

DELIGHT VALLEY

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Residents of the valley have been receiving a justifiable share of kidding, for there seems to be a trend towards farewell parties for those leaving our fair valley, but, for some unexplained reason, there never has been a welcoming party for the newcomers. So now, it is, "Backward, turn backward, Oh Time, on thy way, and make us good neighbors, at least, for one day." Well, maybe those are not the exact words, but they mean the same as the original ones do, for we do want to return to the old-fashioned ways, at least next Sunday May 21, and welcome a new family to our neighborhood in not only words, but in deeds. Mr. and Mrs. Seabloom and children of Cottage Grove have purchased eight acres from Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Siebert, and are starting to build their home there. So, if you too want to turn back the clock and share in the fun of years ago, just pack your potluck dinner and your tools and come out to Delight Valley next Sunday for the "Raising Bee" when the men will help Mr. Seabloom "raise" a home to raise his family.

Yes, once more, there was need of a farewell party, when the Byron Gore family moved to Creswell, only they moved before party plans could be culminated, so on Wednesday, May 10, the ladies surprised Mr. and Mrs. Gore at their new home, with a potluck luncheon and honored Mrs. Gore with a handkerchief shower. Among those attending were Mrs. Mmes. Ralph Sears, Davidson, Hite, Harrison, McBee, Scott,

With the Granges

Hebron Grange will meet 8 p.m. Saturday May 20. Mr. and Mrs. C. Overgaard and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis are on the refreshment committee. They have asked members to bring cake and jello.

HEC will meet at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday May 23 at the home of Nore Yearous, with Gladys Buffington and Marian Chapman as co-hostesses.

Behrens, Tracy and Sherrill. Recent week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears were Mr. and Mrs. Sid Gish of Paul City, Oregon. Mrs. Gish is a sister to Mrs. Sears.

Each mother of a valley school child was honored on Friday afternoon, when a delightful program was presented in the primary room of the school, under the direction of Mrs. Bach, the primary grades teacher. The program opened with the group singing "M-o-t-h-e-r," followed by a group recitation by the four primary boys entitled "Please, Thank You and Excuse Me," a piano solo by Fay Oster; recitation, "That's My Mom," by Raymond Poyter; a waltz by Betty Davidson and Beverly Shepherd; group singing by the upper grades; poem by David Hemenway, "My Bath"; poem by Arlene Farnsworth, "Helping Mother"; accordion solo, Shirlene Farnsworth; a reading in duet by Diana McBee and Elaine Oster, "Somebody's Mother"; poem by primary girls, "To Mother"; piano solo, David Hemenway; a "darkie dance," "The Heel and Toe Polka," by the primary classes; a reading by Jerry Shepherd, "My Pet"; vocal solo by Francis Hite, "Dear Hearts and Gentle People"; and the finale by the primary students, "Our Mothers." At the close of the program each mother was presented with a beautiful wall plaque centered with a snapshot of her "favorite person," after which refreshments of cake and ice cream were served in the upper class room by the children, each to his own.

Mother's day was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Bales and family in Cloverdale. Mrs. Lee Harrison enjoyed the pleasure of a telephone call to her mother in Arlington, Nebr. on Mother's day.

A favorable vote was cast at the school on Monday night in regard to the six per cent limitation levy. And while on the subject of voting, remember that the primary elections are set for Friday, May 19. Be sure to vote.

School will be out Wednesday May 31 and a potluck dinner will officially close the school year in the valley. Be sure to bring your own table service also. Coffee and ice cream will be furnished and the invitation is extended to everyone to meet and eat with us at 12 noon, May 31 at the school.

You'll find it in the classified.

CRANE MAKES A LITTLE WHOOPEE



WITH JUST 36 WHOOPING CRANES left in the world, "Josephine" has good reason for whooping it up. Last Spring, as shown here, "Josie" produced two eggs at the Arkansas Wild Life Refuge, near Corpus Christi, Tex. They proved infertile. Honeymooning with a new mate, "Crip," she has just made news for bird lovers by laying another egg—which may become a 37th whooper-dooper. (International Soundphoto)

CULP CREEK

Sewing club met at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Sears May 10 with Mrs. Irene Jones helping as extra hostess. Others present were Mmes. Therese Hewes, Evelyn Whitman, Viola Walters, Isabella Kendrick, Bessie Raymond, Peggy Groat, Florence Eriksen, Ethel Culbertson and Florine Violett. A delicious potluck dinner was served by the hostesses.

Mother's day and birthday celebrations were held Sunday for "Aunt Addie" Hanson at her home. Present were daughters Evelyn Powell of Sweethome, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Colby, Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rudie, Corvallis and Viola Walters, Culp Creek. Sons: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coon and children, Dallas and Pamela of Independence, Alfred Coon, Tacoma, Washington; granddaughters: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Taylor and daughter Sherry Kaye of Salem; Gladys Egster with son Steve of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boylon and children Jim, Karen and Gary of Eugene; Thomas Heron, Eugene; Charles Wilkinson, Culp Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Pete DeZwart and daughter, Coral Dee; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hansen all of Astoria; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Colson and children, Gordon, Beverly and Wallace; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Whitman and daughter Sharon of Culp Creek and Frank Sibold of Sweet Home.

Culp Creek school softball teams played against Mount View on Kelly Field last Thursday. Boys team lost but the girls won. Both teams played in Eugene the 20th for the cup. The boys won it last year, we hope they will do it again.

A "Stanley" party was held at the home of Mrs. Jane Heath, demonstrated by Mrs. John Odom, accompanied by her daughter. Present were Mmes. La Vina Brightwell, Stanley Atken, Sybilene Ford, Evelyn Whitman, Arminita Fritchell, Pauline Osgood, Isabella Kendrick, Therese Hewes, Florence Eriksen, Emma Heath, Dorothy McGrew, Jewel Twest, Mista Heffner, Grace Pluud, Grace Potts. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Alvis Wicks will entertain the Ad. Habitu club Thursday May 18. The group will meet for dinner at 1 p.m. at the Bohemia Lumber company cook house. After dinner they will hold a social meeting at the Wicks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Wicks have sold their ranch in Culp Creek and are now planning to take an Alaskan cruise this June. On their return from the north they plan to buy a trailer and tour the United States for a year or so.

The McCargar family held a reunion Sunday May 13 at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Wicks. The twenty-five guests who gathered for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn McCargar, Mr. and Mrs. Monte McCargar, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCargar and their children all of Salem, Miss Pat McCargar of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bradford of Creswell, Mrs. Mary McCargar, Joe McCargar, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell McCargar and their children of Grants Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCargar of Eagle Point, and Mr. and Mrs. Dana McCargar and their daughter Maryann of Granada, Calif.

URGES NEW BRIDGE FOR FLOOD CONTROL

The state highway bridge in south Drain is responsible for much of the flood waters in Drain, W. G. Cool Jr. brought out in testimony at the flood control hearing at Roseburg Wednesday of last week. He appeared at the hearing as the representative of the Drain Chamber of Commerce. The channel under the bridge is not sufficient to carry off the water during high water, the approaches to bridge acting as a dike to hold back the flow, and spreading it over the flat low lands of south Drain.

The plan presented by the army engineers, in addition to the necessary changes in the bridge by the state highway department, calls for straightening and rapping the channel.

The city would become a special district to levy a tax to obtain right-of-way, and to maintain the project after construction.—Drain Enterprise.

DORENA

The people of Dorena are saddened by the death of Mrs. Rose A. Twing and do extend our sympathy to her husband, Mr. Edd Twing.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gillispie and family spent Sunday at the Lot Wagner home.

Opal Wagner also spent Mother's day with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Wagner.

The Dorena Grange H.E.C. wishes to thank all those who contributed and helped make the carnival a success.

Mrs. Lois Giles is visiting relatives in Arizona and will be away a couple weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bales received word Sunday of a new great granddaughter. Born to Mr. and Mrs. James R. Chapman at Vulcan, Canada. They named her Lyndia.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris of Culp Creek, also Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLaughlin of San Francisco visited at the Arthur Bales and U. S. Bales homes one day last week. Mr. McLaughlin helped build the first mill on Rat Creek several years ago. He is now employed in the steel industry in San Francisco.

The first and second degrees will be put on Thursday evening at Grange. Mrs. Lot Wagner is Master and captain of the degree team.

A turkey dinner was enjoyed at the U. S. Bales home Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. James B. Chapman and daughter, Daisy Ann also son Letrus of Santa Clara, Mrs. Flora Doolittle and Mr. Floyd Cox of Eugene, also Mrs. Lillian Doolittle of Cottage Grove.

Quite a large attendance at the Row River Valley church Sunday with a Mother's day program. The oldest mother present was Mrs. Denger's mother, Mrs. Menor of Los Angeles, California. The youngest mother was Mrs. Charles Ward, both were presented with a beautiful potted plant.

Mrs. Jessie Vining and daughter Phoebe of Cottage Grove are visiting Mrs. Vining's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spahr for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kullowatz and son Steven of Eugene also Mr. Kullowatz parents of Portland; Miss Marjorie Foxworthy and Gale Roberts of Eugene also Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Stewart and three little girls were at the Berme Stewart home for a Mother's day dinner Sunday.

World Wool Output Below Consumption U.N. Agency Says

WASHINGTON — For the fifth consecutive season, world consumption of wool for the manufacture of wearing apparel is running ahead of new supply, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) reports here.

Following the devaluation of sterling, an FAO report shows, prices of wool in London and the British Dominions rose sharply and from last November to January established all-time records for some types of wool. A slight recession during the February sales still left sterling prices from about 40 to 50 per cent above pre-devaluation levels, the report indicates.

Dollar prices of imported wools, after a sharp post-devaluation drop in September, recovered to toward the end of the year and by January 1950 generally were back to, or even above, pre-devaluation levels. Dollar earnings from U. S. imports of raw wool were much lower in 1949 than in 1948, but improved markedly from the third to the fourth quarter of 1949.

High prices of raw wool may slow up consumption during the first half of 1950, FAO says, but the influence of general prosperity levels probably will be more important, especially in the USA. FAO warns, however, that if world consumption through June 1950 continues at approximately the rate estimated for the second half of 1949, the consumption of apparel wool will exceed the season's production by about one-fifth.



PORTLAND, ORE.: Tom Ohlson, Oregon's milk czar — is soiled on things in general, and his milk is about to be spilled if he can't find someone besides himself to call a milk price hearing. Some want it; some don't. He'd like to please and be all things to all men and a few women (the consumers), but can't. He knows if he is forced to touch the thing off, he'll be blamed for it by whatever group gets hurt by a price change.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.: Because their names were both Smith, a mixup that wasn't merry happened in a Los Angeles hospital.

A Mrs. Smith died and the wrong Mr. Smith was notified. He never looked at the body and she was buried as his wife. The mistake was discovered a month later when his wife was well enough to leave the hospital.

HOLLYWOOD, CALIF.: Looking for a habitat receptive to things romantic, Rita Hayworth bought a lush estate in Ireland. Doubtless she will try to dump her tarnished Khans there.

PORTLAND, ORE.: William "Bill" Ding, wealthy Chinese meat packer and owner of the Brander Meat Co., flew more business air-miles in 1949 than any other businessman in Oregon.

FLORENCE, ORE.: The H. M. Petersen Motor Co. is running a series of novel ads, with copy advertising agencies might well study. Like the Lux ads, you can't put them down until you read the last blurb.

The title of the first of the series was "Murder in the Telephone Booth" or "Your Party Has Been Disconnected."

PORTLAND, ORE.: Louise Humphrey—Oregon Business and Tax Research exec—and social worker Irene Taylor—Good Will Industries—are the two laymen who have donated the most time to giving the Hoover Report story to Oregonians. Theirs has been an unpaid labor of love for the good of country. From the California border to the Washington border; from Idaho to the ocean, they've criss-crossed the state on behalf of the Hoover Commission report.

OREGON CITY, ORE.: Childless Circuit Judge Ralph Holman has shown such unusual interest and wisdom in juvenile problems that Oregon clubwomen are competing for his speaking time for their luncheon meetings.

CORVALLIS, ORE.: Because poor eyesight, not dumbness, is so prevalent among young turkey poults, many starve during their first two weeks of life.

This fact is the discovery of OSC specialist Noel Bennion. He recommends putting bright colored marbles in mash hoppers and drinking water to attract little clucks' attention.

SAN QUENTIN, CALIF.: While doing time for forgery, convict George Vierra had a little prison rock garden. He worked it well. It flourished. When guards discovered he was raising marijuana he got another seven years added to his sentence. Now he's growing horseradish.

MILL CITY: The walking man in the west is Paul Smith. In addition to a coast to coast hike he has outwalked a number of "good" horses, and now has become much in demand as a rodeo attraction.

LEBANON, ORE.: According to a story in the Lebanon Express, you can now buy a "hunk of surrealism on canvas" — you know that modern dissected smooth-edge stuff — right along with your grapefruit and hamburgers in some super self-service food stores.

After all why not combine culture and carrots? Haven't drug stores long mixed mercurichrome and marshmallow sundaes?

SALEM, ORE.: Former door-keeper of the legislature, Lee Howard, is starring on C.B.S.'s network airshow "This is Your Life."

Lee is going to touch the high spots on his adventure-filled life which has covered the Klondike goldrush, Cuban revolution and a pirate-reddened jade hunt in the China seas.

NEW SCOUT DISTRICT ORGANIZED HERE

The Bohemia Boy Scout district was organized at a meeting in the IOOF hall Tuesday night May 16. Max Jensen, chief scout executive of the Oregon Trail Council; Gilbert Andrews, field executive and C. A. Rickabaugh, council chairman of activities and camping, were present from Eugene to help organize the new district.

Vinial Randall Sr. was chosen chairman of the new district commission. Claude Sherman is vice chairman and Rodney Safley was chosen district commissioner. Mrs. Boyd Allen, Mrs. Robert Gamage and Mrs. Rodney Safley served refreshments after the business meeting.

BIRTHS

BROCK — May 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brock of Eagle Point, a son, Dan Lee.

McELHINNEY — May 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Joe McElhinney of Cottage Grove, a son, Steven Joe.

HOYT — May 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Hoyt of Yoncalla, a son, Clayton Lewis.

WRIGHT — May 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wright of Cottage Grove, a daughter, Loreen Lee.

PECK — May 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peck of Cottage Grove, a daughter, Cinda Francine.

PATTON — May 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Patton of Cottage Grove, a daughter, Kimberlee Rae.

HUTSON — May 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hutson of Cottage Grove, a daughter, Vickie Ellen.

FRYE — May 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fyre of Cottage Grove, a son, Gary Ray.

LEMLEY — May 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Edson Lemley of Drain, a daughter, Del Vonne.

YEAROUS — May 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Yearous of Cottage Grove, a son, Martin Lester.

HOOPS — May 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hoops of Cottage Grove, a son, Vern Anderson.

SGT. ERICKSON TO JOIN ARMY IN GERMANY

Sgt. L. e. David A. Erickson, formerly of this city, who was recently chose "Soldier of the Week" and "Soldier of the Month" at Fort Lewis, Washington, will leave with his family sometime in July to join the army of occupation in Germany. They will leave from New York.

Sgt. Erickson and his family will visit in Cottage Grove in the middle of June. Mrs. Erickson is the daughter of Mrs. Ruth Greville of this city. The Ericksons have two children, David, age two, and Janice, six-weeks-old.

EAGLES LODGE ELECT

New officers elected at the regular meeting of the Cottage Grove Aerie, F.O.E. last week will be installed on June 7th. New officers chosen to serve the lodge for the ensuing year were: Ed Keitzer, president; Vilas Hale, vice president; Vern Booher, chaplain; Oral Powell, conductor; A. W. Thomas, secretary; J. H. Smith, treasurer; Dick Priest, inside guard; Barney Shattuck, outside guard; Cecil Wooley, trustee.

LATHAM

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The voting in Latham to decide whether or not the six per cent limitation would be raised was snowed under by a vote of 37 to 4 Monday May 14.

Marine Promoted

Marine Private First Class Russell L. Tracy son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Tracy, of Delight Valley, Cottage Grove has recently completed his initial 10 weeks of training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California.

Upon completion of his training Tracy was promoted to the rank of Private First Class, an honor that is bestowed upon every man who finishes his training with a clean record.

The Cottage Grove devildog spent his first three weeks of training in small arms, first aid, field sanitation, map and compass reading, military courtesy and infantry drill instructions.

The following three weeks were spent at the Marine rifle range where for two weeks he was taught the fundamental principles of marksmanship and during the third week Tracy made practical use of his training by firing the Marine Corps basic weapon, the M-1 rifle for a record score.

Tracy will be attached to Casual Company at the Depot upon his return from leave.

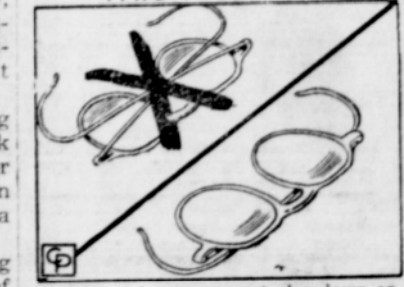
State Inspectors Give Dairy Perfect Score

The Grove Maid Dairy received a perfect score for cleanliness in an inspection conducted by the state Department of Agriculture, it was announced this week.

Inspectors reported a bacteria count of 300, which is considered perfect by the state.

L. F. Hartwig, owner of the dairy, says that the low bacteria count and perfect report is due to the cleanliness of the local milk producers and to the conditions in the plant.

Wife Preservers



Always lay your spectacles down on the frames, never with the glasses flat on the table or dresser. If they are laid flat, the glasses may become marked.

Former C. G. Resident Dies In Bandon

Ralph Hill, former resident of Cottage Grove, died Tuesday night at his home in Bandon after a lingering illness. He would have been 80 years old on June 27.

Until last January, he had been helping his sister, Mrs. Myrtle Pollock, manage the Minute Cafe in Bandon. He retired because of his health. His wife died last June. Hill was in the chicken business in Cottage Grove and Sagi-naw for eight years before he moved to Bandon.

Burial will be at 3 p.m. Friday in Bandon.

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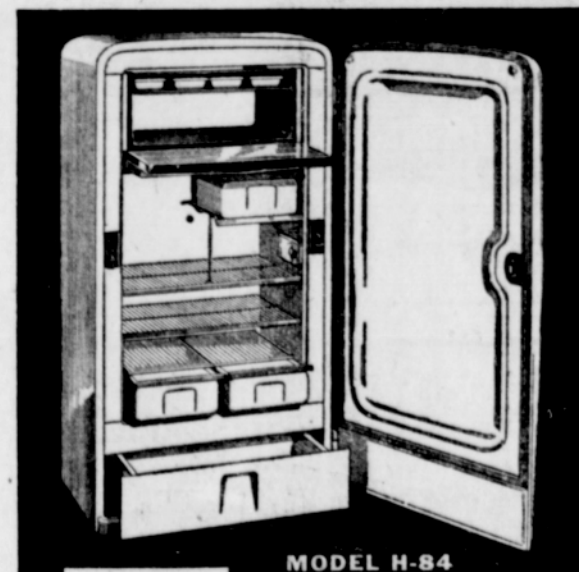
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