

LOCALS

Mrs. Joe Davis entertained the Home League Wednesday afternoon with twelve members present.

Mrs. Rose Herminson underwent a major operation at the Community hospital last Monday and is doing as well as could be expected. She hopes to be able to return home by Monday or Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Higginbotham a baby girl at the Williams home Thursday morning.

Mrs. Laura Eaton, grandmother of Mr. Oscar Minnick, is very seriously ill and not expected to recover. Mrs. Minnick has been caring for her every night.

New Spring Styles "Keds" at Faber's.

Miss Ernestine Tracy was able to return home from the Community hospital Monday and is doing nicely. Her sister, Mrs. John Bohnert, is taking her to the doctor this afternoon.

Harry Hedgpath of Gazette visited his father over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Gleason and sons Mervyn and Jimmy of Klamath Falls were overnight guests of Mr. Gleason's parents Tuesday night. They returned home Wednesday.

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L. P. MATHES
Local Representative

Mrs. James Smiley entertained in honor of her small son, Darrell's 5th birthday Wednesday evening with a dinner party which included her father, Mr. Theodore Glass, brothers Randolph and Orrin Glass and their families and Mr. Floyd Hilton and wife and little son. It was the first time the entire group had been together for many years. The party gathering was enjoyed at the Glass home, where Mrs. Smiley and children are visiting. Mrs. Theodore Glass is expected home this week end after visiting in Yreka for a week or ten days.

Walter Franks made a business trip to Talent Wednesday.

New Waterproof Clothing at Faber's.

Donald Richardson was recently pledged to Phi Delta Phi, a legal fraternity, at Eugene and went to Portland for initiation. Donald is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sanford Richardson and graduated with honor from the University of Oregon a year ago this spring and is taking advanced work at the university.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woodcock, who recently returned from a trip to Chehalis and Portland were accompanied home by little Miss Arlene Moore of Chehalis, who is visiting at the Jim Cornutt home for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Martha Mooth and Mrs. Belle Booth went to Roseburg Sunday, to visit Jim Booth in the Veteran's Hospital.

Mrs. Lettie Gregory was a guest of Mrs. Mary Catey last Thursday. Also calling at the Catey home last Saturday were Mrs. Luman, Mrs. Harold Catey, Mary Kline and Mrs. Higgins all of Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Landers, Sally and Billy, Mrs. Reynolds, Dorothy Lee and George Edgar, left Saturday evening for Klamath Junction, where they visited Mr. Landers' father and spent the week end, returning home Monday forenoon. They report a grand time.

The executive committee of the P. T. A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Ted Furry at 2 o'clock Tuesday January 30th. All committee chairman and committee members are urged to attend if possible.

Ernestine Tracy returned to her home Monday night from the Community hospital. She is improving rapidly. The family wish to thank all for their kindness and sympathy during her stay in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Corum and son Gordon of Eugene, returned from Detroit recently, where they purchased a new Dodge car. On their return trip they stopped over a few days to visit his sisters, Mrs. Burwell and Mrs. Morse Haily.

Pro-America held a very interesting and instructive meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Hotel Holland, when Mrs. Roy Bishop, state president of Pro-America, addressed a general session of the members. Mrs. Gipson Driver presided in the place of Mrs. C. M. Hurd, who was in Portland.

The young married people's class of the Federated church will conduct the evening service at the church Sunday night. Everyone is cordially invited to attend and hear Mr. Wilard Van Ream. Specials are to be arranged and will include two songs by Mr. Rollo Reedy of Phoenix. Your attendance is requested.

Harry Dunn loaded about 650 sacks of onions Wednesday. These onions were to be trucked South. Mr. Dunn reports that he raised 165 tons of onions on about 4½ acres. He has a grader that grades the onions and runs them into the sacks. San Francisco wants the large onions while Sacramento calls for the medium. He says that Central Point is getting well known as an onion raising country. The onions are not thinned but are planted with a drill so they do not need thinning. They have to be weeded, cultivated, rolled harvested and marketed, making work for a number of men during the different seasons.

Mr. W. E. Alexander regretted the fact that he was unable to attend the fireman's dinner held Tuesday evening. He bought tickets but on account of poor health was forced to stay at home. Mr. Alexander is always to be found boosting for anything that will benefit the community.

Isabelle Wright is staying with her sister, Mrs. Wilson in Medford, and doing the house work.

The Christian church is enjoying an orchestra at the evening service on Sundays. Many of the members are new beginners but are making very good progress under the direction of Mrs. Phillips.

Patricia Berry entertained ten of her little friends Sunday afternoon in honor of her birthday. Games were played and all had a jolly time. Refreshments of jello, candy and a beautiful birthday cake with cold drinks were served.

Johnny Deuel spent a few days with his grandparents while his mother, Mrs. George Hunt, accompanied her husband to Portland.

Miss Alice Hanley Honored by Star

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Mrs. E. E. Scott, President of the Past Matron's Club, conveyed the best wishes of herself and members to one who for over 58 years had held membership in one of the finest and most noble orders in existence.

The Worthy Patron, Hensley Holt, proceeded to call upon the honor guest, various visitors and Charter members of the Chapter. A special visitor for the evening was Mrs. Nellie McGowan, Past Brand Matron and a member of Reames Chapter of Medford, who gave her best wishes to the honor guest and the Chapter. Among those greeting Miss Hanley were: Mrs. W. H. Norcross, First Matron of Nevita Chapter; Mrs. Isabel Leever and Mr. L. Hatfield, Charter Members; Miss Mollie Britt and Mr. Emil Britt of Jacksonville; Mrs. Hattie White and Mrs. Lumsden of Medford.

This was one of the largest gatherings of pioneer residents of the valley ever held at Central Point. Many unable to attend sent their regards to Miss Hanley and regrets for having to miss the notable event.

Following the evening's Ceremonies, Mrs. Lloyd Stinson introduced the program, Miss Ruby Webster delighted the audience with two lovely songs, accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Grimes. Martha Berry and Florence Blazing entertained with several accordion duets.

The guests and members then adjourned to the dining room where refreshments were served by the committee which included: Mrs. Henry Head as Chairman, Mrs. W. H. Ferguson, Mrs. Mollie Neale, Mrs. Wallace Freeland and Mrs. Carl Bennett. The tables were decorated with acacia and yellow candles in cellophane crystal holders. Place cards, made by Mrs. Rose Bishop, of old fashioned ladies and gentlemen, marked the places of special guests and older members.

The Chapter rooms were appropriately decorated for the occasion by Mrs. Merritt Swing and Mrs. Pearl Bonney. Mrs. Lelia Paxson was General Chairman for the evening's Ceremonies and much credit is due her for the very highly-successful affair.

The next regular meeting of Nevita Chapter will be Tuesday, February 13. This will be "Friendship Night". At this meeting all members of the Chapter are asked to bring a friend belonging to another chapter. Mrs. Bonney and Mrs. Holt are co-chairmen for the evening.

SELLING SUITS IS NEW SIDE LINE FOR MATHES

Mr. L. P. Mathes has added a sideline to his regular mattress shop. He has taken on the agency for the W. Z. Gibson, Inc. line of tailor-made clothing. Mr. Mathes has represented this company before and considers it a very good line. The company has confidence in Mr. Mathes' ability in this line and are giving him every advantage possible.

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Bowman Discusses School Law Change Before Voters League

School costs must be levelled off among the taxpayers before educational opportunities are equalized for children according to C. R. Bowman, county superintendent of schools who addressed the January general meeting of the Jackson County League of Women Voters held Monday evening in Medford. Mr. Bowman presented a comprehensive picture of financial problems of schools in the county and pointed out that at present school funds are raised practically 100 per cent in the county. He stressed the proposed reorganization of county schools, to be presented to the voters soon, as a necessary step before any hope could be held for state aid.

The speaker explained the two plans provided for by the Legislature in the reorganization act passed in 1939, stating that the voters could choose either the plan which would consolidate the present 66 districts into a fewer number, or adopt the county school law, which makes all districts into one district, except those designated as districts of the first class. This latter plan has been recommended by the county reorganization board, of which Mr. Bowman is a member, to come before the voters first. It is already in operation in four counties of the state.

"Adoption of the county school law", Mr. Bowman said, "would put all districts except Medford and Ashland into one district, presided over by a board of five members elected from five zones in the county. The board would handle the financial and administrative end of the district, hire the teachers and employ a county school district superintendent. The 66 districts as now organized, would be retained as sub-districts and their boards would be retained as advisory boards to the general board."

"Under the re-grouping plan, when a proposed grouping is accepted by the state board of education, the district of the largest school census gives its number and name to the group, and its board takes over the management of the schools, all other boards and district names and numbers being abolished. The conduct of school affairs in such a reorganized group is exactly like the conduct of school affairs in any school district. The members of the board of the larger district, after serving one year will all retire and a new board will be elected. Membership may be from any part of the group of districts."

To show the vast difference between the financial status of the various districts in the county Mr. Bowman presented a number of charts. These showed the taxable

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wealth back of pupils ranging from \$2,000 in some districts up to \$60,000 in others, per capita costs ranging from \$49 a pupil up to \$329, property valuations ranging from \$35,000 up to more than two million dollars in one district, and special millages ranging from five mills in a few districts up to more than 32 in one district.

"It should be borne in mind", Mr. Bowman said, "that all of the money used by our schools in 1939, with the exception of \$1.13 per census pupil, was raised by tax within the county and within the school district on real and personal property. The county and the school district have no other means of raising money for school purposes except by levying upon real and personal property, while the state has every form of taxation and every kind of tax base open to it in the raising of funds."

"Even though our state constitution provides for the establishment of uniform and general system of common schools, the laws have done just about the opposite and in Oregon we have the widest variation of tax burden, of district valuations, of per pupil ability to support schools and of education opportunities offered. The remedy lies in wider state support, and in larger units of taxation, but to date it has been refused on the basis that it is not good business to raise a large state fund and dissipate it among 2,200 school districts. We have been advised by the last three governors to reduce the number of taxing and administrative school units before asking for further state aid."

Reviewing a senate bill which

proposes federal aid to education, Mr. Bowman stated that it would be desirable if aid could be extended to states needing funds for common schools, but pointed out that many considered this a dangerous move toward giving the federal government more power.

Preceding Mr. Bowman's address, Mrs. Justin Smith, Medford, chairman of the foreign police department, spoke concerning the stand of the national league toward reciprocal trade treaties. Pointing out that the league has advocated such treaties for the past 15 years, she stated that this was done with the belief that the treaties would improve national prosperity, contribute to world peace and be a step forward in putting tariff making on a scientific basis.

Mrs. Emma Bennett was taken to the hospital Sunday where she is kept under an anesthetic. She is suffering from diabetes and is in a very serious condition.

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