)

LOCAL EVENTS

La Grande Garden Club will meet Friday at the clubhouse at 2 p.m.

Inbier PTA will meet Thursday at 8 p.m. in Wade hall. Theme to be "Home and School for 100 years." Bernal Hug, Elgin president of the Union County Historical Society, will talk on comparison between homes and schools 100 years ago and now. Presentations of 4-H achievements awards for Summerville and Inbier. Refreshments will be by Dry Creek district.

Union Pacific Old Timers 17, and auxiliary will hold their annual Thanksgiving dinner, Friday at 6:30 p.m. in McAllister hall. Each member to bring a salad or vegetable unless solicited by committee.

LS to B of LF and E will meet Thursday at 8 p.m. in the IOOF hall. Officers wear formal for initiation. All members are invited.

Polly Anna Club will meet with Mrs. Arthur Ladd, 1102 O Avenue, Friday at 2 p.m.

Odd Fellows Lodge 16 Grande, will meet Friday at 8 p.m. in their hall.

BPW will hold a business meeting tonight in the small parlor of the Sacajawea, at 8 p.m.

Social Club of the Order of Eastern Star will hold a regular meeting and dessert, Friday at 7:30 p.m. Cards to follow.

Greenwood Gaieties will be held Friday in the Greenwood gym. The chili feed will start at 5:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Union Pacific Jr. Old Timers will hold their annual Thanksgiving dinner Friday at 4 p.m. in McAllister hall. Bring own table service, vegetable or salad.

Celebrating birthdays today will be Charles Chase Jr., Cove; and Connie Roe, La Grande.

La Grande Garden Club will meet Friday at 2 p.m. in the clubhouse on Y Avenue.

Blue Mountain Square Dance Association will hold a dance at North Powder, Saturday evening. Callers from the local. Christmas party planned. All square dancers invited.

Spaghetti feed will be held by the Eagles Auxiliary Saturday, in their hall.

Central School PTA will sponsor a carnival, Saturday evening. Dinner will begin at 5:30 and the concession booths will be open from 6 until 8 o'clock, with entertainment for all ages.

Minuetters of North Powder will hold a square dance, Saturday night at the Minuetters hall. All square dancers welcome.

American Association of University Women will meet for a dessert, Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in the Sacajawea. Dr. Douglas Spear will speak on "Congress at the Crossroads."

Union Rebekahs To Elect Officers

Union (Special) — Mountain Gem Rebekah Lodge 57 met Wednesday at the IOOF hall. Della Posey, noble grande, presided.

The second nomination of officers was held. Margaret Layton, noble grand; Della Murray, vice grand; Mary Alice Votaw, recording secretary; Ada Cantrell, financial secretary and Lois Sever, treasurer.

The next meeting will be the election of officers and formal initiation. The hostess committee will be home and to join the auxiliaries in working with renewed purpose and an vigor to see what they, as an internationally known and respected group of Americans, can do in our own communities.

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J. M. Clyde, 63, Dies At Boise

James Morris Clyde, 63, a retired farmer living at Boise, Idaho, died in a Boise hospital, Tuesday, following a short illness.

Services will be held in the Daniels Funeral Home, Saturday, at 2 p.m. The Rev. Dwight Williams will officiate. Burial will be in the Union cemetery.

Mr. Clyde was born at Springville, Utah, July 4, 1896. He had farmed in the Grande Ronde valley from 1922 until 1955, when he retired and moved to Boise.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Marguerite Clyde, Boise; one son, Maurice D. Clyde, La Grande; one brother, Otto Clyde, Whitefish, Mont.; one sister, Mrs. Lula Breck, Wendall, Idaho; and three grandchildren.

Mr. Clyde married Bessie Kries in 1917, she died in 1952. He later married Marguerite Atwater of La Grande in 1954.

Bazaar Planned by LDS

UNION (Special)—The LDS Relief Society is holding a Bazaar and dime a dip dinner Friday at 6 p.m. In addition to dinner there will be candy, fish goods, a country store, a baked good and Christmas gifts for sale.

Legion Auxiliary Leaders Speak To Local Membership

Mrs. Jack George, Eugene, department president of the American Legion Auxiliary, and Mrs. Charles W. Gunn, Portland, immediate past national president, visited the local unit recently. Mrs. Gunn stressed the need for a larger membership in the auxiliary, to carry on the program. Wives, mothers and daughters of

service veterans, should be informed of the benefits for themselves and their families.

Mrs. Lucy Mosher, district president, Baker, accompanied Mrs. George and Mrs. Gunn.

Mrs. George discussed the American Legion Auxiliary activities on the local level. A discussion period was also held.

Mrs. Charles Gunn was asked to speak on the program of the auxiliary, and her recent experience as national president. She stressed the crucial nature of the times in which we are living, is a fact to which we have had to face up squarely. We have recognized that things being done, or not done, today are casting the tie for the future of human freedom in this world of ours. The auxiliary carries heavy responsibilities must, by influence and example help to keep the ideals of American freedom, the guiding force in the executive committee expressed a desire for Mrs. Gunn to visit Europe and to inspect radio free installations. She also visited Central America on Pan American study projects in El Salvador; she made an official visit to the American Legion Auxiliary units in the Canal Zone and Puerto Rico. In the Philippines her help was needed to advise them how to establish a volunteer hospital workers program in the largest veterans hospital in the Far East. In Korea she visited the American Korean Foundation which the American Legion Auxiliary helped to finance and continues to help so.

If we were seeking one key spot on the globe from which to get a good, sharp view of international problems today, where would we choose to go? The largest city in the world today is Tokyo. And half of all the people in the world now live within 2,500 miles of Manila. So the Far East is the center of our world population today. And if you think of world affairs in terms of human problems, it is the center of world affairs today.

Mrs. Gunn visited Hawaii as a territory, and was the first national president to inspect the Department of Alaska as a state. Just an overnight flight beyond these two westernmost Departments lies Uncle Sam's far west line of defense, stretching from Korea and Japan in the north to the Philippines and Vietnam in the south. In this area the American Legion Auxiliary is still pouring resources of time and money for child welfare and rehabilitation.

Mrs. Gunn stated she was glad to be home and to join the auxiliaries in working with renewed purpose and an vigor to see what they, as an internationally known and respected group of Americans, can do in our own communities.

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Mrs. L. M. Ketcham Services At Elgin

Mrs. Lennie M. Ketcham, 93, an Elgin housewife, died Tuesday at the home of her granddaughter, following an extended illness.

Services under the direction of the Daniels Funeral Home, will be held in the Elgin Seventh Day Adventist Church, Friday at 1:30 p.m. Elder Fred H. Wagner and Merle Burling, will officiate. Burial will be in the Lower Valley cemetery, Wallawa.

Mrs. Ketcham was born at Columbus, Ohio, May 29, 1866. She has been a resident of Elgin for 10 years.

Survivors are five grandchildren, Mrs. Bethel Croghan, Mrs. Jessie McDowell, Elgin; Willard J. Young, Wallawa; Richard R. Wilson, California; Easley T. Wilson, La Grande; and Mrs. Emmeretta Moffit, Wallawa; 12 great grandchildren and three great great grandchildren.

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Woman's World
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ANN LANDERS
Answers Your Problems

Dear Ann Landers: Please tell me what to do with a 53-year-old husband who spends every Saturday sitting in the window watching the young girls as they go in and out of the modeling school across the street.

Should I give him a pair of field glasses for Christmas and say "Enjoy yourself, you big lug." Or should I give him a pair of black eyes to impair his vision?

Please give a straight answer because I am dead serious about this problem and have had all I can take. —Griped.

Dear Griped: You don't recommend that you give your husband a pair of black eyes for Christmas because there's always the chance that he may return the gift. Binoculars might be interpreted as approval—so that's out.

Why not be extra loving next Saturday? This ought to get the juvenile delinquent out of the window.

Dear Ann: My fellow and I have been going steady two years. He's 20 and I'm 19.

During the early months of our courtship he had an affair with a girl who wasn't exactly up to his social level. She got herself pregnant and the baby is now 11 months old.

Special Offering Set For Saturday By Adventists

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Members of the church will be invited to contribute to a special fund for selected missionary causes at home and abroad.

Charles Brant, 79, Services Today

Charles Brant, 79, a blacksmith of North Powder, died in his home, Sunday.

Funeral services will be held in the North Powder Community Church, today at 2 p.m. under arrangements by Dempsey's Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Tom Foster will officiate. Burial will be in the North Powder cemetery.

Mr. Brant was born Oct. 17, 1880 in North Powder. He had been a resident of Union County for 70 years.

Survivors are the widow, Dora Brant, North Powder; two sons, Bob Brant, Kelso, Wash., and John Richard Brant, Seattle; four brothers, John, La Grande; Bert Ontario; Fred, Long Beach, Calif.; and Floyd of Los Angeles; a nephew, Willard Denning, Lake Grove.

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Callers from the floor will call the squares. An association meeting will be held during the dance. They will discuss the Christmas dance and will decide where and when to hold it.