

Business Men Form Group At Aumsville

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AUMSVILLE—The Aumsville Business Men's association held its first meeting in several years Monday night. The group had a chicken dinner at the Aumsville cafe, made reorganization plans and elected officers. Sam Wright is president; W. J. Roberts, vice-president and Myron Nicholson, secretary-treasurer.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday night, February 13. A regular meeting date will be set at that time. The group was formed to further industry and help business in Aumsville.

The January PTA meeting has been definitely cancelled. The next meeting will be Monday, February 20.

A March of Dimes benefit basketball game will be held Monday night, January 30. The Aumsville town team will play two games—Aumsville high school and the Turner town team.

Girls to represent Aumsville high school at the all-day square dance jamboree at Jefferson February 4 are Beverly Slater, Helen Kuehl, Janice Richies, Elizabeth Tate, Audrey King, Eileen Erickson, Mary Ann Germond, Juanita Bales, Joan Layman and Margaret Fry. The girls will do the black hawk waltz. Ten schools are invited to participate in the jamboree.

Mrs. Elmer Klein is leader of 4-H sewing clubs 2, 3 and 4. Officers for the combined units are Helen Kuehl, president; Patty Schaeffer, vice president; Georgianna Kuehl, secretary and Marilyn Schaeffer, reporter.

Mrs. Ed Holmquist is leader of the 4-H club. Officers are Velma Fry, president; Patricia Nison, vice president and Iona Clayton, secretary.

Snow Cuts Power In Mehama Area; Threat to Lockers

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MEHAMA—A new cold front, ushered in by a foot or more of snow hit the Mehama area Friday, sending school children scurrying home in the cold with electricity cut off and schools and many homes without light or heat.

Golliets store was dark and the clerks shivering with cold after a seven-hour power shut off. Food lockers were padlocked to prevent temperatures from rising, with only a fluctuation of 5 degrees reported by Ken Golliet during the seven hour period.

A power line up the Little North Fork was sagging perilously close to the road, barely leaving room for traffic to detour around it.

Valley Obituaries

William A. Wiley
SWEET HOME—William A. Wiley, 76, former Sweet Home resident and son of early pioneer parents, died in a Redding, Calif., hospital January 14. Funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Fall River Mills, the Rev. David S. Willis officiating. Interment was in the Fall River Mills cemetery.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mildred Clark, Fall River Mills, Calif.; Mrs. Edna Tennis, Biggs, Calif.; three brothers, Clarence, Foster, John, Portland, and Charles, Redmond, Ore. Mrs. Wiley died 32 years ago.

William A. Wiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wiley, who were the first settlers east of Wiley creek, was born on the Wiley homestead Sept. 20, 1874. For many years he worked at the carpenter trade and while living in Sweet Home operated a cabinet shop in a building that stood where the New Era newspaper office now is. Seventeen years ago he went to Fall River Mills, Calif., where he engaged in saw filing.

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State Rebekah Prexy Visits At Silverton

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SILVERTON—Lelah Ramsey of Madras, president of Rebekah Assembly of Oregon, visited with Tryphena Rebekah lodge Thursday night.

Other grand officers present were Wilma Lefter, Hubbard, outside guardian, and Grant Murphy, Salem, past grand master of IOOF.

Mrs. Walter Larson directed the rededication ceremony exemplifying the "Garden of Fraternity". Assisting her were Mrs. Jack Tuggle, Elizabeth Rutherford, Mrs. Will Egan, Mrs. Lial McClure, Mrs. P. E. Sylvester, Mrs. I. L. Stewart, Helen Mulkey, Mrs. Frank Giroux and Mike Hanna.

Little Carol Monson and Larry Taylor, daughter of Mable Monson noble grand, and son of Betty Taylor, vice grand, carried gifts presented to Mrs. Ramsey. Mrs. Monson and Mrs. Giroux made the presentations.

During the program hour, Mrs. Ramsby gave an address to the assembly.

Serving on the refreshment table were Mrs. Lillian Bilyeu, Mrs. Lillian Bilyeu.

committee were Mrs. Mary Egan Kleeman, Mrs. Will Egan, Nellie Southmaid, Minnie Napier and Webb Napier. Pussy willows and greenery decorated the dining room with Nellie Cavendar and Mrs. Frank Porter in charge.

Mrs. Monson appointed her standing committee for the year to include reception, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson, Mrs. Egan, Mrs. Frances Gehrke, Mrs. S. A. Gay and Mrs. Clarence Reed; flower and card, Elizabeth Rutherford; Mrs. McClure, Mrs. Miles Tobias; resolution, Daisy Langley, Mrs. Kleeman, Mrs. Stewart; finance, Jenny Cook, Nina Southmaid, Mary Riley; visiting, Mrs. Clay Allen, Oda MacKinister, Mrs. Arnold Burrier; press correspondent, Mrs. R. B. Renwick; alter bearers, Mrs. Marie Thomas, Nina Southmaid and Mrs. Ralph Sears.

BLACKWELL INJURED

JEFFERSON—Jim Blackwell, jr. is on crutches with his left leg in a cast, broken Saturday when he was hit by an automobile at Mill City. Part of a train crew, Blackwell was returning to the train from a restaurant up the hill from the tracks. Starting down the hill he was hit by the automobile and knocked several feet into a snow bank. His leg will be in the cast for at least three weeks.

Valley Births

PEDEE—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce Lyday are the parents of a 5 lb. 11 oz. boy, born January 19 at a Dallas hospital. He has been named Gregory Bruce O. N. Burbank.

Secretary of Dallas C of C Leaves Post

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DALLAS—C. L. Marsters, secretary of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce submitted his resignation to President William Dalton this past week because other duties allowed insufficient time to his chamber duties. He had served as secretary for about two years. A former secretary, William Blackley, agreed to take over the position with assistance on con-

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