

DELIGHT VALLEY

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The annual meeting of School District No. 191 was held on June 16, at the schoolhouse. Sidney Bales was elected as a director from this zone to serve on the rural county board. Mrs. William Olson succeeds Mrs. Lee Harrison as a director on the local board. The supplementary budget was not approved. Seventeen patrons were present.

Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Gorton and Arlene of Norwalk, Calif., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tracey and family. Cpl. Russell Tracey accompanied the Gorton's to Walla Walla, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Runyan, Arlene and Anita of Creswell were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tracey on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tracey were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shockley of

Eugene. A wedding of interest to localites occurred in Kelso, Wash., on June 11, when Miss Nola Collins of Cottage Grove exchanged vows with Ralph Davidson of Delight Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keene accompanied the couple to Kelso. The couple will live in Elkton.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Land and children of La Centre, Wash., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone.

Mr. Greer and Roy Stone have been on the sick list this past week.

A square dance was held at the Walker hall on Saturday, June 14. The next dance will be at the Delight Valley gym Saturday, June 21.

Miss Susan Olson of Long Beach, Calif., arrived home on Sunday to spend a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Olson and family.

SAGINAW

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One of the largest crowds to attend an annual school meeting recently turned out for the meeting Monday evening. A total of 48 votes were cast, with 25 being for the 6% limitation and 23 against it. William Sharon and Luke Hindman were nominated for directors for three years with Mr. Hindman being re-elected for three years.

Friendly Neighbors club met at the home of Mrs. R. P. Bash last Thursday afternoon with nine members present. Mrs. George Drinkwater of Eugene, and Mrs. Harley Williams were visitors. In the contest given by the hostess Mrs. Williams won the prize. Mrs. Jake Schwarzer won a prize for the first one at the meeting. Club will meet June 26 at the home of Mrs. Jim Abbott with a potluck dinner at noon. This will be the annual picnic and also the last meeting until October.

Clifford Stewart, who had spent the past three and one half years in Germany, is now home and has received an honorable discharge from the Army.

Saturday and Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Lottie Kirkendall were her brother, Floyd Smith and wife of Roseburg; her mother, Mrs. Ellen Smith; a sister, Mrs. Bessie Staley, and niece, Marie Merchem, and Charles Lewis, all of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kirkendall and sons of Creswell, and the Lloyd Whetham family of Thornton Corners.

John Bash left last week with the National Guard from Cottage Grove for Fort Lewis where he will spend three weeks.

Kay Louise Hindman spent several days last week with Mrs. George Drinkwater of Eugene.

Mrs. Inez Monteith of Brookings is spending the week at her home here.

Nina Lou Moore of Pleasant Hill spent the week end recently with Susan Williams. Bobbie Barnard of Eugene visited with Jimmy Williams recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Meril McCoy spent the week end at Hood River.

Laddie, Jerry and Mary Lou Tucker of Mapleton are spending several weeks with their father, Jess Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Benston spent from Friday till Monday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krebser, and daughter of Ridgefield, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lionberger were dinner guests Father's Day at the home of their son, John and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown spent the week end in Southern Oregon visiting Mr. Brown's brother Al Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Frazer of San Francisco, have moved in a house on the Charles Gordon place.

Washington—The United States will receive several hundred thousand tons of aluminum, lead and copper for its strategic materials stockpile in return for investments recently approved by the Mutual Security Agency.

LONDON

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Jim Flemming and three children came from Fall Brook, Calif., June 7, to join Mrs. Flemming at London store and are living in the apartment above the store. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Martin and daughter Anella are visiting this month in California and expect to return about June 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin and family of Cottage Grove have returned from California from a visit there with relatives and where they joined the Dean Martins, parents of Don.

Solid ice had to be scraped from the car windshield in the early morning of June 12 at the reporters house, the beans nearby were barely nipped.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stimmel continued on to San Francisco Sunday to receive orders for assignment with the navy in a transfer from the navy base at Millington, Tennessee. Mr. and Mrs. Stimmel arrived here June 11, coming by way of Kootenai, Idaho to visit a brother Gordon Stimmel and family.

Harold Abeene found after a week that he had broken his left arm just above the wrist in a fall off a log in the woods when the bark slipped, throwing him down where he caught himself on his hand. Aitho painful he was able to milk the cows before a recheck on the X-ray found the break.

Mrs. Lora Townsend has been in Cottage Grove hospital since June 11 and was reported to have suffered a stroke early Monday, June 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hodges, the young couple who were injured in the car accident near Cedar Creek on Blackbutte road Saturday were still in critical condition at Cottage Grove hospital Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges were on their way for an early morning start on a trip to the coast when the accident occurred when attempting to pass another car and hit soft gravel that overturned their car, Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Olds and family are here for two weeks visit and to clean up and redecorate their house here. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sutherland and family who were renting the Olds' house have moved to town.

In the annual school election held June 16 at London school Claude Abeene was re-elected to a three-year regular term as school board member. Lloyd A. Lindsey was elected to fill the unexpired two-year term made vacant by the resignation of Earl Murry. Wayne Berggren, present member of the board, will act as chairman after July 1.

It was voted to increase the 6 percent levy to allow for increase in prices. It was also voted to transfer any remaining balance of funds to the bus funds to be available to purchase a new bus.

Phillip Higdon, principal of London school, has returned from a trip to Douglass, Kansas and has enrolled this week at the University of Oregon. His son, Doyle, also returned for his employment here. Mrs. Higdon and daughters remained in Kansas to be with her mother for a time, who was not well.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Clark and family have been given a ten-day extension on moving to Eugene, since Mr. Clark is attending two weeks school at the University in Eugene. The family expect to move about July 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lusk were called to Portland recently by the serious illness of Fred Knickerbocker of Cottage Grove, who suffered a severe heart attack while in Portland on business. Aitho better he will be required to stay in the hospital at last six weeks. The Lusks returned June 10.

Farrys Lusk recently returned from a ten-day visit in Portland going down with her grandmother, Mrs. Fred Knickerbocker and returning home on the bus alone, which proved quite exciting to a little girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parf have put on new outside shakes on their house and are finishing up outside and trimming and window casings.

Russell Bembs is home from a trip to California.

Mrs. Charles Woods has returned from a week spent at Corvallis for the graduation of her son, Robin, from Oregon State college June 9, when he received his degree of bachelor of arts in science in engineering and industrial arts.

Mrs. Charles Woods is assisting part time at the Sunnyside Greenhouse in Cottage Grove this summer.

Miss Viola Welty of Centralia, Wash., attended the graduation in Corvallis of Robin Woods, a nephew, last week.

Summer rain last week did not hamper summer visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McEwen, with their two grandchildren, Michael and Kathleen McEwen, returning home to Eugene Saturday after a week here. Other visitors coming Saturday to the McEwens were Frank Rogers of Spokane, a brother of Mrs. McEwen and his wife. They were accompanied by Mrs. Roger's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Prieher, who continued on to Richmond, Calif., Sunday to visit a sister. The Rogers returned home to Spokane Monday.

Tommy and Douglas Savage have the mumps.

Gary Funk and Jerry Warner are working on the night shift at Woodard's mill this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Jones and four children left Sunday evening for Melba, Idaho for a short visit with relatives after a ten-day visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Roby and family. The Jones family are from Miami, Okla., where they own and operate a dairy ranch. This was their first visit west in four years.

'Pitty-Pat' Melinda Carlson of Cottage Grove visited her aunt, Mrs. Leon Morton, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gunn and family have returned from a two-weeks' trip through Idaho, Utah, and Yellowstone Park where they encountered the only rain at Bozeman. They came through Washington on their return.

Don Sandberg and a shipmate from Depoe Bay visited his grandmother, Mrs. Vern Shortridge, Friday and Saturday and showed off the new stripe on his sleeve

that makes him a petty officer now in the Coast Guard.

Little Vicky Mason, age six, is taking her first vacation and visiting from Eugene with her cousins, Eva Mae and Lory Haynes the past week. She expects to return home this week end.

Members of the Glen Banton family have turned ardent fishermen and brought back a load of sea perch and tom cod from a fishing trip to Reedsport Sunday where they fished off the jetties. Like many ardent fishermen, however, they care little for fried fish, so their neighbors were happy to share in the catch.

After the car wreck of the Hodges couple Saturday on apparently 'good' road around the lake it is brought to mind how miraculous it is that at least two spots on the Blackbutte road that could well be termed 'bad' spots have escaped serious accident so long. A hole close at the side of the road on the bend near the James Black place has been there for years and could easily throw a car into the river if hit by an unwary front wheel. For the past several months a narrow culvert near the Arden Powell place endangers south bound traffic to a plunge over the bank. A new culvert recently put in at this point affords ample room for a rock-in fill. Neither of the local 'bad' spots bear any warning signs.

A comment seems timely on the splendid cooperation of the London people in keeping the London news rolling by the numerous news calls that have come in this week after the column was short last week (due to visitors at your correspondent's home.) News calls are always appreciated, and it is not always just guess work that keeps the names in the news.

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