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SOCIETY

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED WITH DINNER
Mrs. S. J. Leonard enjoyed her 75th birthday last Sunday which was celebrated by a family dinner at which all her children were present, and their families. Following the dinner pictures were taken. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Leonard, and daughters, Irene, Betty and Donna, from Milwaukie, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Leonard and daughter, Norma, of Medford; Mrs. Jean C. Selnes, Oregon City; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Leonard, and daughter, Patricia, Oak Grove; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Brighton Leonard, and children, John Compton Leonard, and Kay Diane, of Cottage Grove.

SOCIAL TWELVE MEMBERS PICNIC AT GOLF COURSE
Members of Social Twelve club and a few guests enjoyed their annual picnic at the golf course on Thursday noon. Those attending were Mrs. N. E. Compton, president; Mrs. C. E. Dillman, vice-president; Mrs. E. C. Christiansen, Mrs. C. F. Hoskins, Mrs. B. R. Job, Mrs. W. A. Hemenway, Mrs. H. B. Ferrin, and Mrs. Charles Adams, of Eugene, Mrs. S. L. Mackin, guests. The club considered the matter of outfitting a hospital room if the new hospital for Cottage Grove materializes, but deferred definite action until a regular meeting. The first meeting of the fall will be September 11 at the home of Mrs. Adams in Eugene, with Mrs. Job as hostess.

PICNIC AND SOCIAL EVE
Westminster Guild members, with their families, enjoyed a picnic supper and social evening at the Vinal T. Randall home on Tuesday evening, supper being served in the yard.

BEST SCORE TO DATE AT TWO-BALL FOURSOME

A goodly crowd attended the usual two-ball foursome held at the local golf course on Tuesday evening, August 19. The best score to date, we believe, was made by Cora Peck and Jim (Earl) Hill, who played the nine holes in women's par, 42. They had a birdie on No. 2, Par on No. 4 and another birdie on No. 8. Jean Londahl and Mark Kincart, playing in the same foursome, were runners-up with the lowest score. N. J. Nelson wanted to know why we never mention those who came out fourth. We are afraid it is not worth mentioning. Belle Burkholder searched the course, having noticed that her mashie was missing on approach shot to the No. 8, only to give up in despair and return to the clubhouse. There Mrs. Ross produced the missing club as it was returned on ladies day and had been misplaced on the same green, No. 8 and not missed by its owner until she again played No. 8. Remember Ladies Day every Friday at 9 a.m. and we do mean 9. Come out and play with us.

REV. HUNT SPEAKER AT MEN'S MEETING

Members of the Methodist Men's Brotherhood were hosts on Monday evening to men of the Baptist and Presbyterian churches at a picnic dinner held in the yard at the E. J. Kent home. Charles Akers, president, introduced Rev. Fred Hunt, pastor of the Drain Methodist church as speaker of the evening. His topic, "Witnessing", was well brought out and was followed by informal talks by nearly all the men. Only the chill of the night brought the interesting program to a close.

THREE ENTERTAINED AT GOING AWAY PARTY

Mrs. Elmer Fleming and small daughter, Sandra, entertained on Monday at a going away party for Jack and Julie Davies and Lynn Pyle. Ten children enjoyed the afternoon at games and refreshments. Gift books were presented to the three honored guests. Invited for the party were Ivona and Billy Randall, Betty and Dickie Holmes, Carol Hollister, Delmer Kyle, and Melinda Carlson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC AT LOCAL PARK

The annual Sunday school picnic of the Methodist Sunday school will be held next Sunday, August 24, in the city park, at the close of the morning church service. All Methodists, their families and friends are invited. Bring basket dinner and service. Coffee and ice cream will be furnished.

FRIENDLY CLUB PICNIC

The Friendly club will go to Swimmer's Delight on Tuesday for their annual picnic, leaving at 12 noon from Cottage Grove.

JONES REUNION HELD AT OAKLAND

The thirteenth reunion of the descendants of Charles and Candace Jones was held July 27 at the Baptist Church at Oakland, Oregon. Five of the nine living brothers and sisters were present — J. D. Jones, Oakland; Mrs. Mabel Neal, Redding, California; Mrs. Alice Weatherly, Oakland; Mrs. Kate Watkins, Cottage Grove; A. E. Jones, Cottage Grove. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Watkins and son Lester of Cottage Grove; Mrs. A. E. Jones of Cottage Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hannon and son Murray of Berkeley, Calif.; Mrs. Mabel Sowles of Curtin; Mr. and Mrs. George Cavey and grandson Jim of Comstock; Johnny Volgmore of Keefeauver, Jr. of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Youkam and children Joe and Marica and Harold Cook of Springfield; Mr. and Mrs. Len Culver and Morrie and Diane of Cottage Grove. Mrs. Len Culver was elected president, and Mrs. Mabel Sowles was elected secretary and treasurer for the coming year. It was voted that all future reunions were to be held at Oakland the original home of the Jones family.

MRS. GRAY ENTERTAINS FOR SMALL SON

Mrs. Ronald Gray entertained Tuesday at her home for her little son Michael's fifth birthday. Nineteen children were invited, with their mothers. The main feature of the party refreshment time was a large circus cake achieved with decoration of animal cookies around the edge and striped candy sticks in the center. Michael received many lovely gifts. Children who enjoyed the afternoon were Yvonne Hoover, Leann Plunkett, Diana Wirt, Sharon Wirt, Carol and Johnny Cummings, Wally and Jeff Turay, Kirk Horn, Ann Boslough, Jerry Bradness, Jamaica Zady. Not able to be present were Karen Conner, Darlene and Ronnie Maeklin and cousin Barry.

GARDEN PARTY

Mrs. Mabel Sowles of Curtin entertained the members and guests of the Neighbors of Woodcraft at a lovely garden party and luncheon under the canopy of trees Tuesday afternoon. Special guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Lillian Porter of Latham, Mrs. Hazel Chapman and Mrs. Woods of Drain. The afternoon was spent socially with cards, prizes going to Adella Hatch and Pearl Hatch, which were boxes of mixed fresh vegetables from Sowles' garden.

AMERICAN LEGION PICNIC AUGUST 25

The American Legion will hold their annual picnic at the City Park Monday evening, 6:30 p.m. August 25. Everyone please bring a covered dish. The Legion will furnish coffee, ice cream and cake. Come and enjoy yourselves, every member and family.

Mint for Oil Produced in Ore.

Peppermint oil production in Oregon for 1947 is estimated at 494,000 pounds by the crop reporting service. This production is based on an estimated 10,500 acres yielding 47 pounds of oil per acre. In 1946 Oregon's acreage was 9,000 acres with an average yield of 44 pounds per acre for a total production of 396,000 pounds of oil.

Insects were fairly well controlled by spraying this year. Some fields are weedy, but in general they have been well hoed and cultivated. Rain earlier in the season delayed weeding, but this condition was more than offset by adding growth to peppermint plants. Some growers started distilling early in August while others will not begin harvesting operations until the last of the month.

Total mint oil production in the United States (peppermint and spearmint) is estimated at 2,115,000 pounds, a new record—about 24 per cent above last year and about 70 per cent above the 1936-45 average. A record acreage of mint for oil, estimated at 61,600 acres, and an above average yield account for the record production.

Peppermint oil production is estimated at 1,677,000 pounds which is about 26 per cent above last year and about 59 per cent above the 1936-45 average. The acreage is about 6 per cent above last year and yield per acre is reported 5.4 pounds above last year.

Spearmint oil production is estimated at 438,000 pounds which is 53 per cent above last year. The sharp increase is due to a 40 per cent acreage increase from last year and yield per acre is reported 2.9 pounds per acre above last year.

Accompanying Rev. and Mrs. George Hardy to Cottage Grove this week were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Judy, of Eugene, parents of Mrs. Hardy and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webster, of Buffalo, New York. Mrs. Webster and Mrs. Hardy are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews enjoyed a visit the past week end from Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, of Glendale, California, who were on a honeymoon trip through the northwest.

COUPLE WED AT BAPTIST PARSONAGE

Miss Dolores Brink and Thomas Dawson Busby were married at 8 p.m. Monday evening in the Baptist parsonage by the Rev. Peter Bakker. The bride wore an informal wool gabardine dress and was attended by Mrs. LaVern Gardner. The couple will make their home here as the groom is employed by the Blue Mountain Lumber company.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

The annual Sunday school picnic for the Church of Christ (meeting in the Armory), will be held in the city park, Thursday, August 28, starting at 2:30 p.m. Games and races, with prizes, will take place in the afternoon and a basket supper in the evening.

PARTY FOR VISITOR

Mrs. Fred Hammond entertained Tuesday evening for the pleasure of Mrs. Curtis French, of Encinitas, California who visited friends here this week. Dessert was served and three tables of bridge were in play during the evening.

V.F.W. AND AUX. AUG. 22

Veterans of Foreign Wars and Auxiliary will meet Friday night at their new hall on River Road with a pot luck dinner at 6:30.

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