

Clubs at Entertained

STAGE GROVE — Mrs. Thompson was hostess to the bridge club last week. Guests were Mrs. Wesley, Mrs. Clair Hogate, Mrs. Harold Wolfard, and Mrs. Davies. The next meeting is announced for the 11th.

The ball club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. M. H. Olson. Mrs. Henrietta Olson, Mrs. Nettie Gawley, and Mrs. Nettie Gawley were present.

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Teacher Club Meeting

The January meeting of the T. C. will be held at 8 p. m. Jan. 14. Kenneth Horn is substitute for Mrs. C. Woodbury.

DAY'S NEEDLECRAFT

Smart, new diagonally closed-piece frock that any can wear. Pattern 4627 in two size ranges. Sizes 30 to 44. 46 and 48. Size 36 is cut for that of the more woman.



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Committees Named In P.U.L.L. Club

FERGUSON—P.U.L.L. club met last week at the hall with Mrs. Louis Knebel as hostess. During the regular business meeting, which was in charge of the new officers, it was decided to have a feed sack contest. Each member is to make an article from a feed sack which will be auctioned off. The person making the article which brings the highest price will receive a prize. The committee in charge is Mrs. Clovis Buchanan, Mrs. Rollin Evans, and Mrs. Raymond Lawrence.

The following committees were appointed for three months: Program, Mrs. Rollin Evans, general chairman, Mrs. Louis Knebel for January, Mrs. E. G. Buchanan for February, and Mrs. Walter Hildebrand for March.

Flower and shower committee—Mrs. George Schulerich, Mrs. Clovis Buchanan, Mrs. William Berry, Kathryn Dyer, and Mrs. Eric Bartruff, Jr.

Membership and hospitality committee—Mrs. J. E. Barto, Mrs. William Evans, Mrs. Fred Chase, and Mrs. Eric Bartruff, Sr.

Work committee—Mrs. William Maloy, Mrs. Raymond Lowrance, Mrs. Eston Sells, Mrs. Monty Moffett, and Mrs. Charlie Schwader.

Mrs. Raymond Lowrance will be the next hostess.

Shedd Items

SHEDD—Ermand McLagen of the navy is home on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McLagen.

Glenn Hawkins is on leave from the navy and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hawkins.

The Priscilla club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ruth Roberts. Two contests were held. Mrs. Ellen Zimmerman was the winner in one and Mrs. Yola St. John in the other. Guests were Mrs. Blanche Abraham, Mrs. Helen Irish, and Mrs. Sally Dick.

Morris Roberts of the air forces spent a 15-day furlough here with Mrs. Roberts and little son.

The Tangent and Shedd grade basketball teams played here on Thursday afternoon. The score at the close of the game was 24 to 21 in favor of Tangent.

Mrs. Winnie Fisher of Olds, Alberta, Canada is here visiting her father, J. B. Sprenger.

Mrs. Kenneth Smith's first and second grade pupils made red and blue cardboard bells with "God Bless America" printed in tinsel as gifts to their parents as part of their art work.

W.S.C.S. officers held a meeting recently at the home of Mrs. Hubert McDonald and planned business for the year, also appointed different committees.

Mrs. Fred Johnson is helping in the Goldsmith Grocery.

DEATHS REPORTED

FLORENCE—Two well known residents of this community have been called by death within the past week. The first was Lyle P. McKnight, boatswain guard reserve, of the Siltcoos station, U. S. coast guard. Hardly anyone here had known that McKnight had been taken with an illness which took his life within a matter of days and his death at Mc-

TODAY'S PATTERN



Be right in the swim—wear the popular tie-on bands done in crocheted. Do them in wool—in straw. Do them in cord. And if you want more of a hat, crochet the beanie and trim it with the band, tied over it. Pattern 745 contains directions for bands and beanie; stitches; list of materials.

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Legion Auxiliary Has Busy Season

REEDSPORT — The regular meeting of ReedSport unit, American Legion auxiliary, was held last week. Reports of committee chairmen showed that \$25 had been sent to the Roseburg veterans' facility by Mrs. J. V. Baldridge for Christmas gifts or needs of the men confined there, gifts valued at \$35 having previously been sent to Roseburg Christmas gift shop and \$10 cash for Christmas cheer. Receipts of five afghans, two cushions and four cushion covers was acknowledged by Mrs. Harry Hatfield, new Roseburg hospital chairman, as were three boxes of chocolate bars and several boxes of home made candy previously sent to the Roseburg hospital. One hundred sixty five boxes of home made candy were also reported sent to servicemen in this country, 125 boxes having previously been sent to local men overseas from whom many letters of thanks have been received. Plans were made for a "Gay-90's" masquerade and potluck dinner to be given with ReedSport post of the American Legion, on Feb. 16, committees to arrange the same to be announced at the meeting of the auxiliary on Feb. 2.

Lodge Installs

Installation of new officers took place last week at the January meeting of Martha chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. C. C. Chase of ReedSport, being installed as worthy matron. Other officers installed are: Mortimer Bailey, worthy patron; Harriet Butler, associate matron; Prenette Clark, associate patron; Yuba Angus, secretary; Virginia Grubb, treasurer; Claire Melvin, conductress; Marion Walker, associate conductress; Marie Bailey, chaplain; Marjorie Richardson, marshal; Frances Knowles, organist; Jean Bernhardt, Ada; Gertrude Dailey, Ruth; Hamilton, Esther; Mary Smiley, Martha; Leslie McKay, Electa; Delia Clark, warden; and W. A. Burdick, sentinel. Installing officer was Mrs. Leroy Chenoweth, and she was assisted by Mrs. E. G. Dunn, as chaplain; Mrs. H. J. Lyster, as marshal and Mrs. Paul Bernhardt, as organist. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Paul Bernhardt, Mrs. Nelson Hogan, Mrs. H. P. Marks and Mrs. C. R. Halladay.

Auley hospital, Marshfield, came as a shock. He had assumed charge of the Siltcoos station in December, 1942 upon coming here from West Yellowstone, Montana, where he was in the forest service. He was 49 years old. He was a member of the Masonic lodge, having reached the 32nd degree. Surviving in the Florence, Frances, who taught in the Florence consolidated grade schools here this year. Funeral services were held in Tacoma, in which city Mrs. McKnight's parents reside.

The second death was that of Mrs. Effie Dick, 61, of the North Fork community, who had lived nearly her entire lifetime there. She was the wife of James Dick and was born at Gardiner on April 17, 1882. At the age of two months she moved with her parents to Florence. Beside the widow she is survived by her son, Norman Dick, Dexter; her son, Robert F. Bay, Yakima, Wash., and Clyde Bay, Florence; a sister, Mrs. Ella Thompson, Florence, and two grandchildren.

Lodge Installs

WALTERVILLE—Welcome Rebekah lodge met in regular session last week. Installation was held with Mrs. George Willian installing officer and Milton Ashley, deputy marshal. Mrs. Elsie Sterne was given the honors of the past noble grand's office. Officers installed were: Mrs. Hortense Long, N. G.; Mrs. Pearl Witcher, V. G.; Mrs. Dorothy Ashley, secretary; and Mrs. Helga Smith, treasurer. Mrs. Ashley reported visiting the sick members. The incoming and outgoing officers gave talks on lodge work. The by-laws committee reported and was dismissed. Mrs. Long gave a talk on support of the I.O.O.F. home in Portland. Greetings were sent to the members from Mrs. Eugene Long, who has been ill for several months and who hopes to return to lodge soon. The members are again taking up the Rebekah club meetings and the first one for the year will be at the hall in the form of a Valentine party. Mrs. Hyrdia Dunston of Mollala was a visitor for the evening.

Officers appointed for the year by the noble grand were: Warden, Doris Marquett; conductor, Metta Watson; musician, Clare William; R.S.N.G., Frances Chase; L.S.N.G., Edyth Zabriske; R.S.V.G., Milton Ashley; L.S.V.G., Connie Solberg; I.G., Hazel Hubbard; O.G., W. R. White; finance committee, W. R. White; Milton Ashley, Elsie Sterne; trustees, Milton Ashley, W. R. White, and E. H. Long.

FUNERALS HELD

REEDSPORT—Funeral services for Lawrence Leroy Powell, 10, son of Ward Powell, ReedSport businessman, and Mrs. L. B. Wren of Portland, who was burned to death, Monday morning when the Wren residence in Portland was destroyed by fire, were held Friday in ReedSport at the Unger mortuary, with interment in ReedSport cemetery.

Burial services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Rowe, of ReedSport, were held Thursday at the ReedSport Masonic cemetery. Rev. M. Mitchell, pastor of the ReedSport Assembly of God church, officiated at both the Powell and Rowe funerals.

Eleven miles above the equator the temperature frequently falls to 112 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit. Above that it gets warmer rather than colder.

Friendly Neighbors Club Elects

SAGINAW — The Friendly Neighbors club met at the home of Mrs. Ruby Benston last week. Mrs. Nick Heill of Culp Creek and Mrs. A. C. Backel and baby were visitors. Mrs. Dora Stewart became a member. Election of officers was held for the coming year. Mrs. Ruby Benston was elected president; Mrs. Velma Zumwalt, vice-president, and Mrs. Inez Monteith was re-elected secretary and treasurer. The hostess entertained with two contests. The "guessing" contest was won by Mrs. Velma Zumwalt, Mrs. Dora Stewart, Mrs. Helen Russell, and Mrs. Clara Heill. The "skill" contest was won by Mrs. Getty. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Elsie Buck, Jan. 20.

Mrs. Cliff Gersbach has arrived from Nevada, where she had spent the past few months with her husband, Lt. Gersbach, who has been sent overseas. Mrs. Gersbach will stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Monteith, during her husband's absence.

George Getty of Fresno, Calif., visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Getty.

Jimmy Stewart went to Portland last week, where he joined the navy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart.

Mapleton News

MAPLETON—The H. E. club met at Mrs. L. J. Plowmans last week for an all day meeting. Potluck dinner was served at noon and at 2 p. m. the business meeting was held. They finished two lap robes for the Red Cross; also quilted on their quilt. The next meeting will be held at the grange hall. A handkerchief shower was given for the retiring president, Mrs. Frank Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peil were surprised recently by a housewarming in their honor. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. William Beck and Barbara Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Beck and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Johnson of Mapleton and Mrs. Mary Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hansen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hansen and daughter of Florence.

Mignon Rebekah lodge met last week. The incoming officers gave their work in preparation for installation. It was announced that Monday, Jan. 10, the Theta Rho girls will have initiation and also installation of officers and new advisers. All Rebekahs are asked to attend.

Theodore N. Morris, formerly of Mapleton, received his commission as second lieutenant in the army tank destroyer officers candidate school, Camp Hood, Texas, Dec. 31.

Orval Heide cut his foot quite severely with an axe while working.

FROM BLACHLY

BLACHLY—Mr. and Mrs. Harold O. Flynn spent the holidays in Ogden Meadows, Vancouver, Wn., with Mr. and Mrs. John Brau and Mrs. E. O. Flynn.

The Ladies' Aid held its regular meeting, Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Rose Myers. New officers were elected for the coming year as follows: Mrs. Leola Toline, president; Mrs. Marie Hulbert, vice-president; Mrs. Daisy Myers, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Daisy Crow of Alberta, Canada and Mrs. Callie Smith of Junction City were visitors at the Irvin Wolfe home one day this week.

Wesley Robertson, a former resident, has returned after being stationed at an army base in India.

Word has been received from Leland Post that he is in training in Texas.

Lowell Rust has been given an honorable discharge from the army and has returned to his home here.

Mrs. Bud Fisher and Mrs. Jack Hall have returned home after several weeks visit in Glendale, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bauman returned this week after several weeks visit with their daughter, Mrs. Edna Thompson, in California.

Mrs. Dwight Ginery was called to Battleground, Wn., by the illness of her grandfather.

AT CROW

CROW — Leonard Bloom has completed getting hot and cold water installed in his house, the water being piped from a spring nearby. A new furnace has also been put in.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bloom entertained at a holiday dinner given at their home for 16 of their friends and relatives.

Several ladies from here are attending the meetings at Central to make and roll surgical bandages for the Red Cross.

A coyote killed several turkeys at the Joe Owen place a few days ago.

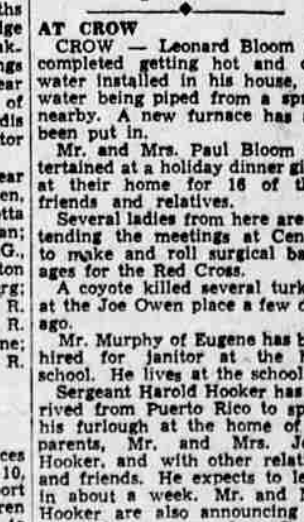
Mr. Murphy of Eugene has been hired for janitor at the high school. He lives at the school.

Sergeant Harold Hooker has arrived from Puerto Rico to spend his furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hooker, and with other relatives and friends. He expects to leave in about a week. Mr. and Mrs. Hooker are also announcing the birth of a new grandson, Gerald David, born to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Block.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MY WORD! A BADGE! AND A LETTER FROM THE SHERIFF APPOINTING ME A FULL-FLEDGED DEPUTY! EGAD, JAKE! THE SHERIFF PROBABLY IS LAUNCHING TOTAL WAR ON CRIME AND DESIRES A BOLD AND FEARLESS ASSISTANT!

CAREFUL, JAKE! HE MIGHT PINCH YOU!



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THAT'S A THREE-CUSHION LAUGH, BEIN' A COPPER IN THIS STRAWBERRY POP TOWN! I'M A DEPUTY IN CHICAGO—THE DISTRICT I COME FROM WAS SO TOUGH THE POLICE HAD TO SHOOT THEIR WAY INTO CHURCH!



LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

TREED AFTER YOUR DAY AT THE FOUNDRY, NINA?

YES, JESSICA, BUT NOT TOO TIRED.

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THAT DEAD MAN, IN TH' OLD ICEHOUSE, WAS "HOPPY" HARK? WHO WAS HE?

OH, HE HUNG AROUND CITY HALL FOR YEARS—

I WONDER—G-COULD I SEE HIM?

WELL, A MORGUE IS NO FIT PLACE FOR A YOUNGSTER.

BUT HERE'S A PICTURE OF HIM—

WHY—THAT'S TH' GUY!

"TH' GUY"? WHAT? GUY?

TH' ONE I SAW THAT NIGHT, A MONTH AGO, WITH A PACKAGE!

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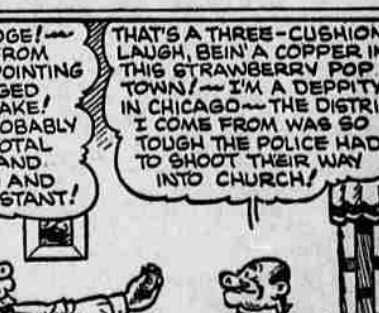
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