

KP Oratorical Contest Slated at Hillsboro

An oratorical contest between Hillsboro and Beaverton will be held in the Hillsboro union high school auditorium Thursday night, February 23, at 8 o'clock. This contest is sponsored by Phoenix lodge, Knights of Pythias, and prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 will be given as first, second and third prizes. The western part of the county contest will be held at Forest Grove between Forest Grove and Gaston high schools. Winner in the Washington county contest will be sent to the state contest in Portland with expenses paid by county lodges. State winner will go to the sectional contest, including Alberta and British Columbia, Canada, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington and Wyoming. This contest will be held in Spokane, Wash., and expenses will be paid by the Grand Lodge of Oregon. From the sectional contest the winners will meet in final contest at the Supreme Lodge convention at Tulsa, Okla. Four winners will go from the eight sections, two from each region. Region number one includes sections one to four, and region number two from five to eight. Oregon is in section number seven. To the winner of first place in the final contest at the Supreme Lodge there will be awarded from the income of the Supreme foundation fund a scholarship of \$300 at any college or university to be selected by the winner. Second prize will be a \$250 scholarship, third prize will be a \$250 scholarship, and fourth prize a \$150 scholarship. All expenses will be paid. Sectional contests must be held on or before June 1, 1946. W. C. Gifford, Dr. Harold Bush and E. L. Moore are the committee from Phoenix lodge in charge of the contest here.

RNA Convention Delegates Elected

Royal Neighbors met at Legion hall Monday night with good attendance of members and three visitors. The oracle, Dora Bringle, appointed three delegates to attend the district convention in Portland March 19. The delegates are Violet Swanson, Cornelia Johnson and Anna Woodard. The oracle will also attend. They will make plans for a district convention to be held in April in Portland. The state convention was also discussed. It will be held in Veterans' hall in Salem April 16 and 17. Merle Selfridge is delegate and Ada Qualls alternate to attend this convention. The camp has been asked to give a number for the program. The oracle presented Etta Cook and Anna Peterson with gifts in honor of their birthdays and the camp sang "Happy Birthday." At the conclusion of the meeting the oracle, Dora Bringle, played "Here Comes the Bride" and the vice-oracle escorted Oracle Dora Bringle to the oracle's station where she was presented with a lovely gift from the camp in honor of her 28th wedding anniversary. Presentation was made by Ada Qualls. Several games were played during the social hour, sponsored by the committee in charge. Marie Straughan was chairman. High scores went to Nora Foster and Merle Selfridge. The camp donated \$5 to the infantile paralysis fund. Neighbors Leah Nicodemus, Eva Alter and Sonny Coslett reported still on sick list. Friendly service is always available from your friends in Hillsboro business firms.

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Holidays Are Theme at Relief Corps Meeting

Woman's Relief corps held its birthday dinner February 15 with the following committees in charge: Program, Mrs. Maud Stannard; dinner, Mrs. Floy Thompson; Orpha Carlile, Foy Kellington, Leah Nicodemus, Beulah Rejker, Amanda Spears, Emily Churchhill, Agnes Arcularius, May Cook and Eleanor Robinson. Guests were Mrs. Ethel Powers, president of Legion Auxiliary; Mrs. Grace Chantler, president of Daughters of Union Veterans; Ina Bowman, representing the D.A.R.; Mrs. Margaret Elder, Coffee club; Mrs. Jessie Sewell and Shirley Farnham. After the dinner there was a program honoring the birthday of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. Musical numbers by Mrs. Jessie Sewell and Mrs. Olive Ramey. The play, "George Washington's Courtship," was given by the following ladies: Mrs. Stannard as George Washington; Miss May Cook, the Widow Carter; Mrs. Floy Thompson, Abraham Lincoln; Mrs. Lois Hart, Mrs. Rutledge; Mrs. Ina Bowman, Lincoln's mother; also Lincoln's cousin Hank and Mrs. Helen Rice, Mr. Orford, a chain store manager. After the play the corps held a business meeting. Twenty-seven members and five visitors were present. Next corps meeting will be March 1.

Couple Exchange Wedding Vows

Miss Gladys M. Leichter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Leichter of Connellsville, Pa., became the bride of Leland W. Edwards, son of Mrs. W. J. Edwards of Sherwood, at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, January 28. The double ring service was performed by Rev. J. T. Leichter, brother of the bride, of Point Marion, Pa. Miss Dorothy Leichter was her sister's maid of honor and Bob Leichter, brother of the bride, served as Mr. Edwards' best man. Mrs. Edwards served with the Women's Army corps and was given an honorable discharge in October, 1945. Mr. Edwards, a graduate of Sherwood high school, class of '39, was a student at Oregon State college when he entered the armed services in August, 1942. He received an honorable discharge December 13, 1945, after having spent 40 months in service, the last two years overseas. He was stationed with the 485th service group of the 9th air force service command and spent time in England, Belgium, France, Holland, Germany and Czechoslovakia. They will make their home at route two, Sherwood, and in the fall they expect to attend Oregon State college.

Daughter Born—

Born to Captain and Mrs. R. M. Cochrane, a daughter, Nancy Louise, at Jackson Memorial hospital, Miami, Fla., February 19. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Louise Cochrane of Cornelius.

Mervin Evans Weds Colorado Girl

The Methodist church was the scene of a wedding evening at 7 o'clock when Miss Anna Margaret Lipp of Fort Morgan, Colo., became the bride of Mr. Mervin E. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Meyers of Hillsboro. Dr. H. F. Pemberton officiated. Mrs. Leroy Carter was matron of honor and Ray C. Gardenhire was best man.

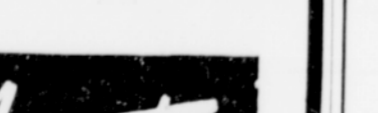
Past Chiefs Initiate

Mrs. W. A. Dillon was initiated into the Past Chiefs' club Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Nellie Fayram, who was assisted by Mrs. J. W. Barney. After the business meeting cards were played. Mrs. E. L. Moore and Mr. W. C. Gifford being prize winners. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Zola Morgan with Mrs. Moore as assisting hostess.

RC Knitters Wanted—

Red Cross knitters are needed now. See Mrs. Minnie Cull at Weill's Department store balcony Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 1 to 4 p. m.

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Mrs. Scott Buys Local Beauty Shop

Mildred Foster Scott has purchased Evelyn's Beauty Shop in Hillsboro from Evelyn Steenke Spencer and will re-open the establishment under name of Your Beauty Shop on March 1. Prior to the war she operated the Modern Beauty Shop in Forest Grove for a period of 15 years. She was the first vice-president of the Oregon Association of Beauty Shop Owners and state membership chairman of the organization. Mrs. Scott is a discharged veteran of World War II, having served in the WAC since 1942. She was an administrative clerk for 15 months at Amarillo field, Texas, and was on recruiting duty for a year in Nebraska.

OPA Says to Keep War Ration Book 4

Housewives are advised by the office of price administration to retain their possession of war ration book four, now used only to obtain sugar. Although the currently valid sugar stamp 39 is the last stamp in war ration book four that is specifically labeled for purchases of sugar, spare stamps in that book will be designated as sugar stamps from time to time. For this reason, war ration book four should be retained even after sugar stamp 39 has been used. For this reason, sugar stamp 40 was used for the 1944 home canning program, OPA explained.

Piano Students Present Recital

Mrs. Ellis Pouliette's junior piano class gave a recital at her home, February 13 at 4 p. m. Those playing were Helen Beach, Thanna and Barbara Scott, Dean Farnham and David Cox. The mothers were guests. The Valentine theme was carried out in the social hour that followed.

Birthdays Observed

Six members of the VFW Auxiliary who had birthdays in January and February entertained at a Valentine-birthday party at the hall, Verle Brown, Mildred White, Grace Harty, Zorabel Henderson, Eva Schkart and Vera Batchelder were the hostesses. Following the games refreshments were served.

F. Staley Speaker

Francis Staley of the high school faculty was the discussion leader at the congregational Men's club meeting Monday night at the home of Paul Patterson. The subject for discussion was the advisability of loaning a large sum of money to Great Britain. Paul Davies of Portland, superintendent of Congregational churches of Oregon, was a guest. The meeting was the first anniversary of the organization of the men's club.

Musical Moores To Play Monday

The Musical Moores from Los Angeles will appear Monday, February 23, in the Fore Glee grange hall in a religious musical concert presenting a 60-minute musical program. The Musical Moores will play about 12 different instruments at the service. The public has been invited to attend.

Mrs. Erickson Quits As Emergency Carrier

Mrs. Helen Erickson has completed a war service emergency appointment and will return to beaverton to take her position as mail carrier on city route four for over two years. Charles Ingram, a returned veteran, will be the new carrier. He was route four carrier before entering the service about three years ago.

On California Trip

H. L. MacKenzie returned Thursday from a four-day business trip to San Francisco. His brother, Vic Mackenzie of Washington, D. C., returned here with him and visited in Portland and Hillsboro. He left Tuesday by plane for Los Angeles.

Hills Move Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill have moved here from Portland and are staying with her mother, Mrs. Mabel McLeod, until they are able to find a house. She was graduated in nursing from Good Samaritan hospital in Portland January 25 and will start work at Jones hospital March 1. Frank Rogaw and son Cecil of Placencia, Cal., visited Verne McKinney here Monday. Rogaw, publisher of the Placencia paper and a director of Newspaper Advertising Service, was on his way home from Pendleton, where he attended a meeting of representatives of newspaper associations of the western states.

P. U. Students Stage Drama Here Saturday Night

"Death Takes a Holiday," a drama which was acted with great success at the Ethel Barrymore theatre in New York, will be staged here Saturday night at the high school auditorium by students of Pacific university. It is being sponsored by the high school P. U. A. and the time is 8:15. The story is based on the poetic conception of death suspending all activities for three days during which time he falls in love with a beautiful girl, and through her realizes why mortals fear him. The mood of this play is established by a remarkable skill and is a perfect background for a love story that is a simple as it is appealing. The cast includes: Death, Don Cole; Gratia, Phyllis Johnson; Princess, Gloria Johnson; Duke, Len Edgewood; Stephanie, Del Judd; Alida, Cathy Papick; Corral, Don Shumway; Patsy, Duane and Sundgren; Eric, Jim Pearson; Rhoda, Marylyn Collatz; Frank, June Polack; and Major, Cora Chipps.

Miss Merickle and Mr. Chapman Wed

At a candlelight ceremony at the First Presbyterian church in Vancouver, Wash., February 16, at 9 o'clock in the evening, Miss Mary Merickle, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merickle of Hillsboro, became the bride of Curtis N. Chapman, CBM, U. S. Navy, youngest son of Mrs. Janie Adams of St. Helens. The Rev. John W. Prossley officiated in the presence of members of the immediate families. The bride was dressed in a suit of green with matching hat and a corsage of white orchids. The bridegroom has been stationed at Pacific fleet headquarters at Pearl Harbor during the war, and after a short honeymoon trip will report at Seattle for further assignment. The bride will continue to make her home in Hillsboro for the present.

O. E. S. District Meet Held Here

Mrs. Hazel Graham of Tillamook, worthy grand matron of Oregon Eastern Star, was guest of honor at the O. E. S. District meeting of Forest and Tualatin chapters here Tuesday night. Other honored guests were Sylvan West of Portland, grand patron; Mr. West, grand marshal; several grand officers, and 1946 grand matrons and grand patrons. Mrs. B. B. Chandler sang several vocal solos dedicated to the grand officers. Refreshments were served in the dining room following the chapter session.

Students Visit At Vandomelens

Misses Betty Jean Vandomelens, Shirley Schrum, and Emily Mitchell of Oregon State college, visited over the weekend at the home of Miss Vandomelens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Vandomelens of Mountaineer. Mrs. Dale Vandomelens, USMC, who is stationed at San Diego, visited over the week-end at the home of Miss Mitchell's parents at Spsa Ana, Cal.

Student Ranks High

Allyne Leslie Pyne of Hillsboro, former vee-rover, 1-c in the WAVES, ranked at the top in composition among 630 incoming freshmen at Washington State college who took the English placement tests at Pullman recently. She was second highest in literature, according to a report from the college.

Jensen Gets Discharge

Lt. and Mrs. Harold Jensen Jr. of Hillsboro visited in Seattle and Victoria recently. They returned home February 13 after Jensen received his discharge from the navy.

Betrothal Announced

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Foelker announce the betrothal of their daughter, Durine to Mr. Edward F. LaHaie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos LaHaie Sr. No date has been set for the wedding.

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Red Cross Reports Heard at Meeting

Discussion on Red Cross work and monthly reports of chairmen were heard at the regular monthly meeting of the county chapter Thursday night at the chamber of commerce. Reports follow: Treasurer, Mrs. Mary B. Clappshaw—Report showed a balance on hand of \$12,408.19. Home Service, Mrs. Estelle Kroeger, secretary—Cases continued from last month 22, intake during month 108, open during month 128 closed during month 87, continued to next month 41, other services to army 53, other services to navy 31, service to service men and dependents 24, financial assistance \$138, repayments \$40, workers dealing with cases five, hours served 36. Production, Sewing, Mrs. Mildred Anderson, chairman—200 hours put in by 12 ladies in production rooms over county; one knitted and five pieced afghans turned in for Red Cross; a shipment of Philippine garments, kit bags and afghans ready for shipment. Temporary quarters for production sewing at chairman's home, 536 East Jackson street, Hillsboro. Knitting, Mrs. Minnie Cull, chairman—23 men's sleeveless sweaters made during month; temporary knitting quarters on balcony at Weill's Store. Approximately 125 ladies over county put in 1229 hours at production during month. Motor Corps, Mrs. Maude Weil, chairman—Two trips to Portland, 72 miles, four hours; one trip Forest Grove, 12 miles, one hour; two trips to Beaverton, 36 miles; three and a half hours; total 120 miles, eight and a half hours. Two girls worked. Canteen, Mrs. Lona Kovaly, chairman—In September, 1945, the chairman reported a total of \$67.13 for equipment and supplies, also reported approximate value of \$25 on dishes and miscellaneous items still on hand January 9, 1946. These were sold and check for \$25 received. Final report. Junior Red Cross, Mrs. Zola Morgan, chairman—Shipped to area office January 14, 2154 articles consisting of jacket books, area, small magazines, games, ash trays, puzzles, portfolios, afghans, hot water bottles, covers, pillow slips, bed pan covers, wash rags, sock dolls and soft toys. Emergency and Disaster, Mrs. Lyla Manley, chairman—Three fires at Hillsboro, one at Beaverton, 34 hours of work; quilts, three mattresses, and three large boxes full of clothing given to the families burned. Has an average of three helpers in Hillsboro and two in Beaverton.

North Scholls Water District Vote Set

A petition for formation of a North Scholls water district, bearing the names of more than 25 per cent of the legal voters of that area, was filed at the county clerk's office Saturday. Date for election on this issue was set as March 27 by the county court with County Judge H. D. Kerlan and Commissioners James Lewis and J. W. Hughes signing the order. The petitioners believe they can pipe water to their homes from a central source at a lower cost than to get their supply from individual wells, according to Paul L. Patterson of Hillsboro, who is appearing for the petitioners on this matter.

Alcoa Official Here To Visit Operations

H. S. McQueen of New York, chief geologist of the Alcoa Mining company, arrived in Hillsboro Wednesday to visit local operations of the company. He expects to be in this area for several weeks.

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