

# In the Valley

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## Jefferson

Jefferson — Mrs. William Lake was surprised Sunday noon when she came home from church to find a group of friends in her home preparing a birthday dinner in honor of her birthday, which was planned by her husband. The dinner was served cafeteria style.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lake and daughters, Kathleen and Donna, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis of Warrenton; Mr. and Mrs. Nap Wagner, Corvallis; Mrs. Joe Waring and Carol Lou of Scio; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Davis, Miss Anna Klampe, the honor guest and host, Mr. and Mrs. Lake.

The Evangelical United Brethren church purchased the Valley house, just across from the grade school. The new church is to be built on this property. Mr. and Mrs. George Vail will move to Toledo, where Mrs. Vail's son, Oluf, has built a new house for them.

The Evangelical United Brethren church has sold the lot on which the former church stood to Irvine Wright.

J. R. McKee purchased three and one-half acres of ground on Second St. McKee plans to

lay it out in lots and build a house on the corner.

The WSW of the Evangelical United Brethren church met at the home of Mrs. Christy Wells Wednesday afternoon. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Geneva Meyers.

The lesson study was given by several members of the society. Mrs. Bashford asked to have her name transferred to the Corvallis society.

Mrs. Geneva Meyers led in prayer. Two visitors were present, Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Howard Hampton.

Mrs. Karl Kihns gave the current events.

Officers elected were: President, Mrs. Bernice Kihns; vice president, Mrs. Chrystal Wells; secretary, Mrs. Florence Whitte; assistant secretary, Mrs. Geneva Meyers; treasurer, Mrs. Gertrude Kihns.

Mrs. A. E. Bashford offered the closing prayer.

## Pleasantdale

Pleasantdale — Mrs. William Mills was honored with a pink and blue shower by the Country Flower club at its March meeting at the home of Mrs. J. M. Murphy. The president, Mrs. Harry Gray, gave out the new year books.

The club plans a field trip to the Gresham fair and flower show during April.

Mrs. Vernon Melzer and son of Wasco are spending the week here with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Melzer.

Recent church guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flock and children were his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Parker of Mineral, Calif., who visited 10 days, and Mrs. Flock's father and grandmother, Homer Knott, and Mrs. Emma Knott, of Vale, Ore.

Floyd McFarlane and his son-in-law, Don Carlson of McMinnville, spent Sunday fishing at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grabenhorst, accompanied by two of his daughters, Mrs. Ralph Conway of Washougal, Wash., and Louise Parker and sons of Salem, drove to Eugene Sunday to spend the day with another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lewis and family.

Mrs. Walter Wingate of Portland was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Winger.

Mrs. W. E. Grabenhorst of Pleasantdale, her sister, Mrs. H. N. Butler and daughter Carol, of Portland, spent Monday at Tierra del Mar, on the coast.

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## Sublimity

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The group was then taken on a tour of the capitol. In the afternoon the students visited other state institutions.

Father O'Hara, Sister M. Regina and Sister M. Victoria, instructors in the high school, accompanied the pupils on their trip.

Mrs. Herman Haasler is ill with the flu.

The Thibert place, formerly known as the Alvin Schmitt home, west of Joe Brienteinsteins, has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Wyoming.

The Flynn's are taking immediate possession of the property.

It's a boy, Darrel Eugene, for the Harold E. Russels, Jr. The lad, born Sunday, March 15 at a Salem hospital, has two sisters. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Russel, Sr., of Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Lulay are the grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ripp are the parents of a son, David James, born Sunday, March 15, at a Salem hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ripp and Mr. and Mrs. Porter of Mehama.

The women's group put on by the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters Sunday was presented to a large group of members. The ritualistic work was done by the local group, due to the inability of the St. Paul degree team to be present.

Relatives and friends from here attended the funeral of William Klecker, 79, who was buried at Stayton Monday morning.

Interest is being shown in Study club work, which is under the direction of Rev. Robert O'Hara.

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past week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Sheythe. The Perrys are moving to Kings Valley where he will be employed at the Simpson mill for the summer.

Miss Alma Birchell, who is employed in Corvallis, spent the week-end with her mother and family, Mrs. M. Birchell.

A large crowd attended the benefit supper at the club hall Wednesday evening given by the Airline PTA for the Rocky Johnson family.

Mrs. Leroy Starr was called to Riverport, Ore., by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Lydia Carver.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ronco and small son, Broody, spent Monday in Salem.

## Buena Vista

Buena Vista — Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pruiett entertained for dinner recently Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kobler and her grandson, Kelvin Kobler from Idaho and Mrs. Will Kobler from Kansas.

Lt. Richard Moler of Virginia was a guest of Farrell Rust this week.

Bill Pruiett will attend State F.F.A. convention in Corvallis this week. He is president of the Central high school chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wells were Sunday dinner guests of his sister, Mrs. Clair Strawn in Salem.

Sharon McGowan and Ramon Pruiett from Oregon State college were dinner guests at the Willard Pruiett home Sunday.

## Woodburn

Woodburn — At the regular meeting of Woodburn chapter of DeMolay Wednesday night at the Masonic temple, the initiatory degree was conferred upon Arthur Peterson, Homer Wadsworth and Russell Anderson, with Phillip LaBarr, master counselor, presiding.

The state convales, to be held at Astoria, May 1, 2 and 3, was discussed.

Announcement was made of "Obligatory Sunday," March 22, when the members will attend the Methodist church in a body.

Dr. A. G. Guild, Portland dentist for the past seven years, has announced the opening of an office in Woodburn. A 1945 graduate of North Pacific dental college, Dr. Guild will be in Woodburn Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays of each week for the present. His offices will be in the Allen building.

## Pringle

Pringle — "Becoming a Good Buyer" was the project presented to the Pringle Extension Unit Wednesday afternoon at the Pringle club house, with 19 present.

Presenting the project was Louis Hannah of Oregon State college. Mrs. George Crump, chairman, conducted the business meeting and appointed Mrs. J. A. Gray and Mrs. Ed Holden on the nominating committee.

Discussion on the braided rug workshop and a date for the workshop will be announced later. The project leaders will be Mrs. Charles Klingler and Mrs. C. A. Bunse.

Norwegian study for ACWW was given by Mrs. Jack McNeill and Mrs. J. A. Gray. At the noon hour the group had a smorgasbord and Mrs. L. W. Kenyon was the assisting hostess.

## Gervais

Gervais — The regular meeting of St. Rita's Altar society was held at the parish rectory with Rev. Snideron last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Ferschweiler and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bochsler in Portland. The ladies are sisters.

Miss Freda Manning, local beautician, attended the Pacific coast beauty and trade show in the Rose Bowl of the Multnomah hotel in Portland Sunday.

The Gervais Garden club, president Mrs. M. Lucas and 12 members of the club motored to Salem Tuesday, where they attended a 1:30 p.m. luncheon.

The April meeting of the club will be held on the regular third Thursday of the month at the home of Mrs. Ward Manning.

## Mt. Angel

Mt. Angel — Mt. Angel Women's College and Academy will be the beneficiary from the proceeds of a card party planned by the Mt. Angel Area Alumnae for April 8, the first Wednesday after Easter.

The fund-raising event which will be the first after-Easter social planned for here, will be in the St. Mary's grade school auditorium, beginning at 8 p.m. The proceeds from the party will be used towards furnishing

## Willamina

Willamina — John Buswell underwent surgery Tuesday in a McMinnville hospital, and is getting along nicely.

Gene Matthews is home on leave from the navy, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Matthews. He has just returned from a trip to Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Franz Sedlack and family of Milton-Freewater were visitors here this week. They are former residents here, both having taught school here last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Decker and son of Klamath Falls left Wednesday after visiting here with her mother, Mrs. Karl Lentz.

Joy Thorn spent the spring vacation in Eugene visiting her parents.

Brent Snow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Snow, spent last week in Salem visiting his grandparents.

Mrs. Rurik Hendrickson and Mrs. H. A. Parrett attended a meeting of the Board of the third district of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs in Salem Monday at the home of Mrs. George Rosman, board president.

A double birthday party was given March 18 honoring Frankie Kauble on his fifth birthday and Karen Kauble on her eighth birthday.

Kathleen Dentel celebrated her seventh birthday this week by having Judith Barber and Mark Spencer as dinner guests.

## Hubbard

A son, Daniel Stewart, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elvan Pitney Friday morning, March 13, in a Portland hospital. The Pitneys have a daughter, Kathy.

The Busy Bakers 4-H club will entertain their mothers at a tea Friday afternoon, March 20, at 3 p.m. in the gym kitchen of the school. Hosts and hostesses for the tea will be Richard Woods, Gary Barrett, Jane Van Lieu and Janice Nelson. Decorating committee will be Lois Levens, Wonaona Powers and Dale Graham with Mrs. Marvin Barrett, assistant leader, as chairman of the committee who plan to use the 4-H colors of white and green. Mrs. Leon Graham is leader of the group.

The members of the Ladies' Aid of the Hubbard Community church met for an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. R. C. Mains Wednesday and decided upon March 31 as church clean-up day. The next meeting will be March 25 at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. A. L. Murphy.

## Aurora

Mrs. James T. Smith was hostess in her home Friday evening March 13, to members of the Past Chiefs club of Una temple No. 26, Pythian Sisters of Aurora. Co-hostesses were Mrs. George Wurster and Mrs.

## Unionvale

Unionvale — The Unionvale Home Extension Unit will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hrabas, Wednesday, March 25.

An all-day meeting will be held with Mrs. Alma Hartman, Wells county agent, project leader on "Housekeeping Short Cuts."

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hrabas returned home Monday evening. Mr. Hrabas attended a national convention for freezers held at Chicago since Feb. 28.

Mrs. Hrabas had been a guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ditte and family, for a week at Los Angeles, Calif., and Mr. Hrabas joined her there.

While Mrs. Hrabas was away, Mrs. Rose Ditte, mother of Mrs. Hrabas, had charge of the home and care of the children. The trips were made by rail.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Maggee were Sunday guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Magee and sons, Steven and Bruce.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Arden gave a birthday dinner for their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Hart and their granddaughter, Jane Huffine. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wade of Colton, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mack and son of Falls City.

Kent Ward, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Ward, was taken to the hospital in Salem Tuesday where he underwent surgery for a ruptured appendix.

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