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Betrothal Told



Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Martin of Creswell announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Louise, to Pvt. Gordon David Magnuson. Miss Martin's fiance is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Salem Magnuson of Cottage Grove. He is stationed with the Army in Japan, while she is a senior in the local high school.

ENGAGEMENT REVEALED

Mrs. Olga Hill of Saginaw has announced the betrothal of her daughter, Agnes, to Jerry L. Cline of Junction City.

The couple has not set a wedding date.

Reflections.

THE PRICE HE PAID

A few of us are willing to pay the price for fame. Douglas Freeman is one. He was editor of Richmond News-Leader during the day, from 2:30 a.m., he was building credits for himself. For 19 years he correlated facts to write a four volume biography of Robert E. Lee, for which he received the Pulitzer prize. Before he died he had completed five of a proposed six volume work on George Washington.

As long as men read Douglas Freeman will be remembered. That is one compensation but the greatest, for him, was achieving the goal he set for himself. When he was 65 he could have drifted, at 70 he could have chosen an easy chair; he chose to complete a task he began. Would a mailed fist have been greater incentive? Would mere accumulation of additional wealth have driven him on and on? Or was it freedom to do what he chose to do? We have the same opportunity.

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Pioneer Stories Related at London Literary Society

By Mrs. Gale Roby

Glowing faces around the camp fire in true pioneer style were seen at the August 7 meeting of London Literary Society held outdoors in the yard at the C. L. Powell home on Courar Bend. Before the evening shadows fell the young people were directed in lively games by Mrs. Arden Powell and Mrs. C. L. Powell in charge of the program. There followed a wiener and marshmallow roast over the open fire and a long table under the eads. Treats was filled with relishes, hot coffee and punch.

Mrs. C. L. Powell opened the program by telling the group that in the present fast moving world we should slow down a little now and then to enjoy the details of the wonders of nature and the blessings of God.

Pioneer Stories Told

An old time program included songs of long ago and pioneer stories told by those attending. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Martin and granddaughters, Thelma and Dora Fleming sang, 'Darling Nellie Grey'; Mrs. Archie Powell told a story of how her native part of Oregon, Noti and Crow; their names; Mrs. Cliff Foster read a poem relating a pioneer woman's bravery; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hawes sang, 'Out Where the West Begins'; Arden Powell told a story told him of early days by his grandfather; Cliff Foster sang, 'Seeing Nellie Home,' assisted by Mrs. Foster; Old business records from 1903 and 1905 of her father's were read by Mrs. R. C. McKay much to the amusement of present day prices. It told that coffee was 15c a pound, a doctor's call was 50c, and her father paid 40c a thousand for timber to cut into ties which he sold for 16c each and on which he raised a family of 11 children.

1850 Year's Road Upkeep

One record revealed that \$450 was awarded for the up-keep of local roads for a year, back in 1903. Mrs. Arden Powell also had some old records found recently in the attic on a clearing out project with her mother that dated back to 1903 when the old Black-butte school house was sold for \$15.25, before moving into the new building of school district 61, (more recently consolidated with District 75 at London). Teachers in 1908-1910 were paid \$45 and \$50 a month and in 1910 the janitor received \$1.50 a month. Mrs. Powell also had a copy of the 1911 Sentinel with a picture of Cottage Grove.

Mrs. C. L. Powell told her own pioneer story of an incident in Nebraska's early years of horse and buggy days. Mr. McKay told of his experiences of a Colorado blizzard. Brief stories of early days in Idaho were given by your reporter and of her native Missouri by Mrs. 'Bateh' Chatham.

Election of Officers Set
Cliff Foster told of early home-staying days in Wyoming. As sleeping children were aroused from the warmth of the fire glow, reminiscing of days of the pioneer were tucked away once more.

Before the program, Lynn Hawes called the group to attention of a brief business where it was decided to meet September 11 at the old 4-H club house for a work meeting to put the building in condition to hold future meetings of the Literary Society and everyone come prepared to work, early if possible to get outside repairs done before dark. A hammer and nails committee composed of Mrs. Wayne Berggren and Mrs. Gale Roby will direct a

Nylon Lace Worn by Bride



MR. AND MRS. CARL AUGUST KOENIG (Miss Doris Emily Bartlett) were married August 2 at the Drain Church of Christ. They are now at home in Drain.

program. Refreshment committee includes Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Chatham. There will be election of officers.

Community Club Picnic Sunday

By Mrs. Orville Lamb

The Lynx Hollow Community club picnic was well attended Sunday as new and old friends and neighbors met at the Oscar Schultz home.

A bounteous picnic dinner was spread in the shade of a huge old oak tree in the Schultz's yard and judging from the laughter and over stuffed feeling of eating so much, all enjoyed the day.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Dee Farmer, Ronald and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eppenbaugen, Jay Williams, Jay, Johnny and Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Komek, Mary Gene, Joyce, Dolly Jo and Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Martin, Paul, Carol, and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fisher and Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ferreira, Ronald Kimery, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schultz, Lee, Sally and Christie, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown, Leona, Martha, Shirley and Larry, Ray Holbrook, Jack, Zack and Joe, David, Willie, Paul and Edward Macaulay, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hilton and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lamb, Bruce, Alice and Dean, all of the Hollow; Mrs. Bird Rickard, Mrs. Sally McCarty, Mike and Bob, Debra Boyce of Cottage Grove; Jack Kirkland of Arcata, Calif., and Alta Merritt of Portland.

Catholic Altar Society Plans Kickoff Dinner

The Catholic Altar Society met at the parish house August 5, for its afternoon meeting with 17 ladies present and Mrs. Kintz of Creswell became a new member.

Father Karl Mai gave a talk regarding the "kickoff" dinner for the school building fund. This dinner will be held August 25 in the IOOF hall. It is for all in members of the parish.

Father Mai also reported on his recent trip to Oswego and other points of interest. A group of students accompanied him on this trip.

Mrs. Laura Tetrault won the white elephant, and refreshments were served by Mrs. Trembly and Mrs. Ryan.

The next regular meeting will be August 17 at 8 p.m. in the parish house.

PTA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETS

The high school P-TA executive committee met Thursday night, August 6, in the high school conference room to make further plans for the fall activities. Mrs. Earl Wilson, president, conducted the meeting.

The committee also met in July to listen to the reports brought back from the state Parent-Teacher Association convention held at Medford. Delegates from the grade school P-TA who attended and gave reports were Mrs. Vinal Randall Jr., and Mrs. Harrison Wyant.

ATTENTION! LUTHERANS CLEANUP DAY IS AUGUST 18

The ladies of the Trinity Lutheran church are asked to gather at 10 a.m., August 18, at the church for the purpose of cleaning the church. A good turn out is desired and each one is to bring a sack lunch.

University Friends And Alumni Enjoy Informal Gathering

University of Oregon alumni and friends enjoyed an informal gathering at the First Presbyterian church dining room Friday evening with several University coaches. Norman Richards, head track coach, Bowerman, head track coach, Bowerman, in turn introduced Bill Hammer, the new frosh football coach. Hammer told the gathering that he was not only interested in football, but hoped to start wrestling at the University.

Vern Sterling, line coach, gave a football round up and touched on the lineup for the coming year. For the first time, Oregon will be playing every team on the coast.

Bill Borecher, head basketball coach, when introduced expressed a wish for more rangey basketball players. The height of the team pretty well governs who will win the ball game, he said.

After the remarks by the coaches, the group was shown a film on the highlights of the 1952 football season on the coast.

NORMA SCHMITT WEDS GERALD POWELL AT RENO

Mr. and Mrs. John Schmitt announce the marriage of their daughter, Norma, to Gerald Powell at Reno, Nev., August 8. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Powell of Pampa, Texas.

Mr. Powell attended West Texas college and will continue his education at the University here. Mrs. Powell graduated from the local high school last June and is currently employed as receptionist at the local radio station and attending night school at Eugene Business college.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Garman attended the couple.



Wedding Revealed Of Former CG Girl

Friends of Janette Knobel and Richard (Dick) Woodward will be interested to learn of their marriage Monday, August 3, in Salem. The couple exchanged vows at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Val Fisher, grandparents of the bride.

The Rev. Donald Payne, pastor of the First Christian church, officiated. Those attending the ceremony were Mrs. Don Lloyd and Dennis, mother and step-brother of the bride; Mrs. Wayne Woodward and Arlene, mother and sister of the bride; Mrs. Alice Fryer, friend and classmate of both young people.

Both young people lived in McMinnville, entered grade school together at Willamina and both attended high school at Detroit last year. She also attended the local high school.

The couple will be at home at Kernville after August 15.

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Wesleyan Service Guild Buys Church Marker

Mrs. Mark Morgan, president of the Nathalie Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist church, presided over the August meeting last Thursday night. The meeting was held in the church parlor with Mrs. Albert Adkins leading the devotionals and Miss C. Melissa Clark in charge of the lesson. Miss Clark also gave a report of the recent Wesleyan Service Guild week end at Camp Magruder and displayed the scrapbook she had compiled during the year.

Mrs. Jack Martin was welcomed as a new member and guests were Mrs. Sydney Gaither and Mrs. Lulu Perkins. The group voted to purchase a marker for the parsonage and a marker for the church had previously been ordered.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Dan Olson and Mrs. Bert Land served refreshments of pie and coffee. Mrs. Morgan and Miss Della Gallo will be hostesses at the September meeting.

Catharine Heath Feted With Shower

A kitchen shower honoring Miss Catharine Heath, bride-elect of Mill Levings, was held Wednesday evening, August 5, by her chosen wedding attendants, Misses Mary Lou Wiese, Joan Webb, June Levings, LaVelle Schilling and Eloise Crosby at the home of Miss Wiese. Games were played and refreshments served. Catharine opened her gifts that were piled high in a line-boy clothes basket. Gifts from the hostesses were hung on a clothes line with an appropriate poem attached.

The guest list included the Misses Joyce Thun, Sandra Sue Carlson, Yvonne Ware, Barbara Throop, Ruth and Ida Coston, Phyllis Higdon, Elizabeth Woodward, Rowena Miller, Rosemary and Roberta Rickard, June Levings and the hostesses. Others were Mrs. Kay Leonard Sears, Mary Lou Johnson, Edgar Rickard, Percy Webb, Kenneth Ward and J. A. Heath.

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