

Stefansson To Talk Here Thursday

Vilhjalmar Stefansson, Canadian-born explorer who spent 13 years from 1904 until 1917 in the far north, contributing much knowledge of the arctic and its peoples to the world through scientific efforts and his published

works, will be a visitor in Eugene Thursday, as speaker for the Eugene Knife and Fork club. A dinner for members will be served at 7 p.m. at the Osburn hotel.

Born in Manitoba, Canada, Nov. 3, 1879, the explorer obtained much of his education in this country. He attended the state university of North Dakota and was graduated with his bachelor's degree from the state university of Iowa in 1903; attended Harvard university school of divinity in 1903-04, and the Harvard graduate school in 1904-05. By this time, he already had made his first trip to Iceland, in 1904, and the following year, under the auspices of the Peabody museum of Harvard university, made a second archaeological expedition into the north.

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An ethnological expedition to the Eskimos of the Mackenzie delta followed, in 1906-07, under the auspices both of Harvard and the University of Toronto. A second expedition, lasting 53 months, from 1908 into 1912, was undertaken under the auspices of the American Museum of Natural History of New York City and the government of Canada. During this work, he added many features to the map of the Dominion of Canada, for which he received outstanding recognition and thanks from the land of his birth. He discovered Eskimo tribes who had never before seen a white man, and lived among them.

He added to his original degree that of LL.D., University of Michigan, in 1921, and of University of Iowa, 1922; master of arts, Harvard university, 1923.

Dr. Stefansson holds gold medal awards from many geological societies of the world. He is the author of 14 books, including "Ultima Thule," "Life with the Eskimo," "The Friendly Arctic," "The Northward Course of Empire," "Hunters of the Great

Baby Fire Victim Making Recovery

Parents of 9-month-old Joana Shay, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell J. Shay, 2028 Kincaid, said Wednesday noon their daughter was making satisfactory progress from burns suffered in a bedroom fire at their home Tuesday morning.

The infant is under treatment at the Sacred Heart hospital. Fire spread from an electric hot plate on the floor of the room, to the bed, in which the baby was lying. City firemen extinguished the fire after the baby was rushed to the hospital, before further material damage could be done.

North, "The Adventure of Wrangell Island," and "The Standardization of Error" and others. In addition, he has been a contributor for many years to scientific and technical publications here and in Canada. He is an associate of Harvard university, and a lecturer of Tufts college. He also is an honorary fellow of many learned clubs of this and other

Californian Maids Weep As Italians Go

LONG BEACH, Calif., Feb. 6.—(U.P.)—The S. S. Mormacdoe sails for Italy today with 932 Italian prisoners of war including the sweethearts of more than 100 women who stormed the dock and evaded efforts to embark them.

Military police had to be called to break up the demonstration yesterday on the Long Beach pier of the Los Angeles port of embarkation.

Weeping women clung to the pier fence as the Italian service units were loaded. Thirty women eluded guards and gained the dock alongside the ship before military police could round them up.

In the confusion, several Italians wandered away and were found in nearby parked automobiles with women.

Twelfth century tribesmen in the Central Urals had shoes with inch-thick iron soles which wore so well they were sometimes passed along for several generations.

ALPINE DOINGS

ALPINE—Parent-Teachers association had their regular monthly meeting Friday evening, Feb. 10. Pictures on health were shown by the health association of Corvallis. The P-TA will present a three-act comedy, "Small Town Romeo," Thursday evening, Feb. 7, the proceeds to buy chairs for the gym. Sandwiches, coffee and punch was served. Mrs. George Davenport and Mrs. William Christensen were appointed to serve refreshments at the next meeting, March 1.

Hubert Furlong has been taken to the General hospital in Corvallis for medical treatment.

Pat Murphy is improving slowly and expects to return home from hospital soon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Urbach have rented the Eachus dairy. The Waldren family moved away the first of the month.

Paul Smith of the Bunker Hill community was a guest at the Sedal White's home Sunday. Paul received honorable discharge Jan. 29. He and Sedal left the same day for induction in the army, both going to Camp Barkley, Tex.,

where they were stationed two years. Paul served seven months overseas in the South Pacific.

Norman Larkin is home after spending several weeks at the home of his uncle, Lester Larkin, at Nyssa.

Week-end guests at the Norton and Levine homes were Mrs. Lester McAlpine and children of Ovaton, Ore. Mrs. McAlpine is a niece of Mrs. Levine and was a former resident of Alpine.

The young people of the four churches, Monroe, Belfountain, Alpine and McFarland, held their joint candlelight service at the McFarland church Sunday evening, Feb. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Elliott are making extensive repairs in their residence they purchased recently from Earl Brittain.

Mrs. A. R. McCallum returned

home from the hospital in Corvallis Friday, Feb. 1. She was a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Francis, who gained more strength. Mrs. Francis brought her home.

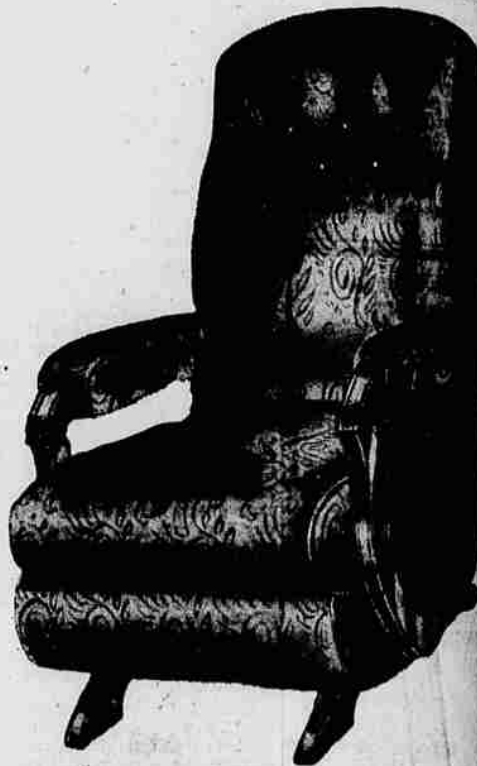
A bridal shower was given honor of Mrs. Charles R. Tuesday. Seventeen ladies present. Mrs. Rhodes gave many lovely and useful gifts. Mrs. Rhodes have purchased a home in Eugene and expect to move soon.

Mrs. Donald Larsen has been the sick list for some time.

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