

**P. T. A. HOLDS FIRST MEETING OF THE YEAR**

The Brookings-Harbor P. T. A. held its first monthly meeting of the year last Thursday evening in the high school auditorium.

Following the business meeting the teachers were introduced and refreshments were served.

This year's officers for the group are: President, Walter Sadler; Vice President, Mrs. Alvin Vaughan; secretary, Mrs. Ed Collom; treasurer, Mrs. Paul Eide.

Committee chairmen were announced as follows: Historian, Mr. Henry Kerr; Publicity, Mrs. Joe Murphy; Budget, Mrs. Earl Breuer; Hospitality, Mrs. Val Mendenhall; Flowers and Decorations, Mrs. Joe Spees; Membership, Mrs. Frank Hyatt; Legislation, Mrs. Walter Thompson; Magazine, Mrs. Clarence Hoie; Room Representative, Mrs. John Montgomery; Scholarship, Mrs. W. R. Darnell; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Elmer Larson; Safety, Mr. Al Crosby.

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**HOLMES HEARS VIEWS ON CURRY COUNTY**

Three Brookings men were in a group that told Gov. Robert Holmes that transportation is the biggest single limitation to the



Gov. Robert Holmes

industrial development of southwestern Oregon.

The wish for better transportation was expressed to the Gov. at a special industrial development meeting held in Coos Bay. The meeting was one of a series that Gov. Holmes is attending throughout the state.

Jack Hagen, representing the Brookings-Harbor Chamber of Commerce told the group that a road from Brookings to the valley was needed. Hagen also told those in attendance that Brookings would be an ideal location for a state hospital of some type because of its ideal climate.

Emmett Gulley, also representing the Chamber of Commerce, reported that although many things were needed, Brookings is suffering from mis-use of its most precious raw material--its own children, by having to double shift its schools.

County Commissioner Fred Flynn spoke for the majority of Curry County people there when he pointed out to the governor, that Curry County was the fastest growing county in the state--and yet had no railroad, is served by no airline, and had no port. He said that the county is served by only one highway and only one truck line. He also reported that almost two thirds of the country is in federal ownership.

Gold Beach people at the session advocated better transportation also, and suggested a road up the Rogue River.

Coos Bay and North Bend people proposed a better road from Coos Bay to the interior.

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**BETA IOTA GROUP HAS FIRST MEETING**

The first meeting of the year for the Beta Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was held at the home of Barbara Pollard, on Tuesday, September 3.

Plans got underway on the various projects for the coming year.

Delicious refreshments were served by Elinor Smith and Dottie Flynn.

A picnic for the Betas and their families was held this past Sunday, up the Chetco River. Lots of swimming helped provide a good time for all.

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**ATTENDS SCHOOL**

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garvin recently returned from Portland, where Vern attended the Motorola Field Service Clinic introducing the new "T" Power mobile radio transistors to take the place of vibrators. The school was also aimed at training for general and preventative maintenance of all types of two way communications.

Vern Garvin is a recent graduate of O. T. I. and is servicing two-way communication equipment here in Curry County.

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**NEW LIBRARY SERVICE**

As a further service to the community, subscriptions to a trial lot of popular magazines have been entered to come to the Chetco Community Library.

These magazines will not be for loan but must be used in the library. If this trial lot proves popular, the board may extend their list.

Subscriptions have been entered for: Boys Life, Calling All Girls, Desert Magazine, Flying Hobbies, and the Lapidary Journal. Some of these magazines are already available at the library.

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**SURPRISE BABY SHOWER**

A surprise baby shower for Mrs. Jesse Thurmond was held at the home of Mrs. Hal Cooper Friday evening. Mrs. Eugene Allison and Mrs. Doug McFarlane were co-hostesses. Fourteen friends attended.

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**ON CRUISE TO FAR EAST**

Departing from San Diego, Calif. August 22, on a cruise to the Far East aboard the Seaplane tender U.S.S. Orca was Robert A. Brogan, U.S.N. son of Mr. and Mrs. Clair A. Brogan of Smith River, Calif.

Before entering the service

in 1952, Brogan attended Humboldt State College.

While with the Pacific Fleet the Orca is scheduled to spend several months as the Navy's Station Ship representative in the British Crown Colony of Hong Kong.

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