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Grand Master I. O. O. F. To Be In Medford For Joint Meeting

The Grand Master of the state of Oregon, I. O. O. F., will be in Medford, February 24th., for a joint meeting of the Gold Hill and Medford lodges. Plans are being made for a large group to attend this important meeting on next Tuesday night.

STAMP PLAN TO CONTINUE.

The fact the Food Stamp Plan is going to continue was stressed today by Lincoln P. Bloomfield, Acting Area Supervisor of the surplus Marketing Administration, in announcing the discontinuation of the use of continuation cards for retailers. Hereafter, all stamps received by retail merchants are to be placed on master cards only, for purposes of redemption. All continuation cards now on the hands of wholesalers and banks must be submitted to the Portland Audit Office for redemption, Mr. Bloomfield said.

"Some retailers have misunderstood this change in procedure to mean that the Food Stamp Plan is going to foldup," he continued. "This is definitely not the case. The Stamp plan is going to continue."

VOLUNTEER WORKERS TO MEET FRIDAY.

Those who have volunteered for defense work in Gold Hill are urged to meet at the City hall tomorrow, Friday, at 7:30 p. m. Special instructions will be given by Dwight Phipps, on work at the observation post and other defense endeavors. Deputy H. R. Ingling will be present to finger-print those who have not already met this requirement for volunteer defense workers. Everyone interested in the work are invited to attend the meeting, it is stated.

SCHOOL NEWS.

Buddy Blair

In a fast basketball game Friday the Beavers defeated Kerby on the home floor by the score of 46 to 28. All conference games are now finished but there are to be several other home games.

Wednesday, February 28th., they will engage Sams Valley here and Friday, St. Mary's at Medford.

Harlow Barry, Marianne Casper, Rae Clements, and Kenneth Cook put on a short program of the history of Gold Hill over Station KM-ED Tuesday.

WOMEN TO MEET AND FINISH BANDAGES ON FEB. 27TH.

All women who have been working on bandages at the W. R. C. hall, are requested to be present on Friday February 27th. All bandages started will be finished at this meeting and other details of the work given.

Five Wrestlers Signed For First Wrestling Bout.

Mack Lillard, promoter, announces this week the signing of five heavy weights for the resumption of wrestling in Medford on Monday night. The sixth man will be signed before the matches Monday.

Jumpin' Joe Savoldi, former champion, will meet And Odoros in a one-hour main event; Chief Thunderbird, famous Indian grappler of Victoria, B. C., will clash Cy Williams in the six-round semi-windup and Pedro Brazil, South American titleholder will appear on the open match.

Adoree, Mr. Lillard states, weighs about 215, is a French Canadian and extremely colorful. Thunderbird will tip the scales at 230, while Williams, a rough, unorthodox giant will weigh 235. Brazil is a 215-pound clean, scientific boy.

Reserved seat tickets for program are on sale exclusively at C. E. (Chick) Conway's Owl Club.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hayes and Katherine last week were, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. James Poole, of Ashland, and Mrs. Beatrice Wright of Phoenix, Messrs. Hugh and C. S. Hayes are brothers and Mrs. Wright is their niece.

TWENTY MEMBERS ATTEND PAST SOBLE GRAND THURSDAY.

The past Noble Grand Club met Thursday February 11th with Mrs. Paul Thompson with twenty members and one visitor. Mrs. Jeanette Wheeler, present. The gift box for the purpose of raising funds for defence stamps, was well filled each member contributing a gift and a silver offering. A drawing of the gifts followed the regular business meeting, also a valentine exchange by Amethyst Sisters. Poems were read as they were drawn with the gifts. A lovely, patriotic poem was read by sister Pearl Gray who composed the one she read and the ones drawn by the sisters.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served delicious refreshments carrying out the valentine idea.

The next meeting will be held February 26th at Odd Fellows Hall Sister Carrie Puhl, will be hostess. And there will be election of officers at this coming meeting.

Those present were Delia Kell, Ruth Lewis, Carrie Puhl, Virginia Kellogg, Alta Clements, Ethel Martin, Nellie Winn, Viola Moore, Katharine Lance, Elenor Force, Etta Carter, Ada Cook, Mabel Hittle, Edna Gorham, Evelyn Tompson, Pearl Ferguson, Emma Hoff, Elsie Cameron, Nellie McLean and Mrs. Wheeler.

REBEKAH LODGE OBSERVES 44TH ANNIVERSARY WEDNESDAY.

The Rebekah Lodge observed its 44th anniversary Wednesday evening, the lodge having been instituted on Feb. 14, 1898. Two of the charter members were present and a third member was not able to be present. The three charter members are Mrs. Katherine Kellogg of Medford and Mrs. Carrie Puhl and Mrs. Lucy Mee of Gold Hill and a fourth charter member, William Carter now of Portland also wrote greetings to the lodge. The members present were presented with bouquets of carnations and fern. Several birthdays were also observed as this meeting was birthday night.

The losing side in a recent attendance contest paid its debt to night and contests were held, forfeits given and as a result several fine solos, dances and pantomimes were given and seemingly hugely enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served after the frolic and beautiful valentines were given to the winners of the contest.

MRS. LENA TRESHMAN FUNERAL TO BE HELD SATURDAY IN MEDFORD.

Mrs. Treshman was born in Germany, November 22, 1866. She came to the U. S. with her parents when only six years of age, and they settled in Nebraska. She was a resident of Oregon 30 years and lived in Sams Valley for 35 years.

Three sons, Harry A. of Holland, Oregon, Otto R. of Sams Valley, Jess of Galls Creek and the daughter Mrs. Howard Harker of Prineville; five grandchildren and five great grandchildren are left, also one sister in Canada and a brother. The Pearl Funeral Parlor has charge of the funeral to be held in Medford, Saturday at 2 p. m., Rev. D. E. Willard will officiate and interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial Park.

GROUP ENJOYS HAYRIDE

Saturday evening a group of young people went on a hayride and after reaching their destination had a wienie roast at the Willow ranch, between Tolo and Willow Springs. Folks who went were, Yvonne Moore, Katherine Hayes, Weegie Dungey, Genevieve Thornton, Marianne Casper, Marjorie Smith Myrtle Winn, Mary Lou Tygart, Alvis Winn, Jerald Lewis, Donald and Robert Wolff, Dotbell and Charles Rosecrans and Morgan Jones. After the party some of the young folks attended the dance at lodge hall.

Mrs. Violet Cook and daughters, Jewel and AlvaJean returned home this morning from Portland.

OUR DEMOCRACY

—by Mat



CEMENT PLANT OPENS RUNNING 24 HOURS. THREE 8 HOUR SHIFTS.

The Pacific Portland Cement company resumed operation here Friday February 13th., after being shut down for repairs for several weeks. The plant is running on a full 24 hour basis with large cantonment orders coming up for delivery soon.

It is stated that the contract on the cantonment job calls for delivery by truck in bulk to the site of the government operations.

SHOWER FOR MRS DUANE HUTCHINS.

Last Wednesday night Miss Mary Rose Bailey was hostess at her home to a group of young people who gave a shower for Mrs. Duane Hutchins, the former June Robbins. The early part of the evening was spent playing cards and then gifts were opened and admired. Refreshments were served around a table on which was a pretty centerpiece made of a miniature bassinette trimmed in pink and blue with streamers going to different places around the table. Lovely refreshments were served to Miss Vera Jones of Tolo, Misses Rae Clement, Marjorie Smith, Mary Lou Tygart, Lucille Rosecrans, Genevieve Thornton, Winona Dungey, Laurence Kell Mesdames Alice Betts, Edith Cummings, Althea Coombs, the honoree, Mrs. Hutchins, and to Miss Bailey and Miss Mabel Moore.

MRS. BLANKESHURG AND BABY HONORED WITH SHOWER.

Several friends motored to Grants Pass Monday afternoon to see Mrs. R. E. Blankenburg and the new baby daughter. Each lady took a gift and late in the afternoon refreshments were served to the guests. Those present were Mesdames Alice Meunier Frank Carter, Joe Blair, Floyd Lance, Art Gorham, and Paul Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Mullen and family of Medford, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Sunday.

Jack Martin returned Monday from Portland where he had spent some time visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Beeman and with friends. While there he took a physical examination prior to joining the service.

IMPORTANT MEETING

A very important agriculture and labor survey meeting of vital interest to every one will be held at Central Point Grange Hall, Saturday evening, February 21st., at 8:00 p. m.

City folks as well as all farmers are earnestly urged to attend.

This is NOT a Grange meeting. Same kind of meeting will be held at Rogue River Grange hall in Grant Pass on Saturday afternoon. If you can't attend one be sure and attend the other.

Mrs. Verna Alberts and daughters Paula, Wanda, of Chiloyun were guests of Earl Moore family, Saturday. Miss Paula has fully recovered from her accident last fall and is able to resume normal activities of a young girl. She was shot and the bullet lodged in the spinal column and in removing it part of the bone was also removed. She spent several weeks in the hospital at Klamath Falls and in Portland where the operation was performed. She walked the first time on Christmas Eve in her own home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wertz of Depoe Bay, Oregon, are building a new home on the hill near the former Lively home. Ground has been graded for a road and the house preparatory to erecting the buildings.

Mesdames Nellie Reed, Frank Northrup, Maude Coy Robinson and Miss Martha Coy attended the annual banquet of the Lincoln Banquet Club, held at the Medford Hotel last Thursday night. Miss Coy is the first vice president of the club this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walker and daughter, Charlotte, left for San Diego last Thursday to visit their son and brother, Leo, who is stationed at the naval base. They returned home Tuesday morning and report that Leo is very happy in Uncle Sam's navy, likes it very much and hopes to stay there a long time.

Miss Virginia Centers went to Corvallis Saturday to attend to a valentine dance given by the members of the Fraternity Delta Tau Delta Saturday night. While there she was a guest at a sorority house until she returned home Sunday.

Local Items

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Sora Wait gathered at her home one Sunday very recently and spent the day helping her do some house work. The men put a new roof on her feed room; a hot water system was installed in the house; the ladies cleaned and papered the kitchen. At noon the ladies had a pot-luck lunch served to all present. This was a surprise to Mrs. Wait and she deeply appreciated the work of her friends. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Elhart of Ashland were among those present to do their bit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Sutton and three children of Rogue River moved last week into the formerly Lively house above the Sams Valley Road. Mr. Sutton is employed by the Western Minerals Products Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pichard moved from the Auto Park to the house just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Budd Gail, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Asil Walker and baby son, Jack Arlington returned to Gold Hill Saturday evening to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Walker. Both are doing nicely.

Mrs. Harold Wilson, who lives at Sunset on the Rogue visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Z. Smith, last week.

W. R. Force and H. D. Force visited with their father, Dave Force last Thursday, at Eagle Point where he is staying with Paul Force, another son.

O. F. Palmerton, of Rogue River, a nurseryman and landscaper, has finished landscaping the Auto Park grounds.

Miss Barbara Nathan, of Medford, was a week-end visitor of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Autenreith.

Mr. Greer and sons of Marshfield, have returned to their home here and Mr. Greer has been employed to work at the cantonment.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Howell of Rogue River, called on Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dusenberry, on Sardine creek Tuesday. They will soon be leaving for Idaho where Mr. Howell will be employed on a dredger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Biles and children, of Yreka, were guests of Mrs. Biles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dusenberry and family over the week-end.

The Garden Club will meet this Friday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. RECREATION MEETING.

The Recreation Meeting to be held in Medford, Thursday night, Feb. 26th., Court house auditorium, at eight o'clock. There will be only one night this month and it will be with Miss Izola Jensen and Miss Ella Gardner, a representative of the National Recreation Association. Special help will be the help in active games and other forms of recreation that will be of particular help in our present emergency. All that can go are urged to do so.

SON BORN. Word has been received by friends of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Griggs that a son was born to them on February 6th 1942, in Medford. The young man will be called Leonard Dale Mrs. Griggs is the former Ethel Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson of Riverside Colony.

Sunday guests at the Glen Spurlin home on Rogue River were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schuly and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegger and family of Medford, Mrs. Sadie Frink of Beagle, Mr. A. E. Bruegger of Sutherland, Mr. Dix Saltzgarler, of Medford and Miss Schaffer of Sutherland.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS REJECTS ARMY CANNED MEAT BIDS.

A recent bulletin from the War Department states that the Quartermaster General has rejected the major portion of the canned meats offered on Invitations for Bids Nos. 199-42 NEG 106, 108, 109, and 112. The prices asked were not justified by present prices of raw materials. A small portion offered at prices in line with previous purchases and present raw-material prices was awarded.

Foots Creek

Mrs. Marion Lance.

Feb. 17 George Martin Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Martin, who spent part of the school year at Westmont Bible College at Los Angeles, California, held preaching services at the Foots Creek Sunday School following class hour. He gave a very helpful sermon on the Ten Virgins, Matt: 25, which was greatly enjoyed. He was accompanied by five from the Rogue River church. Mr. Bourell and son, sang a duet. They also accompanied Mr. Martin to Selma in the evening.

Mrs. Cloyd Dick has been appointed chairman for this district in the mobilization of woman drive which began February 16th. Her assistants working from the Rock Point to the Rogue River bridge, are Mrs. Charles Gray, Mrs. Howard Hill, Mrs. Ted Dole, Mrs. Norman Schuler, Mrs. Ernest Reinkins, Mrs. Robert Knox, and Mrs. Marion Lance.

A baby son was born at Medford February 6th., to Mr. and Mrs. Phil Griggs. Mrs. Griggs was formerly Miss Ethel Henderson, of the Colony. Her mother, Mrs. Tor Henderson is staying with her. William King, uncle of Mrs. Henderson is visiting his daughter in Medford at present.

Charlotte White, Marie JoJnes, Eileen Dick and Esther Ollom from this community were among the high school girls from the Rogue River school who were entertained by the Gold Hill school, and later attended the basket ball game between Rogue River and Gold Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Painter and two children who have lived at the former William Carle place for the past year moved recently to Central Point.

William Cotten, of Birdseye creek took his step father, Walter Myers, to Medford Saturday to consult a doctor.

George Hull, from Salem, and Carl Hull of San Francisco, nephews of George and Marion Lance, arrived Tuesday evening for a visit at the Lance home. Carl has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Hull and family for the past five days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Miller from the Burton Mine near Glendale, spent the week end at the R. L. Miller home near Riviera.

FIRST AID CLASS URGED TO BE PRESENT AT TONIGHT'S MEETING.

Everyone who has been attending the class in First Aid are urged to be sure and be present tonight, (Thursday). The instructor has special message, it is stated, that it is hoped that ever member of the class will hear.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Barry and Harlaw, spent Saturday with their mother, Mrs. Gamble of Marshfield, and returned to Gold Hill Saturday evening. They spent Saturday night with Mrs. Barry's mother, Mrs. Leila Shoemaker, and returned to their home at Capitol Hill, near Glendale early Sunday morning.

FRANCIS HANSEN IS PROMOTED TO SERGEANT

Francis M. Hamilton, of Gold Hill who enlisted in the army air corps in February 1941 was promoted this month to sergeant. He is located at Moffett Field, California.

ADAMS ENTERTAIN FRIENDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams entertained a group of friends and relatives on Wednesday evening of last week with a dinner. The occasion was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Smith of Medford who were recently married. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. Adams and will be remembered by many as the former Miss Irene Hoffman.

The occasion also complimented the 7th birthday of Nancy Lee Adams.

Those present for this enjoyable occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hoffman, Earl Adams, Paul Nims, and Bert Cross of Medford. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bolton and daughters Jean and Leone of Foots Creek and the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Smith and the Adams family.