

Valley News

Statesman News Service

Sheridan Civic Club First To Realize Need of Library

SHERIDAN—Sheridan Civic Club in 1914 realized need in this locality for a place where people could secure reading matter, and decided to attempt founding of a public library.

appointed from the membership of the club and Oct. 26 the library started with 30 books. These increased in a year to 200 volumes. For a number of years the library was managed by the Civic Club. A board was appointed from the club and the members of the board acted as librarians.

Financing the library was a serious matter. Funds and rentals provided revenues for purchasing an occasional new book.

From this beginning, the library grew until it became necessary to turn the entire management over to the Library Board. This method of handling it was continued until March 1, 1926, when it was given to the city. Since then it has been managed by a board under the supervision of the council.

The library is indebted to the Civic Club for its support and aid to the ex-Dorcas society, which during its existence donated funds, and in its last years worked exclusively for the library; to the Sheridan Chamber of Commerce, which raised funds to enable the board to purchase needed furniture, and to members of the Study Club who have supported it.

Six women served as presidents of the board from 1916 to 1933. They were Mrs. Flora Knickerbocker, Mrs. Etta Demorest, Mrs. Mary McDonald, Mrs. Marie Eckridge, Mrs. Mollie Daniels and Mrs. Alice Payne.

The library, located upstairs in the city hall, had both the reading space and book shelf space doubled when a new room was added in 1954. New reading tables were also purchased for the new wing at that time.

Townpeople display collections that are of interest to the community in the display case.

Two items donated for permanent display in the case are a silver antique teapot, by Duff Hamstreet, in memory of his wife. It was originally owned by Mrs. Mollie G. Daniels, past president of the board, who was active in establishing the library.

Second item is an antique coffee urn by Mrs. Otto Heider. The urn was used by the Heider families in Cologne, Germany for more than a century. It was brought to Sheridan by the late Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Heider on their return from a European visit in 1923.

At the end of 1957 the library had 6414 volumes and 540 persons holding reading cards. There is an average of 500 adult books loaned a month, 200 for children, and about 20 magazines.

The present board consists of Mrs. Dale Cooley, president; Mrs. Francis Bradley, vice-president; Mrs. Harold Ladd, secretary; Mrs. Robert Gentry, treasurer, and Mrs. Harold Fuller. They serve voluntarily.

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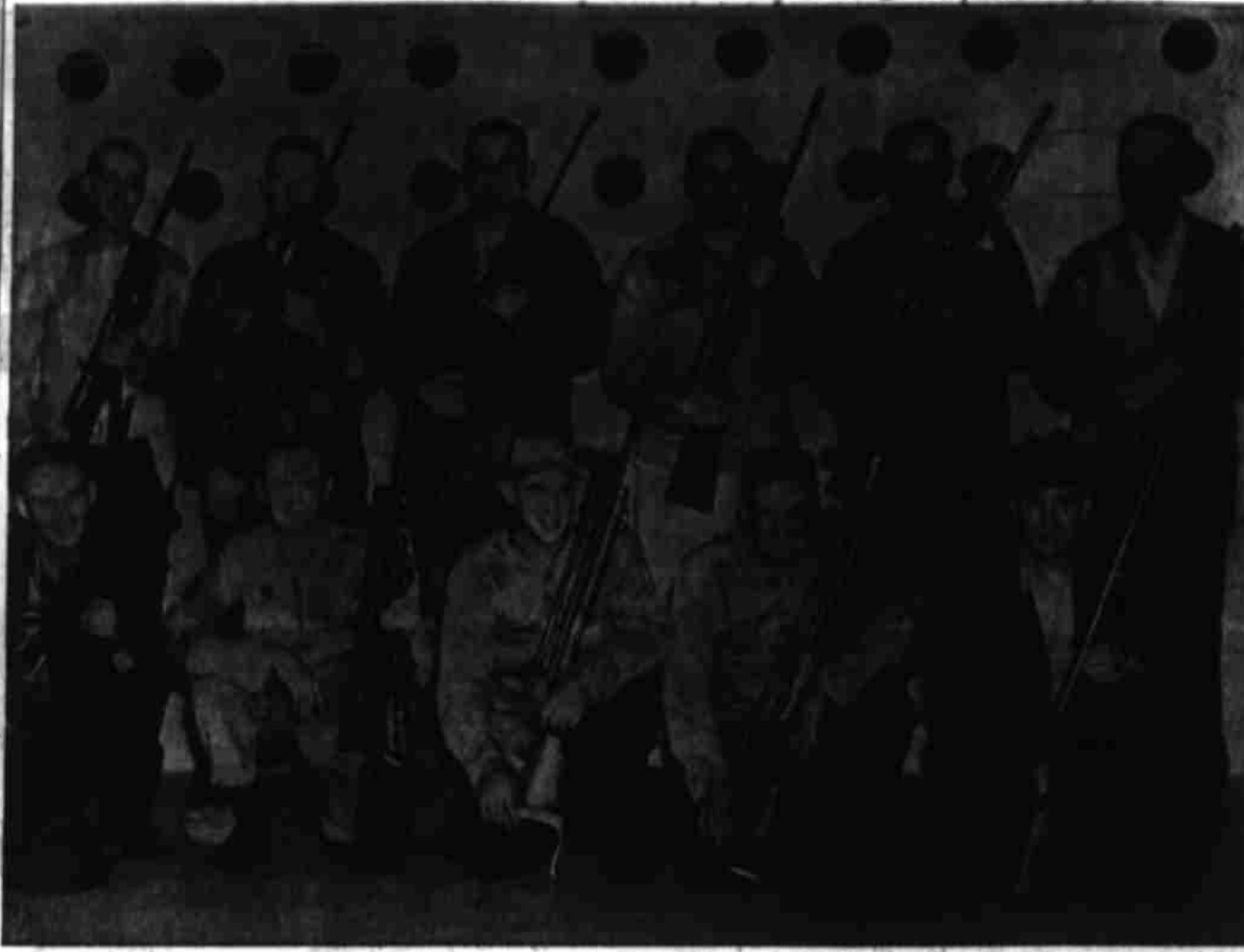
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Four Corners Garners Northwest Oregon Rifle Title



FOUR CORNERS—New champions of the Northwest Oregon Rifle League are these 11 sharpshooters from Four Corners Rod and Gun club. Wednesday night they triumphed over a state prison officers team at McMinville armory. The close match ended 1993 to 1979. Front row, from left,

Roy Chilcote, Captain Leonard Schad, Clyde Johnson, Robert Allen, and Tex Shively. Back row, Kenneth Nall, Jim Tolley, William Clay, Larry Bright, Jim Bright, and Roy Cooper. Four Corners No. 2 team, captained by David Bates, ended in a third place tie with the Turner, Ore., team.

Lebanon Mason Constructs Furniture for New Lodge

LEBANON—When Lebanon Masons recently dedicated new lodge quarters, they received a unique gift of furniture designed and made by a long-time member. Elmer L. Richardson spent four months making an altar, four candleabra and three station desks, all from Oregon myrtlewood. He also presented a secretary's desk, high chest of drawers and an apen stand.

When the Lebanon man retired in 1950 after working 18 1/2 years for the Lebanon Division of Crown Zellerbach Corporation, he sought a hobby. Already a collector of wood materials, with a background of carpentry, he started to work in his small workshop at the rear of his home.

Richardson, a native of Iowa, came to Lebanon in November, 1900, the train trip taking 10 long days. His earlier years were spent working with his father, a carpenter-contractor. But prior to his paper job, Richardson worked as a telephone linesman and at one time served as telephone manager at Toledo. While on a brief return to Iowa in 1917, he became a mem-

Soviets Discover White-Blooded Fish

MOSCOW (U.S.S.R.)—Soviet geologists have found in the antarctic a hitherto unknown species of white-blooded fish, Tass news agency reports. Eighteen of the fish with no hemoglobin, the element that makes corpuscles red, were found by members of the Zoological Institute of the Soviet Academy of Sciences, Tass said.

Voice for Nasser

CAIRO (U.S.S.R.)—Usually reliable informants say Egypt is sending Yusef a 70-kilowatt radio transmitter to relay propaganda broadcasts of President Nasser's Voice of Arabs to the Arabian Peninsula and East Africa. Yusef, a little known on the Red Sea, is federated with the Egyptian Syrian United Arab Republic.

Valley Briefs

North Howell—Home Economics club set May 18 for the annual Church Sunday. The members also made plans this week to hold a waffle breakfast and lobby show at the grange hall April 20.

Valsets—Mountain Promenaders square dances will be Friday night at 7:30 in the Valsets recreation hall. Admission cost will be regular dues and one pie. Square and folk dancing is planned.

Valsets—Hill De Ho and Square and Circle Club completed plans for the annual spring get together square dance jamboree April 19 at Eugene Field school auditorium in Silverton.

Valsets—Mothers Club netted \$70 from a St. Patrick's dance which will be used to help pay costs of the junior and senior prom.

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Valley Obituaries

Mrs. Conrad Johnson

SILVERTON — Funeral services for Mrs. Conrad (Emma S.) Johnson, 68, will be Monday at 2 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church with burial in Valley View cemetery, Ekman Funeral Home in charge. She died Thursday in a Portland hospital.

Mrs. Johnson was born Dec. 26, 1889, at Pierpont, S.D., and came to Silvertown 56 years ago. Her husband died 18 months ago at Silvertown.

Survivors are two sons, Earl K. Johnson with the Marion County Agricultural Stabilization Conservation office in Salem, and Sheldon Johnson, Silvertown; a daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Blanchard, Cottage Grove; a sister, Mrs. Jasper Dullum, Long Beach, Calif., and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Johnson was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church and Silvertown Grange.

DIALS INSTALLED

TURNER — Installing of dial phones began Wednesday on the Turner-Cloverdale road. First dial phone went to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wipper. Patrons this week were informed by company that action had been taken to make final distribution of funds. Each share holder will receive \$39.99 per share. Shares when purchased from the company, cost \$15.

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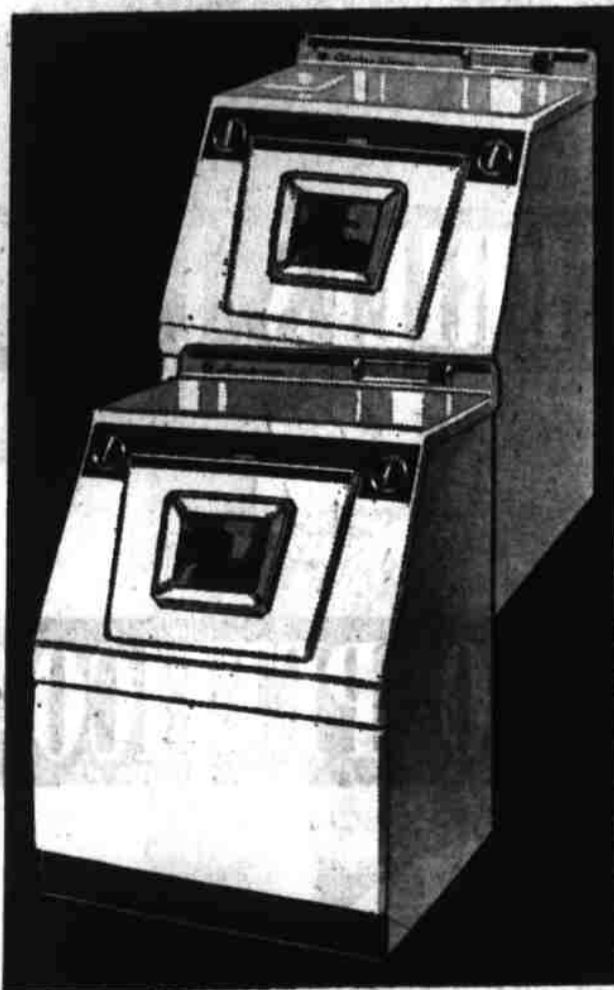
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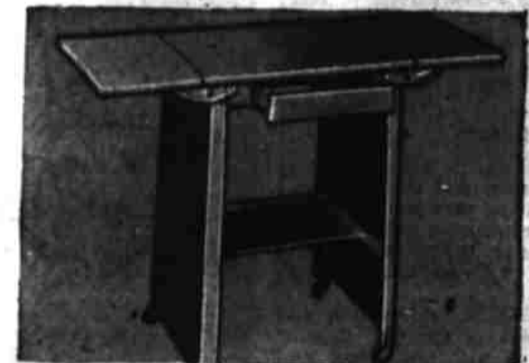
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