

ORDER OF O.E.S. SOCIAL NIGHT HUGE SUCCESS

Silverton—The first social night since the placing of the new officers of the Order of O.E.S., was an affair of Tuesday evening at the hall. The officers appeared in formal regalia made on identical lines and of like material, with the newly selected worthy matron, Miss Olivia DeGulre, wearing peach color with green embellishments, and her assisting officers were gowned in green.

A dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock with the losing side in an attendance campaign as hostesses to the losers. The dining room was aglow with lighted yellow tapers intermixed with evergreens with the same color scheme carried out in the decorations. Mrs. Elgin McCleary as captain of the losing side, was chairman of arrangements for the dinner and was assisted by Mrs. Mary Alfred. Mrs. George Towse was captain of the winners.

Mrs. G. B. Benson, program chairman, was responsible for a fun hour of entertainment during the dinner. Numbers were a kitchen band with Mrs. Errol Ross, Mrs. Lee Alfred, Mrs. J. M. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Elgin McCleary; a comedy reading, "Eligette at Courtship," was given by Mrs. F. E. Sylvester; Mrs. W. R. Tomlinson gave imitations of a bawdy solo; and a more serious strain was a talk by Mrs. Walter Bell, guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, from her home in England. She spoke of her visit to Kashmir, India. She is generous in her responses to appear on programs and is greatly appreciated.

Other social informality rounded out an enjoyable evening for more than 40 members present.

AMBULANCE FUND VOTED BY COUNCIL

Dallas—The chief items of interest conducted at the regular meeting of the city council this week were the voting of \$100 to the ambulance fund, the approval of a beer license to Charles Watson by a vote of six to two, the non-approval of a similar license to Sam Richards by a vote of five to three and the introduction of a traffic ordinance which would make Main a "stop" street from Academy to Birch, Washington a "stop" street from Fairview to Uglow avenue and Lyle a "stop" street from Washington to the lumber mill at Birch. The proposed ordinance also prohibits "U" turns at Mill, Court and Washington streets at their intersection with Main.

Aurora Lutherans Select Officials

Aurora—At a recent meeting held by members of the Lutheran church the following officers were elected: George Pardey, secretary; Henry Peters, treasurer; Hugo Kiel, elder; Ernest Epperley, deacon, and Henry Pardey and Fred Kiel, trustees. Rev. Alfred Knorr is pastor of the Lutheran church.

Student Body Play Will Be Presented

Falls City—The high school student body play, "When Sally Comes to Town," will be presented Thursday at 7:45 o'clock at Victory hall. It is a three-act comedy with the following cast:

Sally, a pet girl from Strawberry Center; Lance, a young business man; Uncle John, a hayseed; Lord Cecil, a suave English lord; Mrs. Parker, a society matron; Loring, a carefree lad of 21; Esther, quite sophisticated; Theresa, always hungry; Felicia, Loring's fiancée; Bivide, a chorus girl without a conscience; and Ruth, a maid.

Dance After Play

Seio—Seio and rural talent is to present a rollicking comedy, "Uncle Rube," at 2023J hall in Seio Friday night. The play is to be followed by a dance, which will continue until 1 o'clock. It is to be used for recent improvements at the Seio Catholic church.

RETURN FROM SEATTLE

Stanton—Mrs. Archie McKinnon and son, Billy, have returned from a several weeks' visit in Seattle at the home of her brother, Tom Peibler, who is recovering from an operation. Mrs. Maurice Baker, a niece of Peibler, has left for Seattle to assist during his illness. Mrs. Baker formerly lived in Stanton but since her marriage resides near Turner.

FERGUSON INJURED

Falls City—Chauncey Ferguson is at his home here recovering from a severe cut on his left cheek received while working in the planer department of the Toledo saw mill. A large pulley broke, one piece striking Ferguson, cutting a deep gash in his cheek and loosening several teeth.

CALLED TO FUNERAL

Aurora—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew G. Miller drove to Oregon City Tuesday where they attended the funeral services of E. Arnold Halliday. Several years ago Halliday had charge of the Shell Oil station here.

MRS. CURTIS BETTER

Stanton—Mrs. Ralph Curtis is improving following an appendicitis operation at the Stanton hospital. Margaret M. Olds is teaching her kindergarten class in her absence. Mrs. Eugene Spaniol is assisting with the Stanton Mail.

Jefferson—Mrs. Ezra Hart is ill with pneumonia at her home north of town.

MARRIED 60 YEARS



Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Holson, who are extending an invitation to their friends through the press to call on Friday afternoon at their home, 189 West Owens street, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock. The reception will celebrate the 60th wedding anniversary of the hosts.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM GIVEN BY PUPILS

Turner—The intermediate pupils of the Turner grades department under the supervision of their teacher, Miss Rita Burris, presented the general assembly Wednesday morning in the high school auditorium. A clever and educational play, "Health," with the following cast was given:

Morris Sparkes, commissioner; Bobby Ball, first member; Eleanor Parker, second member; John Clark, boy; Kenneth Barker, David and Fernel Gilstrap, president of the Civic League; Morris Stockman, third member; Stanford Prather, fourth member; Lloyd Grim, fifth member; James Boyer, sixth member; Melvin Baker, seventh member; Clara Sienasky, eighth member; and Doris Webb, ninth member. Broadsides by Bobby Ball, Gordon McCull, James Baker, Stanford Prather, Melvin Boyer, Morris Stockman, Lloyd Grim; poem, "Civic League," by Fernel Gilstrap, with Margaret Mortimer, Mary Peterson, Loren Skirvin, Marie Stelling, Bobby Ball, Hazel Peterson, Morris Stockman as league members; tap dancing by Jean Perry, with Betty Peetz, piano accompanist; reading, "The Tale of Al Lee" by Betty Bailes; Safety First Health song by Betty Bailes, Jean Perry and Peggy Van Santen, accompanist; harmonica solo by Kenneth Barker; instrumental selection, Betty Peetz; vocal solo, "I Ain't Afraid of the Police," by Betty Peetz with Mrs. Emily Van Santen at the piano.

Fernel Gilstrap was chairman of the program and announced the above numbers during special assembly held fortnightly. The advanced room in the grades under the direction of Mrs. Blanche Williams will sponsor the next assembly program.

Pomeroy Honored On 72nd Birthday

Silverton—A group of neighbors gave Henry Pomeroy of route 1, in the Abiqua district, a surprise on the evening of his 72nd birthday anniversary at the Pomeroy home, with a no-host supper and informal entertainment the pleasure features of the affair.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. T. Dunnigan, Mr. and Mrs. Haldor Holm, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Town, Miss Betty Town, Mr. and Mrs. L. Roebart, Mr. and Mrs. P. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pomeroy, Jack Pomeroy, Mrs. D. Underwood and Joe Asher.

Birthday Observed

Rickey—Miss Dorothy McElroy was surprised when a group of friends gathered at the bidding of her mother, Mrs. H. G. McElroy, at her home in honor of her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing cards, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. McElroy. Present were the honor guest and the Misses Loyal and Hazel Dell Sheridan, Flora and Inez Miller and Beverly McMillin; Harvey and Alfred McElroy and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McElroy.

REV. BAILES HOME

Turner—Rev. A. Jack Bailes has returned home following over a week at Ellensburg, Wash., where he was summoned to the bedside of his mother, who was critically ill. She is improving satisfactorily at present reports. During his absence the Christian church pulpit was occupied by Rev. R. L. Morton and Rev. Judson Brown, both retired ministers of Turner Memorial home.



EXTENSION MADE IN SCOUT AREA

Silverton—A temporary organization of the Silver Creek Falls district as a department of the Cascade area of the Boy Scouts of America, was effected Tuesday evening. F. M. Powell, Silverton, was appointed chairman, V. R. Thiel, vice chairman, and W. Lewin Stone, commissioner. The next session for the purpose of permanent organization will be held at Stanton next Tuesday at 8 o'clock at the community hall.

INDEPENDENCE HIGH ENTERING DEBATERS

Independence—Two debating teams from the Independence high school will enter the Willamette tournament, to be held at Lincoln college at McMinnville February 1.

The subject "Resolved that the federal government should adopt a policy of equalizing the educational opportunities throughout the nation by means of annual grants to the several states for public and secondary education." The affirmative team, consists of Marcus Crowley and Hazel Crowley, while the negative team will be Robert Farmer and Robert Ragsdale.

Tobogganers Hurt In Turner Section

Turner—During the snow, which was around 10 inches deep here, Turner hill was a busy place for old and young alike. A huge bonfire at the top was an added attraction. Among the casualties reported was a sprained ankle suffered by Keith Ball, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ball. At the final tobogganing party Sunday night, Miss Clarissa Clark, high school student, was knocked unconscious for a time when her sled turned over against a rock. Mrs. Vester Bones injured her wrist in a similar accident. As this is the favorite hill for miles around and usually a large group participating in the favorite winter recreation, more accidents could easily have occurred. Even dishpan were used on the steep hill, furnishing amusement for all, and a large assortment of home-made traveling vehicles accommodated them all.

Hot Lunches Helped

Jefferson—Mrs. Herbert Looney, chairman of the hot lunch committee at the Jefferson school, reports that she has received \$15 from the Marion county chapter of the Red Cross, to be used for the hot lunch project.

WILL HEAR ORCHESTRA

Bethel—The Haywire orchestra will provide entertainment at the Friday night meeting of the Bethel Community club. Members of the club will give a one-act play. The refreshment committee asks that each family bring a small cake.

PHONE PEOPLE ELECT

Lincoln—Officers elected at the telephone meeting held at the Salem chamber of commerce were: President, John Simmons; secretary, treasurer, Ralph C. Shepard; directors, H. J. Neiger, Frank Windsor and Roy McDowell.



JITNEY DINNER REAL POPULAR; FUNDS BOOSTED

Stanton—A capacity crowd attended the jitney dinner, program and business meeting sponsored by the Stanton P. T. A. in the high school Monday evening. Each item of food on the menu cost just one jitney and receipts were above expectations.

Pupils of the seventh and eighth grades engaged in a poster contest in connection with the dinner and the attractive posters they made are now on display in the business houses. The best poster, judges decided was that made by Margaret Lucas; the second best by Georgia Maisel. Both received their dinners free as did each pupil who sold ten or more tickets.

Mrs. Ward Inglis, chairman of the program committee presented the following program: Several numbers by Kenlin Thompson's orchestra; whistling solo by Harry Stupka, accompanied by his sister Sylvia at the piano; vocal solo, Mrs. D. George Cole, accompanied by Margaret M. Olds, violin and Miss Sylvia Stupka at the piano; piano solo, Miss Esther Stanton; numbers by the high school girls' glee club with Vera Burmeister, Eleanor Stanton, Jean Inglis, Lorraine Albus and Maxine Crabtree; short talks by V. N. Phelps, grade school principal and a three act play by the grade school, "Little Black Sambo." Several old-time songs were played by the orchestra and the audience joined in singing and whistling.

Money derived from the affair, for which all food and services were donated was put into the P. T. A. fund for play equipment and other needs.

POLK SOIL SAMPLE TESTS IMPORTANT

Dallas—Testing of soil samples for farmers of the county has been an important job of the Polk county agent's office for a number of years. Since the Dallas quarry was opened up again last spring 19 farmers have brought in a total of 29 soil samples to be tested for acidity.

Most all Polk county soils need limrock for the best production of alfalfa and some of them need additional phosphorus in the form of superphosphate, according to Mr. Beck. In cooperation with the Polk county limrock quarry 24 demonstration trials of limrock were established in the 12 different districts of the county. Clover and alfalfa are the crops growing on the fields where this limrock is being used. Most of the common soil types of the county are included in these tests.

Rebekah President Guest In Stanton

Stanton—Eva Rebekah lodge No. 92 entertained at a 6:30 o'clock dinner in the lodge rooms Tuesday in honor of the official visit of Mrs. Grace Christianson of Portland, president of the Rebekah assembly of Oregon.

The regular lodge session was followed by the initiation ceremony. Faith Rebekah lodge of Lyons and Eva Rebekah lodge of Stanton each had a candidate.

Mrs. Christianson was presented with a gift from the lodge in appreciation of her visit. A number of guests were present from Gates, Mill City, Lyons and Seio. Following lodge, refreshments were served.

Sewing Club Meets

Seio—At a recent meeting of the Munkers 4-H sewing club at the schoolhouse, the club leader, Elizabeth Mertz, supervised the work on school bags. Members present included Evelyn Maine, Vera White, Clifford Rorer and Wanda Wilson. Visitors were Mrs. Norma Wells, Mrs. Lillie Wilson and Keith Wells. Wanda Wilson is reporter for the club.

Silverton—Mr. and Mrs. William Francis (Louisa Schmiedeknecht) of Portland, plan to spend the week-end at the home of Mrs. Francis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schmidt, in the Bethany community. Mrs. Francis will be complimented at a birthday anniversary dinner Sunday.

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NO BLUFF



No bluff! It's Lee Tracy in a scene from his new Paramount picture, "You Belong to Me," which comes today to the State theater. Helen Mack, Helen Morgan, Lynne Overman and David Holt appear in the cast with the popular comic, Alfred Barker, director of "House of Rothschild," directed "You Belong to Me."

STAR CHAPTER HAS SPLENDID EVENING

Independence—Adah chapter, O. E. S. held its regular meeting Tuesday evening with all officers appearing for the first time in their new regalia. The Star points were dressed in colors representing their several stations, while the rest of the officers wore white, all-over lace, toe length. Following the business meeting a social hour was spent in program and refreshments.

Plans were announced for a card party to be given February 5 in the Masonic hall and the proper committees appointed. Mrs. Homer Dodds was appointed chairman on arrangements. The matter of raising the dues of the chapter was discussed and laid over until another meeting.

The program of the evening consisted of musical numbers furnished by Mrs. R. D. Elliott and Arlene Schweitzer, and a skit by the men entitled "The Unruly Witness." E. M. Schweizer prosecuting attorney; E. H. Van Loan, witness; O. A. Wolven, judge of the court; J. G. McIntosh, the outlaw, and P. W. White, bailiff.

Three Act Comedy Given At Rickreall

Rickreall—"Correspondence Courtship," a three-act comedy directed by Chester Gilliam, was presented by the high school students before a small but appreciative audience Tuesday night at the auditorium. The cast included Leo Bihl, Arthur Dempsey, Florence Coville, La Verne Kellogg, Robert Brown, Harold Burch, Wilma Middleton, Beatrice Reimer, June Fox and Leland White.

History Related

Moumouth—A history of Hitler and the Nazi party was given at a recent assembly program in Oregon Normal school by William Landeen, president of Walla Walla college in Walla Walla, Wash. Landeen has made an extensive study of conditions in Germany, having but recently returned from that country. Prior to his last visit in Germany he was in Europe from 1924 to 1929 and spent most of that time in Germany.

GILL TO SPEAK AT SILVERTON

Silverton—Members of the Silverton grange are planning for Friday Gill to be their speaker of Friday night's program. His theme will be the explanation of legislative measures that the grange is backing. Gill has written Mrs. Theodore Hobart, newly elected lecturer, that he will be present if at all possible, and in case he cannot come will send a substitute.

Mrs. Emil Lee has announced that social nights for the winter and spring months will be on the second Saturdays of the month with dancing the principal features of entertainment. The home economic club will be in charge of refreshments.

A card party will be given Friday afternoon at the M. W. A. hall with the public invited to attend. Comed Johnson is the newly elected master of Silverton grange.

INSTITUTE PLANNED BY WOODBURN WCTU

Woodburn—The Woodburn W.C.T.U. will hold a local institute at the Methodist Episcopal church Friday afternoon and evening. The afternoon session will begin at 2 o'clock and will be devoted to department work.

A pot-luck supper will be served at 5:15 o'clock and the evening session will begin at 7:30. Mrs. Ada Jolley, state president, will be present and Mrs. Lydia Lehman, county president is expected to take part in the program. An interesting program featuring special music has been arranged. The public is invited.

INTERCHURCH MEAL ATTENDED BY CROWD

Albany—Dean U. G. Dubach of Oregon State college, and Dr. Thomas W. Bibb, president of Albany college, were the main speakers before the annual inter-church Brotherhood dinner and banquet, to which 175 were seated.

Dubach took as his theme, "Worthy Pride and Ambition," portraying his experience as a boy, and told of his relations with his father. Dubach said that every boy should regard his father as the greatest man in the world and that fathers by example should be worthy.

Dr. Bibb extended greetings to the sons from the "dads" and Robert Spence responded.

POSTPONED LODGE PROGRAM ARRANGED

Dallas—The program which was to have been given last Sunday evening in the Methodist church with the members of Jennings lodge A. F. & A. M. and their families as guests of honor is postponed to next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. George W. Bruce, the pastor, is giving a message on the subject "The Gates of Jerusalem." The choir, with Miss Ida Miller as director, will sing "Praise Him the Gates." Other special music is being arranged.

Dallas—Mrs. Cora Bruce who has been visiting the last two weeks with friends on a ranch 10 miles west of Eugene returned home Wednesday.

EL SINORE LAST TIMES TODAY

The story of the governor's daughter who tried to pull the shades on her forbidden love affair...

Barbara Stanwick in "SECRET BRIDE"

FRIDAY-SATURDAY



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CHARLIE RUGGLES
MARY BOLAND

Honey Is Removed From School Room

Hazel Green—Guy Looney, Sr., recently helped Will Scharf of Middle Grove to remove 75 pounds of honey from the walls of the Scharf home. The bees entered the wall through a hole made by a gunshot and filled the entire space between two studdings and an upstairs room. There were enough empty combs to have made at least 25 pounds more honey.

HAYESVILLE CLUB CONTINUES WORK

Hayesville—The Happy Go Lucky Harmonica band of the Hayesville students have resumed practice work. Calvin Miller is president of the group, Beulah Cook, vice-president, Ernest Schroeder, secretary and Mrs. Lillian Shaner, primary teacher of the school, their leader.

The club's motto is P. E. P. To be awarded a pin the scale must be played perfectly, ascending and descending single toned, and three pieces are also required to be mastered. Thus far the following students have earned their pins: Calvin Miller, Ernest Schroeder, Beulah Cook, Virgil Bolton, Evelyn Schroeder, Jane Kitchell, Alko Abe, Bobby Batdorf, June George, Jimmie Stettler, Dornie Verhagen, Mat. auge Ishida, Daniel Verhagen, George Purmy, Alma, Walter Stottler, Aldene Frey and Adelle Frey. Other students are working diligently to secure their pins.

Since the club was organized a year ago last fall over 50 have secured their pins and have learned to play their instrument successfully. Fifteen of this number have moved from this district or graduated from the school. At several different times the band has been called on for program numbers which have been greatly appreciated. Last spring the club made a number of public appearances. One of them being at the music festival in Salem last May, a distinction being that they were the only harmonica band at the festival, in fact, the only harmonica band at that time in any school in north Marion county.

This year many schools have taken up the work since Mrs. Shaner, the local teacher has been teaching a group of teachers who meet at the court house the first Friday of each month. The members and schools they represent are: Mrs. Grace Schen, principal at Central Howell; Mrs. Agnes Booth and Miss Letitia Baker of Salem Heights; Mrs. Lloyd Girod and Miss Elsie Rose of Gates; Mrs. Clara Rees of Sunnyside; Miss Mamie Backstrom from Auburn; Mrs. Dorothy Carpenter and Mrs. Texia Kemmen of Clear Lake and Mrs. Charlotte Jones of Labish Center; Mrs. Willow Evans from Silver Falls; Mrs. Elsie Richards of Waconda; Mrs. Cora Young, Pleasant Point; Miss Esther Girod of Fruitland and Miss Thelma MacDonald of Turner.

STUDENTS PHOTOGRAPHED

Aumsville—A Portland photographer visited the high school Wednesday morning and took pictures of the basketball and football teams, student body and individual classes.

Pedestrian Struck

Seio—Near Milwaukee Thursday afternoon, while returning from Portland, W. J. Turnidge of Seio, struck a pedestrian who was crossing the highway. The man was bruised considerably but not seriously injured. It was stated, Turnidge stopped as soon as he could, he says, and took the man to his home a few blocks away.

Aurora—A. L. Strickland recently returned from Corvallis where he attended lectures the past week in connection with his work with the Molalla Electric company, of which he is manager.

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