

Along Azalea Row

Azalea Garden Club celebrated its fifth birthday on Thursday, Jan. 12. Charter members were presented with attractive corsages, made by Mrs. A. E. Sandbo, Mrs. Carson and Mrs. Judkins. Members so honored were Mesdames: John Rogers, Ben E. Kerns Sr., William Crissey, F. Pallady, Webster Hibbard, A. E. Sandbo, Almo Newton, Floyd Parker, C. W. Judkins, Emil Edwardson, W. S. Chadwick, Chas. E. Low, Olaf Lundeen.

Led by Mrs. Almo Newton, the club members reminisced in a delightfully informal way. Then, as now, it was difficult to get word around, but the club was formed because so many were newcomers here, and it was an opportunity to get acquainted, share experiences and learn from one another. From the beginning, it was a member of the Federation of Garden Clubs and the name Azalea Garden Club was suggested by Mrs. Harry Smith. Active in the early days were many not present Thursday, including Mrs. A. E. Stonehouse, Mrs. Roy Hendry and Mrs. Vi Johnson. Mrs. Webster Hibbard and Mrs. Almo Newton gave an amusing account of drafting the club by-laws.

At one time, eight men were members, and four still retain an active interest and attend the meetings frequently: Frank Pallady, Bill Crissey, Curzon MacKenzie and Lloyd Moss.

Mrs. Ralph Luick asked for and received a vote of confidence from the club to continue her efforts to have Fort Dick redwood grove, and the north bank Smith River redwood grove, on the Grants Pass cut-off, set aside as parks. These have been approved Frederick Olmstead, the landscape artist for Save the Redwoods League.

Mrs. Walter Wollam discussed timely tips on gardening, the sprays to use at this time, and gave a list of popular roses. Mrs. Grayshel reminded the audience that driftwood is becoming recognized and used increasingly because of its beauty, and that the next few months offer the best opportunity for obtaining it along the beaches. There will be a special table for driftwood arrangements at the Azalea flower show.

Mrs. Chester Maris, speaker for the afternoon, reviewed trouble spots of the world from "Our Planet Plundered" by Osborne. There was nothing humorous in her talk except the fact your reporter expected her to speak in her usual witty fashion. She gave to her subject the seriousness befitting it, and spoke in a crisp, emphatic manner. Because the topic is of general interest, particularly so at this time when we are made aware of it by water shortages both

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on the eastern and western part of our country, your reporter hopes to give full space later to Mrs. Maris' review.

Mrs. Frank Pallady whose excellent work as chairman of the wild flower committee has won increasing commendation, had a specimen of golden-back fern (pityrogramma triangularis).

Hostesses for the day were the Mesdames: Chadwick, Rogers Carson, Harbin and McIndoe.

— B. Miller.

SMITH RIVER

Del Norte county dairymen's association is holding its annual meeting Jan. 20 at Smith River hall, starting at 11 a. m. Election of officers for 1950 will be held. Guest speaker will be C. L. Pelisser, dairy specialist of the Agricultural Extension Service, of Davis. Other speakers will be Farm Advisor W. D. Pine, Harry Tucker, Walt Fieg and John Lenz from Eureka. Dinner will be served at noon at the hall. All dairymen and those interested are invited to come.

Smith River residents are glad to have electricity back to normal again. Many homes with the electric stoves found it unhandy doing their cooking. Some did their cooking in fireplaces, and others on oil stoves. Houses heated by electricity had to resort to other means. When power was restored Saturday afternoon all rejoiced. Oil lamps were hunted from the attics and candles furnished lights. Schools re-opened Monday after being closed for four days.

Due to recent storms and no electricity, regular meeting of Smith River P.-T. has been postponed to Monday evening, Jan. 23, at the school at 8 p. m. President Warren Engdahl will preside at the business session. The program and refreshments will be in charge of the fathers. A contest will be held among the fathers for the best cake. All the members are urged to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Craig and three children who arrived recently from Honolulu where he was chief machinist mate with the navy. They have been transferred to San Diego. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Crook. They left Sunday for San Diego, to report for duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brown and grandson, Earl Brown, who have resided on the Clarence Westbrook ranch where Brown has been employed for eight years, moved this week to the Wilson Freeman ranch, known as the Alvin Cooley dairy farm. Brown will take over the management of the dairy.

Jimmie, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Westbrook, had the misfortune to fall from his bicycle Sunday, cutting a deep gash on his chin. He was taken by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Westbrook to Crescent City where doctors dressed the cut and took eight stitches to close the wound. One front tooth was knocked out in the accident.

Weather Condition Still Make News Over Curry County

A review of the weather situation and other conditions directly resulting from weather, is compiled as best possible by the Pilot, under existing circumstances.

Hunters Creek, near Gold Beach, running full, but not to flood stage early Wednesday.

Snow at Carpenterville cleared from road, and hills, and melting rapidly by the warm rains.

Load limit on Carpenterville hill, still in effect, stopping all trucks considered overweight. A situation at Chinook Cafe, Gold Beach, has resulted from this as the restaurant, early this week, was half filled with Portland papers and Coleman lanterns, for towns south. The lanterns and some of the papers were picked up by trucks.

Telephone linemen are still endeavoring to untangle the lines in all directions from this area.

Gold Beach power was on almost all the time due to its own generating plant, but Interruptions were experienced at Ophir due to falling trees. Service is restored, it is reported.

Port Orford Masonic hall, under construction, had its walls, partially erected but not sufficiently braced, were blown down Monday. Work has commenced to raise them and brace into position to withstand wind.

The Chetco, while running high a the time this paper goes to press, shows no signs of becoming dangerous from flood stage.

Weather Report

for the past week, ending on Sunday:				
	Max.	Min.	Rain	
January 9	44	36	2.35	
January 10	48	38	.80	
January 11	46	35	.20	
January 12	42	30	.31	
January 13	48	32	2.37	
January 14	38	32	.04	
January 15	43	31	.13	
Rainfall for week			6.20	

Trehearns Will Build, Gold Beach

GOLD BEACH — Trehearne's of Crescent City, forced to vacate their present location early in February, have purchased a lot adjacent to the Green Lantern Cafe, and will begin erection of a building immediately, it was revealed when Mr. Trehearne was here last week on a business trip.

In business here for the past several years, the store had become a popular trading post for many Curry county families, and it was probably through the insistence of these that Trehearne decided to build rather than to leave the community.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. E. B. Mathews, fourth grade teacher, was called to her old home near Spokane, by the serious illness and subsequent death of her father, two weeks ago. The family formerly lived at Reardan, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pearmine returned home Thursday after spending the holidays at Los Angeles with relatives. They report that the trip was uneventful except for being held up over night on the return trip at Willets by snow. The traffic was stopped for several hours in that area when the highway crews were unable to keep the highway open.

Mrs. George Anderson has re-

turned to Grants Pass after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanscam Sr. and other relatives here since the middle of December. She made the trip over on Monday with her son, Archie Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilber and children returned to their home at Yamhill after visiting relatives here for three weeks. They also visited relatives at Cave Junction during that time.

Sy Payne reports that there was about four feet of snow at his place in the Upper Chetco district, but that this warmer storm is melting it fast. With the river rising steadily, Danny Haight will be able to bring another bunch of logs down the stream.

Gold Beach Notes

George Mateer and Warren McNeely purchased a lot from the Gauntlet estate, between Sand's Studio and Bullards, where they plan to erect a modern store building shortly.

S. O. Newhouse was re-elected for a three-year term to Board of the Veterans Memorial Association at the American Legion meeting held at the Community hall, Tuesday evening. The association consists of members of the VFW and Legion.

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