

## Wasco Eastern Star Installs Officers

The Wasco Eastern Star chapter installed the following officers for the year Tuesday evening at Fraternity hall: worthy matron, Isabelle Haufelt; worthy patron Gordon Harper; associate matron, Ida Everett; secretary, Georgia Harper; treasurer, Meta Kaseberg; conductress, Constance Anderson; associate conductress, Helen Watkins; chaplain, Amelia Root, marshal, Augusta Huckin; organist, Estrella Hailey; Adah, May McDermid; Ruth, Ethel VanGilder; Martha, Myrtle Clothier; Electa, Louise Nesbit; warden, Rosalie White; sentinel, John McDermid. A program was given and refreshments served.

Fred Cole received the sad news of the death of his mother, Mrs. Nancy Cole, at Sherwood, January 10. Mr. Cole and sister, Miss Lottie Cole, left Monday to attend the funeral services held Wednesday from the Tualatin Methodist church.

Carpenters are working on the old VanGilder house, getting it ready for occupancy later on, we understand. Mrs. Marion Medler has bought it. Robert Kaseberg is also busy getting the place he recently bought into repair.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Proudfoot have returned from a recent trip to Portland.

In The Dalles Monday shopping were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Root, Mr. and Mrs. Harry VanGilder, Mrs. V. VanGilder, Mrs. Raymond VanGilder, David Reid, Fay Brackett of Rufus, and Mrs. Maud Akers. The Rebekahs held their first meeting of the year Wednesday, January 6, at the home of Mrs. Maud Akers. At this meeting plans for the year were mapped out. They will meet permanently with Mrs. Akers instead of Fraternity Hall.

The Rebekahs held joint public installation with Moro there Tuesday evening, January 12, at which time Roy Belshee was installed as noble grand; Maud Akers, vice grand; Selma Watkins, secretary; Hugh Mathison, conductor; Leo Watkins, warden; Pearl Brackett, RSVG; Lena Brook, chaplain; Esther Peugh, LSG; Sam Brock, inside guardian; Joe Weatherford, outside guardian. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Curt Tom, Mrs. Edith Hoggard, and Mrs. Virgil Brock.

Gordon Boice has been transferred from the navy to the marines, and is stationed at the base hospital, at Camp Elliot at San Diego.

Mrs. Arthur Van Gilder left this week for Bremerton, Wash., to be with her husband, who is stationed there.

Guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Striker were Mrs. Pres Boice, Glenn and Ramona.

The Everfaithful Dorcas social was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Elvis Rich. A short program was presented and refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins entertained at Sunday dinner Rev. and Mrs. F. L. Cannell, Mrs. Bernard Martin and daughter of Moro, John Robert McClure, and Freddy Anderson, the occasion being the joint birthday celebration of Mrs. Cannell and their son Eugene.

The Tuesday Contract club met with Mrs. Chas. Everett Tuesday afternoon, January 5. Mrs. Frank Lamborn and Mrs. Arthur Smith had high scores.

Mrs. Belle Clothier was called to Portland last week by the illness of her brother, Louis N. Mosier.

Mrs. Hugh White and Mrs. V. Haufelt made a trip to The Dalles the first of the week.

Icy pavements caused lots of skidding by auto and foot traffic Monday and Tuesday. The highway crew sanded the road and helped the highway troubles to the south.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs.

R. McNab of Rufus Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Belshee, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Belshee and infant of Ketchikan, Alaska, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Guilford and daughter of Rufus.

Mr. and Jeff Wilson and son Donnie of The Dalles spent Sunday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Belshee. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brock, and Mrs. Virgil Brock of The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Belshee and baby shopped in The Dalles Tuesday.

Mrs. Glenn Schultz from The Dalles, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Moon, left for home on Monday's stage.

Both George Moon and his wife have been ill.

### QUESTIONS ANSWERED ON POINT RATIONING

The Office of Price Administration has released the following questions and answers—the second of a series explaining point rationing for canned, bottled and frozen fruits and vegetables, fruit and vegetable juices, dried fruits and soups:

Q. Why does the government ration all of the listed canned foods together?

A. If only the canned foods that are most scarce were rationed, consumers would rush to buy the unrationed foods which could be used instead. This would create shortages of the alternate foods which would then have to be rationed after the supply had been seriously depleted.

Q. What foods are included in the new rationing program?

A. Canned, bottled, and frozen fruits and vegetables, fruit and vegetable juices, dried fruits, and all-canned soups. These are known as "processed" foods.

Q. Just what is a "processed" food?

A. A processed food is one that has been preserved so that it will keep as long as it stays in its processed condition. Canned foods, for example, keep as long as they remain sealed, frozen foods as long as they remain frozen.

Q. Are jams, jellies, and marmalades included?

A. No. These are not generally used interchangeably with canned fruits.

Q. Why are foods that are not used extensively included in the rationing program?

A. To preserve for consumers as wide a choice of foods as possible in spending their ration points.

Q. Is evaporated milk included in the new rationing program?

A. No, canned milk is not being rationed in this program.

Q. What do the numbers on the ration stamps mean?

A. The numbers on the stamps (8, 5, 2 and 1) show how much the stamp is worth in "points."

Q. What is a point?

A. A point is a ration value a great deal the same way that dollars and cents are money values. Rationed foods have both point and money values.

Q. Why are the stamps of different colors?

A. The blue stamps will be used for rationing processed foods, the red stamps will be used later for meat rationing.

Q. What do the letters on the stamps mean?

A. The letters on the stamps will be used by the OPA to designate the time during which a stamp is valid. For example, the stamps lettered A, B, and C could be designated for use during the first ration period.

Q. Why is it necessary to give different point values to different kinds of processed foods? Why can't they all have the same point value?

A. Low point values will be given to foods that are relatively plentiful; high point values to those that are most scarce. The buyer can get more for his points by buying the foods with low point values. Since most housewives will no doubt do this, it will relieve the demand for very scarce foods.

Those who want further information on this subject may call at the Journal office for a copy of a booklet further explaining it.

## Kent Grange Installs Officers For 1943

The Kent Grange held its regular meeting at the hall Saturday, January 17. Officers for the year were installed, and four new and one reinstating member taken in. The new members are J. E. Norton, Mrs. Ivagene Price, Rev. O. W. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Berly Brown, and the member reinstated is Mrs. J. E. Norton. The next meeting will be Saturday, January 23, at 8:00 p.m.

The new officers installed are: Master, Louis Sather; overseer, Robert Schilling; lecturer, Mrs. Geo. Wilson; steward, Geo. Wilson; assistant steward, Jay McKay; chaplain, Paul Wilson; secretary, Laura Sather; treasurer, J. M. Wilson; gate keeper, Glenn Sather; Ceres, Leona Sather; Pomona, Doris Stiles; Flora, Mrs. Harry Howell; lady assistant steward, Doris Wilson; executive committee, Bertha Matther, Lola Barnett, Lueltia Wilson.

For the literary program all members of the grange took part by giving suggestions on helping the grange. Doris Stiles read a letter, acting as a soldier, and Mrs. George Wilson read a letter from State Master Morton Tompkins. America the Beautiful was sung.

Kent high school boys defeated the Rufus team by a score of 33 to 10. A show will be held at the Kent Auditorium January 16, "The Mad Doctor."

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cox of Grass Valley were Kent visitors Saturday at the George McKay home. Loyd Kelley was an overnight guest at the Sather home Saturday night.

Word has been received here that Eugene Norton is now working in the shipyards at Portland. Kenneth Sather of Moro was a business visitor here Sunday.

### HOLDERS OF SUPPLEMENTAL BOOKS GET OPA RULING

Holders of supplemental gasoline rationing books—B and C—will not be penalized when new books are issued if they fail to use all they originally estimated would be required for their occupational needs.

This assurance has been given by OPA following inquiries from supplemental ration holders who have discovered they actually need less gasoline than they estimated.

The OPA statement said: "Motorists who return unused coupons undoubtedly will receive more consideration from boards than those who obviously used their full allotment merely to justify their requests."

"We realize it is difficult for some persons, particularly farmers and others engaged in seasonal work, to gauge accurately their needs for an advance three-month period.

"All motorists are familiar with the objective of mileage rationing—to conserve rubber for essential military and civilian needs—and the best policy under which to operate is the honest one, to use what is actually needed for essential needs in addition to the usual amount allotted for family purposes."

**T. Lester Johnson**  
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### PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCED DANCELESS

A danceless President Roosevelt's birthday celebration will be held in Oregon, but the campaign for funds to fight infantile paralysis will be held as usual, announces Dr. E. T. Hedlund, Portland's postmaster, who again has been named state chairman.

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis' 10th annual appeal will be held from January 15 to 30, the latter date being the president's birthday.

The march of dimes again will be the method of raising funds in Oregon. Last year the state contributed more than \$35,000, of which 50 per cent was retained by the state and county organizations.

"Instructions have been received from the national committee," Dr. Hedlund said, "suggesting that the birthday balls, such as those held in previous years, be discontinued, and the energy of the county and city chairmen concentrated on fund raising."

The Portland postmaster has been identified with the infantile paralysis campaign movement since 1934. This is his fourth time as state chairman.

Assistants, and county chairmen will be announced soon, he said.

### STATE WINNER IN 4-H CLOTHING ACHIEVEMENT



STATE winner in the 1942 national 4-H clothing achievement contest is Lois Erickson, 19, of Portland, Oregon. It was announced by State Club Leader H. C. Seymour. As a reward she receives an all-expense trip to the 21st National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Nov. 28-Dec. 2, provided by the educational bureau of the Spool Cotton Company, which also appropriates 12 \$200 college scholarships for national winners. Delegates to the Club Congress will discuss further 4-H contributions to the war effort. Lois sewed 93 garments, and 63 articles, and remodeled or renovated 11 dresses. She also sewed and remodeled clothing for neighbors. The girl won many placings in style reviews, and on exhibits at county and state fairs, Pacific International and National 4-H Club Congress. She has been leader of a local 4-H clothing club for three years. The year's contest stressed mending and making over old garments, to conserve clothing materials for the needs of our armed forces.

**HI-WAYS TO HEALTH**  
by ADA R. MAYNE  
**OREGON DAIRY COUNCIL**

### WOMEN IN WAR WORK

A good, nutritious lunch is absolutely necessary for the millions of women who are helping win America's battles on the production line. Today countless numbers of women are working side by side with men, at man-size jobs, and a woman who does a man-size job needs and deserves a man-size lunch.

A woman is cheating herself and not doing justice to her job if she tries to get by on a "grab it and run" lunch. Our country is depending on each woman to do her job well and to keep on doing it. That takes vitality, which means eating the right foods. Whether in an office or store or on the production line, proper eating habits are vitally important.

Since what you eat is so very important in war time, remember that lunch isn't just a meal to be

eaten hastily to satisfy your desire for different flavors of food. It's an important meal and should include the essential food elements needed to promote good physical fitness. Remember that the protective foods come first—milk, fruits, vegetables and eggs. Whenever possible, one hot dish should be included, and some uncooked vegetable or fruit—a salad or dessert. And for the beverage, none can compare with milk in food value.

For a hot dish that can be included in the packed lunch or in the lunch eaten at home soups are ideal. Made with milk, they supply the vitamins and minerals and high proteins which help to give the efficiency we've got to have to win the war.

Corn Chowder  
1 lb. salt pork  
1 small onion, finely chopped

- 1 1/2 cups diced potatoes
  - 2 cups milk
  - 1 1/2 cups cream style corn
  - 1 tablespoon butter
  - 1/2 teaspoon salt
  - 1-8 teaspoon pepper
  - 1/2 teaspoon sugar
- Cook potatoes in enough boiling salted water to cover; do not drain. Heat milk in double boiler. Fry pork, add onions and brown slowly. When potatoes are tender add to them the pork, onions, milk, corn and seasonings. Simmer slowly 10 minutes. Yield: 4 servings.

- 1/2 cup Vegetable Soup
  - 1/2 cup uncooked navy beans
  - 1 cup diced celery
  - 1 slice onion
  - 1 cup water
  - 3 cups milk
  - 3 tablespoons butter
  - 3 tablespoons flour
  - 1 teaspoon salt
  - 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- Soak beans overnight in 1 cup water; then cook. Cook celery and onion in 1 cup water; do not drain. Make a white sauce of milk, butter, flour and seasoning; add vegetables and water in which they have been cooked. Heat and serve. Serves 6.

### THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Judge, would you mind tellin' Charlie here what you told me the other night walkin' home from lodge. I can't word it just the way you did."

"Sure thing, Tim. Here's what I told him, Charlie. There's no such thing as votin' a nation, a state, a county, or even a community dry. We had proof enough of that

during our 13 years of prohibition. What you really vote for is whether liquor is going to be sold legally or illegally...whether the community is going to get needed taxes for schools, hospitals, and the like, or whether this money is going to go to gangsters and bootleggers. That's the answer, boys... simple as A-B-C."

Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

## Farmers Face The Biggest Year In History

Every farmer in the United States faces the biggest year in his life in 1943.

In spite of the increased market for his products he is confronted with some serious problems because of the help shortage. He will need suggestions on labor saving methods and new ways to make the most of his job. He will need information to enable him to understand and comply with many new regulations and some new laws.

We will continue to offer the best information we can gather to help Sherman Countians.

## Sherman County Journal



### It's Up To You!

—to take steps now to insure efficient and trouble-free tractor operation for the busy months ahead. Our skilled service specialists will gladly assist you. They'll survey your power requirements and advise you as to what steps should be taken NOW.

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