

Elections of AAA Groups Announced

SILVERTON—Officers elected for South Silvertown AAA group here Tuesday were H. Elmer King, delegate to the Marion county AAA convention that meets at Salem; Adam Hersch, alternate to the convention; H. E. King, chairman; Theodore R. Riches, vice chairman; J. T. Edison, regular member, J. H. Thompson, first alternate, Orlo Humphries, second alternate; and J. H. Thompson, secretary to the community committee.

For the North Silvertown sector elections included Alfred O. Loe, delegate to the Marion county convention; James C. Bonner, alternate; Otto Dahl, chairman; Alfred O. Loe, vice chairman; Albert Nerison, regular member; James C. Bonner, first alternate; Edwin Overlund, second alternate, and James C. Bonner, secretary to the community committee.

A motion carried recommending that the meeting go on record as favoring the same conservation payments for seeding of red clover, vetch and oats instead of the present set-up of different payments.

4H Electrician



ENTERPRISE shown by Bill Alexander, 16, of Parkdale, Hood River county, in using electricity in his home and on the farm won him a place in Oregon's delegation to the 20th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Nov. 28-Dec. 6. Competing in the sixth national 4-H rural electrification contest conducted by the extension service, the boy repaired home electrical appliances and fixtures, made extensions, and installed switches. He and his club teammate demonstrated "The Application of Electricity in the Rural Home," which took first at the 1941 county and state fairs, and placed second at the Pacific International Livestock Show. The boy is given the Chicago trip by the Westinghouse company, which also provides six \$200 scholarships as prizes for national winners.

Parties Given On Birthday

MIDDLE GROVE—Honoring the birthdays of Melvin and Edgar Gruenfelder, Mrs. Melvin Gruenfelder entertained Sunday with a surprise birthday gathering to which were invited Mrs. A. Gruenfelder, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gruenfelder and Judith, Mrs. Clara Young and Bonita, Mrs. Van Cleef and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kuenzi, Joyce and Jimmy.

Upon returning from church Sunday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Scharf, where they had been invited as dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scharf found a group of friends and relatives who were waiting to surprise Mrs. W. H. Scharf on the occasion of her birthday.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scharf, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Laanen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scharf, Genevieve Scharf, Gerald Jaffe, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Keppenger and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Cage and Marvin, Janice and Joan Scharf. The community has been saddened by the death of one of its residents, John Scheffe, who had lived here for 25 years.

Community Clubs

CENTRAL HOWELL—The Community club meeting scheduled for Friday has been postponed indefinitely by the president, Donald Kuenzi.

The fact that many of the members are on defense observation committees and imminence of blackouts were reasons for this action.

Henry Torvend was reelected president of the local Farm union at the meeting Monday.

Other officers are Mrs. F. E. Way, vice-president; Earl DeSart, secretary-treasurer; Adolph Kitzelson, conductor; Mr. McClaughry, door-keeper and Alvin Krug, junior leader.

Harley Libby, state farm union president, spoke briefly on current topics and gave a short report on the national convention.

Officers Relected

UNIONVALE—The annual election of Unionvale Evangelical Ladies Aid society held Tuesday resulted in reelection of all as follows: President, Mrs. Carl Thornton; vice-president, Mrs. Matt Warren; secretary, Mrs. Irvin Sion; treasurer and delegate

4H Pin Given Pioneer Boy

PIONEER—Elmo Black, who is attending the NYA school at Eugene, came home Thursday and attended the 4H meeting at Dallas Friday. Elmo received his gold pin for the work he has done in this 4H project.

Mrs. John Keller had as her dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Keller, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Slater and Sylvia, Mrs. Gladys Frakes and Raymon, Dorothy, Shirley and Phyllis Kay and Mr. and Mrs. Keller.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Black went to McMinnville where they attended the turkey show. On their way home they stopped at Amity where they visited Mrs. Ty Cronk and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Theiss, Sr., had to conference, Mrs. George Westfall.

Quitting was the work. Mrs. J. A. McFarlane and Leona Stoutenburg were guests.

as their visitors Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kinion and children of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Theiss, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Theiss and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Theiss, all of Dallas.

Club Entertains At Homecoming

WOODBURN—Mrs. Myrtle Clark assisted by Lillian Shaner and Ralph Nelson, entertained the members of the JWG club with a homecoming party Friday.

Main feature was a Christmas tree and exchange of gifts. Olive Potter presided at the business meeting.

Members present were Helen Bird Poupage and Audrey Ettlinger, Portland; Marie Zorn, Sublimity; Katherine Zorn, Salem; Mary Kauffman, Loretta Gooding and Alice Davidson, St. Paul; Lillian Shaner, Mae Engle, Mathilda Gillis, Mary Scollard, Gertrude Wampole, Mrs. Joe Serres, Olive Potter, Ralph Nelson and Myrtle Clark.

Return From Los Angeles

GRAND ISLAND—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stoutenburg and the latter's mother, Mrs. L. E. Penrose, returned home Friday night from a month's vacation trip to Los Angeles, where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Webster and family. They also visited with relatives in Santa Rosa.

On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Stoutenburg drove to Kelso, Wash., to attend the funeral of the former's brother, Archie Stoutenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rockhill entertained with a dinner at their home Sunday complimenting their daughter Lois on her eleventh birthday anniversary.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood and son Wallace, Fairview district; Mrs. Arnette White, McMinnville; Mrs. Anna Umbanhour, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wakeford and Mrs. Dixon, Camas, Wash.; and Nellie Ferguson.

Entertains for Guest GRAND ISLAND—Mrs. Anna Umbanhour, Seattle, was a weekend guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rockhill and family. Mrs. Rockhill entertained a group of women informally at her home Monday who had been active members of the Mothers circle club at the time Mrs. Umbanhour was a resident of the district and a member of the club.

Principal Has Mumps PRATUM—Laura Barink, principal of the Pratum school, is confined to her home with the mumps and Mrs. Olson, Macleay, is substituting.

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Grain Market Prices Soar

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 (AP)—Wheat prices were up almost 5 cents, other cereals scored lesser gains and soybeans rose 6 cents, the limit, in grain market trading Thursday that reflected reciprocal declarations of war that put the United States head-on in conflict with the axis.

The futures market at first reflected the startling developments calmly. Later, buying expanded, with mills, investment and professional interests increasing orders. Wheat prices were the highest since 1937, the maximum advance being almost the limit permitted in one session. Prices of other cereals were at two-months peaks and near four-year high levels.

Late profit taking reduced the wheat gain somewhat. December contracts falling from a top of \$1.27 3/4, but closing futures were 2 3/4-3 1/2 higher than Wednesday,

Berry Growers Attend Meet

WOODBURN—Local berry growers who attended the statewide meeting of growers in Salem Tuesday said little or no direct action was taken to assure a better price for berries next year, but that there was indication the control board might eventually be given jurisdiction over all small fruits.

The statement was made that there will be a serious shortage of harvest labor next summer, and a survey is to be made to line up city residents as prospective harvest laborers.

December \$1.26 1/2-3/4, May \$1.29 3/4-1.30.

Drivers Brought Into Silvertown Police Court

SILVERTOWN—Justice of the Peace A.H. O. Nelson has spent a busy past few days with state officers making a raid on loose brakes. Five offenders each paid \$4.50 costs and \$1 fine for defective brakes. These included Roy Melvin Hage, Edwin Svarvari, Neva Pearl Opal, Clifford Lovett, and Frances Jean Hanks.

Florence Graham was given a suspended \$10 fine for harboring a vicious dog.

Bill McDonald was also handed a suspended fine, this of \$5, on a charge of no chauffeur's license. Some confusion existed in McDonald's classification, the case showed.

Walter Gerig was arrested on a John Doe warrant for failing to stop at an accident and give his name and address. Christian Peterson was the private prosecutor, who claimed Gerig's truck hit his car. It was disclosed that Gerig was unaware of his truck hitting a car and the case was settled amicably.

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