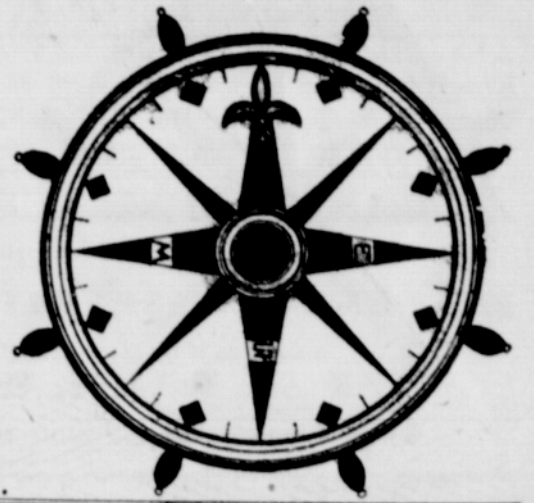


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LeRoy Johnson Is Among Authors Listed In Book

From Valiant House, New York publishers, comes the following information:

John LeRoy Johnson, Box 184, Brookings, is one of the authors whose work has merited a place in "Important American Poets & Songwriters," this year's most outstanding volume of lyrics and poetry. Thousands of manuscripts were submitted from every corner of the globe. Competition for a place in this volume was very keen.

Many of the authors represented have been previously published in other important books, magazines and newspapers. Some of them have authorized outstanding volumes of their own, so that to have won a place in this volume is an achievement worthy of wide recognition. For many of the authors this is the first opportunity to achieve publication, and it may serve as the incentive to a successful literary career.

This volume met with such an overwhelming response this year that Valiant House, publishers of 664 Avenue of the Americas, N. Y., are already planning the 1949 book. In order to encourage the lesser-known authors to endeavor to attain their rightful place in the literary world, the publishers this year are offering many prizes to be announced shortly.

Writers who are interested in competing for a place in the book should write the publishers for details.

Lily Blossom Time Committee Slates Meeting, Thursday

The second meeting of the Lily Blossom Time committee, whose responsibility it is to stage the 1949 Lily parade in Brookings, will meet Thursday (tonight) evening at the Coffee Mill cafe, with several of the committee appointments expected to report.

Representatives of the lumber industry of the vicinity are expected to be present to tell of the industry's plans for the parade. The ways and means committee may, or may not, have a report as to fund-raising.

Cans were placed, this week, at all businesses of the area, for free-will donations toward the expenses of the affair, which is carried on for benefit of everyone in the area.

Lowly Skunk Cause Of Clergy's Upset

"I don't know which could've been worse, hitting the skunk, or what I did, but I accepted the latter," said Leo VanDolson, as he told the Pilot about his upset near Winchuck river Monday evening about 9. "The road was a bit slippery as I tried to dodge the fellow as I was almost on top of him before I realized it. The car did a complete spin, went into the ditch and tipped over on its left side."

While little damage was done, Leo VanDolson figures it could have been bad, had he been driving faster. The skunk disappeared into the night, unaware of the test he put the clergy to by his actions.

Extension Unit Plans "Dress Forms" Meeting

So many requests have been made for instruction on "Dress Forms" that the Extension Unit has arranged a special class to be given on June 10 at Chetco Grange hall.

Anyone interested in learning to make a dress form is cordially invited to attend the pot luck, which starts at 11 a. m. Immediately after the luncheon, home demonstration agent, Alene Aho, will start the demonstration.

Final School Plans Approved By SDA Institution In Area

Final approval was obtained late last week from the North Pacific Union Conference of Seventh-Day Adventists for the construction of a new Adventist church school in Brookings.

The plans as approved call for a 24x44 foot building of modern design with a play roof extending out to the rear of the building.

Local Seventh-Day Adventist church members have promised to donate all labor needed to construct the school which will be located on Easy Street, directly north of the high school.

Plans for the building were drawn up and submitted to the Union Conference by the local church building committee, consisting of Albert Roderick, chairman; Karl Ostenberg, and Walter S. Craig.

An enrollment in the school of from 15 to 20 students is anticipated for next term and it is expected that the building will be completed before the opening of the term.

Frank Sandstrom Rites Held Tuesday

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m., Tuesday at the Baptist Community church for Frank Sandstrom, who died at Crescent City last Friday evening. Sidney Croft Lodge, A. F. & A. M. had charge of the services.

Rev. E. C. Hicks, of Smith River Methodist church, acted as Masonic chaplain, assisting the officers of the local lodge.

Surviving, beside the widow, Katherine, of Harbor, is a sister, Mrs. Adele Gustafson, resident of Sweden.

Karl and Lois Knutsen spent the holiday week-end visiting friends at Grants Pass. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Overman and family were also week-end visitors, taking advantage of the holiday period to visit friends and relatives in Washington.

School Activities For Remaining Week Full; Commencement Plans Are Made

School activities for the remaining few days are many reported Lynn Hampton, superintendent, who gave the following calendar to the Pilot. With senior examinations now in progress, activities include the following:

- Thursday, June 2 (2:00 to 3:45, Mothers Tea, by home living class.
- Friday, June 3, Lettermen's club initiations.
- Saturday, June 4, Raymond Ray's dog and pony circus at high school gymnasium. Time set for 8:00 p. m.
- Tuesday, June 7 and Wednesday, June 8, Final Examinations.
- Friday, June 10, Commencement. Supt. Rex Putnam, speaker.
- Sunday, June 5, 8:00 p. m. Baccalaureate at Baptist Community church. Sermon by Rev. Nick N. Neufeld.

Kerr Tells Rotary Conference Held Spokane, Wash.

Joint conference of Districts 101 and 102 Rotary International, held at Spokane, Wash., were reported, Tuesday at Rotary luncheon by Henry Kerr, delegate of Brookings Club. Apologizing that he wasn't too familiar with many of Rotary's workings, that he did not get to meet in many of the various conferences, local club members wondered how he could remember as much.

Centered at the Davenport hotel, the days were filled with a program which included a trip to Grand Coulee Dam, tour of Spokane, and many side trips for those who remained over the entire convention.

Sunday evening Whitworth college band and chorus and a high school chorus furnished the entertainment.

Bishop Clark delivered the address of welcome, using as his topic: "Reason." He urged all to use reason in every dealing of life, especially so in relation to people of other countries, who are so desperately trying to enforce a peace in the world.

Henry Kerr told of attending a meeting of International service committees, during which he met William Hayden of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, winner of the Paul Harris scholarship for the coming year. The new international student will study in Switzerland during the coming year, and will visit as much territory as he can in an effort to understand European problems.

Mr. Kerr said he had learned a great deal about raising scholarships, a great work of Rotary. Apologizing that he lacked time to tell all he heard, Mr. Kerr closed with the closing statement made by Bishop Clark: "For God's sake, use your head."

A letter from Don Cate, present Paul Harris fellowship student, was read, telling of conditions he found in Germany and of the reactions he had learned by talking to German people. Cate, according to Sunday's Oregonian, will marry his German language tutor whom he met at Forest Grove at the home of her parents, in Austria, before his return home.

Following reading of Cate's letter, Mr. Kerr showed motion pictures of Funk's exhibit at the Oakland Flower show, and of the daffodil parade at Tacoma.

Miss Cordelia Cantrall and Miss Helen Roberts of Klamath Falls spent the week-end in Harbor. Miss Cantrall visited her brother, Howard, and Miss Roberts visited brother-in-law and hister, Mr. and Mrs. James Newton.

Rev. Nick Neufeld Left For Baptist Convention

Rev. Nick N. Neufeld left Sunday evening in company with a Grants Pass minister for San Francisco where the two will be present this week at the Baptist convention.

Sunday evening services at the local church last Sunday, were in charge of a returned missionary, residing at Smith River.

Rev. Neufeld will return late this week.

Quartet Unit Will Be Organized Here Next Monday Eve

Monday evening, June 6, has been designated as the time set for signing members for a local chapter of SPBESQSA. The members who sign Monday will be charter members of the Brookings chapter of the national organization, Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America, Inc.

The society's solgan is "Keep America Singing" and they have as their aim to bring men together who enjoy singing or listening to harmony. There are more than 25,000 members belonging to chapters which are to be found in every part of the United States and Canada.

Most chapters put on shows of one kind or another, such as minstrels or 'quartet parades' and the net proceeds are usually given to charitable institutions or to some worthy local organization. All men in the community are welcome to attend Monday night's meeting which will be held at the Baptist Community church.

Rain Spoils School Picnic Plans, Tues.

The annual school picnic was held at the school Tuesday, at noon, with parents attending, Coffee, ice cream, and pop were served by the Parents-Teachers Association.

Due to rain, the baseball game, with Crescent City, was cancelled. A musical program was furnished by the primary grades, directed by Mrs. Lloyd Morris, and accompanied by Mrs. Bernadine Steel.

Some of these numbers had been planned for the Azalea Festival, but were forced out when the program was held at the theatre instead of park, as had been planned.

Pie Feed Popular
The annual pie feed, staged at the high school last Friday evening for benefit of the baseball fund did not attract as many as had been hoped, but its popularity was certainly established.

A skit, staged by high school boys, and motion pictures made up the entertainment.

Weather Report

For the past week, ending on Sunday:	Max.	Min.	Rain
May 23	62	52
May 24	62	50
May 25	56	51
May 26	59	51
May 27	64	46
May 28	63	53

A new neon sign replaces the old one at Nook Cafe, with the main street now almost 100% neon-lighted from one end to the other.

Chamber Meeting Attracts Small Crowd, Tuesday

At the May meeting of Brookings chamber of commerce, Tuesday evening, only a small group responded to call, partly due to the holiday. Merle Hanscam and Bob Swan were announced as the new directors, by Pres. Charles Grayshel.

Members of Azalea Garden club who were responsible for success of the flower show and art exhibit were guests and were introduced. They included Mrs. Fay Hardesty, Mrs. Bradley Page, Mrs. Roy Weideman, Mrs. Guy Rice, who spoke for two absent members, Mrs. Dorothy Lockland and Mrs. Alice Perkins.

George Funk told the group of the interest at Oakland Flower show for the forthcoming lily festival, and also told of the committee appointments made at a recent meeting.

Since other towns, to advertise their events, stage some sort of plan such as whiskers, etc., it was suggested that each resident of this area wear a lily in his coat lapel.

Results of the entertainment of members of the highway commission on a recent trip through this section, were pointed out by Pres. Grayshel. Survey work is completed and work soon will start on re-alignment of road to the bridge.

With Gold Beach consenting, it was announced that the joint road sign at Crescent City may be discontinued. In its place an illuminated sign may be erected by the highway commission.

Plans are being made to include dedication of the Joseph Loeb myrtlewood park with Lily Blossom Time activities. Mrs. Rice, president of Azalea Garden club reported on this matter.

Elmer Parker, of Parkers Anchorage, appointed on the rivers committee by the chamber, told of the value a jetty would prove to the mouth of the Chetco in restoring it to a salmon stream it once boasted. He also told of the commercial angle possible by a wider and free-to-boats mouth.

A caravan of chamber members will make a trip to Lakeview sometime between now and June 15, it was announced by President Grayshel. The date depends largely on a date set by the Lakeview group.

Realty Transfers

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Haggerty, of Haggerty Twinservice, purchased the new house on Pioneer road from Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Zollman of Klamath Falls. The deal was completed by C. O. Leonard Real Estate Agency.

Local News Items

Service club signs, placed at both entrances of Brookings on the highway, by state highway commission, tell of the meeting dates of all local units. These are the same type as seen entering any city in Oregon.

Mrs. Frances Tolman and her daughter, Mrs. Birdie Lane of Cottage Grove arrived last week for a visit at Mrs. Tolman's home.

Usual routine about the area seems to be out of step, with a holiday causing many to believe Tuesday was Monday. Noticeable was this especially in attendance of many meetings scheduled the first of the week.