

The Social Whirl

The American Legion auxiliary honored mothers of ex-service men at a meeting Monday night at the armory. A short business session was held and committees appointed to take charge of the Junior-Senior banquet which the auxiliary will serve Friday, May 29. The president, Mrs. Bayard Reed, announced that a medal would be presented to the most outstanding girl in the eighth grade graduating class. This will be presented in conjunction with the Legion when they present a like medal to the outstanding boy. This will be the first year the auxiliary has offered an award to eighth grade students. Mrs. Vinal Randall, poppy chairman, reported that poppy wreaths to be placed on veterans graves at Memorial time were nearly finished. The Girl Scouts made the paper poppies for these. It was reported that flags to be placed on veterans graves had been purchased. The following program was presented: selections by the Harmonica band from the grade schools, led by Raymond Carl; vocal selection, senior trio, Beth Hall, Lillian Gregory, Kathleen Daugherty, accompanied by Marie Hall; marimba selections, Florence Spies, accompanied by Peggy Savage; dances by Shirley Culver and Patricia Zimmerly; tribute to mothers, Rev. James A. Smith; piano selection, Maryjane Smith. Mrs. William Zimmerman was program chairman. Two "gold star" mothers, Mrs. Florence Kelly and Mrs. Nicholson, and a "gold star" sister, Mrs. C. J. Hall, were presented with corsages. Other mothers were presented with red rosebuds. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening. It was announced that a meeting of the Willamette council of the Legion and auxiliary would be held Sunday at Florence.

Study Club Elects Officers.
The Tuesday study club held their annual meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. William MacGibbon. Hostesses were Mrs. William Thum, Mrs. R. A. Trask and Mrs. MacGibbon, retiring officers. A dessert was served at 7 o'clock followed by election of officers. Those elected were Mrs. S. L. Mackin, president; Mrs. H. B. Ferrin, vice president; Mrs. B. R. Job, secretary-treasurer. The resignations of Mrs. Charles Shinn, who now lives in Texas, and Mrs. Elbert Smith, who has moved to Salem, were accepted. Mrs. Joe T. Smith was elected a new member. Plans were made for a picnic to be held in two weeks which will be the last meeting of the year. At the close of the business meeting the group attended the show.

New Members Welcomed.
The Friendly club met Tuesday afternoon for a dessert luncheon at the home of Mrs. Pius Anlauf. A color scheme of lemon and orchid was carried out in refreshments and decorations. Orchid tinted iris formed an attractive centerpiece for the table. Mrs. N. E. Compton and Mrs. Louis Wertz were welcomed as new members. Mrs. I. G. Shaw, Springfield, and Mrs. Victor Chapman, Eugene, both members, were present. The afternoon was spent socially. Mrs. James Powell will be hostess for the next meeting.

Former Residents Honored.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Richmond, Portland, former residents, were the inspiration for a number of social affairs here this week. Tuesday afternoon Mrs. S. L. Godard entertained a group of women with a 1 o'clock luncheon followed with needlework and social entertainment. Mrs. Glennie Frost was hostess for a six-thirty dinner Monday night at the Palace cafe honoring Mr. and Mrs. Richmond. Six couples were invited guests and the evening was spent with games at the Frost home.

A New Lodge.
The Phi Theta Rho, a junior lodge organization, held their first meeting Monday at the I. O. O. F. hall. Dorothy Hatch was appointed drill leader and Elaine Fry, Clara Belle Caldwell and Betty Jones were appointed a committee to meet with a committee from the boys' junior lodge and plan a party for the next meeting. Melba Gates was appointed reporter. The girls have been asked to bring jello dessert and the boys sandwiches for the party.

O. L. H. Meets for Bridge.
The O. L. H. club was entertained Tuesday by Mrs. George Jacobson. A dessert luncheon was served and bridge followed. Mrs. T. C. Wheeler held high score and Mrs. James P. Graham held low. Mrs. A. W. Kime was a special guest. Baskets of mixed flowers added color and charm to the rooms. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. W. B. Johnston.

Picnic Planned by Club.
Mrs. Walter Hunter was hostess for the Justamere club, entertain-

ing with a 1:30 dessert. Cards were the afternoon diversion. Mrs. William Earl held high score. Mrs. Carl King was an additional guest. For the last meeting of the year a picnic will be held in two weeks at Swimmers' Delight.

Mrs. Goddard Honor Guest.
Mrs. Elbert Bede entertained the Utopia club this afternoon, (Thursday) with a dessert luncheon and a social afternoon. Additional guests were invited to meet Mrs. L. S. Goddard, a recent arrival in the community. Mrs. Bert Richmond, a former member of the club from Portland, was an out of town guest. Baskets of vari-colored garden flowers were attractive decorations.

Pengra Matron Entertains.
A group of society women motored to Pengra Monday to attend a bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. Raymond Grube, former resident of Cottage Grove. They were Mrs. Herbert Lombard, Mrs. C. S. Roberts, Mrs. C. J. Kem, Mrs. O. E. Woodson and Mrs. Schofield Stewart. Mrs. Woodson received a prize for high score at bridge.

Mrs. Swanson Installed.
Sixteen members from the Royal Neighbors camp attended a district meeting at Monroe Tuesday. Their part of the program included a retiring march and a fancy drill in the evening. Mrs. Anna Swanson was installed district Vice-Oracle. Mrs. Clara Stevens was appointed to serve on the advisory board. The Eugene camp will be hosts for the 1937 district meeting.

Acacia Club Will Dance.
The Acacia club will hold their last dance of the season next Wednesday night at the Masonic hall. Dancing will start at 8:30. Hosts are Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Edwards, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Lebow, and Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Allen.

Contract Group Meets.
Mrs. Harry Metcalf entertained the Tuesday bridge club this week with a 1 o'clock luncheon. Contract followed and Mrs. C. H. Kime held high score. Mrs. Warren Edwards was a guest. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. R. H. Savage.

Birthday Anniversary.
Mrs. Martha Marsh honored her sister, Mrs. Sam Warren, on her birthday anniversary Tuesday, with a mid-day dinner. The afternoon was spent socially and Mrs. Warren received many beautiful gifts.

Lodge Degrees Friday.
Degree work will be exemplified at the Eastern Star meeting Friday night. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. Mrs. Schofield Stewart is committee chairman.

The Goudyville Neighborhood club met at Mrs. Master's home. The time was spent in quilting. A lunch was served at noon.

Mrs. Victor Phelps entertained a group of teachers and other friends Wednesday afternoon at tea.

Cheese Center
Ninety-one million Camembert cheeses are produced annually in Normandy, which is also famous to travelers in France for its cider.

Finest Hospital
What is called the finest hospital in all Japan is an enterprise of Christian missionaries.

Thinning Benefit to the Wood Lot

Many Treble Stand of Trees and Provide Fuel at the Same Time.

By R. B. PARMENTER, Extension Forester, Massachusetts State College, WNU Service.
Owners of farm woodlots can treble the final value of the stand and at the same time obtain plenty of fuel wood for this winter by following a few simple rules. The farm wood lot is distinctly an important part of the farm and is capable of producing a steady income. Careful selection of the trees that go into the wood box will save many dollars to the owner of the wood lot through increased value of the remaining trees.

In a fully stocked forest, the final stand will consist of from 100 to 150 trees to the acre. The main object of stand improvement is to select on each acre that many trees of the best form, and species and develop them for the final crop. Only a small percentage of stems will ever reach maturity, and it would be a serious mistake to leave only the final number in a growing stand. Rather the owner should pick out the best species to save, and free them from competition by cutting away a few of the less desirable species. Don't remove anything more than is necessary to accomplish this result. Limit the work to opening a space around the crown of each tree that will close completely within five years.

In uneven-aged stands the valuable species should be released, in land densely stocked with young hardwoods of one to three inches in diameter, selective thinning will promote sound timber production. Cutting out all dead, defective, and dying trees and those of inferior species is advised. If the work is carefully planned and executed, the wood lot will grow surprisingly.

Screw Worms Reach Corn Belt; Winter Kills Them

The screw worm, one of the most destructive pests of live stock, attacked animals this year in several northern states. Strong flyers, though they are, these insects could never have traveled under their own power so far from the South, where they cause heavy losses among all classes of live stock, according to Dr. F. C. Bishop of the bureau of entomology and plant quarantine, United States Department of Agriculture. Apparently, Doctor Bishop says, the pest, in its maggot stage, was carried on infested cattle and sheep shipped North in response to the stimulation of rising meat prices and abundant feed in the corn belt. In this new territory it spread in 14 counties in central, western Illinois, in eastern Missouri, and in southwestern Iowa. There have been more than 7,000 screw worm cases in Illinois and the pest killed about 400 animals there.

Cold always checks the screw worm, even in the South. As the fly is a southern species, it is not likely to survive the winter in the corn belt. An outbreak next year, therefore, need be feared only if infested animals are allowed to come in.

GOLDEN PHANTOMS

Fascinating Tales of Lost Mines

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PEOPLE who bury treasure surely ought to be considerate enough to leave some indication of its location. A map is always enough to start a treasure-hunt; notes are good, also, especially when they give details; and even word of mouth, although it is likely to suffer monstrous changes in the course of time, is better than nothing at all.

It is truly exasperating to read the story of old Ben Marshall, half-white, half-Indian resident of Oklahoma in the '90s. Old Ben was wealthy—he owned more than 500 slaves, and his land holdings measured over a thousand acres. When the Civil war started, Ben disappeared, and only after peace had been declared did he show up again, this time in the Chickasaw nation. (What he did during the war can only be conjectured, but probably he did service as a spy.) After a while he returned to his old home, just long enough to dig up \$60,000 in gold, sack it and load it in a wagon. He then drove back to the Chickasaw nation and somewhere near Stonewall he re-buried his gold.

If he ever told anyone the secret of the location, that person did not divulge it. There were no notes among his few documents that shed any light on the place, and most certainly he made no maps.

Continuous Labor on Ships

Travelers do not always realize that the spic and span appearance of steamships is the result of practically 24 hours a day care. Day and night brass is polished, wood is scrubbed with holystone and water and repainting is continually carried on.

First Educated Blind Deaf Mute

The first blind deaf mute to be successfully educated was Laura Bridgman (1829-1889), whose parents placed her in Perkins institute, Boston. There she learned to read, write and to sew so well that eventually she became a teacher in the institute.

One Trip Too Many

C. I. Rynearson, who has been motoring 65 miles a day to and from his home near Junction City since accepting the post of adver-

tising manager of The Sentinel last March found the last trip, like the straw that broke the camel's back, one too many.

The Rynearson family moved to Cottage Grove Tuesday, and that evening, while enroute to his former home after his family, Mr. Rynearson's car was struck by a car driven by R. McCadden, 952 Polk, Eugene. Passengers in the McCadden car were reported as Alice Van Wyck, Gladys Callentine and Glen Coughlin. The accident happened on the Pacific highway at the Richfield Beacon station intersection, 7 miles north of Eugene. The occupants of the McCadden car were returned to Eugene for medical attention. Mr. Rynearson was on duty again the next morning apparently none the worse for the mishap.

Class Officers Elected

The women's Bible class of the Methodist church held a covered dish dinner Wednesday at the home of the Misses Rilla and Nina Rogers east of the city. Dinner was served at noon and a business meeting followed. Officers elected for the coming year follow: Mrs. Belle Taylor, president; Mrs. Jennie Allen, vice president; Mrs. Wm. Hogate, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Nellie Monroe, teacher; Mrs. Nettie Knickerbocker, assistant teacher, Mrs. Cora Knight, Mrs. Knickerbocker and Mrs. Florence Mills were especially honored, the occasion being their birthday anniversaries. Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Knickerbocker are the same age. Two large birthday cakes were served.



The BRIDE of the 90's

The bride of the 90's spent most of her time fussing over an old fashioned cook-stove worrying over the temperature of the oven on baking days. Today's bride cooks with an AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC RANGE, and doesn't know the meaning of "pot-watching". She just sets the oven controls and away she goes on an afternoon of leisure and freedom. Dinner cooks by itself.

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