

Barbara Sargeant Is May Queen

Amity School Elects Court

May Day Festival Planned; Woodcraft Neighbors Install Officers

AMITY—Barbara Sargeant of the senior class has been selected May queen for the Amity high school, with Dorothy Maxwell, maid of honor. Princesses are Marjorie Gleay, senior, Lois Asher, junior, Marcelle Osbourn, sophomore and Esther Abraham, freshman. The date of the May day festival has not yet been announced.

Officers installed this week at the meeting of Myrtle Circle Neighbors of Woodcraft lodge were Mrs. Rose Wood, guardian neighbor; Mrs. Laverna Mikkers, past grand neighbor; Mrs. Thelma Rosenbaum, advisor; Mrs. Edna Oldings, musician; Mrs. Charlotte Mikkers, attendant; Glenn Vanlice, flag bearer; Fay Morrison, captain of guards; Mrs. Hazel Rosenbalm, musician; Mrs. Elizabeth Vanlice, clerk; Mrs. Marie Vincent, banker; Phyllis Newhouse, inner sentinel; Leland Newhouse, outer sentinel; Mrs. Helen McCarty, John Mahood and Mrs. Cordelia Morrison, managers; Faith Emerson, correspondent; Mrs. Helen McCarty, senior guard.

Mrs. Alma Owens, past guardian neighbor, was installing officer and she was assisted by Mrs. Sarah Burr, Capt. Fay Morrison, and Bessie Lee after the seating of the new officers. Mrs. Owens and her assistants were presented with gifts. A short program of music was presented.

Clawed by Killer Leopard



The bleeding face of Alfred Court (inset) attests sharpness of claw of Indo, Indian leopard in his troupe at the Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey Circus, in New York. Right, his face bandaged, Court stands in front of Indo's cage. Night before, Indo fought and killed a valuable snow leopard also used in the act.

Hubbard Woman's Club Observes 50th Anniversary of Federation of Clubs

HUBBARD—The Hubbard Woman's club observed the 50th anniversary of the organization of the General Federation of Women's clubs Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. C. Desjardins.

A vocal solo was given by Mrs. Willis Berkeley, a talk on travels through the Dakotas and Montana by Mrs. O. A. Soderholm; an instrumental duet by Lawrence and Albert Miller. The chief talk was given by Mrs. L. M. Scholl on the 50 years' activities of Women's clubs.

A surprise shower was given in honor of Mrs. Charles Christensen.

The table was centered with a large cake, Mrs. L. M. Scholl, the only charter member of the local club present, cut the cake. Mrs. J. S. VanWinkle and Mrs. L. A. Miller poured. Mrs. Arthur Cramer and Mrs. Amanda Grim were co-hostesses. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. George Grimes, Wednesday, May 1.

Dallas Teachers Planning Program

DALLAS—A meeting of the Dallas Teachers' association was held at the elementary building Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John Voth, president of the group, presiding.

At the business meeting plans for the program which the organization is presenting on Thursday and Friday, April 25 and 26, were discussed.

The speaker at the meeting was Mrs. Blanche Eakin, who gave an interesting and informative talk on the history of Dallas.

New Livestock Barn Suggested

Polk Fair Building Head Says Present Structure Is Inadequate

MONMOUTH—H. W. Morlan, chairman of the Polk county fair building committee, says the 90 by 50 structure being put up on the grounds is said to be too small to accommodate all the livestock displays. There is room for another building, he says, and money available for labor, but \$500 would be necessary for materials. He suggests that county club boys and girls might like a barn of their own and might raise the \$500 among their organizations.

V. Johnson, president of the fair board and for 12 years leader of the Elkins' Jersey Calf club, says there are enough club members in Polk to pay for such a building with a \$1 contribution from each individual.

MONMOUTH—Mr. and Mrs. Glen Halladay moved to Tangent this week where he has a position as an electric welder. Mrs. Halladay will continue teaching in the commercial department of the Pelee high school. Halladay, who has been chief of the fire department for the last several years, is being replaced by Lloyd Oberon of Independence who has been resident fireman at Independence for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Oberon (Gertrude Clark) will occupy the city hall apartment vacated by the Halladays.

A daughter, Barbara Joan, was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevens (Helen Snider) at Harrisburg. This is their second daughter, and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Snider, Monmouth.

An additional front entrance is being made this week to the First National bank to enable Chambers & Powell, insurance agents, to operate their business at hours not conflicting with banking hours. A room, formerly used as a community room, will be incorporated into an insurance office.

Leonard Snider, a patient at the state tuberculosis hospital, is spending this week with his mother, Mrs. Flora Snider.

Mrs. Jerry Bronson and daughter Joan of Lena, Ore., visited her grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Good, and other relatives and friends here the past week.

Onion Crop Being Planted, Labish

LABISH CENTER—Farmers in this vicinity have been taking full advantage of the weather this week with the result that the end of the week will see a big percentage of the onion crop planted. In contrast with the very dry condition of the soil last year, the opposite condition has been met this year. A wheel tractor being demonstrated on the O. P. Miller place Thursday became mired in the wet beaverdam soil. Louise Tontz, Erma Hornschurch and Bernadeen Boles are attending the state Christian Endeavor convention at Dallas. Others from the society plan to attend sessions Sunday.

Mrs. Dominic LaRosa returned from the hospital last Sunday where she had been for treatment. She will be confined to bed for quite some time. A daughter arrived Thursday from Canada to stay with her mother during her illness. Bruno LaRosa, who was called home from his studies in law at the University of Oregon, will not return there again this term.

Grangers' News

MONMOUTH—The April grange meeting here was largely attended. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McBea and Josiah Willis of Dallas, former members of this grange, returned to membership here since the Dallas grange has relinquished its charter.

A group of high school boys from Independence, directed by their instructor, Howard Bennett, presented a session of Independence chapel, Future Farmers of America, as a program feature. Each officer explained his duties and parliamentary drill followed.

Projects were explained and described, and an amusing burlesque stock judging impersonation presented, with explanatory details to the audience of why good marks or bad ones were scored.

Roy Morris, one of the Future Farmers, sang several vocal numbers accompanying himself on the guitar. A brief memorial to the late Ira C. Powell was part of the grange program.

W. J. F. Scholm, Monmouth, long-time committee member of the Polk county fair, stated that interest in the fair booth participation is widespread this year, and announced some committees for grange entrance into the contest.

BRUSH COLLEGE—Brush College Home Economics club of the local grange was entertained with an informal luncheon at the home of Mrs. Elmer Cook of West Salem Thursday. Luncheon preceded a business meeting when the group discussed plans for the annual rummage to be held in Salem in the fall. Those present included Mrs. Glen Adams, Mrs. A. E. Utley, Mrs. Charles Glase, Mrs. C. L. Blodgett, Mrs. F. E. Wilson, Mrs. Charles McCarter and the hostess, Mrs. Elmer Cook.

LYONS—The home economics club of the Santiam Valley grange met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. K. Flans. Plans were made to hold a carnival in connection with the harvest festival to be held this fall. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Dell Westhouse, Mrs. Percy Hiett, Mrs. Jack Corbett, Mrs. Ed Taylor, Mrs. Floyd Bassett and the hostess.

LIBERTY—The Red Hills grange will meet Tuesday night in the grange hall starting at 8 p. m.

Valedictorian



Carolyn Kaufman, who has won valedictorian honors for the 1940 Silverton high school graduating class. She has maintained top grades, not only through her four years of high school work, but also during her years in Central Howell rural school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kaufman of Central Howell and is 15 years old.

Hazel Green Club To Elect Officers

HAZEL GREEN—April 26 is the date for the last meeting of the community club for the season. Officers will be elected. The Japanese group will give the program. The numbers are: Japanese dances, costumes; motion pictures of scenery and the industries of Japan; violin solo, Jaeko Saito. The rhythm band of the intermediate room will give numbers at the conference.

The Fujinki, the ladies' aid of the Japanese church, met at the parsonage for a business meeting this week. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Watanabe, Mrs. James Yada presided. The devotional service was followed by report of the luncheon given at the youth conference.

The youth group of the Japanese church had 30 present at their costume party in the social rooms.

Ill With Pneumonia

AMITY—Mrs. Olive Wood is ill in a McMinnville hospital with pneumonia.

Graduation Date Set at Brooks

Grade School Exercises W'l Be Held May 9; Picnic Planned

BROOKS—The Brooks grade school graduation exercises will be held Thursday night, May 9, at 8 p. m. at the schoolhouse. On the following day, May 10, there will be a school picnic.

The eighth grade students are as follows: Tom Imagawa, Richard Ogura, Jack Mabry, Oral Lee Pitts, Yerna Hamann, Lillie Potts, Cleo Ramp, Toyoko Kawata, Norma Jean Wright, Haruye Tamiyasu, Dwight Wood, and Alice Holmes.

The following is a list of students who have attended school every day for the past six weeks: primary room, Juanita May Burr, Carol Irene Russell, Paulene Earls, Edward Otto, Alan Russell, Bertha Jean Jones; intermediate room, William Harris, Kenneth Kaneko, Lona McCoy, Esther Ogura, Deloris Gaub, Suzie Tamiyasu, Glenn Hamann, George Marloko, Giro Umamoto, Yoshie Kawata, Teddy White, and Anne Russell; upper grades, Hioko Kawata, Nobuko Kawata, Lily Kaneko, Forrest McCoy, Michio Umamoto, Edward Wright, Joridh Stenson, Rubie Kaneko, Beverly McCoy, Toshie Tamiyasu, Richard Ogura, and Henry Ogura.

The Brooks school girls and boys softball teams played the Hazel Green softball teams at Brooks Tuesday afternoon. The girls' score was 16 to 11 and the boys' score was 14 to 9.

Film Will Have Repeat Showing

AUMSVILLE—The Marion county medical society with Lucille Maskey, county health nurse in charge, showed the film, "For All Our Sakes," here Monday to the school with a number of parents as guests.

The film has been requested to be shown here again and arrangements are being made to have it presented at the next Parent-Teacher meeting which will be held in the gymnasium May 13.

Mrs. Charles Martin is spending the week at West Stayton at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. McClellan, helping care for her aged father who is seriously ill at his home.

Farmers Union News

ZENA—Prof. R. I. Lovell, teacher of history at Willamette university, was main speaker at the meeting of Spring Valley Farmers union at Zena schoolhouse Wednesday night, his topic being, "Present European Conditions." Ralph C. Shepard presided. Program committee was S. B. Dodge and L. E. Suenwald and Mrs. Elwood was chairman of the refreshment committee.

AUMSVILLE—The Farmers' Union will meet at the Godlove hall Tuesday night, with George Rhoten of Jefferson, who will speak on milk control, as guest speaker. All women members are requested to bring a pie, with which coffee will be served.

Rosedale Dinner Honors Relative

ROSEDALE—Mr. and Mrs. Warren McNeil, who recently returned from a trip to the middle west, gave a dinner Sunday in honor of their son-in-law, Everett Turley.

Relatives and friends present were: Luther Billings and children, Alvin Ceell, Carl, Wanda and Wilma, Mrs. Sally Jones, George Webster, Mrs. Nell Reid and Lloyd, Daisy Hagedorn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Webster, and children, Mr. and Mrs. George McMillan and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Lase Sherwood and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McMillan and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Clark and four children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sipe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Thames and Nancy, Earl McMillan, Doyle Webster, Donna Plenge, Pearl Webster, Agnes Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Turley and sons, Maynard and Johnny, Chester, Kathleen and Imogene McNeil.

The Ladies' Missionary society met with Mrs. L. L. Brown Wednesday afternoon. A quilt was tied.

Chester Tucker is quite ill in a local hospital.

Dayton Postoffice Box Robbed

DAYTON—The Dayton bank lock box in the postoffice was broken into Tuesday night, it was learned Wednesday morning. A letter containing checks and \$30 in currency was taken and some of the endorsed checks to the bank by W. E. Bunn, Williams, Maine street dealer were found on the street. The sheriff and state police investigated.

Mt. Angel Youths Hear Scout Speech

Organization Information Given 28 Eligible Boys at Meeting

MT. ANGEL—Twenty eight Mt. Angel youths turned out to hear scout officials give detailed information about the organization in a meeting at St. Mary's school Friday night.

The various speakers emphasized the different phases of scouting, told them just what would be expected of them as scouts and how much membership in the organization would cost them.

A week's time was given the boys and their parents to think it over and next Friday, April 26, another meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. at which time the members will be signed up and officially organized.

Speakers included Rev. Michael Raleigh of Salem, chaplain of the Cascade area; Rev. Louis Barcello, CSC, of the Portland university and national field scout commissioner; Executive secretary of Cascade area, Ruddison of Salem, and Father Alcui.

West Stayton Man Called by Death

WEST STAYTON—Thomas Yates McClellan, 78, died at 6 o'clock Friday morning after a five weeks' illness at his home.

He was born April 17, 1862. He came from Richland county, Ohio, to Oregon in 1892 to Victor Point, where he engaged in sawmill business and later in a store at that place. Later he came to West Stayton. He is survived by the widow, Rebecca Jane, and children, Thomas of Neuts, Glen of North Santiam, Paul of West Stayton, daughters, Margaret Martin of Aumsville, Emma Condit and Ruth Hanson of Portland, Eva Neil of Silverton. He is also survived by 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Funeral will be in charge of Weddle funeral parlors at Stayton.

Hoblitt Heads Publishers

SILVERTON—Mahlon Hoblitt of the Silverton Appeal-Tribune, has been named chairman of a publishers group being formed by Marion county weekly newspaper publishers. The group represents a weekly circulation of approximately 14,000.

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