

Guest Is Honored at Wasco Party

A dinner was given at the home of Mrs. Augusta Huckins Tuesday honoring the sister of Mrs. Dan McDermid. Guests present were: Mrs. Ethel Van Gilder, Dr. Richelderfer, Ines Sargent, Mae McDermid, Mrs. Amel Anderson, Mrs. Dan McDermid, Mrs. Cannell and the honored guest, Mrs. Gus Hartman helped serve refreshments.

A basketball game between Rufus and Wasco was held at the Wasco high school gymnasium Friday night. Rufus won by a score of 28 to 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith are moving into the home of Mrs. Maude Akers.

Jackie Wilson, who has been in the hospital with pneumonia, returned home Tuesday. He is much improved in health.

Private Walter Mu of the Marine Corps visited in Wasco Saturday.

Donna Knox, recently burned while working in a cafe, has improved slightly.

Lafe Barnett was honored by a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Fridley Sunday.

The Friday Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Harry Proudfoot last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Gilder were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shull.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sargent were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scholl Sunday.

A small fire, caused by gasoline, slightly damaged the garage of Hugh White Monday evening.

Sam Boise, formerly of Wasco, is ill at the naval hospital at Faragut, Idaho.

Mrs. L. C. Edwards recently received word that her husband, serving in the navy, has been transferred to the naval air station at Astoria.

The A. C. Richelderfers recently heard from their son, David, who is in an army hospital in England. He has been slightly wounded but is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Albert Kaseberg, Mrs. W. A. Nisbet and Mrs. Ginny Anderson are on the sick list.

Grass Valley Soldier Married in Wisconsin

Corporal Warren H. Morgaa of Truax Field, Madison, Wis., son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cox of Grass Valley and Miss Betty Jean Brown of Madison, Wis., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Barnum, Wis., were married January 21, 1945, at the home of the bride's parents, in the presence of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox went to Olympia, Wash., Saturday to visit their son-in-law and daughter, second lieutenant and Mrs. Maynard Nelson. They returned home Monday bringing their little grandson with them for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barnett were in The Dalles Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Marietta Beeler returned to her home in Portland Thursday after spending several days here visiting her children at the home of Mrs. Glenn Perry.

Mrs. Tom Alley entertained friends at a one o'clock luncheon Friday. Contract was in play at three tables with high score held by Mrs. C. R. Anderson and low by Mrs. Art Bibby. Mrs. Dell Olds and Mrs. Ed Alley received a prize for making a grand slam.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blagg and daughter, Marie, were business visitors in The Dalles Friday.

Clair Balzer was a visitor in

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Moro Friday

Among Grass Valley visitors and shoppers in The Dalles Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alley and children, Mrs. Helen Bayer and daughter, Julia, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Payne and children, Mrs. Charles Ferrigo, Dorothy Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Martin and daughter, Mrs. A. F. Balzer and son, Clair, and Mrs. Melvin Balzer. Ensign Donald von Borstel returned here Sunday from Portland where he spent several weeks visiting relatives. He is spending his leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ted von Borstel.

The Baptist Mission society met at the home of Mrs. Amelia Peterson Thursday afternoon with 19 members present. Refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace May went to The Dalles Monday when Mr. May entered the hospital several days for medical treatment.

Andy Walter came from Hood River Thursday to visit at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace May. He returned to his home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hartmann of Wasco spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Balzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Bibby left Tuesday for Portland to spend several days on business.

Mrs. Bus Logan and son, Robert, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Newcomb, for the past several weeks, and her sister, Doris Newcomb, left Tuesday for The Dalles where they will spend the night with their aunt, Mrs. Etha Schilling, going on to Portland to visit their sister, Mrs. Wayland Weld, and family before going on to Mrs. Logan's home in Oakland, California.

Roy Hogue, Seaman 1c, arrived here Saturday from Miami, Florida, to spend his leave visiting relatives and friends. He has spent about a year overseas.

Read the Ads in the Journal.

SOUTHERN MINSTRELS AT WASCO METHODIST CHURCH THURSDAY EVENING

Negro spirituals, songs of the old Southland will be presented by Rust college quintet, from Holly Springs, Miss., Thursday at 9:00 p. m. at the Wasco Methodist church. This will be a real treat for the people of Sherman county. A free-will offering will be taken.

WASCO METHODIST CHURCH Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Subject, "God Is Love." F. L. Cannell, pastor.

A Bell for Adano

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the men in the government? The people do, for they pay the taxes out of which you are paid."

"Therefore you are now the servants of the people of Adano. I too am their servant. When I go to buy bread, I shall take my place at the end of the line, and I will wait my turn. You too must behave now as servants, not as masters. You must behave as the servant of the man without shoes just as much as of the baron. If I find that any of you are not giving the type of service that I desire, I shall have to remove you from office.

"Remember: you are servants now. You are servants of the people of Adano. And watch: this thing will make you happier than you have ever been in your lives."

On the ninth morning, General Marvin was driving along the road toward Vicinamare and came to the town of Adano. From time to time along the road his driver had had to slow down behind the little Italian two-wheeled carts of the countryside until traffic from the opposite direction had gone by. Then he passed the carts.

As they passed each cart, General Marvin waved his riding crop in such a way as to indicate that the cart should move over. Since there was nothing to move over into except the ditch, which at intervals



"Get off the road"

along the road expanded into tank traps, the carts never did move over. The General grew angrier and angrier.

Now it happened that just as he came to the Fiume Rosso, or Red River, just before Adano, the General's armored car was obliged to slow down for a cart which meandered along right in the center of the road.

The General stood up in his car and shouted in his deep bass voice (you've read about that voice in the supplements; it's famous; one writer said it was like "a foghorn gone articulate"): "Get off the road!"

Unfortunately the driver of the cart was one Errante Gaetano, who earlier that morning had sold three dozen eggs to American soldiers at fourteen times the proper price, had immediately sunk most of his profits in the wine of his friend Mattalano, and was now sleeping a deep and happy sleep on the seat of his cart. At this particular moment, he was dreaming about eating the nicer parts of a fish nine feet long. Naturally he did not pay much attention to the voice of General Marvin, no matter how famous the voice, because he could not hear it.

General Marvin roared at his driver: "Blow your horn. Blow him off the road."

The driver, a nice boy from Massachusetts, put the heel of his hand on the horn button against his own wish. He was in no hurry, and knew that no matter how fast they went, he would only have to wait when they got wherever they were going.

The mind of Errante did not react to the horn, even though the horn was something urgent called a klaxon. The cart kept right down the middle of the road, inasmuch as Errante's mule was a cautious creature, just as wary of ditches on the right as of ditches on the left. This was a quality in his mule of which Errante Gaetano often boasted to his friends. "Give me none of your lop-sided mules," he would say, "give me a mule with a sense of the middle."

This sense was going to be the undoing of his mule just now, because General Marvin's face was beginning to grow dark, and some veins which have never been described in the supplements began to wriggle and pound on his forehead.

"I've had enough of these carts," the General shouted. He was standing up in the car, waving his riding crop around. "Do they think they're going to stop the invasion with carts?"

Errante slept beautifully. He was coming to the gray part of the fish just under the ribs. It melted in the mouth of his dream. There was, however, a sound of thunder in the distance which made him think perhaps he had better cover the fish and finish eating the nice parts after the rain.

General Marvin roared: "Do these Italians think they're going to stop a bunch of tanks with a bunch of wooden carts?"

Colonel Middleton, the General's Chief of Staff, and Lieutenant Byrd, his aide, could see the violence coming. Lieutenant Byrd looked back along the road, but he couldn't see any bunch of tanks. The only thing he could see that was being held up besides the General's armored car was one seep, or amphibious jeep, which did not seem to be in a hurry.

Here it came. General Marvin shouted: "Throw that cart off the road."

Colonel Middleton, Lieutenant Byrd and the nice boy from Massachusetts ached all over with regret, but there was nothing they could do but obey. The driver stopped the car. The three got out. They held up the seep and enlisted the puzzled aid of three sergeants who were riding in it.

The six men walked forward on the road with the bass aria of General Marvin's anger ringing in their ears. They did not have to run to catch up with the cart. That was another thing about the mule of Errante Gaetano which he liked. The mule was good and slow. "It is a mule," he would say, "which lives in the present and is not always trotting into the future."

Errante stirred in his sleep. The thunder of his dream was the most beautiful and most continuous thunder he had ever heard.

The six men surrounded the cart. Colonel Middleton reached up to waken Errante, but the General's roars grew louder. "What are you doing?" he bellowed. "I told you to throw the thing off the road."

"We were just going to wake this fellow up and get him off first," Colonel Middleton shouted back, but the shout was weak because he knew what the answer would be.

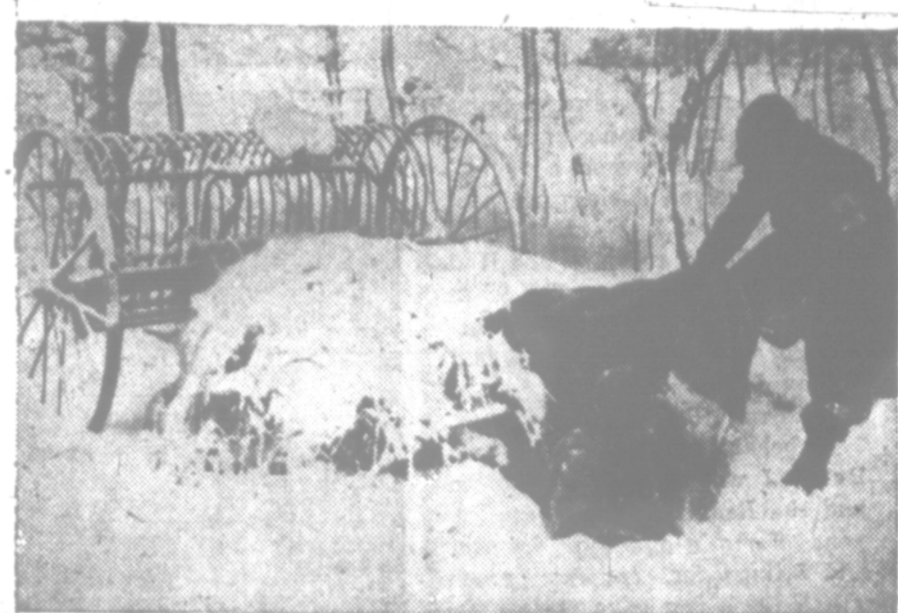
"Serve him right. Throw him too. Just turn the whole thing over." There was no protest from any of the six men. The only thing which was said was muttered by Lieutenant Byrd: "The old man hasn't been getting enough sleep lately."

Colonel Middleton went to the head of the mule and guided it to the side of the road. He directed the other five men to take positions on the left side of the cart and to lift together when he gave the signal.

General Marvin roared: "Come on, get it over with. What a bunch of softies. Get it over with." Colonel Middleton gave the signal. The five men lifted.

In his dream, Errante rose up above the nine-foot fish and soared off into space. The sensation was extremely pleasant.

Snow Insulated G. I. Foxhole



Yankee ingenuity is called into play and this "insulated" foxhole is evolved on the Belgian "bulge" front. Hay and straw provide insulation against the weather. A blanket covers the door into the improvised shelter. Shells of a hayrake provide roof supports. The tenant is 1st Sgt. Albert Luis, Manchester, N. H.

COOKIES FOR RUFUS BY KENT AND GRASS VALLEY

More community donated 98 1/2 dozen of home made cookies to Camp Rufus last week. This week Kent and Grass Valley will furnish the cookies. They will be picked up from Alley's Confectionery in Grass Valley at 11:15 Saturday morning.

JAM TARTS

A penny for your thoughts isn't the only bargain. One penny will also bake waffles for 16 minutes on your electric waffle iron. To whatever notions that puts into your head, the Westinghouse Home Economics Institute contributes the idea of making jam tarts on the waffle iron: Make pie pastry as usual. Roll out between 1/4 and 1/2 inch thick. Cut into rounds with a biscuit cutter. Bake four rounds at a time. Serve with thick jam.

REMOVES STALENESS

To sweeten a coffee pot made of metal other than aluminum, Westinghouse home economists occasionally substitute a tablespoon of soda for coffee, add water and then make believe they're making coffee. Rinse thoroughly with hot water after this brew has been emptied from the pot. This removes any trace of staleness.

SHERMAN COUNTY FIFTH IN WASTE PAPER DRIVE

Although making no shipments in January, Sherman county's total of 36 tons during the entire period place in the January standing of gave a per capita collection of the statewide contest sponsored by 41.3 pounds. Oregon newspapers for the collection. Because of bad weather in the ton of waste paper. A total of cart, collections have been small 1112 tons was collected in January there recently. So efforts must be bringing the average total collection increased in this section in order to tion 31.5 pounds per capita for the keep demands of paper mills supplied.

Spring is in the Air

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