

Mill City Man Visits in South

California Trip Made Because of Health; Plan for Dinner

MILL CITY — Mrs. Ted Lake was the honor guest at a surprise party on her birthday February 23 when a group of friends and relatives met at her home for a no-host dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lake, Mr. T. Henness, Mrs. Deb Turnidge, Mrs. Edith Cribbs, Mrs. Chris Knutson, Mrs. Hollis Turnidge, Mrs. Paul Cree and Bobby. In the afternoon Mrs. Ethyl Hill, Mrs. Gladys Mason and Mrs. Olivia Kaplinger called.

Miss Sigum Grimstad attended the Sunday school convention at Pratum last Saturday.

William Shirey left for California March 1. He will visit his sister and hopes the climate will improve his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Carter moved to Mill City from Portland recently. Carter is employed at the local mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder visited in Albany Sunday at the home of Mrs. Schroeder's mother, Mrs. Isabelle Beeson. Their nephew, Kenneth Karsten, of the USN, who is stationed in Washington, was also a guest.

Ole Morris is visiting his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Morris in Portland.

Mrs. Nellie Charpillot is confined to her home with the flu.

The Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met February 23 at the home of Mrs. Ed Rupp, with Mrs. Lou Morris assistant hostess. The program for the afternoon "Africa, and Negroes in America" was led by Mrs. Charles Sullivan. Mrs. Lee Morris led the devotions. Election of the following officers was also held with Mrs. Jim Swan reelected president; Mrs. Clayton Baltimore, vice president and secretary of literature; Mrs. Fred Grimes, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Floyd Fleetwood, Mrs. Mel Robinson and Mrs. John Swan, aid committee.

Mrs. Engle Johnson and Mrs. Charlie Day were in Salem Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Cree, Mrs. Morris Howe and Billy were in Salem.

The world day of prayer was observed in Mill City at the Presbyterian church. The program was in charge of Mrs. Lee Morris.

Mrs. Clayton Baltimore, Mrs. Louis Slaton and Mrs. Henry Baltimore were in Salem Wednesday.

Lois Todd has entered the seventh grade in the local school, coming here from the state of Washington.

The Church of Christ will have a fellowship dinner Sunday after the morning church services. In the afternoon the regular meeting of the church board will be held. A program concerning missionary work will follow. All members and friends of the church are cordially invited and urged to attend. These meetings will be held the first Sunday of each month.

Pfc. Dale Lively, Bethel Resident, Chats With Queen

BETHEL — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lively have received a letter from their son, Pfc. Dale Lively in England. He wrote "Something happened to me yesterday that I never expected. I was coming back from class at school and stopped in at the Red Cross for coffee and sandwiches. There was a crowd gathered out in front. I asked one of the boys what the attraction was and he said the king and queen are inside and are looking around. I figured I'd like to get a good look at them so I went inside. What a crowded place! I was standing right by the big desk in the lobby when they came to sign some pictures there. They were talking with the boys and really trying to make them feel at home.

"I surely never expected to have the pleasure of talking to the queen, but I did. The king was signing a picture on the desk and the queen was talking with one of the boys right beside me. Pretty soon she turned to me and asked me how I liked England and if I was enjoying myself. I darned near fell through my shoes! But I managed to tell her in as polite a way as I could that I considered it a very great pleasure to be here and that I felt very fortunate to be able to be with such nice people. (I told the boys afterward that I had to stretch it a little. By that I meant the country in general but I did not tell Her Royal Highness that.)

"All the time they were talking to us there were others taking flash pictures. I know I am in some of them and I am going to try to get hold of some through the Red Cross. Just think of me a little Pfc. getting an opportunity like this!"

Silverton Family Learns of Injuries

SILVERTON — Additional information has been received here of the injury to Bruce Dickman, although his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dickman, have not yet received official notice of the injury.

Richard Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hartley, also of Silverton, is an attendant at the naval hospital at Pearl Harbor and had written of seeing and visiting with young Dickman. Through other sources also, the Dickmans had further information this week. Dickman had been wounded in his left shoulder from shrapnel received in a battle in the Marshall Islands area. The wound said to be ten inches in length and quite deep.

LA JUNTA, Colo. — (AP) — Fire Truck Driver Jack Leroy had his own solution of the manpower problem.

Alone on the job, Leroy reached over and turned on the fire alarm. As each fireman arrived breathless he was put to work — re-packing 1700 feet of fire hose.

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Valley Calendar

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3
Silverton Home Extension unit, Eugene Fields school 1:30.
Hazel Green Sunshine club, Mrs. Ralph Gilbert.

THURSDAY, MARCH 3
Gates Women's club, schoolhouse, 1:30

FRIDAY, MARCH 10
Swegle PTA, Home Extension unit, 1:30.
Macleay Community club.

Ankeny Home Ec Club Entertained

ANKENY — Mrs. George Henderson entertained the Home Economic club at the grange hall Friday for an all day meeting. The morning was spent in quilting on a club quilt. A no-host luncheon was served at noon.

Mrs. Hattie McCarty, chairman, presided at the meeting.

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Gen. Edelmir J. Farrell, who became president of Argentina in a sudden move of the 9-month-old military government, has weathered his first crisis as an armed rebellion fizzled out. (AP Wirephoto)

Happy Group Club Sews for Hospital

SCOTT'S MILLS — The Happy Group club met at the home of Mrs. Walter Geren, sr., in Silverton Friday on their regular meeting date with Mrs. Edith Kellis, president.

Present were, Mrs. Dora Palmquist, Jimmy and Dicky, Evelyn Johnson and Jerry, Mildred Johnson and Ardith, Bertha Estenson, Edith Kellis, Doreen Satterley, Margaret Shepherd and Tommy, Alice Ogren and Dorell, Cecil Lucht, Alma Jackson and the hostess, Mrs. Geren. Members sewed for the Silverton hospital at this meeting.

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MONMOUTH — The winter term is scheduled to close officially on March 8 at Oregon College of Education. Regular classes will end March 3; final examinations will be given March 6, 7 and 8.

A two-day spring vacation is scheduled for the Monmouth and Independence training schools, March 9 and 10. They will re-open Monday, March 13.

The spring term for college students will begin Tuesday, March 14. Although scheduling of both old and new students will be carried on throughout the day, the business office will not open until 1 p.m., for payment of fees. Classes will begin on Wednesday. The last possible date for registration has been set for April 1.

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Swegle School Arranges Program

SWEGLE — School was not dismissed for the funeral of Senator Charles McNary but the intermediate grades came into the upper-grade room and all listened to the services on the radio. The assembly program at one o'clock was given by the first grade pupils with a time of silent prayer in his honor following the flag salute and the Lord's prayer.

Other numbers on the program were poems, "March Wind" and "Tis Spring" by Alice Standley and Anna Mae West; with an exercise, "The Good Health Brownies" by the first graders. Musical numbers were: "America", "Six Pence", "Your Home and Mine", and "God Must of Loved America". Visitors were Mrs. Frank Isom, Mrs. C. Brundridge, Mrs. William Hensell, Mrs. Herbert Zobel and Mrs. Charles Bottorff.

A new pupil in the primary room from Washington school in Salem is Betty Schlecht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schlecht.

Women Train for Partisan Army

Dashing across rocky terrain through smoke clouds, these Yugoslav women train at Bari, Italy, for service in General Tito's partisan army, according to OWI which released the picture in Washington. They fight shoulder to shoulder with men. All of these women are recovering from wounds received in previous guerilla fighting. (AP Wirephoto from OWI)

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Silverton School Play Set for March 17

SILVERTON — Due to illness of some of the cast, the high school student body play "June Madness" has again been postponed and this time the date has been set for March 17.

Mrs. Mae Phillips is directing the cast which includes Edna Rood, Wilbur Howell, Diana Doble, Don Lewis, Bob Schwab, Russ Sullivan, Norma Monson, George Manolis, Lowell Njust, David Oeder, Louisa Ulvin, Donnie Miller and Delores Moore.