

40 TAKE PART IN CONVENTION

Program Planned for County Meeting at Pratum March 11 and 12

PRATUM, Feb. 20—Forty-five persons besides those serving on committees will have part in the county Sunday school convention program held here March 11 and 12.

Those outside the county who will appear on the program are a group of Gideons from Portland headed by Harry West. They will speak Friday evening. Rev. J. Mitchell of Portland will preach the convention sermon Saturday morning.

Saturday afternoon Rev. George R. Cromley of Polk county will be the speaker for the nine institute groups at three different sessions. 27 Sunday school workers and pastors from Marion county have been selected to speak.

Mrs. A. B. Adkisson of Gervais will be song leader.

In addition to the Gideon quartet from Salem both local churches will help to provide special music. The first address of the convention will be delivered by Rev. P. W. Eriksen of the American Lutheran church in Salem.

MISSOURI FAMILY RENTS LAND HERE

Clinic for Three Schools to Be Held at Middle Grove in March

MIDDLE GROVE, Feb. 22—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stone from Joplin, Missouri, have rented the D. W. Edwards place and Mr. and Mrs. Edwards have moved into the house on the Bartruff place formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Bartruff. Mr. Edwards will farm the cultivated land belonging to Mrs. Lena Bartruff.

A clinic will be held at the Middle Grove school on March 3 by Dr. Dauer and Mrs. Irma La Riche, R. N. The first and fifth grades from Swice, Hazel Green and Middle Grove will be examined. All parents are invited to attend and bring any preschool age children whom they wish examined.

The following pupils are on the honor roll for the fifth month: Murray Dow, Wallace Kirk, Viola Satter, Geneva Hammer, Alfred McAllister, Leo Hammer, Harry Scharf, Irene Satter, Emmett Warner, Charles Banzert, Earl Hammer, Aram Herrick, Madred Wacker, Barbara Leonard, Loylie Satter and Oscar Warner.

A spelling list of 50 words for grades from three to eight, was sent out by the county superintendent and following received grades of average or above: eighth grade, Aram Herrick, Mildred Wacken, Maxine LaDue, Burl Cox, Juanita McAllister and Genevieve Schatz; seventh grade, David Bartruff, Charles Banzert, Emmett Warner and Irene Satter; sixth grade, Edna Schweisinger, Russell Watts and Leo Hammer; fifth grade, Audrey Harms and Geneva Hammer; fourth grade, Oscar Warner, George Bartruff, Harold Schweisinger and Earl Malm; third grade, Lee Wagers and Frances Dixon.

The Woman's Missionary society met with Mrs. Ella Walker Wednesday.

SANTIAM BEANS ARE GIVEN LODGE HEAD

STAYTON, Feb. 22—Mrs. Ethel Meldrum, president of the State Rebekah assembly, was here from her home in Milwaukie Thursday to pay a visit to the Stayton lodge. There were about 70 present at the meeting, visitors from Salem, Albany and Lyons being in attendance.

Talks were made by Mrs. Meldrum, and other members and visitors. It has always been customary to present the president with flowers or some token of appreciation of her visit. The committee for the meeting Thursday gave her a real surprise in the way of a gift. It was a dozen cans of the famous Santiam beans, boxed nicely and wrapped in red cellophane paper, with a huge bow of red ribbon on top. It was heartily received by Mrs. Meldrum. Mrs. R. G. Wodds presented the gift in a clever way. Two candidates were initiated.

Roy Carters Hosts For Card Party at Mehama Residence

MEHAMA, Feb. 22—An enjoyable party was given Saturday night at the Roy Carter home. Five tables of "500" were in play with high score going to H. Crawford and consolation to Mrs. Crawford.

A midnight lunch was served to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Taylor and Betty Yvonne Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. Crawford and Audrey and Buddy Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Monroe and son Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crawford and two children, Chet and Ernest Kubin, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and Lois and Harley Stevens, Ed Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Carter and family.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes who has been quite ill the past two weeks with pleurisy had a relapse Saturday but she is now some better.

Society News

Mrs. E. W. Cooley Entertains Daughter

Mrs. E. W. Cooley entertained Saturday afternoon complimenting her daughter Joy, who celebrated her 14th birthday anniversary in the new family residence in Walnut Park addition.

Decorations, games and menu all carried out the idea of Washington's birthday. At the tea hour Mrs. Cooley was assisted by Mrs. D. B. Simpson.

Guests of Miss Cooley were Barbara Evans, Thelma Jaye, Dorothy Javes, Ruth Steritt, Margaret Bally, Betty Lou Hansel, Neelsa Gambill, Dorothy Gibson, Jewell Turner, Hazel Collier, Janet Collier, Barbara Collier, Dorothy Barker, Barbara Jean Vincent, Orval Cooley, Mrs. Grant Teter, Mrs. E. C. Collier and Mrs. Simpson.

Mrs. Margaret Lloyd Complimented

Complimenting her 75th birthday, Mrs. Margaret Lloyd entertained with an attractive birthday dinner at the F. B. Lloyd home Sunday night. Green and white was the color scheme for the table decorations and room bouquets.

Centering the dinner table was a seven point candelabra containing green tapers. A beautifully decorated birthday cake bearing 75 lighted small candles was brought to the table with the last course, to be cut by Mrs. Lloyd.

Cards, gifts, telephone messages, were received and as a special surprise a large bouquet of bright-hued flowers was received from two nephews in Vancouver, B. C.

Covers were placed at the Sunday dinner party for Mrs. Lloyd and Mrs. Harry Scott, Mrs. J. H. Olinger, Mrs. Emma Minton, Mrs. B. deLisle, Mrs. Harry Moore, and Mrs. F. B. Lloyd.

Aumsville.—Mrs. Lulu Fuson entertained members and friends of the Aumsville Woman's club at her home Thursday afternoon. Potted plants made an attractive setting for the afternoon session.

The time was spent in conversation and working on a quilt. During the business session it was voted to give a donation towards the Marion county cottage at the Children's Farm Home at Corvallis. After the business meeting Mrs. Mary Hixberger was complimented with a shower. Appropriate decorations were used for the centerpiece for the long table where the gifts were placed. Mrs. Lulu Plummer and Mrs. Charles Martin assisted the hostess in serving.

Special guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Lulu Plummer and Mrs. Della Chance of Salem, Mrs. Rosalita Johnson, Mrs. Martha Fuson, Mrs. Carrie Fuson, Mrs. Opal Fuson and son Doyle.

Club members present were Mrs. Mary Hixberger, Mrs. Lulu Fuson, Mrs. Kittie Towle, Mrs. Bess Ransom, Mrs. Ursula Pierce, Mrs. Jennie McClellan, Mrs. Margaret Martin, Mrs. Millie Martin, Mrs. Mary Hein and Mrs. Gladys Claxton. Mrs. Ursula Pierce will be hostess to club members at her home in Salem Wednesday, March 2.

Silverton.—Mrs. Robert Barr of Portland was the inspiration for a surprise party at the home of G. I. Barr Friday night. The occasion was Mrs. Barr's birthday. Cards were played, at which Mr. and Mrs. William Swift won high score and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Quinn the consolation. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barr, Mr. and Mrs. William Swift, Mr. and Mrs. James Hollingsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Quinn, Don Hull, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Barr and Evelyn Barr.

Mrs. Ed Rossman is recovering slowly at Salem General hospital following an automobile accident. It is hoped that she will be able to return to her home this week.

There is to be a surprise handkerchief shower as a feature of the meeting of the ladies' auxiliary to the Patriarchs Militant at I. O. O. F. hall Thursday night.

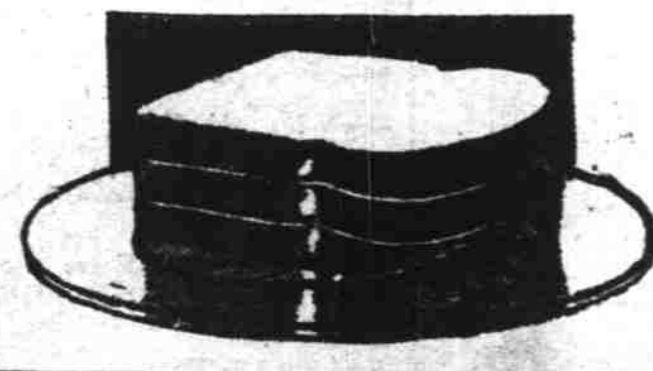


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BENSON'S BAKED IN SALEM

Elaborate Program for Church Meeting

An elaborate program, according to Mrs. A. A. Lee, general chairman, is being presented for the Fellowship meeting of the 20 Methodist churches which are meeting Wednesday night in the First Methodist church of Salem.

The meeting begins at 7:30 o'clock and it is expected that it will be attended by several hundred people.

Program numbers include: Cornet solo, Wesley Rooder; prayer, Rev. Hugh B. Fouke, Jr.; roll call of churches, Dr. M. A. Marcy; two vocal quartet, Miss Elizabeth Ogden, Hazel Shutt, A. B. Hansen, Ronald Craven; welcome, Rev. S. Darlow Johnson.

Response, Rev. Glenn S. Hartson; short talk, Dr. B. Earle Parker; response, Rev. C. L. Dark; solo illustrated by pictures, Prof. Cameron Marshall; group singing, "God Be With You."

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morgan of Vancouver, B. C., who have been spending the past three months in California and Arizona, were guests Monday night of Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis. They will leave today by automobile for their Vancouver home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Willett will entertain with a 20-cover dinner party at Mrs. Godfrey's tonight preceding the Tillicum club dance.

The 4-H camp coker and sewing clubs of the Sidney school had their guests Thursday the county club leader, Mr. Harding, and Miss Cowgill, assistant state club leader. Each club made an exhibit which was praised highly by Miss Cowgill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Brown and children, Phyllis and Phoebe, of Vancouver, Wash., were weekend guests at the Walter Spaulding home. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Spaulding are sisters.

H. E. CLUB HOLDS 2 MEETS IN WEEK

VICTOR POINT, Feb. 22—The H. E. club of the Victor held two meetings last week. The first, a special all day meeting for work on the quilt they are making was held at the Phillip Fischer home.

Those present were Mrs. Floyd Fox, Mrs. H. E. Hubbard, Mrs. M. M. Gilmour, Mrs. J. C. Krenz, Mrs. M. W. Humphreys, Mrs. W. F. Krenz, Mrs. Arthur Mulkey, Mrs. C. C. Carter, Mrs. Verny Scott, Miss Letha Bell Gilmour, Miss Bernita Jones and the hostess, Mrs. Phillip Fischer.

With the exception of Mrs. Humphreys and Mrs. W. F. Krenz these women also attended the regular monthly meeting of the club which was held at the grange hall Wednesday. Others attending were Mrs. J. O. Darby, Mrs. Guy Butler, Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. W. M. Tate, Mrs. J. A. Roble and Mrs. Byron McElhaney. The club quilt was finished and will be sold soon. The next meeting will be March 9. Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. Butler and Mrs. J. O. Darby will be hostesses.

There was no school Friday because of the illness of Miss Eleanor Paddock, the teacher.

THURSDAY THIMBLE CLUB HAS MEETING

RIVERVIEW, Feb. 22—The Thursday Thimble club met at the home of Mrs. John Shapard with Mrs. Roy Leighton and Miss Maybelle Leighton as joint hostesses.

Miss Beatrice Slack became a new member.

The members were invited to come representing hardtimes. Mrs. L. P. Bartink and Mrs. Joe Ambrosek tied for the prize. Mrs. Otto Yunker was given a prize for winning a second contest. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Jean Kelly, with Mrs. Anna Serfling and Mrs. Ida Serfling as joint hostesses. March 3 was carried. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dryden and two sons of Lacombe and Mr.

BRUSH COLLEGE, Feb. 22—The Waller family, who has resided on the N. J. Lehman place at Brush College this winter, are moved to Hopmore over the weekend. This takes three pupils from the roll of the local school, namely Donald Waller, Betty and Leroy Futrell, niece and nephew of Mrs. Waller who make their home with the Wallers.

A special school meeting of voters has been called in the Brush College district to be held Wednesday night, February 24, to fill a vacancy on the school board left when N. J. Lehman moved to Salem. A. R. Ewing is chairman of the board of directors.

HIGHWAY ACCIDENT TOLL NOW HEAVIER

Fifteen Deaths in Marion County in 1931 Point To Caution Need

Because automobile accidents within the past 10 years have become one of the leading causes of death, the Oregon state board of health has taken up the task of education to prevent them, according to a bulletin issued by Secretary Frederick D. Stricker, M. D. During 1931, in Marion county, he points out, 15 persons died as the result of automobile accidents, and in Polk county, four persons. Throughout the state, the accident mortality was 303.

"Automobile accidents are preventable just as strychnine, typhoid fever and diphtheria are preventable," the secretary maintains, and suggests the following rules for motorists to follow:

1. Obey traffic laws. They have been enacted to protect the motorist and are the results of a thorough study of preventing accidents.
2. Never cut in and out of traffic when cars are approaching in an opposite direction.
3. Extend the same courtesy as is desired by others.
4. Observe all traffic signs and signals and stop, look and listen at railroad crossings.
5. Always indicate clearly intention of stopping or turning to right or left. The driver to the rear is entitled to this information and the motorist expects it of the car ahead of him.
6. Be prepared at all times for the other person doing the wrong thing. A child may run out from the curb or from behind another car.
7. Adjust the speed of the car according to visibility and safety.
8. Highways are not built for speed demons. Motorists wanting speed should become racers and confine their activities to tracks that are built for that purpose.

Deaths resulting from automobile accidents in Marion county during January of this year numbered seven, an increase of two over January 1931. The following table, compiled by the board, shows monthly deaths by automobile in Marion and Polk counties and in Portland during 1931:

Month	Marion	Polk	Portland
January	5	0	11
February	1	0	4
March	1	0	5
April	2	1	13
May	1	0	10
June	1	1	6
July	0	1	6

Month	Deaths	Rate
August	0	7
September	1	6
October	1	7
November	1	9
December	1	9
Total	15	96

During the past 10 years automobile deaths in Oregon have nearly doubled. The number of deaths each year and the rate per thousand were as follows:

Year	Deaths	Rate
1921	103	12.3
1922	104	12.3
1923	145	16.8
1924	160	18.2
1925	202	22.6

11 Grangers Given 3d and 4th Degrees

JEFFERSON, Feb. 22—The third and fourth degrees were conferred on 11 candidates at the Morning Star grange. The new members of the grange are, Mr. and Mrs. William Cristy, Mr. and Mrs. Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Curry, Adeline Grenz, Louis Mc-

Donald, Robert Groshong, Clarence Page, Eugene Bever. Visiting members of the Richardson Gap grange who have talks were Mr. and Mrs. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Barta, Mr. Bartu, Mr. Cawse, and Mr. Brock. The drill team of Morning Star grange accepted the invitation to put on the work in the first and second degree work at Richardson Gap grange.

BLACK AND GOLD WASHINGTON—(A P)—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson attended a democratic women's luncheon wearing a handsome gown of black velvet with revers of gold brocade.