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Mosby Creek

The Mosby Creek Extension club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Wayne Jenkins. Mrs. Glenn Roby and Mrs. Norris Roby were the demonstrators for the day which was "garment finishes." Officers for the coming year were installed. A planned lunch was served at noon. This is the last meeting of the year and the next meeting will be next September. It was voted to have a club picnic on August 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Peterson spent a few days vacation at the coast last week.

Mrs. Dora Lee Fox has returned from Saginaw where she took care of Mrs. William Purcell who has a new baby boy.

The pie social at the Blue Mt. school house Friday night brought in \$41.

Mrs. Ruth Patten and Mrs. Agnes Miller were honored with a birthday dinner Saturday night at the Patten home at Blue Mt.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Black of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, are here visiting at the Wilbur Black home at Walden.

Art Jones of Gowdville visited Sunday at the George Hastings home.

Mrs. Berta McGuire and sons Melvin and Russell were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Castle.

Ivan Morris who was in a Eugene hospital for an operation on his foot returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuhrer and Mrs. Tyson of Hebron were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Morris of Blue Mt.

Mr. and Mrs. Butte Mooney were Mother's day guests at the Jerry Egan home in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bennett and children of Springfield visited last week one day at the Butte Mooney home. They were former residents of Blue Mt. but had been working in Tillamook.

Asigmatic Defects
Asigmatic visual defects frequently increase in severity after people reach the age of 40 years.

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Brake Test Shows 15% Inadequate

Brake checks made by Oregon law enforcement officers during the first two weeks of the brake emphasis program disclosed 15 per cent of the brakes checked were inadequate, according to Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell. The safety division of Farrell's office serves as field agent for Chief Harry M. Niles, Portland, state coordinator for the program.

During the first two weeks of the program, when started April 15 and continues till June 1, state, county and city traffic officers checked 3,281 cars. Of that number, brakes on 491 vehicles were found inadequate. The percentage of inadequate brakes for the first two weeks of the campaign is slightly higher than that reported for cars checked during the first week alone, when the percentage of inadequate brakes was two points lower.

Creswell

About twenty-five Camas Swale club ladies met last week and enjoyed a potluck lunch and excellent program at their club house.

The local Northwest Labor council 2756 met last Monday at the grange hall and held an election of officers. They admitted several new members also.

At the last Friday meeting of the V.F.W. a potluck supper was planned for May 18, with members from Springfield as guests.

City clean up time is to be observed this Friday and Saturday, and so do have your refuse piled at the curb, ready to be picked up by those who are to gather it, and shine up the town in general.

The banquet room of the Osburn hotel was filled Friday with the Creswell high junior-senior students and members of the school board and their teachers. After the banquet they enjoyed a lively program and impromptu speeches from various guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Grousebeck visited in Salem over Sunday, returning Monday.

H. A. Howe is home from the hospital and is making a satisfactory recovery, since the removal of an eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Bu Vaughn and daughters Margaret and Mildred visited Sunday at the Bud Vaughn home at Alvadore.

Mrs. Esther Stratton of Cottage Grove was a Eugene business visitor Monday, stopping over several hours in Creswell enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doty, son Stephen of Eugene and Mrs. Violet Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Joslin were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stratton east of Cottage Grove.

Seventeen new members were given first and second degrees at the grange hall at Creswell last Thursday. Candidates from Dorena numbered around 17, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cook, Mrs. Lois Cook, Mrs. Pearl Kanel, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conklin, Mrs. Grant Bales, all from Dorena. Guests were there from Goshen, Hebron and Jasper. The Creswell grange team put on the work. Mrs. Esther Stratton of Dorena substituted at the piano for Mrs. C. I. Kent, the regular musician, who was ill and unable to officiate.

Outstanding guests were Brother Kenzie of Willakenzie and Brother Wheeler of Goshen, also Mr. and Mrs. Earl Petty, who has been home on furlough and who leaves Friday again for Camp Roberts, California. Balloting for new members, Elmer Eolem, Nancy Tolm and James Moyer. Grange Master Donald Kabler was most uncomfortable through the session with an eye that that day had a piece of steel removed from it. But he carried on, well indeed.

An incident of interest gave the meeting added zest was the attendance of the oldest and youngest grangers, little Stephen Petty, only a few weeks old, and David Francis, "Daddy Francis" to all, who is 92 years old.

Old Age Insurance For Lane County Totals \$163,929.32

The sum of \$163,929.32 is the annual payroll for Lane county, by the Bureau of old age insurance of the social security board. These figures were released recently by Charles H. Cannon, manager for the board in Eugene. In commenting on the figures, Cannon gave the following breakdown:
381 men past 65 years of age received \$99,518 a year.
119 wives who were past 65 received \$15,804 a year.
253 children of deceased workers \$34,668 a year.
75 widows of deceased workers, with minor children in their care, received \$16,370 a year.
33 aged widows—that is, widows past 65—of deceased workers received \$6,957 a year.
4 dependent parents who were past 65 years of age, received \$610 a year.
Since January 1, 1945, \$4,135 has been paid out in this county in the form of lump sum death

claims where no monthly benefits were payable.

A large number of retired workers are moving to Oregon. These people are buying small acreages, and plan to spend the remaining years of their lives here. Most of them have other savings and income in addition to the purchase price of their new homes. Here is Social Security in operation. It can be safely estimated that in addition to the annual payroll of \$163,929, these people will spend an additional \$200,000 a year in the county. This means \$363,929 of new money for Lane county, each year.

Dorena

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade graduating class will be held Tuesday evening, May 22, at the Ladies Club house.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Twing were guests Sunday at the Wm. Shaw home in Eugene. A dinner was given in honor of Mrs. Twing's and Mrs. Shaw's birthday anniversaries.

Herman Kanel, who is employed in McMinnville, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Olive Mull spent the week end at her home in Eugene.

Mrs. Florence Monroe received a Mother's Day greeting telegram from her son, Sgt. R. C. Monroe, from somewhere in Italy.

Mrs. Francis Cooper spent Mother's Day in Salem at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. French.

The Dorena grade school will hold its annual May Day program at the school grounds on Thursday, May 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coombs and two daughters of Springfield spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Coombs parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Teeters.

Mrs. Ada Jennings of Harrisburg received a government telegram Friday reporting her son, MMB/C Orla Jennings, killed in action. Orla was born and reared in Dorena, attended Cottage Grove high school, and graduated from Harrisburg high school where the family had moved. He enlisted in the navy in September, 1943, a month before his eighteenth birthday.

Maximum Fall Pig Crop Sought From Present Growers

Maximum breeding of available brood sows by those Oregon growers already in the hog business and prepared to grow hogs economically is suggested by agricultural officials as the best method for attaining an increased goal for fall farrowing as set by the state AAA committee.

The committee set the state goal at 22,000 sows to farrow this fall, which is in line with a national goal of approximately 5-3/4 million sows, which would provide a fall pig crop of approximately 37 million head. The Oregon goal of 22,000 sows bred compares with 18,000 sows that farrowed last year and 37,000 in the fall of 1943.

In connection with the Oregon goal, livestock specialists at Oregon State college point out that the hog-grain ratio in Oregon is not encouraging unless growers are assured of the market staying at ceiling prices. On the other hand, they point out, many farmers who can supplement grain with various products can make a profit on their hog growing operations at the present hog-grain ratios, in contrast with those who would have to feed marketable grain exclusively.

Furs are cleaned professionally with sawdust that has been mixed with a cleaning fluid. This is worked into the fur by various methods—sometimes in a revolving drum, sometimes by beating with little sticks. When the treated sawdust is brushed and combed out it takes with it the dust and grime and oil that has collected on the hair of the fur.



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Church Activities

We appreciate the increase in attendance at the Sunday school of the Church of God. Mrs. Carol Witherspoon is superintendent. We have separate rooms for each class and good facilities for a still greater attendance.

At 11:00 o'clock the pastor will bring a message from another portion of Christ's Sermon on the Mount. The program of the young peoples service at 7:00 p. m. has considerable variety and is planned to meet youths problems which are also variable. At 8:00 o'clock the subject will be "What About Contradictory Scriptures?"

Reader, we invite you to worship with us for we want to be a help to you.

The topic for the Sunday morning service at the Christian Science church is "Mortals and Immortals."

Next Sunday will be observed as "Pentecost Sunday" at the Presbyterian church. The pastor will speak on "God's Holy Spirit in the World Today." Both the junior and the senior choirs will sing. The young peoples evening service will be held at 6:30 p. m. The subject is: "What shall we do on Sunday?" with Abigail Trask as leader. The Sunday school, Mrs. Coiner superintendent, meets at 9:45. You are cordially invited to any or all of these services.

"The Price of an Effort" will be the sermon topic at The Methodist church this coming Sunday morning. A special lecture on missions will be given Sunday evening at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

At the Free Methodist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, the pastor, Mrs. Douglas, will preach on the subject of "Workers Together With Him." Mrs. Dorothy Ratcliffe will be the soloist. Mrs. Ratcliffe will also have charge of the Young Peoples meeting at 7 o'clock. The evening message will be evangelistic.

ATTENDS HIGHWAY MEETING
H. E. Eakin and A. W. Helliwell represented Cottage Grove at a highway hearing in Portland May 15th at which time proponents of both highway 99 and 97 via Klamath Falls presented arguments as to the respective merits of the highway routes. No decision was reached by the highway commission.

BIRTHS

CLOW—At the Sacred Heart general hospital, Eugene, Saturday, May 12, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Clow of Cottage Grove, a daughter.

CHELLEN—At the McFarland maternity home, Tuesday, May 8, 1945, to SP(D) L. C. and Mrs. John O. Chellen of Seattle, Washington, a daughter, Vicki.

WAKEFIELD—At the McFarland maternity home, Friday, May 11, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wakefield of Rajada, a daughter, Nancy Kay.

HENDERSON—At the McFarland maternity home, Saturday, May 12, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Webster Henderson of Drain, a son, Michael.

KAPHEART—At the McFarland maternity home, Tuesday, May 15, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Kaphart, a son, Robert Floyd.

VOLGER—At the Butler maternity home, Thursday, May 10, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Volger, Cottage Grove, a son, Gary Lee.

PHILLIPS—At the Butler maternity home, Sunday, May 13, 1945, to MM3/c and Mrs. Glenn Phillips of Drain, a son Harry Gale.

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