

Auxiliary Does Welfare Work

Junior Girls Entertain Members at Holiday Meeting Monday

SILVERTON—Mrs. Nell Black, advisor, and her group of junior girls were responsible for an attractive program of readings and songs for the annual Christmas observance of Delbert Reeves unit 7, American Legion auxiliary, Monday at the club rooms. Supper was served at 6:15 p.m. Santa Claus distributed gifts and treats to the kiddies while the group sang Jingle Bells.

Miss Dorothy Towse, past junior president and program chairman, announced the selections of piano music by Elaine Hamre; vocal numbers in solo by Georgeanne Towse and Leah Ann Hutton; group singing by a 20-voice chorus of juniors and Sons of Legion, and the guests singing hymns and carols led by Mrs. C. J. Towse. Miss Betty Towse and Miss Elaine Hamre assisted as piano accompanists.

Mrs. Arthur Gottenberg, unit president, was in charge of the brief business session following the program hour.

Christmas welfare work include substantial gifts of clothing and other remembrances for hospital and child welfare centers reported by Mrs. A. J. Titus; members are to bring articles for a food basket for a family of seven to the Jersey street home of the Carl Haugens Wednesday and Thursday; two members of the unit will serve at the Red Cross motor corps group who will be Salem USO hostesses next month; and the annual gift of a handkerchief was sent the department president.

Mrs. Titus asked the cooperation and attendance of the unit at the Silvertown Women's club January 11, at the Christian church when a WAAC speaker from the Portland office will be featured on the program.

Christmas greetings were read from Mrs. Mem Pearce, president of district 2, and from department headquarters.

Mrs. Black told of the juniors having a surplus of \$11 after buying a \$25 bond. The girls gave Mrs. Black a gift with Goldie Stump making the presentation. The unit will send a gift of flowers to the Glenn Price family who are ill.

Draftees Leave For Examining

STAYTON — The first December draft call was answered on Monday by the following selectees, who left Stayton at 8 a.m. for the Portland induction station to undergo their physical examinations:

Edward L. Castle, Mehama; George E. Cogswell, Seattle; Allen L. Miller, Portland; Earl T. Hay, Silvertown; Joe Vlasick, Bremerton; Virgile L. Ingram, Inola, Okla.; Preston F. Kyle, North Hollywood, Calif.

Francis W. Rehfeld, Seattle; Milton H. Libby, Jefferson; Clifford C. Hyland, Salem; John R. Beckley, Salem; Alden E. SeRine, Salem; Lee S. Ross, Lakeview; Lyle E. Naugle, Salem; Percy L. Stratham, Rexburg, Idaho; Francis E. Waser, Salem; John F. Miller, Jr., Portland; Eugene H. Jacober, Salem.

John T. Hann, Vancouver, Wn.; William H. Neagle, Tillamook; William L. Rand, Klamath Falls; Robert L. Greer, Salem; Kenneth F. Pruner, Salem; Thomas T. Justice, Salem; Carl J. Berg, Salem; Stewart R. Clason, volunteer, Mehama.

Transfers—Floyd O. Neff, Stayton; Albert L. Miller, Salem; Edward R. Downing, Lyons; Edward H. Calkins, Mill City; Athel Savage, Idanha; John Savage, Idanha; Clarence F. Goodell, Mehama; James W. Miles, Salem.

Mrs. Johnson, Son Arrive Scio for Visit

SCIO—Mrs. Floyd Johnson and infant son, Rodney John, arrived Monday at the Scio home of the mother's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Sims, where the son was born December 17. The father joined the armed forces some time ago, being now at the navy base at Farragut, Idaho.

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FDR Honors Production Soldiers



President Roosevelt paid tribute to these 10 production workers who were introduced to him by WFB Chairman Donald Nelson (second from right) with the explanation that each had given his employer a suggestion which either speeded or improved the quality of war output. Each received a medal or certificate of individual production merit. The workers: (left to right) Herbert R. James, McKeesport, Pa.; George Smolarek, Detroit; Walter P. Hill, Detroit; Edwin C. Tracy, Oaklyn, N.J.; Clinton R. Hanna, East Pittsburgh, Pa.; Stanley Crawford, Camden, N.J.; Daniel W. Mallett, Rockford, Ill. (rear); James A. Merrill, Akron, O. (rear); Joseph H. Kautsky, Indianapolis, Ind.; Chairman Donald M. Nelson of WFB, and Madison E. Butler, Rochester, Pa.—Associated Press Telegram.

Animal, Pelt Show Put On By Fox, Mink Association

LIBERTY—The Salem unit of the Oregon Fox and Mink association held a combined live animal and pelt show on the Stacey mink ranch Monday. Both foxes and mink were included in the show. George Williams of Portland was judge. At noon a no-host lunch was held, at the W. D. Olden fox farm across the road from the Stacey mink ranch.

The results of the judging were: Live mink—for adult males, R. D. Gibson, John Finlay, C. W. Stacey, E. B. Henningsen; for adult females, Archie Gardner, John Finlay, F. T. Glaser, R. D. Gibson; for male kits, R. D. Gibson, E. B. Henningsen, John Finlay, Archie Gardner, Archie Gardner; for female kits, R. D. Gibson, F. T. Glaser, John Finlay, Archie Gardner, C. W. Stacey.

The sweepstake championship was won by R. D. Gibson. A pair of mutation mink were exhibited by C. W. Stacey. These originated on the Stacey ranch, are of a buff color, and well furred. Mink pelts were exhibited by H. E. Gronn and C. W. Stacey.

Awards for live foxes went to the following: For adult males and females, C. W. Stacey, John Gardner, Max Van Buskirk; for male pup silvers, C. W. Stacey, John Gardner; for female pup silvers, C. W. Stacey, W. D. Olden, John Gardner, Max Van Buskirk; for adult male mutations, C. W. Stacey, E. B. Foulks; for adult females, C. W. Stacey.

For male pup mutations, C. W. Stacey, F. T. Glaser, W. D. Olden; for female pup mutations, F. T. Glaser, C. W. Stacey, E. B. Foulks, C. W. Stacey; for sweepstakes in silvers, C. W. Stacey; for sweepstakes in mutations, C. W. Stacey, F. T. Glaser.

Awards in fox pelts: for silver, single, C. W. Stacey, John Gardner; for silvers, pair, C. W. Stacey; for silvers, sweepstakes, C. W. Stacey; for mutation fox pelts, singles, C. W. Stacey, Earl Miller; for pairs, C. W. Stacey; for mutation pelt sweepstakes, C. W. Stacey, Earl Miller; for blue foxes, live animal, Eugene Finlay; for platinum foxes, live animal, Eugene Finlay.

Eugene Finlay had exhibited a fox produced from a silver male and a blue female, which showed the combined characteristics of these two strains of foxes. The show was purely for the education of the breeders and no cups or ribbons were awarded.

School Closes Early; Measles Reported

UNIONVALE—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelburn and family of Baker Creek district beyond McMinnville were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Clow.

Because of the prevalence of measles the Unionvale school closed Friday afternoon following the Christmas party for a one week vacation. There were 18 students absent Wednesday. School will open Monday, December 28.

Mrs. Robert Dixon was surprised on her birthday anniversary when members of her family called Sunday to present gifts. Miss Laurabelle McFarlane and her brothers, Jimmie and Pleasant, were Sunday dinner guests of Neal Stoutenburg and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Holt.

Miss Doris Braat of Portland was a weekend guest of her parents here. Mr. Braat is still confined because of her injury received two weeks ago.

Harlan Noble, student of diesel engines at the Adcox trade school in Portland, was a weekend guest at the home of his parents. He is working in the shipyard a portion of each day as his class meets three hours, five days a week. He has been employed as deliveryman for a laundry.

Camp Adair Project Ended, Chairmen Say

SILVERTON — The Silvertown Camp Adair project has been completed, according to announcement made by Mrs. E. A. Domagalla and Mrs. George Christensen, co-chairman of the Silvertown room project. The two chairmen report "wonderful cooperation," saying the army truck collected at Silvertown nine tables, four phonographs and innumerable records, five lamps, four magazine racks, four chairs, eight games, one book case, 11 pairs of draperies, one radio, a ping pong table, foot stools, ash trays, smoking stands and coat hangers.

More books, games, magazines and coat hangers could be used, the women report, saying that if these are left at the USO center at Salem for the Silvertown room, they will be taken to their destination. Subscriptions for periodicals may also be sent to the Silvertown room at Camp Adair and would be very welcome, Mrs. Domagalla reported Wednesday.

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Two Classes to Start

SILVERTON — Mrs. R. J. VanCleave, who has served as chairman of home nursing under Mrs. Martin Hannan, local Red Cross chairman, has resigned and Mrs. R. M. Gatton has been named in her stead.

Two classes are being announced for early January. One class will be in the afternoon with Mrs. VanCleave instructing and the other at night with Miss Lillian Bloch, instructor. Both classes will begin the first week in January.

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Vase Becomes Farm Leader

State President Grice Installs Marion Union Officers

MARION—Marion Farmers union entertained Friday night the state president, Ammon Grice, and vice president, Harley Libby.

Mr. Grice gave an interesting summary of his recent trip to the 38th annual convention of the National Farmers unions held in Oklahoma City.

Mr. Libby talked on legislative and public affairs, touching on price ceilings placed on hops and other farm commodities and also explaining the Farmers union insurance.

A. L. Page talked on the victory tax which starts January 1. He also told of the great scarcity of new farm machinery. Mrs. Jim Wilson, retiring secretary, gave a review of the year's accomplishments.

Installation services were administered by Mr. Grice, assisted by Mr. Libby, to the following officers: president, D. T. Vase; vice president, Warren Gray; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. C. H. Wilcox; chaplain, Mrs. Warren Gray; conductor, Harry Roan; doorkeeper, Fred Haack; executive board, A. L. Page, J. L. Calavan and C. H. Wilcox.

Mrs. G. W. Arnold is chairman of the refreshment committee for the next meeting.

Hit-Run Case Is Reported

PIONEER — Oliver Schnieder was called from his work Friday morning when the family was informed that his mother, Mrs. Hattie Schnieder of Salem, had been struck by a car at 7:30 a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Schnieder left as soon as possible to be with the mother. Mrs. Schnieder's face was cut considerably and she received bruises. She was taken to the Deaconess hospital where she is doing as well as can be expected. Mrs. Schnieder has visited here and attended the Pioneer Picnic and other activities here.

Dinner was served at the play shed Friday night with a large crowd attending. The men fixed the stage for the Christmas program which was held Wednesday night. Mrs. Ty Cronk and daughter and friends of Amity were present for the meeting.

Mrs. John Keller, Jr., and daughters Dorothy, Shirley and Phyllis, took Mrs. Keller's mother to Brooks Friday after school and stayed until Sunday afternoon when they attended the high school program at the Christian

church in Dallas. Dorothy took part in the chorus.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weideman visited at the Tom Keller home a few days last week.

Andrew Theiss, who was operated on for appendicitis last week, returned to his home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Balough of Portland were dinner guests at the Andrew Theiss home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webb of Portland called at the Harry Well's home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Sally Newman and William Kinion called at the John Keller home Monday.

Ray Slater fell while doing his chores Monday night, injuring his arm.

Mrs. John Keller, Jr., and daughters called at the John Keller home Monday.

Mrs. Sally Newman of Selma, Calif., and William Kinion were dinner guests at the Roy Black home Wednesday.

Joyce Houtz of Dallas was an overnight guest of Ruth Dornheer's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coy and children, Jimmy and Carol, were dinner guests at the Harry Well's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Slater visited at the Fred Salisbury home in Salem Tuesday.

C Book Vanishes In Cloud of Dust, Joyrider Finds

SILVERTON — Silvertown's war rationing board has revoked one "C" book to date, due to overfilled mileage and wasteful use of additional gasoline for riding about. His case was reported and he lost his book, the board reports.

Retailers and wholesalers of roasted coffee, who do not roast the coffee, are required to submit reports on coffee sales to the rationing board by December 31. Forms of these reports are obtainable from the rationing defense headquarters, board members report.

New staff members added to the civilian defense headquarters office are Mrs. A. W. Simmons on Saturday afternoons from 1 to 5 p.m. and Mrs. Rhinoo Cooley Friday afternoons from 1 to 5 p.m. Staff members are at the local office to answer the telephone, wait on callers, give out necessary information and assist the rationing board clerks, wherever necessary. Mrs. Ed Lambert was added to the staff recently also. She serves Wednesday nights from 7 to 9:15 p.m.

Tire certificates were issued this week to Marin Sandver, Silvertown, two passenger grade three; Willard Benson, one truck tire; V. A. Tschantz, one passenger grade three; one truck tire; Portland General Electric, one truck tube; Russell Johnson, two passenger grade three; Otto Morhing, one passenger tube; Irvin C. Cross, one passenger tube; W. R. Gogaf, one grade two tire; Max Pitney, two passenger tubes.

Mrs. Garbe Out Of Hospital

AUMSVILLE—Mrs. F. A. Garbe, who has been ill in the Salem general hospital for a time, returned to her home here Saturday. Her small daughter, Lavela, is confined to her home with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Highberger purchased a home in Stayton recently and moved there Saturday. With his sons, Highberger has operated the flour and feed mill since 1925. He had taken an active interest in the work even though advanced in age, until the time of his retirement last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Highberger have both been interested in the community life of Aumsville.

Mrs. Charles Martin is ill with pneumonia and was taken to a Salem hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Lloyd More, Duane More, and sisters left Tuesday for Kent, Wash., where they will visit with Mr. More, who is employed there in defense work.

Everett Warren is still in a Salem hospital under observation. His condition is unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sutton have returned from a short visit in eastern Oregon.

Phillip and Norris, two small sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gillespie, and Evelyn Gillespie all are ill with measles.

Mrs. R. T. Mountain and Ed Wallace attended the installation of officers of the Eastern Star and the Masons at Turner Tuesday night. Mrs. Mountain was installed associate matron.

Ayres Funeral Services Are Held

LEBANON—Adolphus M. Ayres, who died at the family home Friday night, was buried in the Masonic cemetery Monday after services in the Lowe chapel were conducted by Reverend Leroy Crossley, pastor of the Baptist church of which Mr. Ayres was a member.

Mr. Ayres was born in New Jersey 70 years ago and had lived in this vicinity since 1890. In 1893 he was married to Miss Laura Meyers who died just last August.

Five daughters and four sons survive: Mrs. Hazel Jewell and Mrs. C. D. McClintic of Eugene; Mrs. Esther Lundy of Port Angeles; Mrs. Myrtle Cole of Albany; Mrs. Alta Nickerson and Walter Ayres of Portland; Earl Ayres of Los Angeles; Lee of Newport and Albert of Kelso, Wash. Three half brothers live in this vicinity: E. C. Ayres, A. A. Ayres and Ivan Ayres.

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