

In The Valley

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Hopewell

HOPEWELL — World Service Day will be observed at the Hopewell E.U.B. church Sunday Feb. 7 at 11 a.m. Women's Society of World Service will be in charge of the service.

Dr. Kenneth Wesche, dean of the Western Theological Seminary in Jennings, Ky., will be guest speaker. He was a missionary in China until forced out by the Communists several years ago. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service.

February 7 at 8 p.m., Hopewell E.U.B. church will unite with the Unionvale E.U.B. church to present the film, "Oiltown, U.S.A."

The revival services with Rev. W. C. Graves as evangelist closed Sunday, January 31 at the Hopewell E.U.B. church. Rev. Leo Thornton of Portland, trombonist and soloist, and Rev. Ronald Crellius of Portland, soloist, had charge of the music each evening of the series.

Hopewell Home Extension Unit met at the Hopewell E.U.B. church for the lesson on "Mending and Reweaving," given by Mrs. Charles Van Dorn and Mrs. John Fuqua. The business session was in charge of Mrs. John Fuqua. Potluck dinner was served at noon.

Hopewell Community Club will hold its February meeting at the schoolhouse February 4 at 8 p.m. Mrs. Glen Harris, President will be in charge of the business meeting, and Mrs. Stephen Reed is program chairman.

The Hopewell Water Company, a cooperative water system for Hopewell district, held a board meeting at the home of N. O. Pearce, Saturday, J. S. Gilkey, president, was in charge.

John Geisler is secretary-treasurer; Clarence Legg and N. O. Pearce are directors. Miss Virginia Magness resigned from the board, and a new director will be elected soon. The water samples taken lately have been pure, and work will be commenced as soon as possible to pipe the lower spring to a reservoir more adequate to the needs of the system.

Rev. and Mrs. Glen Harris are caring for Robert Elliott, Jr., 7 months, while his mother is receiving treatment at a hospital in Salem. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were at the Harris home Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Boaz and Ted Hensley were honored on their birthdays at a party at the Wheatland hall Saturday. Many neighbors and friends attended.

Clyde Fowler and Eugene Wilson, members of the board of the Wheatland hall purchased shingles for the roof of the hall, and will put them on as soon as weather permits.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shaw of Yamhill were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaFollette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hensley recently returned from a trip to Oklahoma, going by California, and spending Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Donald Ulinger, in Inge, Calif., and again visiting them on their return from Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Imhart, Sr. of Salem were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kobbie of Roseburg are houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lafferty. Mr. Kobbie underwent surgery in Portland recently, and is going to Portland twice a week for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Overlander and daughter Marilyn of Alsea were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Terrill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pearce and family called on her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Dixon and family Sunday to welcome the new nephew, David Neil, born in McMinnville January 27. They also called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Pearce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Loop and sons of Toledo were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loop, and little Sherrill Loop who has been a guest of her grandparents for several weeks returned with them.

Paul Council will be read at this meeting with plans for an initiation for these new members tentatively set for Sunday, Feb. 21. The Cana Conference sponsored by the Knights of Columbus was held at St. Paul this year for the first time with 30 couples attending. Abbot Damian of Mount Angel conducted the conference.

The St. Paul Knights of Columbus sponsored the last of a series of card parties for the people of the St. Paul area last week. At this party, the grand prizes for the season's play were presented with the following people receiving the grand prizes for having the highest total score for the season:

Contract Bridge, Clara Kirsch; Pinochle, George Bernards; Auction Bridge, first prize to Eleanor Davidson and second prize to Louise Vachter; Ladies 500, first prize to Mrs. James Davidson and second prize to Rose Gooding; Mens 500, first prize to William Frith and second prize to James Davidson.

Additional prizes were awarded to the winners of the various games during the evening and these went to Nellie Ferschweiler for Contract Bridge; Martha Coleman and Ethel Conner for Auction Bridge; Mrs. Frank Bernards and Mrs. James Davidson for Ladies 500; Mr. Lawrence Bernard and Mr. Norman Ernst for Mens 500; and George Bernard for Pinochle. Refreshments were served by the men of the parish.

The mothers of the St. Paul Catholic parish are planning a gigantic dinner on Sunday, Feb. 14, Valentine's Day, with the proceeds to be used to furnish new playground equipment for the St. Paul's Academy. The dinner will be a roast beef dinner and will be served in the St. Paul City Hall starting at 12:00 noon and will continue until 6 o'clock.

Plans call for preparations for about one thousand people. Presidents of the various women's community organizations are general chairmen of the dinner. They are Eileen Kaufman, Martha Coleman, Theresa Gooding and Loretta Kirk.

Charles Merten, a junior in the St. Paul Union High School, led the third six weeks Honor Roll with a 1.4 scholastic average. Charles has been on the honor roll each of the three six weeks periods and has led it the past two times.

Others whose grade point average is above two point are: Carl Ernst, Jean McCarthy, Janet Fenton, Vernita Kimmel and Mary Ellen Coleman. Carl Ernst, Jean McCarthy and Vernita Kimmel have been on the Honor Roll each of the first three periods. Janet Fenton has been listed twice and Mary Ellen Coleman is on the roll this year for the first time.

The students of the High School contributed \$16 toward the Marion County March of Dimes, Wednesday evening, Feb. 10 the sophomore class of the high school are sponsoring a movie at the high school starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Grand Island — Larry and Kenneth Will, small sons of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Will are recovering from severe colds.

The river came up two inches in six hours at the Raymond Palmer farm Saturday.

Unionvale — Ray Hibbs, a paratrooper, stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky., is well and likes his work, according to a letter received from him by his father, Royal Hibbs.

Mrs. John Hibbs observed her 90th birthday at the McMinnville convalescent home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shelburne were Saturday guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shelburne at McMinnville. Claude is recovering from ankle injuries received last April in tractor plowing accident.

FILE BUSINESS NAME — ALBANY — An assumed business name has been registered here for the TV Clinic, Sweet Home television sales and service enterprise, by Carl Ketchum and Maurice Lindon. The name Willamette Land company has been registered by Eleanor and M. D. Woolley, H. K. Robe withdrawing from the partnership.

CAFE LOSES ACTION — ALBANY — Judge Victor Oliver in Circuit court here has issued two judgments in favor of the state unemployment commission against Dean and Patsy Bundy, doing business as the Shamrock Cafe, one for \$42.94 and the other for \$40.90.

NOW AT HOME — BETHEL — Charles Sappingfield, Jr., returned Thursday after 17 weeks at the Salem General hospital where he received treatment and surgery. He is making good recovery and will be glad to see his friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sappingfield on Route 6.

Mill City

MILL CITY — Mrs. John Muir, retiring president of the Mill City Firemans auxiliary, presented the gavel to Mrs. Tom Morris, new president, at the meeting last Thursday. The organization voted to donate \$5 to the March of Dimes. Names were drawn for "Secret Pals" for the year.

Following the business meeting cards were the diversion of the evening, with refreshments served by Mrs. Morris and her mother, Mrs. Louis Rada.

All women of Mill City and surrounding areas are invited to the luncheon meeting of the Santiam Hospital Auxiliary Association at the Womens clubhouse in Mehama Thursday, February 4 at 1 p.m. Mrs. J. C. Kimmel is vice president of the auxiliary and Mrs. Arlo Tuers, secretary. Both are of Mill City. Mrs. Sylvia Heinrich of Stayton is president.

Guests last week end of Mr. and Mrs. James Poole were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Poole and small son from Monmouth, Sunday, Bill Mikkelsen of Portland, brother of Mrs. Leo Poole joined the group. The family gathering honored Mrs. Leo Poole on her birthday anniversary.

The Mothers March on polo in Mill City, assisted by Campfire Girls as in former years brought \$199.40, somewhat less than last year. Figures for the entire drive will be available when the money from all the money-making ventures have been turned over to the Lions club, sponsor of this year's polo drive.

Friendship circle of the Presbyterian church gathered at the home of Mrs. Vernon Todd Tuesday for the monthly meeting. Program was under the direction of Mrs. Ed Yarnell, president, with the theme "Our Church in Our Community." Devotions were led by Mrs. E. J. Andersen.

Mrs. Yarnell submitted her resignation as she is moving to Salem. Mrs. Arlo Tuers was elected to fill her unexpired term of office.

Gifts were presented to Mrs. Yarnell and Mrs. Martin Kelley, secretary of the group, who will also be moving soon, in appreciation of their work for the Circle and the Church.

Next meeting of the Circle will be held jointly with the Presbyterian Women's Association early in February, when the two groups will have installation of officers.

Mrs. A. E. Nesbitt entertained members of the Lions auxiliary at her home last Wednesday. Mrs. Roger Nelson, conducted the business meeting. Letters of thanks were read from W. R. Dry, superintendent of the State Blind school at Salem, and from some of the students there, written in Braille, thanking the Auxiliary for Christmas gifts sent to them.

Committees were appointed to assist with the Lions Club March of Dimes dance held Saturday, January 30.

Chairman of the Coffee and Snack Bar committee was Mabel Nelson, assisted by Edythe Means, Faith Venner, Faustina Nesbitt, Jane Thacker and Alta Moffatt.

Joint meeting is to be held Monday with the Lions Club when a No-Host dinner will be served. It was announced that the total raised by the Auxiliary for the series of coffees was \$134, and is to be turned over to the Polo Fund drive.

A new instructor, Miss Marilyn Cederberg, was added this week to the teaching staff at Mill City high school. This was made necessary because of the increased enrollment. Miss Cederberg is a recent graduate of Linfield college and this is her first year of teaching. She will have freshman and sophomore English, girls' chorus and physical education for girls.

Members of the Mill City Toastmistress club held installation ceremonies Thursday, January 28 at the Bank Cafe. Installing officer was Mrs. Kenneth Crosier. Mrs. Howard Means is the new president, succeeding Mrs. Gwen Jones.

Toastmistress Thursday evening was Mrs. William Hutcheson; topicmistress Mrs. A. E. Nesbitt; timer, Mrs. Nesbitt; critics, Mrs. Elaine Kiersey and Mrs. Ed Yarnell. Invocation was by Mrs. Gwen Jones.

Mrs. Howard Means spoke on education with her subject "Vocational." Other speakers were Mrs. Arthur LeCout, "By the Skin of My Teeth" and Mrs. Vernon Todd, "American First Ladies." Next meeting will feature a speech contest, the winner to represent the Mill City club at the area contest.

Chamber Hears Of Institution

Salem Chamber members were given a good look at the state institutions of higher learning today when a color film prepared by the state board was exhibited by Travis Cross, director of information of the University of Oregon.

The pictures were taken on the eight campuses and throughout the state where the extension and experimental work is done. The program was introduced by Dr. R. E. Kleinsorge, president of the board, who pointed out that several thousand students more than the 13,000 currently studying are to be expected in the institutions within the next few years. Housing will be a particularly acute problem, he warned.

Ted Hobart, chairman of the Chamber's agricultural committee, presented a plaque to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Daugherty of Woodburn, whose 27 registered Jerseys topped the cow in the Marion county herd improvement associations.

Dick Schlup, president of the Downtown Merchants Association, said his members had taken a pledge not to tie up parking meter space in the business district this year and asked all other Salem business and professional men to observe this in their own and their colleagues' interests.

Chamber President Bill Hammond presided. The door prize, two 10-pound bags of White Satin sugar, were won by Del Milne, manager of the Hotel Marion where the meeting was held, and Willard Marshall.

Work Meeting Held At YWCA by Co-Rec

Co-Rec club held a work night at the new YWCA building Friday.

Miss Gertrude Acheson, executive director of the YWCA, supervised the painting of 25 chairs for the new building, to be dedicated April 25. She also led a "flashlight" tour of the almost-finished structure.

Following the painting bee, refreshments were served and the semi-annual election of officers was held. The new officers are Ken Harding, president; Celia Balcaen, vice president, and Lois Roseler, Beverly Nunn, Bob Biskie and Ed Wulff (retiring president), council members.

Celia Balcaen will be hostess Tuesday night at a joint meeting of both old and new officers. Installation of officers will be held at the China City restaurants starting at 7 p.m. Friday. Reservations must be made at the MWCA by noon Wednesday.

First Aid Treats Two For Knife Wounds

Knife wounds were suffered by a Salem man and his 11-year-old stepdaughter at their home at 1439 South 12th street Saturday night, city police reported.

Glenn Albert was treated by Salem first aidmen for a deep laceration of the right arm. It required several stitches to close the wound when he was taken to Salem Memorial hospital, authorities said. He was released after treatment.

The girl, Donna J. Flanery, suffered a lengthy laceration of the left arm that was not serious, first aidmen reported.

In statements of Mr. and Mrs. Albert taken by investigating officers, it appeared that the girl was accidentally wounded in a family altercation.

No charges have been filed, police said.

Wheatland

WHEATLAND — While Arnold Brant of the Wheatland district has been ill, Donald Gubser of the Pleasantdale district has been doing chores.

The John Bauer children are recovering from colds at the Wheatland home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer.

DIVORCE GRANTED — ALBANY — Judge Victor Oliver in circuit court here has issued a decree of divorce to Mrs. Lucille Luper from Del Luper, awarding the plaintiff restoration of her former name, Edmonds.

More Than \$1300 Total March Dimes

SILVERTON — The total for the local March of Dimes polo fund for Silverton was something over \$1,300.

The home town was lucky in having as publicity chairman a professional photographer, Bill Hanson, in charge of the Silverton McEwan photo shop, and also president of the sponsoring organization for the March of Dimes, the Jay Ceas.

Just as the "Iron Man," Hal Roth, came along Saturday with Hansen in his clumping wake, Albert C. Gragg, Mrs. Gragg who is Marion County March of Dimes treasurer, both of Salem, as Silverton visitors, and in company with the Silverton chairman, Leonard Kephart, were shown in line of Hanson's camera by the Silverton Capital Journal correspondent.

Suit on File For Alimony

Marion A. Rilea has filed suit in Marion County Circuit Court against Thomas E. Rilea in which she asks judgment which would enforce a portion of an alleged property settlement dated July 19, 1945, which calls for alimony payments of \$100 a month.

The plaintiff also asks that the defendant make prompt payments of premiums covering insurance policies totaling \$10,000 which she says name her as beneficiary.

The complaint recites that the plaintiff and defendant entered into a property settlement July 19, 1945, whereby the defendant agreed to pay the plaintiff \$125 per month as long as the defendant was in military service. The payments were to be cut to \$100 monthly when the defendant was employed by the state.

The property agreement also carried a provision whereby life insurance policies in the aggregate amount of \$10,000 were turned over to the plaintiff as beneficiary with the defendant to make the premium payments.

The Rileas were divorced July 27, 1945, and the defendant made the required alimony payments up to and including Nov. 10, 1953, the complaint says. Now, the complaint states, the defendant contends he is not morally or legally obligated to pay any further alimony.

The plaintiff, while acknowledging that the insurance policies have been turned to her, wants some assurance that the premiums will be promptly met.

Explorer Squadron 6 Rated Well at Top

A unit composed of three members of Squadron 6, explorer Scouts, participating in an Air Scout Emergency Mobilization School in Portland is reported to be rated well on the top of all Scouts participating.

The second session of the school took place on January 30, when emergency distress in communities, emergency feeding, juvenile delinquency and citizenship in the home were the subjects.

The three members of the Salem unit are Ned Martin, Dick Fisher and Ed Parker. Three other Scouts from other troops are participating in the school also. They are Roger Tucker, Post 15; John Godfried and Leroy Welle, both of Post 16.

Transportation is furnished the boys by the Air Force ROTC of Willamette University.

Four Corners Sets Time Annexation Vote, Feb. 16

FOUR CORNERS — A special election has been called for February 16 at 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. in the R. L. Stafek home, located on Route 5, Box 31 on Macley road. This election is for the purpose of annexation, to the Four Corners Rural Fire Protection district, of the old Rickey school district which was included in the original forming of the Four Corners Rural Fire Protection District. Those eligible to vote must be property owners within the said designated district.

Leaving February 3 for Portland where they will be inducted into the army are Jay Dee Rickman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rickman, 462 S. Elma avenue, Bill Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walker, 4035 Mahrt avenue, and Larry Keppinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Keppinger, 3185 N. Lancaster drive. The boys will take their basic training at Ford Ord, Calif.

Mrs. Lloyd L. Doty of Bremerton, Wash., has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Gaskins for a month helping care for her small grandson, David Gaskins who has been very ill. Mrs. Doty returned home this week.

G. J. Vaughn has sold his residence at 354 S. Elma avenue, to Ed Kadin of Gates. Mr. Kadin's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kadin are living in the newly acquired residence.

Mrs. Leo Ahrenkiel was honored on January 25, when Mrs. Rudy Kadin was hostess at an evening's party complimenting the honoree upon her birthday anniversary. Ahrenkiel were Mrs. Henry Stofferahn, Mrs. Ella Carsten, Mrs. Fred Buckner, and Mrs. S. H. Cable. Mrs. Buckner presented the birthday cake.

Club calendar for February: Community Center Association, Feb. 1, 8 p.m. Community hall.

Rod and Gun Club, Feb. 2, 8 p.m. Community hall.

Firemen's Auxiliary Feb. 2, 8 p.m. Mrs. Dale Jeffries hostess, 4065 State street. Assisting hostess Mrs. Willis Shipman.

Woman's club Feb. 4, 8 p.m. Community hall. Guest speaker Mrs. Lena R. Smithson.

Four Corners school Mother's club Feb. 5 at 1:30 p.m. at the school.

Circle 4 Dance Club Feb. 5 and 19 at 8:30 p.m. Community hall.

Four Corners Firemen, Feb. 8 at 8 p.m. Community hall.

Auburn Woman's club, Feb. 11, 12 o'clock. Community hall.

Business Men's Association, Feb. 12 8 p.m. Community hall.

Home Extension Unit, Feb. 16, 1 p.m. Community hall.

Mrs. C. R. Osborn entertained the Jolly Eight Club at a 12 o'clock dessert luncheon with pinocchle for the afternoon diversion. Guests were Mrs. Margaret Willis, Mrs. Earl Kason, Mrs. Mary Fosnot, Mrs. Dave Holweger, Mrs. Arlo McLain, Mrs. George Rowden, Mrs. Ed Jackson. A special guest was Mrs. C. E. Osborn of Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. Minard Hermansen was hostess to the White Cross group of the Baptist church. Guest speaker was Mrs. Edna Esson of Salem, who gave the devotional and spoke of the work her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Esson, as medical evangelistic missionary work at Malaybalay, Bubbinnon, Mindanao, P. I.

Report Wet Month In Albany District

ALBANY — Unusual weather brought more than ten inches of snow, a total of nearly 11 inches of precipitation to Albany during January, records prepared by Seth French, United States weather bureau observer here, showed Monday.

"Despite the unexpected snowfall, the 10.25 inches fell far short of

equaling the record of four years ago. In January of 1850, Albany received 53.25 inches of snow, a modern record.

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St. Paul

ST. PAUL — The Archbishop Blanchette Council of the Knights of Columbus will meet in the St. Paul city hall on Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. and will have Abbot Damian Jentes of the Mount Angel Seminary as the speaker of the evening.

Abbot Damian will tell of his recent trip to Europe. Refreshments will be served with Bill Frith in charge of the committee. Other knights on this committee are: Ted Vanduyke, Ralph Case, Don Buysier, Jack Connor, Mike Hopper, Jack Mullen, Dennis Manning, Ted McKillop, Tom Smith and Leonard Balloun.

A number of names of candidates for membership in the St.

The flesh of dolphins formerly was considered a delicacy and had the further advantage in Catholic countries of being considered fish that could be eaten on fast days.