

Mrs. Bentson Dies, Silverton

SILVERTON—Mrs. Josie McCall Bentson, resident of Silverton for many years, died Saturday afternoon. She was born in Pipestone, Minn., July 12, 1879, and attended school, later teaching in Minnesota. In 1896 the family moved to Garretson, SD, and she was married to G. B. Bentson. They came to Silverton in 1901.

Survivors include the widower and three children, Faye of Los Angeles, Kenneth of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. Lawrence Rybock of Seattle; one granddaughter, Barbara Jo at Phoenix; brothers, E. J. McCall of Silverton and H. Gordon of Portland; a sister, Mrs. Ed Holden of Silverton.

Mrs. Bentson was a charter member of the Silverton public library board and served continuously for 32 years. She was still a member at the time of her death. She was a prominent member of the Woman's club, past president of the Marion county Federation of Women's clubs, a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and past matron of Ramona chapter.

Funeral arrangements are being made by the Ekman Funeral home and will be announced later, pending word from the daughter in Los Angeles.

Pioneer Club Will Fete Seniors

PIONEER—The Pioneer Sewing club met at the play-shed Thursday. A business session was held in the afternoon with the president Mrs. Mark Blodgett in charge.

The members voted to honor the eighth grade graduating class with a banquet, the time to be announced later. Those graduating this year are June Edwards, Margaret Well, Shirley Keller, Charles Morben, Leo Wood, and James Coy.

The time was spent sewing for the Red Cross. Mrs. Frank Dornhecker was appointed to serve on the visiting committee for April. After the business meeting the president read a story entitled "Yanks Take my Breath Away."

Those present were Mrs. Phillip Thomas, Mrs. Robert Kent, Mrs. Mark Blodgett, Mrs. Roy Black, Mrs. Tom Keller, Mrs. Oliver Schriener and son, Gary, Mrs. Andrew Theiss and Douglas, Mrs. Gladys Frakes and son, Raymond, Mrs. Earl Wood, Mrs. Clifford Garland, Mrs. Harry Wells and Mrs. Frank Dornhecker.

Pedee Teacher Joins Hill Academy Staff

MONMOUTH—Miss Ethel Griffith of Portland, who has taught in the Pedee high school this year, resigned this month to accept a position in Hill Military academy.

She was granted release by the Pedee directors.

Mrs. J. E. Winegar, longtime local resident, is improving at a Salem hospital from a major operation performed last week. She hopes to be able to return home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Russell entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunlap from Gresham this weekend.

Dr. Smith to Speak

STAYTON—A joint dinner to be attended by Lions and Women's club members, with husbands and wives, is being planned for the night of April 29 when Dr. G. Herbert Smith, president of Willamette university, has been secured as speaker. A program is being worked out by the Lions committee, W. H. Bell and Dave John.

Woodcraft Circle Officers Installed

AMITY—Myrtle circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, installed officers at their April meeting. Mrs. Alma Owens of McMinnville was installing officer.

Talking posts were: Edna Geddings, past guardian neighbor; Cordia Morrison, guardian neighbor; Jessie Wood, advisor; Elona Wood, attendant; Pete Mekkers, flag bearer; Fay Morrison, captain of the guards; Rose Wood, inner sentinel; Marie Vincent, banker; Bertie Richter, clerk; Hazel Rosenbalm, musician; Laverna Mekkers, magician; John Hahood, Elenor Grabel and Thelma Rosenbalm, manager; Edna Giddings, senior guardian.

After the installation ceremony a short program was presented including a vocal duet by Sharon Johnson and Freddie Vincent and a reading by Barbara Freeman.

OCE Summer School Slates Kindergarten, Nursery Courses

MONMOUTH—Special courses in kindergarten and nursery school techniques will be offered during the Oregon College of Education summer session this year. Details of the program recently have been announced in the issue of the 1943 summer session catalog sent out by the general extension division of the state system of higher education. These courses will meet state requirements for emergency certificates to be used in the schools now being organized in defense areas throughout the state.

The first summer session will begin on June 7 and end July 13; the second session will begin July 14 and end August 29. A full program will be offered, designed to carry out upper division work toward a bachelor's degree in elementary education.

Fisher Visits

McALPIN—Andrew Fisher visited in Salem Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schindler.

RATION CALENDAR

FOOD
Canned Goods — Blue stamps D, E and F good through April 30.
Meat, Cheese, Fats — Red stamps A, B and C valid through April 30.
Sugar — Coupon No. 12 good for 5 pounds, expires May 31.
Coffee — Coupon No. 28, good for 1 pound, valid through April 25.

GASOLINE
Book A coupons No. 8, good for four gallons each, expire May 21.

FUEL OIL
Period 5 coupons expire September 1.

SHOES
No. 17 coupon in ration book No. 1 good for 1 pair, expires June 15.

TIRES
Cars with C books must have tires inspected by May 31; B books by June 30.

Day Family Leaves Keizer

KEIZER—Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Day and children Joanne Dean and Bobbie moved to Portland last Tuesday. They have rented a war worker's house there. Day is employed at the Swan Island shipyard. He has been riding to and from his work daily. Joanne was in the fourth grade at the Keizer school.

Darwin Day's father, Charles Day, will continue to live on their place here at Keizer close to the Arch Claggett's farm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper have recently moved into the John Wagner house in east Keizer. They formerly lived in the Hudson house by the Smith and Ward store. Mr. Wagner returned to southern California where he is in war work.

Mr. Otis Mitchell returned last Monday from Sacramento, Calif. She had spent a week visiting with her daughter, Elaine, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson, jr., are employed there also. The Robertsons live at Keizer on the east road.

John Wills is in very poor

health at his home; at times he is hardly able to do his chores.

Mrs. Jean Hoxsey is quite ill at her home. Mrs. W. P. Collard of Mission Bottom is caring for her.

Mrs. Ernest Porter returned recently from San Francisco. She had accompanied her son, Cpl. Albert Porter, when he left for his base at Needles, Calif. While in the south she also visited with her sister in San Francisco.

Monitor Families Entertain Visitors

MONITOR—Mr. and Mrs. John Schwabauer entertained as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bowland and family, including son, Cpl. Raymond Bowland, in the army air corps, Lt. Oaksford, Mr. and Mrs. George Berg and children, all of Canby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Barnes of Portland visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fenske and Judith Trayer. Some garden and lowland plantings must be done over because of the heavy rains.

A large number of Elliott Prairie residents attended the meeting at Oak Lawn pertaining to observation post work.

Calahan Service Held; L. L. Shields Learns Uncle's Death

JEFFERSON—Funeral services were held at the Christian church Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Ann Marguerite Calahan, 60, of Jefferson, who died in a hospital in Salem Sunday, following a lingering illness.

Rev. James Whitaker of Eugene, former pastor of the local church, officiated. Rev. William Richardson sang, accompanied by Mrs. Leonard McCaw. Pallbearers were Robert Terhune, Walton Looney, Guy Aupperle, Lee Wells, Clair Haight and K. S. Thurston. Mrs. E. M. Ackerman and Mrs. Hugh Bilyeu arranged the flowers. Interment was made in the Jefferson cemetery, with Fishers Funeral Home in charge.

JEFFERSON—L. L. Shields received word this week of the death of his uncle John Shields at Lawrence, Kan. He and Shields' father came to the United States from Ireland together when boys.

Visits Brother

FAIRVIEW—Joan Knight who graduated from the Salem high school in January has left for a

visit with her brother at Redding, Calif., enroute to enroll in school in Kansas. Mrs. Oscar Tasken in is a guest for several days with her daughter, Miss Jean Tasken in Portland, while receiving medical observation there.

Stayton Meat Dealer Closes; One Shop Remains in Business

STAYTON—The Stayton Meat market operated by Drew Lambrecht suspended this week due to scarcity of meat. Stock on hand was sold to J. L. Siegfund of Siegmund's market. Mr. Lambrecht's future plans are not yet formulated.

Of three meat and fresh fish markets in Stayton a year ago, Siegmund's is the only remaining market, the proprietor of the second market having been called into the armed forces last fall.

Teacher Visits

WALDO HILLS—Miss Helen Goodknecht has been spending a week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Goodknecht. Miss Goodknecht teaches at Springfield.

Eastern Star Lodge Members Celebrate Natal Anniversaries

STAYTON—Birthdays of eight members of the Eastern Star lodge whose natal day has fallen during the first four months of 1943 were celebrated by an after-chapter party last Tuesday. During refreshments a gypsy appeared and read the future in her lamp-globe crystal bowl.

TURNER—The social club of Victoria chapter of Eastern Star sponsored a card party in the hall with progressive five hundred in play. Fifty guests and members were in attendance, with Mrs. J. O. Russell making high score. Mrs. Cunningham of Salem and Fay Webb won consolation prizes. Refreshments were served to the group by the social committee, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mitchell.

Substitutes

GRAND ISLAND—Mrs. Charles A. Ferguson is doing substitute teaching in the fourth grade at the Dayton school during the absence of the teacher, Mrs. Berneta Hunt.

INDEPENDENCE—The annual library silver tea was held Tuesday afternoon at the Woman's club. An unusual musical program was presented during the tea hours. Mrs. Ed Wunder was program chairman and announced the numbers.

The program included selections by a string trio composed of Mrs. Melford Nelson, Mrs. Collin Marsters of Salem, and Mrs. Ed Wunder; a reading by Mrs. Ruth Reich; selections by a clarinet trio from the high school composed of Betty Mae Peyree, Delores Hultman, and Barbara Kletzing; piano solo by Donna Kletzing.

Business of the meeting was the election of officers for the coming year. Those chosen were Mrs. Clarence Harwood, president; Mrs. Melford Nelson, first vice president; Mrs. Frank Cooper, second vice president; Mrs. Ralph Kletzing and Mrs. A. L. Thomas were re-elected secretary and treasurer respectively.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. A. L. Thomas, Mrs. E. F. Swope, and Mrs. George Ruff. Mrs. W. R. Dale and Mrs. Etta Welch presided at the urns. The table was lovely with an arrangement of yellow and white jonquils in a silver bowl guarded by white tapers in silver candleabra.

The next meeting will be a night meeting on April 21. Dr. Victor Morris of the University of Oregon will be the speaker. Members of the Chamber of Commerce will be guests.

DALLAS—Miss Clara Domaschofsky was honored at a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Nachtigal Wednesday night. Miss Domaschofsky is leaving Saturday for Arkansas where she will train with the WAACs. The rooms and table were beautifully decorated with daffodils, white hydrangeas and spirea. Miss Domaschofsky, Lloyd Domaschofsky and Mrs. W. C. Hefner rendered piano solos and Miss Pat Krewson sang a vocal solo. Miss Domaschofsky was presented a gift by her friends, and the hostess served a delicious supper at the close of the evening.

Those attending were Capt. A. Strobel of Camp Adair, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Domaschofsky and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Domaschofsky and family, Mrs. Ed Cutler of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Domaschofsky and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Domaschofsky, Mrs. W. C. Hefner, Mrs. Mary Francis Perry, Toby Nachtigal, Miss Pat Krewson and Miss Jean Noble.

ALBANY—Mrs. Kathlee Miller, who has served as president of the Albany Business and Professional Women's club the past year, was reelected to the same office at the annual election held by the members Tuesday. At the same time Geraldine Knott was elected vice president, Katherine Pugh recording secretary, Arlene VanDahl, corresponding secretary, and Francis McKechnie, treasurer.

The new officers take charge in September, although Mrs. VanDahl will be the only new officer, as the others held the same offices the past year.

WALDO HILLS—Mrs. Theodore Riches was hostess Friday in compliment to Mrs. Robert Riches, with guests including Mrs. Robert Riches, Mrs. Elmer Peterson, Mrs. Floyd Mulkey, Mrs. Frank Egan, Mrs. Godfrey Priddy, Mrs. W. J. Haberly, Mrs. Roy Brown, Mrs. J. W. Goodknecht, Mrs. Frank Bowers, Mrs. Earl Pooler, Mrs. R. M. Morton, Mrs. Ida McManus, Mrs. Verle King, Mrs. J. M. Doerfler, Mrs. Miles Ottawa, Misses Winifred and Lois Riches.

DALLAS—Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Martin of Corvallis have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Martin to Sgt. Fred Bradley, of Camp Adair. Miss Martin is the music instructor of the Dallas city schools. The date for the wedding has been set for June 9th.

TALBOT—Mrs. Addie Davidson entertained the Talbot Women's club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Members present were Mesdames G. W. Potts, sr., Len Edwards, Richard King, Gilbert Belknap, Lawrence Finlay, D. E. Blinston, Clyde McClain, Nelson Gilmore, Hattie McCarty, Chester Myers, Paul France and the hostess, Miss Bernice Bursell was a guest. Mrs. D. E. Blinston, club president, presided over the business meeting.

Plans for an honor roll for the boys of the community who are in the armed forces, was discussed. Mrs. Delmer Davidson and Mrs. Gilbert Belknap have been appointed to make the honor roll. Mrs. Davidson was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. Richard King, Mrs. D. E. Blinston and Mrs. G. M. Belknap.

WOODBURN—The regular business meeting of the Woodburn Junior Woman's club was held Wednesday evening at the meeting rooms in the library. Delegates were appointed for the convention of the Marion County Federation to be held at Gates at the last of the month. The delegates are the officers.

Agnes Maricle was named chairman of the committee for the Mother-Daughter party on April 21. Virginia Murphy and Evelyn Morris are her assistants. Zoia Lowthian in the chairman of the youth survey to be conducted among the city organizations. Leona Falten led the group in games for the remainder of the evening.

DALLAS—The VFW auxiliary held its regular meeting in the library club rooms Wednesday evening. Chola Svensrud, president of district No. 4 and Mildred Santil were guests from Oregon City. Ethel Frommyer of Oregon City, war service chairman for the department of Oregon was the inspecting officer for the auxiliary.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were: Mrs. H. D. Peterson, president; Mrs. L. M. Dennis, senior vice president; Mrs. William T. Nevitt, junior vice president; Mrs. Fred Holman, treasurer; Mrs. Mel Cutler, conductress; Miss Fannie Dempsey, chaplain; Mrs. Robert Storey, guard and Mrs. Lawrence Cook, trustee.

WOODBURN—Delegates to the Rebekah assembly to be held at Portland on May 18-19 were chosen at the Tuesday night meeting of the Woodburn Rebekah lodge. They were Freda Burt and Gertrude Beach, with Mabel Wright and Lora Livesay as alternates.

The district convention at Turner May 1 was announced. Gladys McClure, Myrtle Freeman and Addie Douc were named on the refreshment committee for next meeting. Afterwards the Odd Fellows surprised the Rebekahs with lunch.

DALLAS—Miss Sylvia Thomas of Dallas, niece of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henkle, has been chosen Queen of the May for the annual May fete at St. Helens hall in Portland. Miss Thomas is a senior and will have a court of six senior girls.

AURORA—Wednesday the Aurora Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. James Ogle. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. E. E. Bratt, Mrs. W. C. Grim and Mrs. Ulrich Eilers. The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, re-elected, Mrs. Jennie Michell; vice president, Mrs. Hazel Yerger; secretary, Mrs. Theora Miller; treasurer, Mrs. Eva Dental; financial secretary, Mrs. Ethel Manock; librarian, Mrs. Ethel Manock and Mrs. Aiz Ottaway, trustee. A Dutch auction was held.

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