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Charter Given to Tualatin Valley Post

Many Distinguished Visitors Are Present At the Presentation

DANCING IS ENJOYED

President of Department Auxiliary Extends Her Compliments

Tualatin Valley Post of The American Legion, No. 93, received a charter from the Department of Oregon Thursday, February 21, 1935. The new post is located in the Beaverton-Metzger district, with club rooms at the Metzger Club house. Nearly three hundred Legionnaires and guests attended the ceremonies.

E. Britt Nedry, District Commander of the District, presided. Following the customary Legion ceremony, the charter was presented by Carl Moser, Department Adjutant, to J. O. Johnson, organizer of the post.

The main address of the evening was given by George Koehn, Department Community Service Chairman, who gave a stirring address on "The Constitution". Carl Moser addressed the post on the subject of Legion program. Mrs. Cella Gunn, Department President of the Auxiliary, paid her compliments to the new post, and urged the organization of an Auxiliary.

The Rose City post glee club, under the direction of George Taylor, presented many interesting numbers, after which those present were treated to all they could eat, and then danced to midnight.

The distinguished guests on the platform included some fifteen Post Commanders from Portland, Hillsboro, Multnomah, Sherwood, Banks, Salem and Newberg. The officers of the new post who were installed were the following: H. F. Elender, Commander, of Beaverton; Vice-Commanders, W. H. Lawrence and J. F. Mills; Adjutant, W. C. Froman, Route 6, Portland; Finance officer, C. A. Donnelly; Sergeant-at-arms, Adam DeHaan; Chaplain, J. O. Johnson.

The new post will meet at the Metzger Clubhouse at Metzger, Oregon, on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. The new post has twenty-seven members on its charter, including one war nurse and one Yeoman-F.

HIGH SCHOOL MINSTREL TO BE GIVEN

The girls glee club of Beaverton High school will present a Negro minstrel show in the gymnasium, March 15th.

The leading role is to be played by Alda Lehman as the intendant. She will be assisted by four comedy women: Ethel Hunt, Marian Hagg, LaMerne Dean, and Vera McElroy, and a large chorus. Esther McKoon, Roberta Whitley, Katherine Denney, and Martha Lehman have singing leads in the show. Margaret Greenwald will portray "Topsy". This minstrel, filled with lively jokes, songs and dances, will be about one hour and forty-five minutes in length.

Edward McElroy and another boy will give the first part before the main show begins.

The entire performance is a riot of laughter and fun, and will be a real treat to the audience.

O.S.C. PROF. WRITES BOOK ON EUGENICS

On the age-old controversy concerning the relative importance of heredity and environment, studies of identical twins reveal that both are important, and that good environment is often necessary for maximum development of hereditary traits. This is one of many points made in a new book "Principles of Genetics and Eugenics" by Dr. Nathan Fasten, head of the department of zoology at Oregon State college, just published by Ginn and company. The book has been praised by critics as one of the best and clearest presentations of this involved subject for the average reader or undergraduate student of genetics.

The Beaverton Women's Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Tripp, gave a concert at the Presbyterian Churches Men's resort in Portland, Saturday evening. The members of the chorus are: sopranos, Mrs. E. G. Webb, Miss Ruoy Zastrow, and Miss Ruth Martin; altos, Mrs. W. H. Boswell, Mrs. Willard Anderson, and Miss Eileen Martin. Mrs. Willard C. Jackson is the accompanist.

LOCAL NEWS

Word was received here by friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis of Omaha, formerly of Beaverton, that Mr. Davis' father had passed away suddenly, February 7.

Mrs. M. C. McKercher entertained with a small luncheon at her home Friday. Her guests were Mrs. Nelson Walker, Mrs. V. A. Wood, and Mrs. W. R. VanKleeck. "Five hundred" was the diversion for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott of Cornelius, Mrs. W. O. Roberts, and Mrs. N. W. Gorham, both of Portland, all of whom are former residents of Beaverton, attended the meeting of Beaver Chapter, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John Allen Stewart of Washington, Iowa, visited for several days last week at the C. C. Tripp home. She is a cousin of Mr. Tripp. She left for her home Monday, after a month's visit with relatives in and near Portland.

Miss Audrey Bauman entertained a group of her friends at her home on Lombard Street, with a party Saturday evening. Her guests were Miss Dorothy Baldwin, Miss Ada Colaw, Louis Greenwald, John Knepper, and Art Wickstrand. Games and refreshments furnished the entertainment. Mrs. Colaw assisted.

Mrs. C. E. Allen, former resident of Beaverton, entertained with a luncheon and two tables of "Bunco", at her home in Hillsboro, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Harry Johnson, formerly of Beaverton, received the prize. Guests from Beaverton were Mrs. M. C. McKercher, Mrs. V. A. Wood, and Mrs. W. R. VanKleeck.

INCREASE IN SEAL SALES IS REPORTED

The rural schools of Washington county show an increase of 75 per cent over 1933 in their seal sales of 1934, according to Mrs. Geo. Pauman, county seal salesman. In her report, which is complete to February 13, 1935.

The entire report for Washington county reads thus: Banks \$15, Beaverton \$51.50, Cornelius \$20.94, Dillie \$9, Forest Grove \$125.80, Gaston \$15.54, Hillsboro \$131.01, Hillside \$7.15, Laurel \$6, North Plains \$8.51, rural school districts \$293.11, Sherwood \$18.56, Tigard \$41.65, Watts school district \$7.28, balance from 1933 \$1.75, making a total of \$751.90 as the county's contribution toward the work of combating tuberculosis. Forty-five per cent of this money will be retained in the county to directly promote the health work done through the Washington County Public Health Association.

PRELIMINARIES FOR CONTEST ARE HELD

The preliminary contest in class C schools in the declamation contest was held at Scholls grange hall last Friday afternoon. The following from Kinton school attended: Miss Helen Schneider, principal, Alice Gembella, Dorothy Van Kleeck, Dorothy Delispenia, Viola Liernac, Nedra Miller, Kathryn Pomeroy, Rosemary Aten, Roberta Pomeroy, Shirley Muthauf, Rudolph Carstein, Earl Ward and Charles Hemrich. Those who took part in the contest were Roberta Pomeroy, who entered in group one, and Shirley Muthauf in group three.

The final contest will be held March 15, at the Baptist church in Hillsboro.

MR. AND MRS. BARNES HAVE DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnes were hosts at a delightful dinner party at their home Saturday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Truitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schlottman, all of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hughson, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Metcalf and two sons, Miss Margaret Peterson, Harold Peterson, and John and Robert Barnes. The evening was given over to music and singing. Mrs. Schlottman, an accomplished musician, delighted the guests with her talent.

POULTRY MEETING IS HELD AT BEAVERTON

The importance of purchasing chicks from flocks that have good production and livability records was stressed by H. E. Cosby, extension poultryman, in his discussion at the monthly poultry meeting held at Beaverton, Tuesday, February 26. Ninety poultrymen attended the meeting.

The Oregon State college bottom-heat electric brooder was on display at the meeting.

Beaver Chapter Observes Anniversary

Charter Member, As Honorary Guests, Are Given A Gift

PROGRAM INTERESTS

Speeches Recall Struggle of Organization In Its Beginning Here

Beaver Chapter No. 106 O.E.S. observed the 23rd anniversary of its institution, Wednesday evening. A large assemblage of members and visitors was present.

Among the distinguished guests were Mrs. Pauline Moore Riley, Past Grand Matron, and Mr. Clyde Evans, Past Grand Patron of Oregon, who officiated at the institution of Beaver Chapter on February 10, 1912. Other notable guests were Chas. H. McGirr, P. G. P., who did much for the Chapter in its earlier years; John H. Rankin, P. G. P.; Frank E. Mangold, P. G. P.; and several 1935 Matrons and Patrons of Portland Chapters. The charter members were the honored guests of the evening, and were presented with a gift from the officers.

Speeches recalling the struggles of the Chapter in its beginning provided both interest and amusement for the newer members. A short musical program consisting of two piano selections by Mr. Andrews of Multnomah, and two vocal selections by Miss Helen Stewart of Portland, was given after the close of the meeting.

Refreshments were served in the dining room, which was attractively decorated in red, white, and blue with cherry logs and hutchery in commemoration of Washington's birthday, as table decorations. A birthday cake graced the center of the table. The officers of the Chapter were the hosts.

At the next meeting of the chapter, March 13, the Job's Daughters of Victory Chapter in Portland will put on their degree work, at which time several local girls will be initiated.

HOMEMAKERS TO HAVE CONFERENCE

Homemakers of Washington County will meet for a homemakers conference at the Hillsboro Grange Hall, Friday, March 8, beginning at 9:30 in the morning. Miss Clarel Nye of the home economics staff of Oregon State college, will be in charge of this program which is the first of its kind to be held in Washington County.

All women and men interested in housing improvement are invited to be present throughout the day. Miss Nye will speak from 2 to 3:30 on "Inexpensive Housing Improvements for Better Family Living."

During the day, Mrs. Azalea Sager, also of the home economics staff at Corvallis, will discuss, "When the Family Buys Shoes."

A special surprise feature will be prepared by a group of women at 10:10 a.m. This part of the program will not take more than 15 or 20 minutes, according to Miss Nye.



On the regular meeting of Troop 41, B. S. A., last Thursday, the troop was presented with a blue ribbon showing that they had a satisfactory rating for 1934. Only three other troops in the district received such ribbons.

Mr. D. P. Hemingway, the commissioner of district 11, besides presenting the ribbon, gave a short talk on a district court of honor to be held the middle of April.

Mr. D. P. Hemingway also complimented the scouts on their showing for the last 4 years and wished a continued like success to the scoutmaster Mr. Phelps, who has been scoutmaster since organizing the troop in 1930.

Eight boys attended the overnight hike to the cabin, Saturday, the 16th. In spite of poor weather, the boys were able to perform many scout tests.

Many people do not realize that the local troop is sponsored by the Kiwanis club. All committee men are members of the club. They are Mr. J. E. Conoly, Mr. Peck, and Mr. Richey.

P-T A. STUDY GROUP HAS FIRST MEETING

The first meeting of P-T. A. Study group was held in the cafeteria of the High-school Tuesday afternoon, under the direction of Mrs. Dayton Peck and Mrs. Farnes Austin.

Mrs. A. C. Johannsen, Washington County chairman of the P-T. A. Study groups, was present, and with the assistance of five ladies demonstrated a study group meeting. Subjects to be taken up at these meetings will be current events and mental hygiene for all ages of children. The meetings will be held every two weeks at the above mentioned place.

WHITE ROBIN SEEN HERE SUNDAY MORN

A white robin was seen by several members of the R. B. Denney and J. A. McCann families Sunday morning. This unusual bird was noticed in a flock of the red-breasted robins near the large dairy barn on the T. B. Denney farm, south of Beaverton.

These albino robins, while quite rare, are occasionally reported from various parts of the state.

Real Estate Transfers

Albert Muesig to John A. Muesig et ux, Part Wm. F. Hall, D.L.C. 44 TIS R1W.

Oscar J. Fredeen to John A. Muesig et ux, 6-0146 acres, Sec. 14 TIS R1W.

C. H. Pfaffle et ux to Emil A. Johnson, 1 acre TIS R2W.

Viola M. Sundberg to Louis F. Emmott, Lot 113 Johnson Est. Add. Beaverton-Redville.

Mary L. Whitall et al to Fred T. Rucker et ux, 11 acres Sec. 25, T2S R2W.

George M. McBride to E. L. Holt, 11 acres, Sec. 25 T2S R2W.

G. S. Keenon to Raymond Westcott et ux, 10 acres Sec. 25, T2N R3W.

Alice R. Ruth to Nick Schmidt et ux, 9.58 acres in Wm. McLinn Cl.

"OWED" TO A TIN LIZZIE

Old battered Tin Lizzie, I wish you could see The look of despair you've draped over me: A salesman, with gusto, on one of his spiels, Said you were the cream of the lot on four wheels:

There's a leak in your gas tank—a hole in your top— Your brakes never work when I'm frantic to 'top! Your whole body shimmies and rattles and moans, And broadcasts its coming with queer gruesome groans.

When I first start your engine 'twill quiver and prance— You'd think the poor thing had St. Vitus's dance; Afflicted with asthma, bronchitis, and flu, Your horn makes weird noises that chill me clear through!

You've a flat on the front, but never you mind, It matches the flat that is flopping behind. Your engine's still missing, one fender is too— Can you guess, Old Tin Lizzie, what I think of you?

And Oh! how you've been such a strain on my heart! When I feared your old carcass was falling apart: This four-wheeled uncertainty wished upon me Has quickened my journey to eternity!

My poor nerves are shattered, my health's ruined too, And my body is covered with spot, black and blue; I'm through with you, Lizzie, you're naught but a curse! I'd be happier, far, riding flat in a hearse!

—Phil Perkins

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Grade School Notes

The pupils which are to represent Beaverton grade school in the annual declamation contest have been chosen. The pupils of the Public Speaking class of the high school are training the contestants. Those who are entering the contest are:

First Division, Third and Fourth grades, Joan Lowell, Third grade, who is giving "Dead Cat", in the dramatic division; and Robert Myers, of the Third grade, who will give a humorous selection, "Neuchadnezar".

Second Division, Fifth and Sixth Grades—Hally Jean Pace, Sixth grade, who will speak, "In the Morning", a humorous selection by Dunbar; and Richard Lincoln, Sixth grade, who is giving the selection, "Makers of the Flag", in the dramatic division.

Third Division, Seventh and Eighth grades—Ruth Brown, Seventh grade, giving "The Monkey", a humorous selection; June Boswell, Eighth grade, "Scratch", a dramatic selection; and Veldon Boze, Eighth grade, "The Alternative", an oration.

In Agriculture classes, the Eighth grade is planning and making a model farm, including barns, machinery, fences, silo and house. The Eighth grade pupils were glad to welcome Opal Savage who has moved from Portland. In Art classes, the upper grades are making an attractive painting of the iris.

This week, the Fifth grade received a new pupil, thus bringing the total number of pupils in this room to 41. A colorful border of folded negro women adds to the attractiveness of the room. On the bulletin board many March scenes are posted, showing the coming of March weather and spring.

Last Friday the Fourth grade enjoyed a half-holiday as a result of 20 perfect days.

In connection with Geography, many delightful Dutch posters depicting the life of the Dutch people. In Art classes, the Fourth grade has been drawing from still life. Last week a Japanese teapot was drawn. The pupils put original Japanese designs upon the teapots.

In the First Grade room many of the little folks are interested in the magic wand. If a little pupil does his work well or for some other reason is deserving of the "magic touch", the fairy, chosen from the pupils, touches that person with his wand.

The Beaverton team has won an admirable record this year, with a total score of 268 points against the 183 points of its opponents.

The following is a list of the games played, and the scores:		
Opponent	Score	Local
Tigard	16	17
Sherwood	9	19
Tigard	15	21
Gales Creek	14	17
St. Mary's	29	11
Hillsboro	15	10
Forest Grove	15	21
Hillsboro	12	14
St. Mary's	22	18
Sherwood	5	12
Gaston	7	45
Forest Grove	17	20
Orencia	7	42
Totals	183	268

HEALTH ASSOCIATION BOARD HAS MEET

Members of the Washington County Public Health Association held their regular monthly board meeting at the Court House in Hillsboro, February 20.

Mrs. Essex Marsh of Beaverton reported on the clinic for tuberculosis testing held at St. Mary's school where 153 pupils were given the test. X-rays of the positive cases were furnished by the Health Association and Dr. Mason will confer with Dr. Bellinger of the State Hospital concerning those pupils showing a positive reaction.

Miss Dixon, county nurse, gave a report of the clinic held at Banks where 70 tuberculin tests were made and 42 given toxoid and vaccination.

Members present were Mrs. H. McGilvra, president, Mrs. Essex Marsh, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Bauman, Miss Dixon, Mrs. Waltz, Mrs. Bickford and Mrs. Workman.

MARY ELLEN KOEBER OPENS BEAUTY SHOP

The Mary Ellen Beauty Shoppe was opened in apartment 3 of the Rossi building by Mrs. Mary Ellen Koerber, Saturday, February 23rd. As an opening feature, special prices have been offered during the week, and will still be in effect until March 2nd.

Mrs. Koerber is an experienced beauty operator. For the past two and a half years she has worked at Ivy's Beauty Shop in Hillsboro. The rooms have been redecorated, and modern equipment installed.

Bethel Ladies' Aid Has Evening Meet

Dr. Alma Cooke, Medical Missionary to China, Addresses Group

SHOWS CHINESE ART

Work of Lintsing Memorial Hospital Is Explained

The regular Bethel Ladies Aid meeting was held last Thursday evening instead of in the morning, as is the usual custom. A pot-luck family dinner preceded the meeting which was opened with a vocal selection by Mrs. H. M. Barnes accompanied by Mrs. Barrett Randall, and two piano-accompaniment numbers by Earl Drorbaugh.

Dr. Alma Cooke, medical missionary at Lintsing, Shantung, China, gave an extremely interesting talk on her work in that section of China. Dr. Cooke stated that lockjaw or tetanus is the scourge of the Chinese infant, and that 35 per cent of all babies born in north China die of lockjaw before they are ten days old. That is why medical missionaries are particularly interested in maternity cases. Dr. Cooke is superintendent of the Lintsing memorial hospital. She stated that this hospital had never lost an infant from lockjaw. She added interest to her talk by showing numerous pictures of the hospital and its staff of doctors and nurses. She also spoke of how the gospel is brought to the Chinese through work in the hospital and its clinics.

The Lintsing Memorial hospital has been made possible by the benevolent work of the Congregational churches of the Pacific slope, including Utah. Dr. Cooke is visiting in Portland on a furlough and is speaking for the American board of commissioners of foreign missions. She will also speak in Washington and Utah before returning to her home in California, where she will visit for a short time before leaving for China where she will spend part of her furlough studying at the University of Peiping.

A very beautiful collection of Chinese hand work, wearing apparel and objects of art were displayed in connection with Dr. Cooke's lecture.

ROSES DISCUSSED AT GARDEN CLUB

R. S. Hennessey of the Hennessey Rose Garden, near Hillsboro, gave a very complete talk on the propagation, pruning, diseases, and culture of roses at the special meeting of the Beaverton Garden Club, Tuesday evening. A questionnaire was held following the talk which proved most interesting and instructive.

Mr. Hennessey brought a fine specimen bush of the Talisman rose which he used to demonstrate various points in his talk. Numbers were drawn for this plant. Mr. Miksche holding the winning number.

The meeting was concluded after a short business session. A handbook of the Federation of Garden Clubs of Oregon, was presented to each member present. The next meeting will be held the second Tuesday evening in March.

O.S.C. SPRAY CALENDAR IS NOW READY

In spite of all its limitations and the searches for a substitute, arsenate of lead still remains the most satisfactory material for use in codling moth control, though calcium arsenate is being used successfully in the Willamette valley, says the 1935 issue of the Oregon apple and pear spray recommendation bulletin just issued by the O.S.C. extension service.

The 1935 edition is now ready for free distribution and may be had from county agents' offices or direct from Corvallis. It differs little from the 1934 issue, and those having the latter may safely follow its guidance, officials state, until the new one is obtained.

CASEYS TO LEAVE FOR WASHINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Casey and family plan to move Saturday to Mt. Vernon, Washington, where Mr. Casey will enter the Service Station Supply business.

For more than a year Mr. Casey has been in charge of the Texaco Service Station at the corner of Cedar Street and the Canyon Road. Don VanAtta will take charge of the service station.