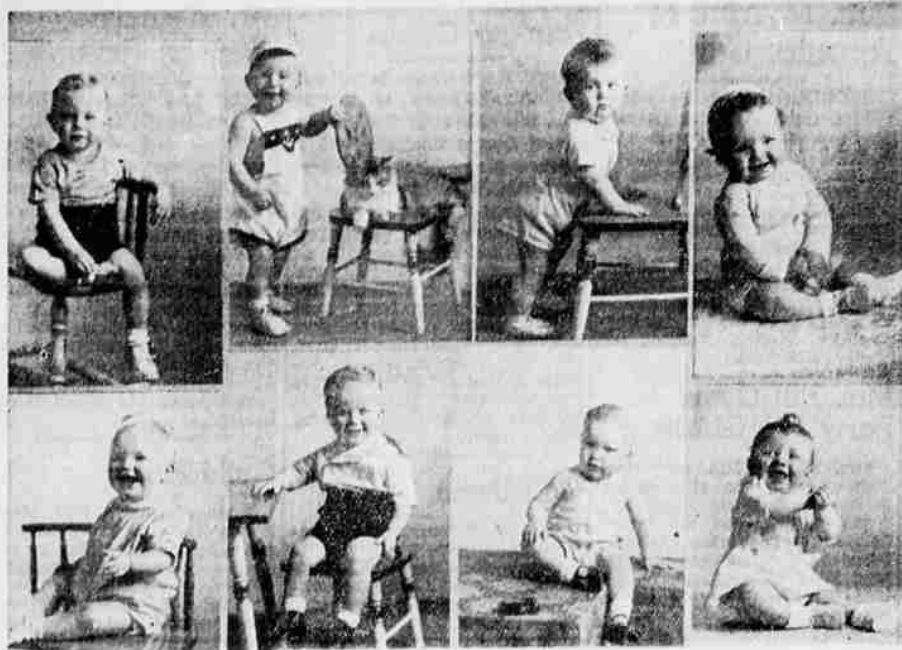


SOCIETY NOTES

By MARIAN LOWRY



THESE ARE WINNERS IN CONTEST

The winners in the baby boys division of the Romane studio baby picture contest are pictured above. Left to right—upper row, first place, Jimmie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hall, Eugene; second place, James Dale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Garrison, Eugene; third place, Lyell, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Stark, Eugene; fourth place, Raymond Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Head, Rt. 1, Springfield. Lower row, honorable mention, Wayne LeRoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Hunter, Veneta; Gerald Alan, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Huston, Eugene; Jerry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Carney, Oakridge; and Merlin Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Olsen, Junction City. (Wiltshire engraving)

Lines From The Library

An interesting and valuable book added to the reference shelves at the public library is "Racial Proverbs" selected by S. G. Champion. The book comes as a result of twenty-seven years of research and includes about 26,000 of the most interesting proverbs from about two hundred languages. The book is arranged by continent, indexed by chief word with both subject and cross references.

We see that Thornton Wilder's prize winning play "Our Town" is to be produced soon into movies by United Artists. Angela Thirkell the author of "The Bransons" is the daughter of the artist Burne-Jones. She has the power of cleverness in her books which makes for enjoyable reading. Mrs. Brandon herself is a delightful character with a grown son and daughter. Then there is Aunt Sissie, who has a lot of money, and a cousin, and Sissie's companion. All these characters make "The Bransons" a grand hot weather story.

Again Edward J. O'Brien has published his annual volume of "The Best Short Stories of the Year (1933 in this case)". We notice that the source of the stories range from the Atlantic Monthly to New Masses from Esquire to The Southern Review. Some are older familiar authors and some new.

Mrs. Marjorie Greenfield's "American Saga" is both unique and worthy of attention, based largely on letters, diaries and contemporary traveler's accounts. In the author's own words her purpose "is to collect in one volume the records of America's long struggle for better living, beginning with the first colonists at all the main centers on the Eastern coast and continuing across the country to the Pacific, and down the line of history to the present."

Barry Benefield's April was When It Began is a charming impossible story—almost a fairy tale. It is full of romance, sentiment, and humor all mixed together and makes light but entertaining reading. By the same author as "Valiant" is the Word for Carrie.

We notice that among the best sellers in England are many titles popular with the readers in this country. Some of these which are on the rental or seven day shelves at the public library are:

John Gunther, Inside Asia.
Nora Waln, Reaching for the Stars.

Margaret Mitchell, Gone with the Wind.
Adolph Hitler, Mein Kampf.
Stefan Zweig, Beware of Pity.

HARRISBURG NEWS

HARRISBURG, Aug. 12.—(Special)—Gail A. Hathaway of Washington, D. C. is visiting at the home of his brother, Paul Hathaway and family. He is a government engineer, and before going to Washington had spent most of his life in this community. He will visit with other brothers and sisters in Oregon before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers are the parents of a baby girl born Thursday, August 10, at the Albany General hospital. The baby weighed six pounds and six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Myatt, who have been employed at the Carl Keen farm for the past two years have moved to Fresno, California.

WALTERVILLE, Aug. 12.—(Special)—The Walterville Ladies Aid society met Thursday at the social room of the church for the regular quilling of the week.

W. R. C. MEETING

The Women's Relief Corps will hold a business meeting Thursday at two o'clock at the armory. The annual picnic was held last week with families of members and Sons of Union Veterans and their families as guests. About sixty persons attended.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Missionary society of Fairmount Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday at two-thirty with Mrs. Emmett Mechem. The discussion of the book on India will be continued.

REUNION HELD

WOLF CREEK, Aug. 12.—(Special)—The Hoselton reunion was held at Wolf creek recently at the Had Hoselton homestead. Mrs. Mary Hoselton, Veneta; Mrs. Vera Holland, Wolf Creek; Bill Holland and daughter, Jackie, Jimmy Holland, Mrs. May Fradette, route 1, Eugene, Neil King, Faye King, Mr. and Mrs. John Steinkne and son, Carol and granddaughter, Roberta Wallace of Creswell, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hoselton, son Bobby, grandson, Stevie Bunnell of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Had Hoselton, daughters Marilyn and Melba of Springfield, Rt. 2, Mr. and Mrs. Mode Hazelton, son Devine of Corvallis, Mrs. Hattie Booth, North Bend, Maude Shumway of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dowdy and daughter, Joyce and Mary Lou, and Dale, of Creswell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellingson, Vaughn, Steve Bristall, Jimmy Bristall of Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowman and daughter, Betty and Wanda of Wolf creek, Mr. and Mrs. Vince McIntyre and children, Junior and Patty of Vaughn, Mrs. Reta George, son Billy, Mr. Bart George, of Wolf creek, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith and children of Coburg, Mrs. Lucy Watts and children from Wolf creek, Viola Seigrist of North Bend, Mr. Bill Macklin of Crow, Elizabeth Venice of Veneta.

DRAIN EVENTS

DRAIN, Aug. 12.—(Special)—Harry Brookhart, superintendent of the Multnomah city schools, visited recently here with his sister, Mrs. Claire La Grandier and family, and brother, Stanley Brookhart.

Dave Lakey won first in the Douglas county contest of old time fiddlers at the Douglas county musicians' picnic held at Fishers Grove near Kellogg.

RETURN FROM FAIR

COBURG, Aug. 12.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Walden Pendell and daughter Frances have returned from a visit to the San Francisco fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Abelson and daughter Betty of Greene, Iowa, visited Friday with Dr. and Mrs. Epeneter. The ladies are cousins.

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Calendar For Coming Week

Monday

6 p. m.—St. Clare guild picnic at the home of Miss Janet Osborne.
7:30 p. m.—Alpha Iota meets with Miss Ernestine Mitchell.
7:30 p. m.—U. S. W. V. auxiliary meets at the armory.
8 p. m.—W. B. A. meets in Moose hall.

Tuesday

2 p. m.—Rebekah card party at I. O. O. F. hall.
2:30 p. m.—Missionary society of Fairmount Presbyterian church meets with Mrs. Emmett Mechem.
3-5 p. m.—Silver tea of Woman's Missionary society of Central Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. Timothy Cloran.
6 p. m.—Zonta club picnic, Skinner Butte park.
7:30 p. m.—Spinners club meeting at the home of Miss Maude Edmunds.

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All-day meeting of Women's Council at First Christian church.

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CO-WORKERS CLASS TO MEET FRIDAY

The Co-Workers' class of the First Baptist church will meet Friday at two o'clock in the church parlors. Hostesses will be Mrs. A. B. Serfling, Mrs. Mary Graham, Mrs. Earl McNutt, Mrs. P. A. Peterson and Mrs. C. V. Addison.

GROUP PLANS MEETING IN SKINNER BUTTE PARK

The Missionary society of the United Lutheran church will meet Thursday at two o'clock in Skinner Butte park, with Mrs. H. M. Davenport in charge. The subject will be "Must or May."

TO MEET MONDAY

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WINNERS IN RECENT BABY CONTEST

PICTURED here are winners in two divisions of the recent baby picture contest conducted at Romane studio. In the upper row are winners in group A, left to right: Fred Allen Cassidy, Jr., first prize; Pamela Sue Johns, second prize; Wayne Peterson, third prize. In the lower row are winners in group C, left to right: James Manley Standard, first prize; Don Slack, second prize; James Williams, third prize. (Wiltshire engraving)

THE SUNDAY GARDENER

By MARIE FLETCHER

The Herb Garden—General Garden

Visitors from Eugene have been welcomed at 170 Arguello Blvd. recently: Mrs. Frank Nombalnis, who has been spending some time with her son and daughter; Dr. Mary Fowler-Thompson, who stopped to visit her son, Don, and his wife, on her way to Eugene; H. B. Johnson, principal of Eugene high school, and Mrs. Johnson; Miss Hazel Fishwood, Art Supervisor, and Miss Beryl Deford, teacher at Frances Willard and president Chapter H. P. E. O. R. Johnson with other teachers from Eugene had attended the summer sessions at Stanford university; Miss Fishwood and Miss Deford came down with the Carnegie Foundation group from Oregon University. They spoke most appreciatively of the arrangements so thoughtfully made for the comfort of the group by Professor Willcox of the University Art department.

A last bit of pleasure shared with some of the group was a visit to Gumps. Gumps, for those who may not as yet be acquainted with San Francisco, is an establishment on Post street which in its art treasures of glass, china, paintings and carvings outranks the "Wealth of Ormus and of Ind." Its Jade room is open to visitors at times and they come away, usually, incantations over the marvels it contains. A jade screen in the collection is one of the art treasures of any time or place. A visit to Gumps sends one home with feelings of satisfaction and delight for days to come. "Beauty is its own excuse for being."

WALDPOR NEWS

WALDPOR, Aug. 12.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kent plan to leave the last of this week for eastern points, Chicago and Detroit included, where Mr. Kent expects to take delivery of a new school bus, and a car for personal use. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Miss Norma Graham was the honor guest at a surprise birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Bristow last week. Mrs. Bristow was assisted by Mrs. Gus Wagner.

Miss Virginia Starr has returned home from a two weeks' trip to Oakland and the San Francisco fair.

COMMITTEE NAMED

YONCALLA, Aug. 12.—(Special)—The Scotts Valley Townsend club met recently. The regular business was transacted. John Wilson and Mrs. John Bowman was appointed on a committee to meet with the north Douglas county fair board. Jack Gamble was appointed chairman of the Trail Blazer committee. The proceeds from the supper and one dance a month is to go for the benefit of the Trail Blazer. The ladies are to furnish the cakes for this supper.

HALSEY ITEMS

HALSEY, Aug. 12.—(Special)—Miss Louise Barnes accompanied by Mrs. Neva Moore of Corvallis has left for San Francisco where they will attend the Golden Gate fair. Miss Barnes plans to be away about a week, but Mrs. Moore will remain for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon F. Cross have left for their home in Redmond after an extended visit with relatives here and transacting business.

San Francisco's Garden Genius is, as has been said often, and will be many more times, Dr. John McLaren—"The Everlasting Scot." Frank J. Taylor calls him in an article in the last Saturday Evening Post. If any be downcast and need a dose of pep this article is recommended highly.

When Dr. McLaren was a lad—he is now ninety-four years old—his father advised him to plant trees, "they will grow while you sleep." He is still minding his father for there are thousands of trees growing in his greenhouses now, and he expects to be wandering under them when he reaches his century birthday.

Should any unbeliever raise an eyebrow at such a hope, he knows neither John McLaren nor his achievements to date! His gardening, tree planting, his ability in "bucking" various and sundry Boards of Public Works is a story too good to be missed. If you should have an engagement with Dr. McLaren for four o'clock and arrive at 4:01, it would be just too bad for Dr. McLaren would be on his way to his "fuchsia gardens, the Conservatory, the rhododendrons or the pansy beds." Perhaps to play dominoes at the game pavilion where a group has a daily rendezvous.

Mr. Taylor's article answers the question about the lovely palisade that is rising along the beach, south from Seal Rocks for some ten or more miles, where the waves used to batter the Park, the Zoo, and other spots. Those who had been consulted felt sure that nothing could keep out the ocean. Dr. McLaren decided "you can make it work for you." He bought thousands of bunches of lath, had them set upright an inch or so apart for miles along the shore. In front of the lath were dumped the branches trimmed from the city's trees. The wind and the waves brought in the sand and covered them. Then he repeated the process for the second story. Now there are flowers blooming in the hollows—geraniums, ivies, nasturtiums—of the ten mile rock garden on the beach! An entrancing drive!

I never knew Thee, Lord, until My garden brought us face to face. Revealed Thy gracious miracle Of sun and wind and space. Since I have seen Thine alchemy

Change earth-blown lath living gold Of daffodils, Eternity Has seemed a simple truth hold.

The incense breath of mignonette Has summoned me to kneel too. And may I never more forget To lift my heart, as passes No dim cathedral is as still As twilight in this holy place I never knew Thee, Lord, until My garden brought us face to face.

Recent guests at Mrs. O. Moorman's were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Wood County, and Mrs. Rose daughter, Mrs. Howard Berkeley, Calif. Mrs. Brown accompanied them home for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hult and the son, have gone to Chiloche near Triangle Lake, for the summer, where Mr. Hult is helping his father in the mill.

Surprise Party Held

DRAIN, Aug. 12.—(Special)—Mrs. E. J. Bragg entertained group of friends recently in surprise for Mr. Bragg, the occasion being their twentieth wedding anniversary. Music was furnished by Dave Laker, Bragg Nathan Kirtley and Moe, on violin and guitar. Mrs. Madeline Bragg and Mrs. Taylor served refreshments.

RENTS FARM

CANAS SWALE, Aug. 12.—(Special)—George Tolman rented his farm to Harry Bragg of southern California and rented a house in Springfield and moved his family there. Mr. Tolman is an operator of country machinery.

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