

Eleventh Annual Homecoming At Scotts Mills

Scotts Mills — Around 250 persons attended the eleventh annual homecoming in the city park. After the clearing of the fog the day proved to be ideal in every way.

Supervising the spreading of the basket dinner were Mrs. J. E. Saueressig and Mrs. Russell Nelson. Jack Campbell assisted by making the coffee.

The afternoon meeting was called by the president, Bob Eaton. The program was read by Mrs. Earl Davidson, committee chairman. Numbers were: Flag salute, led by Clyde Phillips; remarks on the flag, O. H. Brougher; poem, "The Things That Make a Soldier Great," Leola Scharback; vocal solo, Hallie Campbell; pianist, Corinne Moberg; reading, Chloe Davidson; music, Phyllis, Almond and Arthur Rich.

Reading of communications by Leola Scharback, from Mrs. Floy Hartman Andrews, Culver City, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Purnell, Porterville, Calif.; Mrs. Maud (Brodie) Lierly, Oakland, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fisher, Olinde, Calif.; Edith Hogg, Tenio, Wash.; Mrs. Berniece (Hartman) Brown, Bandon, Ore., and Mrs. Lloyd Thomas, Salem; prayer by A. L. Brougher, local merchant.

Prizes were given for the following: Woman coming the farthest distance, received by Mrs. Belle C. Merry of St. Louis, Mo.; man coming farthest, Joe Jennings of Skamokawa, Wash.; the oldest woman present, Mrs. E. Shilts of Scotts Mills, and oldest man present, A. L. Brougher of Scotts Mills; youngest child present, to Walley Jean Stuart, two months' old daughter of Sgt. Charles W. Stuart of Australia, and Mrs. Stuart of Scotts Mills. Defense stamps were given as prizes.

The nominating committee, Mrs. Charles Scharback, Clyde Phillips and Mrs. A. J. Ettlin, recommended the following for 1943 and '44 officers: President, O. H. Brougher; vice-president, Earl Davidson and Zella Smith, secretary-treasurer.

Committees appointed for 1943 homecoming were: Program—Mrs. Charles Muller, Mrs. Gertrude Schmitt, Mrs. Dora Palmquist and Earl Davidson.

Table—Mrs. Frances Shultz, Mrs. Almond Rich, Mrs. John Martin, Mrs. Inez Edlund and Mrs. Edna Cook.

Coffee—Mrs. Lloyd Heinz, Mrs. Rose Holt and Mrs. Kate Thomas.

Hospitality—Mrs. Lida Brougher, Mrs. J. E. Saueressig, Clyde Phillips and Mrs. Lloyd Thomas.

Grounds—Almond Rich, A. T. Dale, Levi Kellie and Charles Scharback.

Among those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Esterson and daughter and Miss Mary Sand, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. (Violet Adkins) Miller, Spokane, Wash.; Mrs. Louise (Heintz) Lucas and children, Centralia, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jennings, Skamokawa, Wash.; Mrs. Belle C. Merry, St. Louis, Mo.; Marie E. Burch, Rochester, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, Hermiston, Ore.; Mrs. J. G. Hartman, Lebanon, Mo.; Mrs. E. A. Linsen, Mrs. Veva M. Hudson and children, Eugene, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Garrison, Mrs. and Mrs. Gordon Woodford, St. Helena, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Alva Wakefield and daughter, Brownsville, Miss.; Mrs. Edna Heinz, Canby, W. P. Bonelli, Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Phillips, Gervais; Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brougher, Monitor; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell, Mrs. Rita Palmer, Mona Peeler, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sanders and children, Mrs. E. Hanson, Bandon, Mrs. Merrill Wagoner, Edna Cook, Phyllis Phillips, Pearl Turnbull, Gettie Binkley Day, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott, Harry Adkins, Leola Scharback, Mrs. and Mrs. A. J. Mack and son, Raymond Vanders, Mrs. G. J. Stammers, Alpha Parker, Roy Brown of Portland.

Playful Pinto Pitches Pal

Silverton—Miss Patricia Rice, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rice, isn't so sure she likes horseback riding or her newly purchased mount, which she said she discovered had one white eye after she had experienced her first ride and the attendant complements.

Patricia was told the pony was very gentle. She saddled and bridled him and started for a jaunt up South Water street shortly after bringing him home from the Four Corner stables. The "pinto" decided to just plain run away with his new mistress. He did and she was thrown to the pavement and painfully bruised about the face and body. Her back was thought at first to be seriously hurt, but closer examination showed only bad bruises and cuts. Patricia is confined to her bed.

Smith Creek Camp Church Picnic Site

Silverton — Rev. O. Leonard Jones, pastor of the Methodist church, has arranged for the Sunday evening service to be held at Smith Creek camp where a picnic supper will be held followed an hour of worship in the opening program of the Young Adult District conference which will continue for several days.

The Methodist Loyal Guards will hold its monthly meeting at the church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Jones is announcing that all members and friends are invited to attend and support the afternoon meeting from 2 to 7 o'clock Friday of this week on the church lawn under the auspices of the Silverton Woman's Christian Temperance union, the proceeds to go to the support of the Children's Farm Home at Corvallis.

Neighborhood Plan Spreads to Linn

Albany—How wartime information is to be brought to all rural families of Linn county through the neighborhood leader plan was outlined at a meeting held in Albany this week. In this community 48 neighborhood leaders will contact from 10 to 25 families, taking to them information upon such wartime emergency programs as inflation, farm transportation, scrap iron collection, enriched flour and other timely subjects, it was announced by Floyd Mullen, county agent.

The information will be distributed from the county agent's office to neighborhood leaders and they in turn will pass it on to residents of their neighborhoods. More than 200 neighborhoods have been organized in Linn county, with a man and woman leader designated for each neighborhood, Mullen stated.

Polk Selectee List is Taken From February

Dallas—All but three of the second August group of Polk county selectees reporting at the army Tuesday and leaving for the Portland induction center were from the February registration. The following reported: Howard Elliott, Biegler, Leola Eugene Williams, Joe Lee Permsler, George Yust Johnson, Harry Vern Covey, Robert Le Roy Cross, Carl Johnson, Milton Virgil Seabolt, Edna E. Swanson, Lloyd Vernon Hackson, Richard Thomas Blide, Roy Seaman, Darrell Walter Rex, Merle Ambrose Sharet, Henry William Rowden, Daniel Waterhouse, Thomas Rowland Rias, Harold Goddard Christensen, George James Sturgeon, W. J. Corbell, Edwin I. Jensen, Harvey Yeomans, Leon Damon Stewart, Frederick Marshall Johnson, Olo Reders, W. A. Kluing and Vernon Harvey Smith. Oliver James Hyland was a class 1B volunteer.

Navy Man Injured Dallas—James Canfield, 19, U.S.N., suffered severe shock, and a right leg injury when the car in which he was riding with Leonard Banks and Bud Cordell, turned over on the highway near Falls City Tuesday evening. He is at Bartel's hospital. Banks, who was driving, and Cordell suffered minor cuts and bruises. Canfield, who has been in the navy two and one-half years, was spending a furlough here.

Stock Theft Admitted Dallas—William Rilston, arraigned before Judge Airle Walker Tuesday afternoon, pleaded guilty to a charge of attempted theft of livestock on the Polk county farm of L. M. Gossler. Sentence has not yet been pronounced. Rilston and his 18-year-old son, Verne George, were jailed about a week ago when caught by Gossler while in the act of loading cattle onto a trailer, at his farm near Buena Vista.

Jefferson

Cash Stolen from Knight's Garage; Sunday School Holds Picnic

Knight Brothers report that some time during the noon hour Monday, about \$100 was taken from a combination safe and cash register in the office of their garage at the corner of Main street and the highway. The theft evidently occurred while one or two of the men were at lunch and the other was busy at the rear of the garage.

Mrs. Eugene Finlay underwent a major operation Monday morning at Dr. Anderson's surgical hospital in Corvallis. Her condition is reported to be good.

Mrs. Karl Steiwer spent several days last week with Mrs. R. D. Gilbert of Salem, at her cottage at Cubler City.

Charles Gibson and son, Carl, visited with relatives in Portland Sunday.

Mayor and Mrs. Irvine Wright and family returned home Monday from a week's vacation at the coast near Florence. They also motored down the coast as far as North Bend and visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tolman at Winchester Bay. The Tolmans are former residents of this community.

Mrs. David H. Looney and Miss Marguerite Looney are enjoying a vacation at Cutler City.

Rebekahs at Monitor Hold Picnic Dinner

Monitor—A picnic sponsored by Frances Rebekah lodge for members and families was held at the picnic grounds of Mr. and Mrs. George Sweeney. A picnic dinner was enjoyed and the afternoon spent in visiting.

Silverton

Guests are Being Entertained; Light Pays Fine; Railroader Taken Ill

Mrs. Edith Kuch, Mrs. Elaine Shields and their brothers, Fid and John Nortness, have as their house guest for several weeks their cousin, Mrs. Sig Allthson, of Fargo, N. D. A son of the visitor, Bernard Allthson, has been employed for more than a year at Columbia Air corps and spent the weekend in Silverton.

Laura Givens of 116 Webb street, was taken to a Salem hospital Monday for special treatment.

Mrs. Cora Dolan and her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Wrightman, are spending a few days at the Toppenish, Wash., home of Mrs. Dolan's brother, the L. L. Garretts.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Cass Roberts of Camas, Wash., are house guests of Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Powell.

L. Light remained in the city jail from early Sunday morning until Monday when he was brought before City Police Judge Bert Terry and given a \$15 fine on a charge of being "drunk and disorderly" in a public place.

C. Fletcher, employe at the Southern Pacific depot, became suddenly ill Monday evening and was taken to the local hospital for treatment. He was reported much improved Tuesday afternoon and will be able to return to his home within a few days.

Scio Prepares Defense Plans Against Raids

Scio—A "trial disaster" will be held in Scio in the near future under direction of county civilian defense authorities and army officials, according to an announcement made here by Mrs. E. Phillips, local chairman of civilian defense. Rolla Shelton and Eunice Bartu have been appointed vice chairmen with Mrs. Phillips. Committees were reorganized here Friday at a meeting of women serving the local organization, with 22 present.

The Scio telephone office will be control station for direction of activities during possible air raids. Several Scio residents plan basic training in operating the switchboard.

Under present plans, chairmen and committee members will assemble immediately at designated food and shelter stations, and the auxiliary hospital and first aid station.

Mrs. Phillips emphasized need for serious preparation for possible enemy attacks in this vicinity, when Scio may be called upon to feed and shelter its own war victims or those from evacuated larger towns.

The high school gym will be sleeping quarters for temporary mass shelter. Local committee will be in immediate charge, with the National Red Cross to provide clothing and cots and bedding if the necessity arises. Clothing will be purchased at retail prices, according to a recent ruling by the Red Cross. Food will also be purchased by the Red Cross at retail figures, rather than at cost, as previously contemplated.

Scio high school will be the recreation center for evacuees, with the morale committee in charge. Catholic and Protestant services are planned by the committee.

Mail carriers will report to the post office at any alert signal.

The first aid station will be staffed by Scioans holding advanced certificates, with Dr. W. P. Goulding in charge. Standard course graduates will also be on call.

A new committee has been appointed to open and prepare the auxiliary hospital.

Woman's Bucket Brigade Success

Lebanon—What might have proved a major disaster here was narrowly averted when a women's bucket brigade stopped a fire in the wood pile at the Assembly of God church Tuesday.

Two small boys playing back of the church set fire to the 15 cords of dry, pitchy wood, which was surrounded by tall dry grass, reports Police Chief Mike Southard.

A woman living near by spotted the blaze and dashed out with a bucket of water. She was quickly aided by others of the vicinity, and the fire was out by the time Southard arrived, he said.

Rats on Farms Create Minor 'Pearl Harbor'

Unionvale — Rats at farms, where chickens are kept in the Unionvale district, are a distinct nuisance because of the amount of grain they are consuming this season.

All known manner of destruction to get rid of them has been restored to and their "cunning" unexpected attacks on feeding places remind farmers of "Pearl Harbor."

At the Clarence L. Fowler farm an old mother rat was caught in a steel spring trap, with left hind leg up to her body, when found Sunday four half-grown rats were nursing and so interested in their business, of the "warm meals at all hours" service that they did not notice the execution to be meted out with the shovel at the same time with the mother's death.

Forest Closure Full in Effect

Lebanon—That the forest closures now in effect are being strictly enforced was evidenced last Saturday in the justice court of Harvey Wight, Lebanon.

A. W. Johnson and W. N. Willis, Portland, were cited for entering the Clear Lake area without permit and were sentenced to a fine of \$25 and costs.

Families Meet At Hofstetters

Pratum—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hofstetter were hosts for the Gerber and Giger annual family reunion at their home at Pratum Sunday. Large tables were spread on the lawn where the no-host basket dinner was served.

Eldon Gerber, the president, opened the meeting in the afternoon by reading several verses from the Bible. Daniel Steiner led in prayer. Eldon Gerber was re-elected president. Mrs. John Steiner will be secretary-treasurer.

The program included a clarinet duet by two of Heibert's children; saxophone solo by Eldon Gerber; vocal duet, Mrs. Luvinia Wedel and Mrs. Peter Hofstetter; trio by Wenger sisters, Lucille, Margaret and Louise; vocal solo, Marie Harder.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Zweigler of Salem, Mrs. Hall, niece of Mrs. Zweigler, of Olatona, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Heibert, twin girls, Verda and Velma, and Raymond and Alvin Heibert of Dallas, Mrs. Luvinia Wedel, Miss Pearl Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bear Lawrence and Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs. John Harder and Marie, Mrs. Alma Zuecher, Ferd and Byron Zuecher, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Wenger, Lucille, Margarete, Louise, Main, Norma, Charles, Jimmie Dick and Howard Wenger Eldon Gerber, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. John Steiner, "Grandma" Heibert and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hofstetter.

This was the 14th reunion for this group.

Railroader Has Vacation

Silverton — Don McCall of Pendleton, employe of the Union Pacific railway, arrived

here Monday for a few days' stay with relatives, and will be accompanied home today by Mrs. McCall, who has been visiting the parents of McCall, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jay McCall, and other relatives including Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holden and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Benton, all of Silverton, and the H. Gordon McCalls of Portland.

Eola

Hop Ranch Made Ready For Coming Harvest; New-comers Get Established

The Williams & Thacker Hop company have their camp grounds in readiness for the hop season. They have about 100 each of cabins and tents and the grounds are electrified thoroughly and if the hop pickers will cooperate, they will have a clean and cool place to spend their time while they are not working.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Antrican and son, Donald, spent Sunday in Portland visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Kessel and family spent the weekend at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell and son, Richard, visited friends and relatives in Lebanon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bird, the new proprietors of the Eola Springs service station, were former residents of Roseburg. The Birds are enjoying their new location and are building up a nice local trade in their line, gas and general grocery.

LEON'S present

The... "COED" ... by ROYAL of California

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Monitor

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is

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Plus

HUGH HERBERT in "THERE'S ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE"

GRAND TODAY

Jackie Cooper Bonita Granville "Syncope" AND GENE AUTRY "Call of the Canyon"

22c Plus Tax 5c

Arizona Terrors 20c Plus Tax 5c

NEW STATE TODAY

Errol Flynn Olivia de Havilland "SANTA FE TRAIL" AND James Stewart Rosalind Russell "NO TIME FOR COMEDY"

18c Plus Tax 5c

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TODAY & FRI. - 2 HITS

John Steinbeck's "THE GRAPES OF WRATH" with Henry Fonda

— PLUS —

ARIZONA TERRORS

20c Plus Tax 5c

BUY WAR STAMPS - BONDS

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TODAY, FRI., SAT. - 2 HITS

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