

DALLAS LODGE ORDER'S HOST AT BIG EVENT

Dallas—The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of this community played host Friday night to the county lodge association in the W. O. W. hall, with record attendance on hand from all parts of the county.

In addition to the talk by C. L. Starr, the main speaker of the evening, a short program of entertainment was also presented by a committee in charge, featuring Miss Gwynne Good in a vocal solo, Fannie Domanichofsky, Ruth Taylor and Abe Hildebrand in a skit. Mr. and Mrs. John Friesen and Abe Hildebrand in a vocal trio and a reading by Alva Burns.

The drill team of the two local organizations with T. L. Parsons in charge staged a 25-minute performance which drew favorable comment from all sides. Performances included a croquet, the iron cross, the figure eight, a wheel and all kinds of manœuvres on the march. The grand finale of the drill was centered about a widow with two children. The team formed a protective circle around the little group while an appropriate vocal selection was given and then merged into "The Star of the Cross" with the three central figures at the base.

The girls, in white dresses, with shoulder straps to match lined with pink and green, the colors of the order, topped off with a kept bearing the crescent emblem, presented a dainty appearance and were in distinct contrast to the men, who wore the traditional blue of the order.

This was the group's first public appearance this year but there is every indication that a heavy demand will be made for their services during the next few months.

The personnel of the team is: Tom L. Parsons, captain and instructor; Mrs. Roy Alderson, pianist; Crystal Hawley, vocalist; Mrs. Tracy Stasie, Ruby Wilson, Mrs. A. Larson, Mrs. Ralph Howe, Odessa Grant, Mrs. Lew Hadley, Mrs. John Friesen, Mrs. A. Hildebrand, Fred Holman, John Friesen, Lew Hadley, Charles Portelle, Lewis Hadley, Guy Mott, A. Larsen, Marilyn Halsey.

The part of the widow in the finale was taken by Mrs. Fred Holman and that of the two children by Sammy Holman and Vannie May Alderson.

Birthdays of Valley Pals National Topic

Silverton—For the first time in at least 35 years Frank Powell of Silverton and Walton H. Worrell of Albany are beginning to realize that the date of their birthday anniversaries are akin to national importance. These events occur on the 29th of January.

Since the inception of the celebration of the event by Powell and Worrell in 1901 when the two men were employees of the Albany post-office they have met together each year with the exception of the two years when Powell, as captain, was in the World War. For the convenience of the celebration, the party is held on a Sunday nearest the 29th.

The banquet room of the Argo hotel was the scene of the annual affair Sunday with Mrs. Powell as hostess. A theatre party was enjoyed at the Elks lodge following a turkey dinner served at 1 o'clock.

Composing the group were Mr. and Mrs. Worrell, their daughter, Miss Mary Worrell, a teacher in the Davis high school, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lake and two sons, Marshall Lee and Arthur Graham, Marshall Powell and Miss Janice Dunham, a teacher in the Silverton schools.

Sublimity Women Working On Quilt

Sublimity—The Sublimity community club met at the home of Mrs. Anna Benedict Thursday afternoon. The time was spent picking out a club quilt after which the regular business session was held. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Clara Neal and Mrs. Grace Ditter at the latter's home.

Present were Mrs. Grace Ditter, Mrs. Mary Dachtman, Mrs. Nettie Crump, Mrs. Katie Robt, Mrs. Anna Benedict, Mrs. Marie Hottelmer, Mrs. Martha Glover, Mrs. Rose Hestover, Mrs. Tina Hillier, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, Mrs. Mary Meyer, Mrs. Mary Klotzer, Mrs. Angelina Hunter, Mrs. Hartigan, Mrs. Clara Neal, Theresa Ditter and Aurelia Kintz.

Mrs. Senter Falls

Silverton—Mrs. Lillian Senter received minor cuts and bruises about the face and arms when she fell down a series of steps into the basement of an unoccupied store room in the Massoud building, where she was assisting members of the Loyal Rerach Sunday school class of the First Christian church in giving the all-day dinner luncheon and food sale Saturday. She was given immediate medical aid, which showed no critical result evident.

GRANGE MEETING DATE

Silverton—The meeting date of the H. E. club of the Silverton grange will be held the second Tuesday of each month instead of the first Tuesday as previously announced.

BOYS TAUGHT FORESTRY

West Silverton—The 4-H club here held a meeting at the home of Paul McCallan who is the leader for this year. He is teaching them forestry. Last year they were taught cooking and sewing with Mrs. Paul McCallan leader.

MRS. RUE HOSTESS

Silverton—Mrs. William Rue entertained a large number of the members of the St. Paul's Catholic parish sewing club Thursday in an all-day session with the members working on a wedding ring quilt. Mrs. Rue was luncheon hostess to her guests at the noon hour.

COP'S KISSES AIRED IN COURT AS WIFE WINS SUIT



There was discussion of "hot, burning kisses," "platonic kisses" and "just kisses" as cross-examination was conducted in the \$100,000 allegation of affection suit brought by Mrs. Norman E. Nottingham (right), wife of a Chicago police patrol wagon driver (center), against Mrs. Blackledge (left), 42-year-old widow and a former collector of internal revenue. Mrs. Blackledge, known for her reputed loss of \$50,000 in a faro game some years ago at Springfield, Ill., said her kisses with Nottingham were "just kisses." Mrs. Nottingham won a judgment of \$7500. (Associated Press Photos)

WOMEN OFFER CLUB PROGRAM

Orchard Heights—The January meeting of the P.T.A. of the Mountain View school district was held Friday evening with the women of the neighborhood furnishing the entertainment in competition with the men in the February meeting. Committee women presenting the program were Mrs. William Cox, Miss Briggs, Mrs. Simmons and Mrs. Annam Grice, who were assisted by all the Mountain View women.

Ammon Grice, president of the organization, appointed John Schindler, John Norwood and Larlin Grice to see about a tract of land on the Chapman place as a community center. It was originally designated as a burial ground.

A pie social will be held at the February meeting to raise funds for the P.T.A. James Smart is chairman of the men's program committee and Mrs. Leon Brown of Salem, Fred Gibson of West Salem and Mrs. A. L. Applewhite of Kinross will act as judges of the two programs. The winner of the contest will be treated to an oyster supper at the March meeting by the ladies.

Mrs. A. R. Southwick gave the closing remarks after the national anthem followed by an introductory orchestra and violin numbers by Mrs. Arnold Coffell. Several prominent matrons participated in a solo drama which presented a vocal solo by Mrs. John Norman. Piano accompaniment featured the evening's number, "The Mountain View March," written by Mrs. J. R. Smith. It was read by Miss Briggs. A set "School Days," and a mock wedding closed the evening's entertainment with the culture cast of performers appearing.

A surveyor from a down county committee were present. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Towney Mrs. Lopez and Mrs. Hays.

THIMBLE CLUB HAS ALL DAY GATHERING

Silverton—An all-day meeting of the Thimble club Friday, at the home of Mrs. Lila Seely on South Water street, the group tied out a comforter for one of their number, Mrs. Minnie Mulkey, served a pot-luck luncheon at noon and elected officers for the year.

Mrs. Evelyn Baker will serve as president; Mrs. Ida Pines, secretary; Mrs. Ida Pines, secretary; Mrs. Wynne Ottaway, treasurer; Mrs. Mae Higginbotham, Mrs. Mae Green and Mrs. Gerlie Dunn were placed as a board of finance. The February meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bakke.

Present at Friday's meeting were the Mesdames Minnie Mulkey, Treva Scott, Maude Hillman, Goldie Down, Nedra Bruner, Wynne Ottaway, Millie Warner, Ida Pines, Rebecca Barber, Evelyn Baker, Elsie Nelson, Elsie Stinner, Mae Green, Lydia Bye and Mae Higginbotham, and Miss Olive Ottaway, regular members, while special guests were Mrs. Sylvia Canoy, Junior, Margaret and Helen Servey, Margaret Hillman, Cleo and Elaine Canoy, Joan Anderson, Alfred, Bobby and Garret Dorso.

CHILDREN'S PARTY AT ASHLAND HOME

Woodburn—Ronald Ashland, small son of Chief of Police and Mrs. Al Ashland, celebrated his third birthday anniversary Friday afternoon with a party at the Ashland home on Young street. A birthday cake, with three lighted candles, centered the dining table, guarded with three large tapers where refreshments were served to the small guests.

Mrs. Ashland was assisted in serving by Mrs. Jack Kennedy and Miss Myrtle Ashland. During the afternoon readings were given by Mrs. Robert McClure and Mrs. Jack Kennedy for the pleasure of the older guests who accompanied the children.

Those invited for the pleasure of Ronald were Johnny Kennedy, Weldon Hamilton, Marguerite McClure, Richard Mathieson, Priscilla and Janice Slabough, Mary Alice and Judith McClure. Others present were Miss Myrtle Ashland, Mrs. Henry Mathieson, Mrs. Arvid Thomas, Mrs. Jack Kennedy, Mrs. Robert McClure, Zora McGonigal, Mrs. Wesley Hamilton, Mrs. Allen Slabough and Mrs. Ashland.

Classes Organized Under CWA Project

Dallas—Two classes were organized Friday night following a meeting held in the circuit court room for those who wished to sign up under the CWA educational program which provides employment for out of work teachers and also affords an opportunity to anyone who is desirous of obtaining instruction in various courses of education. The classes organized are mechanical drawing and sewing. The former will be instructed by Herman P. Gilliam of Percival and the latter by Mrs. Helen Dietrich. Three other classes are in course of formation and will be launched just as soon as capable instructors are lined up and approved by the project.

Nelsons Buy Home

Silverton—Al O. Nelson head of the Homeowners agency of this city has just completed a deal for the purchase of the F. S. Hunter residence property located at 410 Second street near the high school. The Nelsons expect to remodel the property and plan to occupy the same after the remodeling has been completed. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter have been residents of the Silverton community for more than 30 years. They are now making their home on their home in the Waldo Hills. The home bought by Nelson has for some time been occupied by S. P. Rose, manager of the Portland Electric company. The Rose family have rented the Riverview property on McClaine street.

KILKES BUY PLACE

Frederick—Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph Kilke have purchased property in Wacunda from Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blanton, better known as the George Jones property.

CLUB DATE CHANGED

Hazel Green—The Nemo Sewing club has postponed the regular meeting from January 21 to February 7. The change in date was made to allow a number of the members to attend the guest meeting of the Rumbine club of West Hazel Green.

The Nemo club will meet with Mrs. Celia Huelbucker for an all-day session with Opal Hansen. A feature of the meeting will be a linen shower complimenting Mrs. Leroy Van Cleave (Nora Rutherford) a recent bride.

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MARION GRANGE COUNCIL CALLS WINTER AFFAIR

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During the business hour the annual reports of the treasurer and secretary were given showing satisfactory results. Mrs. Maude King was installed as Flora by J. L. Stalcker. Mrs. King was unable to be present at the Silverton Hills session when the other officers were installed jointly with their group.

Members were urged to be present at the Marion county grange to be an event of Wednesday, February 21, that will be held at Madocoy. Questions to be brought up for discussion at the council were explained.

Protests were adopted against the Safeway stores handling certain vegetable fats and these protests were sent to the store's headquarters.

The Silverton members including officers will visit Surprise grange at Turner on Saturday, February 10, when the Silverton group will be in charge of the meeting and the program. Very definite discussions were entered into concerning the cooperative stores using coconut meal.

The literary program in charge of the lecturers, Mrs. Henrietta Lee as chairman included a reading by Mrs. Lee; piano solo, Mrs. Ted Lorenzen; playlet, "The Signs of the Times" by Phyllis Jean and George Haberly; Louis and Jean Lathers, Wendell Lee, Mary McCall and Sheldon Johnson; harmonies solo by Richard Ness; recitation by Mary McCall; address on "Aims and Purposes of the Grange for the coming year" by Theodore Hobart, master of the Silverton grange.

STAYTON REBEKAHS GREET STATE HEAD

Stayton—Eva Rebekah lodge No. 92, held a special meeting Friday night at which Mrs. Esther Bond of Hubey, president of the Oregon Rebekah assembly, was present.

Mrs. Bond gave instructions pertaining to the business of the lodge during the meeting. Mrs. Alma Henderson, marshal of the assembly, was present and gave a short talk; as did representatives of each lodge present. Mrs. George Cole gave two instrumental numbers, Felix Wright sang and George D. Cole gave a series of jokes. Grant Murphy, marshal of the grand encampment, gave an address.

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The clubs with the teacher, club leader and officers are as follows: Sewing club—Salt Creek School, Mrs. Anna Dashiell, teacher; Mrs. Alvin Aebi, leader; Leona Hansen, president; Wanda Card, vice president; Ruth Buhler, secretary. The club has seven members.

Sewing club—Lincoln school, Lois M. Vernon, teacher; Lucille Hackett, leader; Mary Edwile Boyd, president; Verle Alice McKimney, vice president; Daisy Mary Myers, secretary. The club has six members.

Sewing club—Oreghards school, Lena E. May, teacher and leader; Charles Brown, vice president; Donald Hewley, secretary. The club membership is 15.

Cooking club—Red Prairie school, Mrs. Georgia Emerson, teacher; Mrs. J. W. Crowe, leader; Junior Haller, president; Mary Crowe, vice president; Mary Alice Haller, secretary. The club has eight members.

Jefferson—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Finlay attended the Burns birthday party at Salem Thursday evening.

THREE ACT COMEDY REHEARSALS START

Hubbard—A three-act comedy, "Oh Susan," will be presented by the high school February 16 at the city hall under the direction of Miss Wanda Elliott of the high school faculty. Dorothy McKee takes the lead as Susan with Crawford Bates as the male lead. Others taking part are: Betty Brown, Marjorie Wolfer, Marjorie Friend, Gwyneth Scholer, Beanie Ingall, Mantion Carl, Claud Gant, Marshall McKee.

JOINT LODGE AFFAIR HELD

Independence—Joint installation of the Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters was held Thursday night at the K. of P. hall. Pythian sister officials were Mrs. Harold Reynolds, past chief; Mrs. Tom Smith, most excellent chief; Mrs. W. C. Bullis, excellent senior; Mrs. Glen Smith, excellent junior; Mrs. C. O. Sloper, manager; Mrs. John Hildebrand, M. of R. & S.; Mrs. Ray Walmer, mistress of finances; Mrs. William Cockle, protector; Mrs. E. Kullander, guard.

Pythian lodge officers are: chancellor commander, George H. Wood; vice chancellor commander, C. O. Sloper; prelate, Harry Keeney; master of work, Verd Hill; master of arms, Glen Smith; keeper of records and seals, Harold Reynolds; master of exchequer, Ray M. Walker; inner guard, W. H. Cockle; and outer guard, W. C. Bullis.

The rank of Esquire was conferred upon three candidates by Homer Lodge K. of P. There were visitors from Salem and Dallas. Lunch was served by the Pythian Sisters at the conclusion of the work.

AWARDS ANNOUNCED FOR PROJECT WORK

Hazel Green—Awards based on the completion of their last year's project included two cooking clubs were recently received by the pupils. Those receiving pins for completion of three years work in 4-H clubs included Daisy Rutherford, Alice Montanion, Beatrice Johnson, Dorothy Dunigan and H