

Chapter Honors VFW Members

A smartly appointed party for two members of Marion auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Mrs. Marcell Tomkins and Mrs. Charles Cray, who are moving from the city was arranged by Mrs. Herman Lafky at her home at 610 North 15th street Tuesday night. Summer flowers were beautifully arranged about the rooms.

The evening was spent informally. Refreshments were served to the guests by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Gerald Kendall and Mrs. Leon Hansen. Those seated were as follows, Mrs. Marcell Tomkins, Mrs. Charles Cray, Mrs. Joe Stirling, Mrs. J. M. Hartley, Mrs. Dave Furlough, Mrs. Frank Prince, Mrs. Virgil Bolton, Mrs. Q. Fugus, Mrs. William Clare, Mrs. Arwin Strayer, Mrs. Henry Sim, Mrs. Russell Mudd, Mrs. Charles Hunt, Mrs. Mabel Devlin, Mrs. Ralph Harlan, Mrs. Gerald Kendall, Mrs. Frank Millett, Mrs. Cyril Nason, Mrs. Willie Boone, Mrs. Solon Shinkle, Mrs. Della Wickert, Miss Loris Harlan, Mrs. Leon Hansen, Mrs. Ward Wolfe, Mrs. Ruby Kimball, Mrs. John Coleman.

Fylian sisters, belonging to the PLEP club, met at Mrs. W. J. Peck's home Wednesday night. Mrs. Nora Davidson was hostess. Following a discussion of temple work, cards were played. Mrs. Clifford J. Pugh was first and Mrs. L. B. Hixon was second. The final meeting will be June 9.

Lt. and Mrs. Esper Park, recently of Asbury Park, N. J. arrived on Wednesday on a surprise visit to their parents in Salem. Mrs. Park, the former Marjorie Mae Whittington is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Whittington and Lt. Park is the son of Mrs. Robert E. Park. He is in the signal corps and is en route to a new assignment.

Leaving Saturday noon for a coastal fishing trip over the weekend are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Mudd, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Casey and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bowes, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Jordan of Witchita, Kans.

LADIES CENTER—On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Willard Hornschuch, entertained the Ladies Aid society at her home in Salem, with the ladies working on afghans for the Red Cross. The club voted to have a meeting in June and Mrs. Nathan Kurth has invited the group to her home for that meeting. Present were Mrs. F. M. Boles and Patsy Kay, Mrs. Nathan Kurth and Betty Jean, Mrs. W. R. Daugherty, Mrs. Leroy Isham and Larry Lee of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Tillie Isham, Mrs. W. B. Aker, Mrs. Harry Lovre and Gary, Mrs. Harry Boehm, Mrs. Noble Ragland, Mrs. Joe Burr and Juanita, Mrs. Fred Selwert, Mrs. Pete Russ and Barbara Jean, Mrs. W. F. Klammpe, Mrs. Horace Bibby, Mrs. Alice Jefferson, Mrs. Knowles Tomz, Mrs. Fred Pugh, Mrs. Minnie Voeglein, Mrs. W. A. Starker, Miss Betty Jean Carroll of Washington, D. C. and Mrs. Willard Hornschuch and Chris.

Ann Jackson circle members of the First Baptist church will meet tonight at the church at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Marion Curry is devotional leader. Mrs. Mary McClelland will lead the program on "Christian Centers". Hostesses are Mrs. Gus Lindstrand, Mrs. Earl Baker, and Mrs. Floyd Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tugman of Eugene and Mrs. Donald Tagle of Scio were guests of Mrs. Thomas Riles and Mrs. James Mott last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Weitzman of Lyons announce the engagement of their daughter, Violet, to George Hann of Oklahoma.

Blackout Plans in Review

By MAXINE BUREN

A bulletin coming today to my desk, sheds a new light on the blackout.

A recent appeal to householders to prepare a blacked out room in every home, has brought to mind plans for preparing windows for an emergency that may come this summer. The writers of the bulletin admonish the householder not to go on a buying spree, spending money on materials, no better than those on hand. There is plenty of material available in the average home, to satisfactorily black out a room.

Neither is it necessary, they state, to make the refuge room an unattractive place, for careful planning will produce a blacked-out room which is still an attractive place to stay during the emergency.

The room chosen, the materials on hand and the state of the family purse will determine largely the materials used and the result obtained.

Suggestions in the bulletin run from the costless window coverings, such as blankets or six thicknesses of newspapers, to wood fibre insulating board and dark stain.

One of the most practical systems, if there's a handy man around the house, is the wood fibre blackout shade, preferably for a comfortable room, where the family can carry on nearly normal recreation for the evening.

Basements, while often simple to blackout, are unsatisfactory for air raid refuges, upper stories are second on the list of where not to take refuge. The main floor of the home then, remains as the most satisfactory place.

Track lighting gadgets are an unnecessary expense because properly blacked out windows will show no light. Colored lamps waste light.

Plan a blackout room, to be easily and quickly converted in case of an emergency. Consult your air raid warden for ideas to black out if necessary, but

Today's Menu

Beet cabbage slaw will be the menu opener for today.
Beet cabbage slaw
Broiled salmon steaks
Tartar sauce
New potatoes, peas
Strawberry shortcake

BEEF CABBAGE SLAW
2 cups shredded cabbage
1 cup diced cooked beets
¼ cup diced sweet or sour pickles
2 tablespoons horseradish
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
½ cup boiled salad dressing
Chill ingredients.

SILVERTON—Guests from Acacia chapter, Stayton, and from Marilyn chapter Mill City were present at the regular meeting of Ramona chapter, Eastern Star, at Silverton Tuesday night with Mrs. Carol Van Cleave presiding as matron and Roy Skaffe as patron.

Specially honored were Bertha Frey, grand representative of Tennessee, Stayton, Dorothy Scarth, grand representative of Scotland, Silverton, together with Maude Beauchamp, matron and George Tate, patron of Acacia chapter.

This was also past matrons and patrons night with 22 present. Corsages were presented past matrons and rosebuds past patrons. A special welcome was extended by the worthy matron, Mrs. Van Cleave and a short address by Mrs. John T. Hoblitt. A candlelight degree was given by the courtesy girls and officers honoring the past matrons and patrons. At a special request of the matron, Mrs. W. E. Scarth sang "My Task." She was accompanied by Miss Mary Alfred.

The junior past matron, Mrs. George Towe, and the junior past patron, the Rev. Edward Terry of Albany, presented two white Bibles to be used in future initiatory work.

Announcement was made of the grand chapter meeting at Portland on June 15 and 16.

Snowballs decorated the dining room where past matrons and patrons were served at a special table. In charge of the refreshments were Mrs. C. A. Hande, Jr., Mrs. Lee Alfred, Mrs. Dale LaMar and Mrs. Van Cleave. Mrs. William Davenport assisted in serving.

RATION CALENDAR

FOOD
Canned Goods—Blue stamps G, H and J now valid and good through June 7. K, L, M became valid May 24 and are good through July 7.
Meat, Cheese, Canned Fish, Fats, Butter and Margarine—Red stamp E, F, G good until May 31. J now good and valid until July 1.
Sugar—Coupon No. 12 good for 5 pounds, expires May 31.
Coupons 16 and 18 good for five pounds each, canning purposes. Housewife applies to ration board for additional allotment if needed.
Coffee—Coupon No. 23 good for 1 pound, valid through May 20.
GASOLINE
Book A coupons No. 8 good for four gallons each, expires July 31.
FUEL OIL
Period 8 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.
you can use your own ideas on decorating and making the place attractive, once the blackout plans are complete.

Some Items From the OPI

No waiting will be necessary for Mrs. America to obtain canning sugar under the new procedure of the OPA. Stamps 15 and 16 in war ration book one are each good for five pounds of sugar to be used for canning, and these can be taken to the retailer without a trip to the local war price and rationing board. No change has been made in the rate at which sugar for canning will be made available—that is one pound for each four quarts and five pounds per person for making jams and jellies. OPA figures that the ten pounds of sugar available with stamps 15 and 16 should put up as much fruit as most families can use. Only the relatively few who require more for home canning will make application to the boards.

Until rationing of heating and cooking stoves begins sometime in June, anyone needing a stove will apply to the local war production board, office for a priority certificate. When rationing begins, certificates can be obtained from local war price and rationing boards on the basis of need.

Expired red or blue point ration stamps can breed black markets and housewives who have not used up those stamps should view with suspicion any attempts to solicit their surrender, the district OPA stated today.

"If for one reason or another you find yourself with unused red or blue point stamps at the end of the month destroy them yourself," OPA said.

"These stamps represent your personal share of the national food supply. If you have not used up your share in any month, make sure that it stays in legitimate channels and is not diverted into the black market."

Reports received by OPA in increasing numbers indicate that many storekeepers have been soliciting the surrender of expired stamps from their customers on various pretexts. In other cases, customers have been voluntarily surrendering these stamps as a friendly gesture.

"Every ration stamp that is handed to a storekeeper without receiving the legal amount of rationed food in exchange is a potential contribution to the black market," OPA emphasized. "An expired stamp is dead to the housewife, but it is very much alive in trade channels and is the object of considerable interest in the black market."

"Foods bought at wholesale with these stamps can be sold without points and, since one illegal transaction begets another, probably will move at illegally high prices. This is the black market—the enemy of every patriotic American. Refuse to give up unused stamps to anyone. Report attempts to collect them on any pretext. Protect your country's food supply. Destroy all unused stamps yourself."

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