

Off Bab's Finger Tips

By Barbara Gavia



The annual Installation Tea of the Future Homemakers of America was held on April 6th in the Crater High School Cafeteria. As was its purpose, the new club officers were installed for 1966-67. The tea was attended by the mothers of the club members, and Mrs. Frances Willett, club advisor, acted as hostess. The new officers are: Susan Morgan, Pres; Rose Pitts, Vice-President; Janet Pucci, Secretary; Jan Mayes, Treasurer; Jean Boyd, Historian; Barbara Adams, Parliamentarian; Madeline Schafer, Reporter; Christine Williams, Degree Chairman. The Club's annual Coast Trip is scheduled for April 30th.

The Mother's Day Tea will be held the 9th of May. The girls are already making plans for modeling and as usual, it should be a big success.

There are many important dates coming up for seniors in the next few weeks. The most important ones to remember now are: Students Gov't day, Friday, May 6th; Junior-Senior Prom, Saturday May 14th; Senior Finale, day May 14th; Senior Skip Day, Monday, May 16th; Eighth Grade Visitation, Friday, May 20; Senior Finals, Wednesday, June 1st; Baccalaureate Practice, Thursday, June 2nd; Commencement Practice, Friday June 3rd; Baccalaureate Services, Sunday June 6th and Commencement Exercises on Thursday June 9th.

Classified Ads Pay



DADDY FELL INTO THE POND

Everyone gumbled, The sky was grey,
We had nothing to do and nothing to say,
We were nearing the end of a dismal day,
And there seemed to be nothing beyond,

THEN

DADDY FELL INTO THE POND!

And everyone's face grew merry and bright,
And Timothy danced for sheer delight,
"Give me the camera, quick, oh quick!
He's crawling out of the duckweed," Click!

Then the gardener suddenly slapped his knee,
And doubled up, shaking silently,
And the ducks all quacked as if they were deaf
And it sounded as if the old drake laughed,

O, there wasn't a thing that didn't respond
WHEN
DADDY FELL INTO THE POND!

..... Alfred Noyes



SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Bennett of Ventura Lane, Central Point, have returned from a vacation trip in Arizona.

At Phoenix, Arizona, they visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Dale E. Bennett. In Tucson they were guests at the home of their son, M/Sgt. and Mrs. Grant D. Bennett. While there they went to Tombstone and saw the world's largest rose bush, which was in full bloom. They also enjoyed a day at Nogales, Sonora, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis of 102 Windsor Way went to Eugene over the weekend. The occasion was a convention of Employment Credit Unions.

Kitchen Korner



KIDS BELIEVE RANGER ROCKS ARE THE MOST....

When we bake cookies we usually bake Ranger Rocks. They are rich spice cookies, generally studded with raisins and nuts.

- 1 cup shortening
- 2 cups brown sugar
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 3 cups sifted flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/2 teaspoons baking soda
- 1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon
- 1/2 cup buttermilk or sour milk
- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts
- 1 cup raisins

Cream shortening and sugar. Add eggs and mix well. Sift flour with salt, baking soda and cinnamon and add to shortening mixture. Add milk, walnuts and raisins. Mix thoroughly. Drop from a teaspoon onto a greased cookie sheet. Bake in a 350 oven for 10 minutes.

which was held in that city Friday and Saturday, April 15th and 16th. Mr. Davis is President of the Medco Employment Credit Union of Medford. Mr. Davis also informed the Times that her son Durwan Davis will soon be home from the service.

Miss Bernice Reames of Corvallis visited her mother, Mrs. Roberta Gregory this past week. Dinner guests on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Bailes of Ashland, and Miss Fay Carver of Phoenix. A recent guest at the Reames-Gregory home was Gene Reames of Rio Linda, California.

The Navy Mothers of Central Point are holding a rummage sale at the Legion Hall in Central Point on Pine Street on Thursday, April 21, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

The Grandmother's Club met Monday, April 18 at the home of Mrs. Frank Meadows on Freeman Road. Mrs. Frank Smith is president. Mrs. Edna Schroeder and Mrs. Nina Reames acted as co-hostesses. The Club meets the third Monday of each month.

Den 16, Pack 46, Cub Scouts of Richardson School, planted Violas, Ester Reed Daisies and Petunias in front of the Central Point Library Monday afternoon. The boys present were Cecil Johnson, Scott Dumas, Jeffrey Shera and Jack Meza. Mrs. Hugh Shera is Den Mother. She reports there will be a tree planting ceremony at Richardson School on Saturday, April 23rd.

Mr. Clifton Poss of Salem was a house guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ditch of 1529 Scenic Avenue, over the weekend. Mr. Poss was here to attend a meeting of the Friends Church at Talent.

Mrs. Erwin (JoAnn) Ditch underwent surgery last Thursday at Rogue Valley Memorial Hospital. She is reported doing very well. Mrs. Ditch's mother, Mrs. McKie, of Sacramento, California, is here to help care for the family during her daughter's illness.

1st District OFWC Names New Officers

The six clubs in southern Oregon making up First District of Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs held their 53rd annual convention in Medford at the First Methodist Church March 30.

State officers and past district presidents were introduced following opening ceremonies. Mrs. Jonn S. Tyler, Jr., of Salem, gave the principal address and in the afternoon installed newly elected officers of First District in a candle lighting ceremony. Mrs. Ned L. Chapin of Grants Pass was installed as president; Mrs. Ron Spani of Klamath Falls as first

vice president; Mrs. Charles Long of Medford, second vice president; Mrs. Randy Warren of Medford, third vice president; Mrs. Don Tangon of Medford, recording secretary; Mrs. Ray Heidenreich of Grants Pass, financial secretary; and Mrs. Helen Notley, also of Grants Pass, treasurer. Mrs. Chapin appointed Mrs. Raymond Greenhill of Rogue River as corresponding secretary and Mrs. Jason Ottinger of Medford as parliamentarian. Mrs. Bert Roberts of Ashland is retiring president.

State Convention It was reported that Mrs. Walter B. Rich of Portland has been nominated for the office of state president. Election of state officers will be held during the convention in Portland May 3-5.

Club presidents of First District gave brief reports of their groups. After luncheon Helen Nelson Honor Roll Awards were given to Rogue River Civic Improvement Club, Travel Study Club of Medford, Medford Junior Women's Club and Ashland Women's Civic Club.

Mt. Mazama, ancestor of Crater Lake was a volcano estimated to have been more than 12,000 feet high.

BATMAN BONANZA

Brace yourself, Mother. The Year of the Batman is upon you, with children clamoring for capes, masks, batmobiles, records, T-shirts, marionettes and paint sets. It is estimated that about 200 different goodies will appear before this Batman fad has faded.

THREE WONDERFUL LETTERS

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