

Dallas Garden Club Hears Dean Collins

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DALLAS—Dean Collins, garden editor of the Oregon Journal, was the guest speaker at the Dallas Garden club held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Thursday.

Collins spoke at length of the "Botanical Garden for Oregon" project which is being fostered by the State Federation of Women's clubs. "Three factors, climate, soil and wealth leads me to believe that the Pacific northwest is the place where horticulture will be developed for the next 100 years," Collins stated.

Since the soil in this section of the country is ideal for every type of horticulture, the speaker painted a word picture of the proposed Botanical Garden of Oregon as the western replica of the Royal Botanic Gardens at Kew, London, England. There is a great fortune for those specializing in hybridizing wild flowers.

Ten minute talks by Mrs. Robert LeFors, "Border Line Bulbs that Never Sleep" and Mrs. Ernest Hoisington, "Hold That Border Kine," concluded the program. Mrs. John Meeker, Mrs. Art May and Mrs. John Cerny, hostesses served refreshments.

The December 15 meeting will be a no-host luncheon with a tree and gift exchange to follow. Mrs. Lynn McCulley, Mrs. Howard Fleming and Mrs. Claude Hoisington will be the hostesses.

Salem Heights Family Host Over Week End

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SALEM HEIGHTS — Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bacon and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker, Jeanne, Joyce and Donnie of Portland over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morgan and family will move Monday to the Keizer district. They have lived in the Salem Heights district since they moved to Salem. Ralph Morgan is in the third grade.

Barbara and Edward Bacon will have their tonsils removed on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Allen returned from a hunting trip. They each bagged an elk. Mrs. Allen shot a cow while her husband downed a young bull.

Valley Obituaries

Mrs. Anna Gardner
FALLS CITY—Mrs. Anna Gardner, 79, a native of Polk county, died at her home here Monday night, apparently as a result of a heart ailment. She had not been in good health for some time.

Survivors include a son, Lot Gardner of Independence; two daughters, Mrs. Alpha McSherry and Mrs. Art Ross of Falls City and several grandchildren and great grandchildren. Services are being arranged by the Henkle & Bollman chapel at Dallas.

Clyde V. Reaser
INDEPENDENCE — Services were held from the Walter L. Smith mortuary Friday, November 18, for Clyde Vernon Reaser who died at Dallas November 16 at the age of 52. The Rev. John Hood officiated and interment was held at the Hill Top cemetery south of Independence. Reaser, the son of Thurbelle and Isaac Reaser, was born in Missouri Sept. 16, 1897. He came to Oregon from Miami, Okla. in 1942. He is survived by one sister, Hazel Reaser of Peoria, Okla., one half-sister, Pearl Houk of Saginaw, M., and several nieces and nephews.

James Thomas Dawes
MILL CITY—Funeral services for James Thomas Dawes, 81, pioneer resident of this community who came here 60 years ago when there were only a few log cabins, will be held from the Mill City First Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock Wednesday, Dr. David Ferguson officiating and burial in Fairview cemetery. He was born in the Midwest in 1868. Surviving are two daughters, Kitty Boothe, Mill City, and Neva Bradford, Everett, Wash.; two sons, Joe Dawes, Mill City, and Louis Dawes, Portland; two sisters, Lucerna Wynn, Gervais, and Florence Dora Wynn, in the east; eleven grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

William DeWitt Crisp
MONMOUTH—William DeWitt Crisp, 27, who was killed in an automobile accident near Scottsburg, Saturday evening, was born at Elma, Washington, Apr. 27, 1922. He lived 15 years at Brookland, Wash., and five years at Monmouth. He was a member of the Eagle lodge. At the time of the accident he was employed with the Gardner Lumber Co. of Scottsburg. Surviving are his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Crisp of Monmouth; one brother, Walter J. Crisp of Monmouth; two sisters, Mrs. James Faught of Cottage Grove and Mrs. Larry Fresh of Monmouth; his grandmother, Mrs. Emma Betsche of Montesano, Wash. Services will be held from the Walter Smith Mortuary in Monmouth Wednesday at 2 o'clock with burial in Fir Crest cemetery.

Frank Seabrook
LEBANON — Frank Seabrook, 87, of Waterloo, died November 18 in the community hospital. He was born Feb. 10, 1862 in Essex county, England, coming to the United States and Oregon in 1880. For many years he lived in the Carvallis area, coming to Waterloo in 1914. He was a timber worker. Services were held Monday at the Howe-Huston chapel with the Rev. Harvey Schmidt officiating. Burial in the Brownsville Masonic cemetery. Survivors are his sons, Orval and Perry of Waterloo, and three grandchildren, Rose, Elva and Frank Oxford of Junction City.

School Carnival Queen Reigns at Stayton



STAYTON—Senior class princess Nina Harold is shown being crowned queen of Stayton high school's annual carnival last week end by Edward Bell, master of ceremonies. Other princesses and their escorts shown in the photo from left to right are Jessie Covert and Ed Small, freshmen; Claire McEwen and Dave York, sophomores; and Dolores Hoffenbredle and Chuck Morgan, Juniors. (Bob Hagen photo.)

THE VALLEY NEWS COLUMNS

From The Oregon Statesman's Valley Correspondents

Grange Head At Silverton Re-elected

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SILVERTON — Frank Porter has been re-elected master of the Silverton grange with installation set for December 7 at Waldo Hills when Pomona will install along with subordinate granges. Other officers elected for Silverton are overseer, Carl Haberly; lecturer, Mrs. Conrad Johnson; chaplain, Mrs. Emil Loe; treasurer, Otto Dahl; secretary, Mrs. Carl Specht; ceres, Mrs. Ben Gifford; pomona, Mrs. Ethel King; flora, Mrs. George Scott; steward, Howard Meyers; assistant steward, Guy Sanders; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Nels Langsev; executive committee, Dr. A. J. McCannel, Conrad Johnson and Emil Loe; and musician, Mrs. A. J. McCannel.

The Silverton grange is sponsoring church day Sunday, December 11, at the Christian church. All grange members have been invited to join the local group and a no host dinner will be served after the services. Place for the dinner to be announced later.

Rainier Girls' Band Plays At Amity

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AMITY — A group of young women, the Youth For Christ orchestra from Rainier, which included Miss Clarice Mitchell a former Amity girl, spent the week end in Amity they provided entertainment for a young peoples' party at the Baptist church Saturday night. They also played for church services Sunday morning, the Methodist Homecoming, a meeting at the Farm Labor camp and for the Baptist Youth Fellowship.

Eather Smith of Coos Bay, was a guest of Joyce Wakeman for a party of her Sorority at Linfield college Friday. Miss Smith plans to resume her studies at the college after the first of the year.

Mrs. Andrew Wakeman is attending a church school conference at the White Temple in Portland Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Silverton Cub Scouts Receive Advancements

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SILVERTON — Advancements were made at the Cub Scout pack 52, meeting Friday night at the scout quarters in the Washington Irving building.

Cubs receiving scarfs and sashes included Kenneth Budeau, Jon Sorensen, Jack Hunter, Richard DeSantis. Bobcat pins were awarded to Kenneth Budeau, David Moe, Jon Sorensen, Jack Hunter; wolf pins to Allen Reinbeck; Wolf, gold and silver arrow, Albert Van-Cleave; one year attendance pin, Carl Fields.

Names as den mothers for den 1 were Mrs. Peter Sorensen, Mrs. Howard Fields; den 2, Mrs. Ted Rutherford and Dolores Gasso. Craig Clark is cubmaster.

Roberts Grange Elects Officers

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ROBERTS — Glenn Bidgood was re-elected master of Roberts Grange at the meeting held Saturday evening. Elected to serve with Bidgood were: Lecturer, Mrs. Roy Rice; overseer, Elmer Minch; steward, Charles Fulton; assistant steward, Floyd Plank; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Floyd Plank; chaplain, Mrs. S. L. Minard; treasurer, Mrs. Glenn Bidgood; secretary, Ed Clymer; gate keeper, George Higgins; ceres, Mrs. Melvin Trindle; pomona, Mrs. Frank Sollenberger; Flora, Mrs. Carl Bragg; executive committee, Roy Rice, Frank Sollenberger, S. L. Minard.

Wipper Heads Sheep Group At Cloverdale

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CLOVERDALE — On Monday night an organization meeting of the Lucky 13 Sheep club was held at the home of the leader, Karl Wipper. Jerry Wipper was elected president; vice-president, Harvey Elser; secretary, Shirley Hennies and reporter, Karleen Drager. The next meeting date and place was not set due to the fact the club will not start meetings until after the first of the year.

So far only 10 members will take the place of last year's fifteen members. Later in the evening refreshments were served to the following members and their parents Paul and Tommy Thomas, Harvey Elser, Patricia Ahrens, Shirley and Patricia Hennies, Karleen and Margie Drager, and Jerry Wipper, Pat Wolfe, Mrs. A. S. Drager, Mrs. L. Hennies, Mrs. P. Thomas, Mrs. Karl Wipper and the hostess Mrs. Wipper.

Albany Veterans' Clubs Organize Composite Group

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ALBANY — Representatives of the four Albany veterans' organizations met in the club rooms of the American Legion for the purpose of organizing a clearing group of all civic and public programs concerning veterans' organizations. They also elected officers and set a regular meeting date. Carl Stanley presided as chairman at the preliminary meeting and W. Risdon was secretary pro-tem.

Officers elected were William Ebert, commander of the Albany chapter 17; Disabled American Veterans, chairman; Frank C. Stellmacher, commander of Spanish-American war veterans, vice-chairman; W. Walter Stuart, sr., American Legion, secretary; and Chet Haven, Veterans of Foreign Wars, treasurer.

All future meetings will be held in the American Legion club rooms the third Monday of each month at 8 p. m. At the December meeting a committee to make by-laws and rules will be appointed.

Valley Briefs

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Lincoln — The Lincoln Community club will meet December 2 at 8 p. m. instead of Friday, November 25, as originally planned. The first date was changed because it fell on a Thanksgiving holiday.

East Salem — The Lancaster drive home extension unit will meet Friday at 10:30 a. m. in the home of Mrs. E. C. Mennis. Window treatments will be discussed.

Popcorn — Cleo McMorris lost two of his fingers in a buzz saw accident Saturday.

Orchard Heights — The annual Thanksgiving dinner will be held again at the Popcorn school. A program will be given at 11 o'clock.

Pratum — The Pratum-MacLeay home extension unit will meet Tuesday, November 22, at 1 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Cornelius Bateson. Eleanor Trindle will discuss "Unifying Home Furnishings."

Fruitland — Thirty women were present at the Woman's Circle meeting Thursday. Evelyn deVries was a special guest and displayed articles made in Southern Rhodesia, Africa, where she has been a missionary the past five years. Hostesses were Mrs. Lafe Sherwood, Mrs. Clare Strawn, Mrs. Bill Fritz and Wilma deVries.

Valley Births

SILVERTON — Born at the Silverton hospital November 21, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Williams, and November 18, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Emidio DeSantis.

CLOVERDALE — Mr. and Mrs. Loren Newkirk are announcing the birth of a granddaughter, Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwichtenberg. They are keeping their small grandson, Johnnie Mike, while his mother is at the hospital. Later in the week both mother and baby will be with the Newkirks for a few weeks.

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Dr. D. H. Leech, Noted Minister, Dies Sunday

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ALBANY — Dr. David Hervey Leech, 85, well known northwest Oregon Methodist minister, died Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. A. McCully at Hood River.

Leech resided in Albany for nine years. He was retired. Funeral services will be held from the Albany First Methodist church at 10 a. m. Wednesday. Burial will be in the Masonic cemetery. Fisher Funeral home is in charge.

Leech had served as pastor of the First Methodist church from 1911 to 1915 and from 1928 to 1933. He came to Oregon 65 years ago, settling in Sherman county where he served as county commissioner for a short time.

He moved to Salem in 1898 when he entered the Willamette university's theological school and became its first graduate. In the year following he served in parsonages at Woodburn, Corvallis, Grants Pass, Albany and Eugene.

During his career, Leech also served as district superintendent of the eastern Oregon Methodist district and later in the Salem district. The religious education building at the Albany Methodist church was named Leech hall in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Leech.

A Mason for 55 years, he was a member of St. John's lodge 17, AF & AM; Multnomah chapter 1, RAM, and DeMolay Commandery 5, Salem.

Surviving are four children, John B. Leech, Blodgett, Mrs. Eileen A. McCully, Hood River, Charles D. Leech, Lebanon, and Archer O. Lee h, Portland; 11 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Bean Bags Given To Liberty School

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LIBERTY — Fifty Bean Bags were presented to the Liberty school on Friday by Mrs. Wilbert Kurth, president of the Liberty Woman's club.

The bags were sewed Friday at the home of Mrs. John Dasch on Boone road. A covered-dish dinner was served at noon.

Working on the project were Mrs. Harold Rosebraugh, Mrs. Wayne Blaco, Mrs. Harry Knepper, Mrs. Roland Seeger, Mrs. Wilbert Kurth, Mrs. Melvin Seeger, Mrs. Louis Kurth, Mrs. James Falk, and Mrs. John Dasch. Cheryl Lee Kurth and Sharon Knepper were there.

Selenium is a chemical element sensitive to light.

Rosedale Church Sets Thanksgiving Service Wednesday

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ROSEDALE — There will be a special Thanksgiving service at the Rosedale Friends church Wednesday evening. There will be a program, a praise service in word and song, and a social time afterward.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cole were hosts at a dinner party in honor of Mrs. Glen Barnett and son Jerry of Murrysville, Penn. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heckart and son Larry, Gary and Tommy Gleason and Billy Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Cammack, Mrs. Floyd Bates, Mr. Merle Green and Mr. Will Way went to Medford to attend the Friends church quarterly meeting Friday and Saturday at the Medford Friends church.

Minister Visits Old Friends at Four Corners

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FOUR CORNERS — The Rev. and Mrs. Albert Bashford of Jefferson visited in the A. J. Batterson home, 4077 Durbin ave., this week. They were friends 30 years ago in Bushnell, Neb., where Rev. Bashford was pastor of the church the Battersons attended. Bashford recently retired from the ministry.

S/Sgt. D. R. Carriger, stationed at McChord Field, Wash., was home on leave this last week. The Carrigers are building a new house at 4215 Glenwood dr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Snook, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Snook, Harold Snook and Mrs. Roy Thayer drove to Springfield Monday to attend funeral services of the late Walter Snook, brother of E. A. Snook. Interment was in Eugene.

Thanksgiving will be observed in the Four Corners Lincoln school with a two-day holiday through Thursday and Friday. On Wednesday a special lunch will be served in the cafeteria. The Thanksgiving story will be presented in each room.

SERVICE PLANNED

SILVERTON — The Rev. B. E. Olson, pastor of the Pilgrim Holiness congregation at 942 South Water street has announced a special home mission service for Thursday at 7:30 p. m. The Rev. R. H. Beltz, general secretary for home missions, will be the guest speaker.



LEARNING THE HARD WAY—Students carry desks into county school (background) near Torrice, Italy, about 36 miles southeast of Rome. The school, heavily damaged in war, has no furniture and pupils built own primitive-looking desks.

Amateur Night, Pie Social Raises \$45 At Cloverdale School

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CLOVERDALE — On Saturday night an amateur program and pie social was held at the school house. Karl Wipper acted as master of ceremonies, while Alvin Kreger was auctioneer for the pies. Evelyn Hennies walked away with the grand prize, an electric light-weight iron, for her piano.

Many other prizes were given for separate age groups of instrumental, vocal and miscellaneous numbers. A total of \$45 was made for the student body. They plan to buy a combination radio-phonograph or record player. An added \$15 was made by the upper-grade room, from a Fish pond and Fortune telling booth which they added as an extra. In charge of the program were the two teachers, Mrs. C. Cantrill and Mrs. L. Callaway.

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