

FARM and GARDEN

Dorena Grange Plans Christmas Party, New Master Appoints Committees

DORENA GRANGE — Dorena Grange Christmas party will be Friday, December 21, preceded by a potluck dinner. Turkey for the dinner will be provided by the Grange.

There will be a gift exchange following the program. Each gift should be marked and clearly marked "man," "girl," "lady," or "boy." Gifts are not to cost more than 50 cents. Members inviting guests should provide gifts for them also.

Cleanup committee for the December 21 meeting is composed of the Pitcher and Noth families.

Dorena will visit Central Grange and Thurston Grange will visit Dorena in the near future, the dates to be announced later.

Members are reminded that dues should be paid at the next meeting as they are payable by the year now instead of quarterly.

Newly-installed officers presided over the December 7 meeting of the Grange Master Dwight Foster announced new committee members for the ensuing year as follows:

Agriculture, Rodney Doolittle, Raymond Wicks, Philip Lake; legislative, Glen Scott, Mrs. Mary Arne, Braxton Curless; H. E. C. C., Mrs. Glen Roby, Mrs. Lee Thomas, Mrs. Dale Pitcher; finance, Mrs. Roby, Albert Lancaster, Mrs. Thomas, Walter Downes, and Mrs. Dale Pitcher.

Youth, Mrs. Glen Gillispie, Mrs. Carlisle, Mrs. Arne; building, Albert Lancaster, Walter Downes, Otto Noth; welcoming, Mrs. E. G. Sherrill, Alpha Pitcher, Glen Gillispie; tableaux, Mrs. Stanley Bonkowski, Mrs. Henry Snauer, Mrs. Roy England.

Operation Forward, Alfred McMillan; ground improvement, Mrs. Larry Brumfield; relief, Mrs. Lee Giles, Mrs. Arthur Bales, Mrs. Marjorie Potter; juvenile, Mrs. Roby, Mrs. Lake, Mrs. Alpha Pitcher.

Mrs. Roby, H. E. C. chairman, reported that in the past year the club has cleared \$2,296.75 for the Grange.

A letter was read from Mrs. Hallie Huntington, president of the Lane county fair board, complimenting Dorena Grange on its activities at the fair.

The Grange voted to have a pinocle party the first Saturday of each month at the hall.

During the literary program the Fosters showed colored slides of Japan.

CALL THESE HUNTERS
Lane County hunters killed two coyotes, three bobcats, two bears, four skunks, and five raccoons during October, according to the monthly report released by the Fish and Wildlife Service.

Lane County farmers needing an "assist" in killing predatory animals are advised to call the hunters who are Ellis W. Hamner, Monroe, Phone 4352; Charles Putney, Eugene, Phone DI 3-5442; and John House, Eugene, Phone DI 3-3944.

N. F. Robertshaw Speaks to Members Of Forestry Club

By Mrs. Florence Eriksen
CULP CREEK—Norwood F. Robertshaw spoke on beetles, bugs and wild flowers at a meeting of the 4-H Forestry club last Thursday afternoon. The Rev. W. A. McBride is helping with the Christmas sale of wreaths, bouquets and etc. Proceeds are to be used for 4-H camp this summer.

Culp Creek Assembly of God announces that its annual Christmas program will be Sunday, December 16 at 7:30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Due to weather conditions last Thursday the Culp Creek Service club postponed its meeting to a later date.

Culp Creek volleyball and basketball teams were victorious over Mt. View Friday afternoon. This was a practice game played at Mt. View.

Cub Scout committee meeting was held Tuesday evening at the Henry Monroe home.

Mrs. Chester Rounsaville entertained the sewing club at her home Wednesday, December 12, with the annual Christmas party and gift exchange.

Thursday evening, December 20, the Culp Creek school will present its Christmas program at 8 p.m. The annual Christmas dinner will be served Friday, December 21.

Mrs. Carol Sheets informed this reporter that there are several wreaths and pins left from the sale at the Outdoor Store Saturday and they can be obtained at reduced prices by contacting her or Mrs. Robert Drenner.

Robert Drenner was scheduled to undergo surgery at a Eugene hospital this week.

The snow has all melted in this area and it is raining as this is written.

Knox Hill Club Has All Day Meeting At Eugene Home

By Mrs. J. W. Fisher
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THORNTON CORNERS — The Knox Hill Neighborhood club met Thursday for an all day meeting with Mrs. Frank Bradford at her home in Eugene. This was the Christmas meeting with gifts presented each member by names drawn. Mrs. Earl Davis will be the hostess for the January 10 meeting at her home at which time a "white elephant" sale will be held by the members.

Attend Isaak Walton League
Eddie Hemenway attended the youth conference of the Isaak Walton League in Eugene Friday and Saturday together with Douglas Skelton. Eddie was a delegate from the student council body of high school and Douglas a delegate from FFA. Both were sponsored by the Bohemia Lumber company.

The conference began Friday morning with a breakfast and ended Saturday evening with a banquet, both at Eugene hotel, where the boys also stayed.

Mrs. Stewart Williams and son George of Tiller were overnight visitors Monday at the Frank LaBlue home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bernston of Portland visited over the weekend with Mrs. Bernston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Arnest.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wheeler and family of Creswell were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wheeler.

Keitzer Has Surgery
Ed Keitzer, who was in a Eugene hospital last week for a check up, underwent major surgery the first of the week. He is reported convalescing satisfactorily. His son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Read Hemenway and Mrs. Keitzer have visited him daily.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Johnson and family were visitors Sunday of Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. W. E. Moran, at Gresham.

Due to a misunderstanding, the report in last week's news concerning Robert Wheeler of Camp Creek having his thumb amputated was incorrect. Mr. Wheeler had a severe case of blood poisoning but the surgery was for a large lump on his thumb instead of the entire thumb.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harpole and children of Albany have been staying for several days at the home of Mr. Harpole's mother, Mrs. Pete Tonole. The Harpoles expect to move to Cottage Grove soon after Christmas.

Mrs. Gus Nowak has been staying in Cottage Grove with Mrs. Peter Fetter at night as Mr. Fetter is in the local hospital following a severe heart attack Thursday night.

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Egg Producers Working Under New Agreement

Members of the Oregon Egg Producers are currently receiving their copies of a new egg marketing agreement which goes into effect on January 1, 1957. Under the new program, members, wishing to use the marketing facilities of the Oregon Egg Producers, agree to ship their entire production of market eggs to the association. Hatching eggs and certain other classes of eggs are excluded from this agreement.

Chris Moss, Cottage Grove manager, reported that the new program will greatly increase efficiency in the handling and marketing of members' eggs. The agreement was adopted by the Oregon Egg Producers' board of directors at their November meeting, after many months of study. Prior to the board's action, a series of membership meetings were held throughout western Oregon to obtain producers' views on the new marketing program.

Moss stressed the fact that the new agreement does not affect a producer's membership in the association. A member can still do business with the feed and farm supply departments even if he wishes to market his eggs outside the association. Moss pointed out that producers marketing their eggs elsewhere may apply for participation in the association's egg marketing program at any time in the future.

To pity distress is but human; to relieve it is Godlike.—H. Mann.

1957 London Grange Officers Installed Dec. 10

LONDON GRANGE—1957 officers of London Grange were installed by the retiring master, Archie Powell, at a special meeting December 10. Those installed were: Master O. E. Craig; overseer, P. M. Campbell; lecturer, Mrs. Dean Martin; treasurer, Mrs. Craig; Pomona, Mrs. Archie Powell; Ceres, Mrs. Gordon Waller; Flora, Mrs. Gene Campbell; chap-

lain, Mrs. P. M. Campbell. Lady assistant steward, Mrs. James Hayes, executive committee, Phil Higdon, Dean Martin and Don Martin. Assistant steward, Archie Powell was installed by Past Master Wayne Berggren. Steward-elect Gordon Waller and Gatekeeper-elect True Bowman were unable to attend.

Next regular meeting of the grange will be December 28.

Next Home Economics meeting is planned for December 13 at the Grange hall. Mrs. Archie Powell will be hostess. Mrs. Gene Campbell will give a demonstration on

tying of bows for Christmas packages.

December 17 was set for this year's Christmas party. A committee was appointed to work out final details and all members are to be notified.

Despite the inclement weather Friday, December 7, a good crowd

attended the ham dinner at London school which was sponsored by the London Home Economics club. Proceeds from the dinner and bazaar items totaled \$45. Merle Moore, of London community, gave a very interesting talk with accompanying slides on some of his travels about the world.

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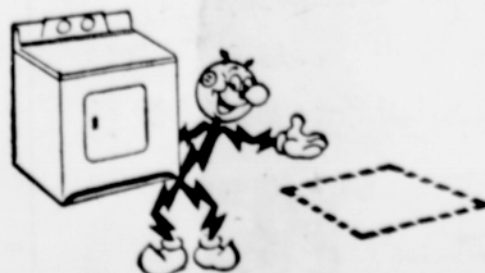


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