

**B. P. W. Members List Pet Peeves**

"Paying taxes" was listed by many members of the Business and Professional Women's club, as a pet peeve Monday evening, when each member answered roll call by voicing her personal lik. Among other gripes listed were "Answering the telephone after a mad dash from the basement or the garden only to find the line dead," "Losing the car keys when already late for an appointment," and "Bugs that eat the garden's choicest flowers."

Clara Bosserman, vice president, conducted the meeting. Reports were

given by several chairmen of standing committees. Chief discussion centered about the style show and musicale planned for the latter part of the month. Viola Newton, general chairman, is working with Marjorie Child in arranging the program, which will be given in I. O. O. F. hall. Ida Oerding, chairman of the costume party scheduled for March 17, reported that among the guests will be the girls from the Senior class of Coquille high school. Club members will appear clothed as they would be were they the persons whom they desired to be when children.

Bertha Smith, in reporting on books purchased for the Coquille library by the club, announced that a special shelf containing the gift books is now on display at the library. Most of the books, which deal with Oregon history or have been written by Oregon authors, were selected under the direction of Vivian Cooley, head of Meier and Frank's book department.

Ellen Braxton, though absent from the meeting, sent a report on the recent district conference held at Eugene. It was reported \$14.60 as having been collected by the club for Bundles for Britain Inc.

Members attending the meeting were Florence Barton, Mae Barton,

Clara Bosserman, Leona Bryant, Myrtle DeLong, Lois Fann, Gladys Gano, Hazel Hanna, Viola Newton, Ida Oerding, Ida Owen, Joyce Owen, Annie Robinson, Inez Rover, Bertha Smith, Clara Stauff, Eva Stevens, Alberta Tyrrell and Edith Walton.

**\$902.50 For Fees Paid In Clerk's Office In February**

Receipts for fees paid into County Clerk Oddy's office during February totaled \$902.50. Recording fees amounted to \$403.83, circuit court, \$281; probate and county court, \$102.50; marriage licenses, \$69, and miscellaneous, \$45.70.

**Grand Larceny Charge Changed To Pettit Larceny—16 Days**

Roy O'Neill and Frank Brown were taken before Justice Barton this week and charged with grand larceny. Their offense was taking an old compressor belonging to the C. D. Ray Logging Co. at Fairview. Later when it was learned that piece of machinery was old and of very little value, their bill of \$1000 was cancelled and they were allowed to plead guilty to petit larceny. They are serving the ten-day sentence imposed by the justice, in the county jail.

**Social Calendar**

March 6 - 13

**Thursday—evening**  
6th Column Public Card Party.  
**Friday—afternoon**  
Birthday club—Mrs. Ealie Oddy  
**Evening**  
Past Noble Grands—Mrs. Harry Hunt  
**Sunday**  
Fox & Mink Breeders Ass'n.—Thos. Thorne, Bandon.  
**Monday—afternoon**  
Ecadriens  
Pro-America—Mrs. R. A. Wernich  
**Evening**  
Get-Together club—Mrs. Wm. Jones  
Jobs Daughters  
Junior Woman's club  
Legion Auxiliary  
Monday Night club—Mrs. Maud Pettit  
**Tuesday—afternoon**  
C. S. C. club—Mrs. W. L. Kistner  
Pinochle club—Mrs. Ben Leatherwood  
**Evening**  
Bundles for Britain—Guild Hall N. O. M. A.—Mrs. Don Auer, Myrtle Point  
Rebekahs' Initiation  
**Wednesday—afternoon**  
St. James' Guild  
K. Y. N. club—Mrs. Guy Kelley  
The Three "S" club—Mrs. Glen Jones  
**Thursday afternoon**  
Ace of Clubs—Mrs. A. L. Powerie  
Bridge club—Mrs. Gene Cole  
Contract club  
Co-Workers club—Mrs. Homer Detwiler  
Cornerstone Class  
Laf-a-Lot club—Mrs. E. A. Wimer  
Loyal Women's class  
P. B. C. Sewing club  
**Evening**  
Order of the Eastern Star

**SOCIAL NOTES**

The first party Mrs. Harold McCue has given in her new home was held Tuesday, when members of the Lincoln club met for a potluck dinner at noon. Twenty-four members of the club, a record attendance, were present to shower Mrs. McCue with bath towels for the new house.

Table decorations reflected the St. Patrick theme. Green favors and centerpiece made an attractive decoration. For Mrs. McCue and Mrs. Clara Wheeler, there were two beautiful birthday cakes. Attending the party were Mesdames Myrtle Aasen, Maud Bean, Dona Burr Nellie Childs, Gene Chase, Estelle M. Dunn, Flora E. Dunn, Leona Foley, John Hickam, Mary Humbert, Mattie McGuffin, Lucy X. Rolfe, Ella Strang, Mabel E. Von Pegert, Clara Wheeler, Lucy Whitney, Jane Collier, Elizabeth Lane, Edna Poister, Elizabeth Oden, Lida Rogers and Etta Nussell.

Lenten readings at Wednesday's meeting of St. James Guild were given by Mrs. Fred Hickok. Mrs. Ida Owen and Mrs. Charles Stauff were hostesses for tea. Drawings were won by Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Guilbert, Mesdames E. N. Briner, Ned Kay, C. Vernon Smith and E. W. Lovens. Members attending Guild were Mesdames E. N. Briner, Bert Polson, Martha Grothe, C. M. Guilbert, L. H. Hazard, Fred Hickok, E. W. Lorenz, William Mansell, John Martin, Ida Owen, Robert Plieth, Annie Robinson, L. L. Ross, Charles Stauff, A. J. Sherwood, C. T. Selbig, C. Vernon Smith, A. O. Walker, James Watson and Ned Kay.

Ernestine Battey and Anabel Martindale on Saturday afternoon gave a party for Velita Mae Battey, who celebrated her seventh birthday. The youngsters were entertained with games until time for the best part of the party—the refreshments. Pink and white ice cream and a birthday cake to match, made a festive party table. Velita Mae and each of her friends received a wax doll and other favors. Attending the party were Beverly MacLaren, Mollie Wersh, Larry and Violet Evernden, Lois Duncan, Margie Bae, Clinton Martindale, Marlene Gurney, Cherie Leatherwood, Dorothy Wersh and the guest of honor, Velita Mae Battey.

Mainly due to various industrial uses, such as the new plastics which have been developed recently, this year saw about 18 per cent more land planted to soybeans than ever before.

**Camp Fire Girls**

Miss Louise Terry was elected the new scribe for the Coquille group of Camp Fire girls at their meeting Tuesday. We played the game of teakettle and it was fun. Helen Hickam sang the song of Witch Craft, which we are learning too. We read the first chapter of the Camp Fire book. Girls who wanted to, stayed after the meeting and studied about birds.

The girls there were Helen Hickam, president Mary Anne Walker, treasurer; Velona Coy, secretary; Louise Terry, scribe; Norma Helvis, Joyce Benham, Betty Lee Renfo, Carol Kronsteiner, Yessie Willis.  
Scribe, Louise Terry.

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<b>Tomato JUICE</b> 46 oz. Cans 19c	<b>PURE LARD</b> SILVERLEAF 4 Lb. Pail 43c	<b>SPINACH</b> FOUNTAIN 2 Large Cans 25c
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<b>CORN</b> WHOLE KERNEL 2 Cans 25c	<b>PEANUT BUTTER</b> FESTIVAL 2 Lb. Jar 28c	<b>DEVILED MEAT</b> SWIFTS 3 Cans 10c
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<b>CHOCOLATE</b> GUITTARD SWEET 1 Lb. Bar 19c		

**School Register Of 44 Years Ago**

This writer, Mrs. Gus Bender, has an old district school register and record book. It bears a Teacher's Certificate of Flo McCloskey, under date of Oct. 29, 1897. She is a sister of J. H. McCloskey, now a resident of Norway. The school was taught here at Norway. The term was five and one-half months. Monthly salary of teacher was \$40.00. It bears the names of pupils: 28 boys—Oliff Clinton, Henry Schroeder, Ira Moomaw, Ira Carl, Gilman Mareen, Lewis Buckman, Clarence Allen, George Haughton, Walter Robison, Ora Buchanan, Sammy Clinton, Isom Clinton, Joe Myers, Frank Smith, Johnny Devereux, Floyd Barklow, Clarence Clinton, William Smith, Willie Barklow, Edward Smith, Walter Hodge, Ralph Owens, Roy Robison, Grover Myers, Caleb Robison, Arthur Hodge, Elton Magary, Percy Schroeder and 27 girls—Ada Schroeder, Ada Lafferty, Lizzie Myers, Sadie Medlock, Eva Schroeder, May Schroeder, Alice Dunlap, Belle Ellingsen, Alta Barklow, Hazel Dunlap, Maggie Clinton, Florence Bonewitz, Irene Magary, Myrtle Hodge, Beulah Robison, Minnie Myers, Teresa Smith, Maggie Devereux, Ethel Dunlap, Dora Clinton, Annie Clinton, Ella Clinton, Ada Bonewitz, Leola Robison, Henrietta Nelson, Bertha Barklow and Ella Devereux. Several of these pupils are still living in Coos county. One teacher had a lot of pupils to instruct in those days of 44 years ago.

**Independent B.B. Tournament**

The Independent basketball play-off for the Coquille valley got under way at the high gym in Myrtle Point Monday evening. Four games of basketball in one night is lots of sport—all at one time. It was near midnight when last game ended. Powers defeated Langlois; Arago defeated Thrifts; Bandon defeated Broadbent and Myrtle Point defeated Riverton by a score of 3 to 18. The surprise of the evenings was the fine even playing by the Arago five, in winning their game from Thrift's. The latter team is made up of ex-Coquille High players, including Bill Pook, Schaer, Bailey and others. The best games of the evening were those by Arago and Thrift's and by Powers and Langlois. They were close and hard fought. It is thought that Arago or Powers is capable of giving the Myrtle Point "Bucks" plenty of competition in this series which will also be played on Tuesday night. The leading four teams of this play-off will go to North Bend for an elimination contest, with the leading teams in the Coos Bay circuit. Gardiner is thought to be the top notch team in that league, having recently defeated the strong Hansen Contractors by a good margin.

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