

ALONG THE ROAD



PESTERING ROUND TOWN

"To a foggy good mornin' to you all! And speaking of weather, this old west coast has really run the gamut with about every type of weather imaginable this past week, hasn't it?"

After this week my "little home away from home" won't be quite so peaceful and quiet since we (well, then, I) decided to get a telephone. What a thought we're going to be a few months stay seems to be stretching longer and longer and I don't want to be out of reach like I was last summer when I was needed at home. That is as good an excuse to get back in the groove as any, isn't it?

Sitting here looking at my calendars (birthday and gourmet ones), I can't decide which to write about first. Since I'm toast and baking while I write this, let's talk about April's recipes. According to the heading, the cooking of the Italian peninsula was the first fully developed cuisine in Europe. With their own resources and home-grown ingredients it was possible for Italy to teach other Asian cultures the meaning of good cooking and eating. This month is really a three-in-one package. Cannelloni (pasta tubes filled with meat), baked in salsa di Pomodoro (tomato sauce) and Besciamella (cream sauce). The cannelloni with one sauce or the other sounds good, in spite of the spinach, which I like by itself, period. But with both sauces, and what olive oil and heavy cream and butter, it sounds too rich for this gall! Sorry, my Italian friends, but if one of you will fix it, talk me, and I'll sure try it.

I see by the Community Birthday calendar this week is fun night. I haven't seen or heard a word about it — so, is it?

Anniversary congratulations are many this week and next, with so many bells on the calendar. (I thought maybe I'd be passed April and slipped to June!) Our neighbors, the Pratts, had theirs on Sunday of this week and the Cliff Jennes' will be next Thursday. Lynn and Fred Rhodes, Karen and Stan Model, the Mel Sumpters and Ruby and Frank Girard will have celebrated theirs by the time you read this. Several hill-top neighbor girls had birthdays this week, too. Beloved happy birthdays to you, Joyce Z., Linda Z. and Kathy C., have many, many more!

Prayers were answered this week when the body of Ron Lynch was found after so many long weeks. Bless you, Ray and Delores, our deepest sympathy is extended from all of us at the Times.

CITY REPRESENTED
AT LEAGUE MEETINGS

The League of Oregon Cities held two meetings in McMinnville on April 6th, with representatives from all the Yamhill County cities.

Representing Willamina at the afternoon session were Blanche Yeast and Lee Perkins. This meeting was of a question and answer nature and heard the problems and accomplishments of the cities.

The dinner meeting was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Yeast and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Eddy at the McMinnville Golf and Country club. The main speaker was Frank Ivancie, city commissioner of Portland. He impressed the importance of individuals at the local level. Don Jones, secretary of the League of Oregon Cities, talked about the auto tax that is to be voted on in May.

OBITUARIES

OLLIE PARTON

Funeral services were held this afternoon (Thursday) at 2 for Mrs. Ollie Parton of Clatskanie at the Parkington Funeral chapel, with interment in Murray Hill cemetery.

She was the mother of Pres Parton of Willamina; and had three other sons, four daughters, 11 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

HARVEY HOLD

Harvey Hold, 18, lifetime resident of Willamina, died April 5 in the North Lincoln Hospital at Lincoln City.

Graveside services were held Saturday afternoon in the Buck Hollow cemetery on Upper Willamina creek, with Rev. Darwin Grimm officiating.

Mr. Hold was born near Willamina June 24, 1892. He was employed at the brick plant for many years and for the past few years has been living at the Maplewood home in Grand Ronde.

He is survived by one brother, Carl Hold of Eugene.

JAMES ELBERT STEVENS

James Elbert Stevens, 74, of Sheridan died Sunday, April 6th in the Veterans' Hospital in Portland. Funeral services were this afternoon (Thursday) in Adamson's Sheridan funeral home with interment in Willamette National cemetery in Portland.

Mr. Stevens was born on March 17, 1898, in Hennessey, Okla., the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Stevens. He served for a short time in World War I and then enlisted again in 1942 at Monterey, Calif. He married Rewona Gregory, July 27, 1945, in Denver. They resided in California before moving to Sheridan about six years ago. Mr. Stevens was employed as a chef in large hotels much of his life.

Survivors include his widow, Rewona, of Sheridan; four sons, James Jr. of Astoria, Donald W., Thomas B. and Roy E. Stevens, all of Sheridan; one daughter, Naomi, of Sheridan; and a brother, W. L. Stevens of Quartzsite, Ariz.

Mrs. Emelia Nylleen reports that her son, Emmeth Nylleen of Eurns, had open heart surgery last week in a Boise, Ida., hospital. He is reported getting along fine.

WILLAMINA TO HOST
VFW DISTRICT MEETING

The local Veterans of Foreign Wars meeting hall will be the scene of the annual election of district officers Friday, April 21st, requests of the Willamina Post and Auxiliary. Sessions are set for 8 p.m. with John Yackley, Forest Grove, presiding over the men's sessions and Mrs. Leon Ed Bralhwat of Newberg heading the auxiliary sessions.

Mr. Yackley, District 16 Commander, has chalked up a commendable record for the district and the Department of Oregon as evidenced by the outstanding reports having been turned in to the Department chairman by the Post Commanders in this district. This not only brings due commendation to Commander Yackley, but to the Department Commander, Frank Friese of Newberg, who is most proud of the accomplishments of his own district.

Mr. Yackley and Mrs. Bralhwat head the Posts and Auxiliaries in McMinnville, Hillsboro, Tualatin, Cedar Mill, Forest Grove, Beaverton, Aloha, Tigard, Willamina and Newberg. Although the membership is scattered over a large territory, the members work together to accomplish much in the line of service to the communities and to the programs sponsored by the national organization.

Official representatives from the Department will be Hugh Ellis Jr., Department Senior Vice Commander of Rogue River, and the Auxiliary Senior Vice Department President, Mrs. Keith (Aileen) Ferguson of Redmond. Mr. Ellis and Mrs. Ferguson are slated to take over the command of the Department without opposition, at the convention to be held in Klamath Falls next June. Both high ranking officers have made wonderful records for themselves for their dedication to the objectives of the organization; Mr. Ellis heading the very fine membership program and Mrs. Ferguson having been chairman for the Auxiliary's Cancer Aid and Research program. Both Department officers will have inspiring messages for the members of this district.

Spending last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ray McGee were their daughter, Mrs. Bonnie Hawley, and children of Deer Park, Wash.



REBEKAHS AMUSED

BY 'FRIMROSE SHOW'

Primrose Rebekah Lodge No. 184 met on April 6 at 8 p.m. for its regular meeting, with Noble Grand Dorothy Houston in her chair and Vice Grand Eunice Gusafson in her chair.

Members are reminded that the coin collection next meeting will go for the fund to send the young people to the United Nations this summer.

The members are invited to Seabloom lodge at Lincoln City for Friendship night to be held on April 27. Elmira lodge of Dallas also extended an invitation to visit on May 2.

During the recess a fashion show was given under the direction of Eunice Gusafson. Several of the members modeled the latest summer and spring fashions, showing beach wear, evening and street clothes with dashing accessories. This was a proof on the real thing to the great amusement of those present.

Plans are being made to hold a Friendship night at the local lodge on the first meeting in June.

At the close of the meeting the members enjoyed a potluck.

Past Noble Grands will meet at the home of Sister Verna Robertson on April 26 at 1:30 p.m. Election and installation of officers will be held. Sister Mae Norris will be assistant hostess.

OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY
AT METHODIST CHURCH

The Willamina United Methodist church will hold open house at the church at Fourth and B streets on Sunday afternoon, April 16, at 3:30.

People of the Willamina and Sheridan communities, members and friends of the church, out-of-town former members and friends, former ministers and people of neighboring Methodist churches are invited to see the improvements made in the church building.

The exterior of the sanctuary has been refinished and new carpet laid; new pew pads have been installed.

A special program with musical numbers is being planned, a brief history of the church will be presented and a time for refreshments and visiting will follow. A cordial invitation is extended to all by Rev. L. Max Hoyer, pastor, and Ordie Hoyer, lay leader.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
PLANS KIDS' CRUSADE

Pastor Robert Jones announces that the Assembly of God church will conduct a Kids' Crusade with children's evangelists Bob and Mary Swode.

Sunday night, April 16, will be a preview of the crusade, consisting of songs, puppets, a film strip and "Charlie Ragade," followed by a brief challenge from God's word.

The crusade itself will officially begin Monday, April 17, from 7 p.m. to 8:30 each night through Friday, the 21st.

There will be a penny march, prizes, contests and lots of kids' fun, plus learning about Jesus.

Everyone is welcome.

DINNER GIVEN IN HONOR
OF BASKETBALL TEAM

A dinner was given April 6th at the McMinnville Golf and Country club to honor Reene McCurry.

ACTIVITIES PLANNED
TO FINANCE PROGRAM

Two more activities will take place this weekend in an effort to raise funds in support of the Willamina Elementary School Outdoor Education program.

SUKO THE MAGICIAN

An evening of fun and mystery with Suko the Magician and Company is scheduled on Friday, April 14th, at 7:30 p.m. in the new gymnasium at the Willamina grade school. The show is being sponsored by the student body.

Suko the Magician has been billing and amusing the public for 26 years. He has successfully appeared in night spots, theaters, television and schools in various parts of the country.

A colorful, exciting array of mysteries and demonstrations of the magic art will be seen in the Suko performance which includes the famous Houdini packing box mystery in which a startling change takes place in just three seconds; a boy from the audience will become involved in a bloodless operation; strange happenings occur during a visit to Spookland; the Enchanted Temple of Penares, a little sketch based upon an authentic East Indian legend and a collection of birds and rabbits will be put through their illusionary paces.

The "Chinatown Fantasy" will also be presented as a special feature. Using colorful costumes and background music, Suko the Magician will explore the world of oriental magic.

A van is used to transport 20 crates of stage equipment and scenery, making the Suko show one of the largest magic productions in the Northwest.

Tickets are now on sale in advance and may be bought from any Willamina seventh and eighth grade student. Tickets will also be available at the door.

BAKE SALE

On Saturday the seventh and eighth grades will be selling baked goods for the purpose of raising money for their Outdoor school. The sale on April 15th will begin at 9 a.m. and will continue until all goods have been sold. Two locations will be used — Ellingsworth Super Market in Willamina and the public library in Grand Ronde. It is anticipated there will be pies, cakes, cookies and other goodies available.

ON OCE HONOR ROLL

One hundred two students at Oregon College of Education earned straight A (4.0 grade-point) grades in at least 12 hours of work during winter term, 1972, according to Registrar Stanley J. Kenyon.

Four hundred 50 others were listed on the honor roll for attaining at least a 3.5 gpa in a minimum of 12 hours of work, including Carol J. Wright of Willamina and Steven Claude Dillard of Sheridan.

THE WILLAMINA BASKETBALL TEAM

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Zimbrick, Percy Brandon and daughter, Jan, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Rea, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Zimbrick, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Reeser, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Tautfest, Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, Steve Graham, Dan Barnes, Elton McCurry, Darold Rich, Steve Jinn, Kenneth Payne, Lori Morgan, Jeff Johnson, Janet Cornwall, Dan Ginn, Ken Larsen, Dennis Blackwell, Duane Rich, Connie Zimbrick, Jim Combsford and

SCHOOL BOARD TO
PROPOSE TAX BASE

by Berniece Soules

Willamina District 30J school board Monday night passed a resolution in its meeting minutes to propose a tax base to district voters at the May 1 election.

The board will hold a public meeting next Monday night at 7:30 at the high school auditorium to discuss a building proposal which includes a new grade school at Grand Ronde and a new gym and vocational facility at Willamina high school.

In other business the board decided to permit the public to use the high school and its weight lifting exercise equipment this summer for the public at a board as requested by some members last month. They declined, however, to provide \$750 also requested for a summer recreation program.

The board also took under consideration better locker facilities for the boys' and room at the high school, as parents have complained their sons are losing clothing.

The board accepted a proposal by Mrs. Easie Werlin an addition to the official policy of District 30J and it includes: "Profraternity by unaffiliated personnel, on or about the school premises or at any school-sponsored activity, is prohibited. It shall be, after suitable warning, grounds for dismissal. Profraternity by classified personnel, on or about the school premises or at any school-sponsored activity, is prohibited. It shall be, after suitable warning, grounds for dismissal."

When asked about the proposed speed bumps in front of the high school, Capt. Del Coursey stated he had failed to write a letter to the City Council requesting them, although he was advised to do so at the February meeting.

BOXERS WIN TROPHIES
IN BENEFIT SMOKER

The VFW Boxers held a Benefit Smoker at the Willamina grade school April 7 to help raise funds for the Outdoor Education program.

Trophy winners were Scott Ritchie, John Ritchie, Sheldon Dukes, Fred Ridenour, John Sabey, Mark Langford and Larry Tuck.

Unopposed trophies were awarded Ted Ridenour and Larry Bush.

Exhibition trophies went to Steve Johnson, Charles Ruxer, Robert Bowers and Jackie Sabey.

Best fight of the night trophy was awarded to John Sabey of Sheridan.

Other boxers participating were Mark Ritchie, Gregg Lundmark, Jim Sabey, Jon Buth, Dennis Shell and Vernon Tuck.

RETIREES FROM NAVY

Navy Petty Officer First Class Jack Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harper of Rt. 1, Sheridan, was awarded a Naval Aviation Schools Command Plaque during his 20-year retirement ceremonies conducted by the Commanding Officer of the Sea Survival Division at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

Harper has served with five aviation squadrons, is the recipient of five Good Conduct Medals, the China Service Medal and the Vietnam Campaign Medal, and served at Pensacola as a Sea Survival instructor for naval aviators.

THE LIBRARY CORNER

by the City Library Board
Regular library hours are:
Monday, 7 to 9 p.m.
Tuesday, 2 to 4:30 p.m.
Thursday, 7 to 9 p.m.
Saturday, 2 to 5 p.m.



Mrs. Ann Childers of Damascus, a cured cancer patient, points out that persons can contribute to the April crusade to the American Cancer society's Oregon division by mailing their contribution to CANCER, in care of their local post office. Mrs. Childers is a three-year volunteer for the society.