

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Anders returned home last Friday after spending the past few weeks vacationing in the south. While away they visited several places in Arizona and Mexico and at San Diego, Palm Springs and Catalina Island.

Next week is Boy Scout week. The boys from Central Point will have a display in Burelson's window. Stop by and see some of the things our boys are doing.

The Central Point Lions have been challenged by the Prospect Lions club to play a delayed benefit basketball game for the March of Dimes. This game is scheduled for next Wednesday evening at Prospect.

Mr. Alton Minger left the first of the week after spending a few days here at his home with his wife and two children. Mr. Minger is in the Merchant Marines and will ship to some of the foreign ports on this trip. The last trip was to the east coast or Intercoastal Route.

Mr. Joe Foster, of Chico, California was a visitor at the Lowry home last Saturday and Sunday. His wife expects to leave the hospital at Chico soon and Mr. Foster was interviewing practical nurses who might be able to go and care for her.

Mrs. Lee Pinkham underwent surgery at the Community hospital last Monday. She is getting along fine and will return to her home the end of the week.

Mrs. Annie Laurie Kilbourn, who makes her home here with her son and family, Mr. Lewis Kilbourn, left last Wednesday to visit for some time at Santa Barbara, California.

Private and Mrs. Donald A. Faber left Wednesday morning en route to Georgia, where Pvt. Faber will be stationed at Camp Gordon with a Signal Corps division. The past two weeks the Fabers have been entertained by many of their friends; last week-end they journeyed north to witness the ball game between Oregon State College and Bradley University. Miss Patsy Faber was home last week, between semesters at Willamette University, to visit with her brother and family.

The Berean class of the Community Bible church will hold their regular monthly meeting next Thursday afternoon, February 14, at the home of Mrs. Goltfred Hansen, on Table Rock road. The meeting is called for 2 o'clock. Mrs. Mead is cohostess, with Mrs. Hansen.

Mrs. Ada Horsley left last Saturday evening for her home in Washington, D.C. after spending some time here with her mother, Mrs. Harry Copinger.

We have received word that the John Sharp family have the mumps and we wish them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Don Bohnert, lecturer of Central Point Grange, was in Corvallis this week for a two-day lecturer's school.

Visiting at the home of Mrs. Warren Patterson are Mrs. Hill of Klamath Falls and Mrs. Nellie Brainard. Mrs. Brainard, a former resident, now makes her home, via house trailer, near her children in the Middle West and the Southern States.

Mrs. Don Bohnert, Mrs. Everett Faber, Mrs. W. B. Kincaid, Mrs. W. I. Sutherland, Mrs. Roy Stanley and Mrs. J. E. Vincent were luncheon guests last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Gaston Flox. In the afternoon they made plans for the flower show—"April Showers" to be presented by the Central Point Garden club April 5.

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Boy Scout Week To Be Observed Feb. 6 to 12

The nation's 2,900,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers and their adult leaders will observe Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, marking the 42nd birthday of their organization by giving the nation a unique birthday present.

The Boy Scouts of America will launch a new three-year program known as "Forward... On Liberty's Team," a program of action designed to help keep America strong and free.

The Boy Scout birthday will be observed throughout the United States, its territories and wherever American families live, either in service in the Armed Forces, or as representatives of the Government and business.

This year's celebration will honor the organizations and institutions whose sponsorship make possible the existence and growth of the nation's 80, 298 Packs, Troops and Explorer Units.

At public ceremonies, the Scouts and leaders will express their appreciation to the religious bodies, school organizations, veterans' association, fraternal groups and service clubs which sponsor them.

The Units will then review all the ways in which the sponsoring institution has helped the Unit as a whole as well as the individuals in it. The Scout Units will announce the goals of their three-year program to help achieve the goals of the "Forward... On Liberty's Team" program, which is to make the boy, the Scout Movement and the Nation—physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

Observed in every city and town and most villages and hamlets by more than 80,000 Units, Boy Scout Week is the largest single birthday observance by young Americans.

The Boy Scouts of America was incorporated at Washington, D.C. on Feb. 8, 1910. Traditionally, on that day, the members recommit themselves to the Scout Oath or Promise at 8:15 P.M., in the four time zones.

Boy Scout Sunday will be observed Feb. 10 in thousands of churches with Scouts and leaders attending services in uniform. Those of Jewish faith will hold their observance in synagogues and temples Friday evening and Saturday, Feb. 8 and 9.

During Boy Scout Week it has also become a tradition for Units to be hosts to friends and parents at Open House meetings and show some of the skills they acquire through the game of Scouting. These birthday week Scout parties provide fun, songs, games and stunts for the Scouts and their guests.

Many store windows and building lobbies are loaned to Scouts who put on "live expositions" where the public can see how Scouts train for Civil Defense or Emergency Service. The Conservation of the nation's resources—an important activity these days—has long been a principal activity of the Boy Scouts. Millions of trees have been planted by Scouts and countless wild life game preserves are maintained on many Boy Scout campsites. Some of this conservation work will also be on display.

Scouts will demonstrate the training in first aid, firemanship, lifesaving, communications, sanitation, safety and similar skills that prepare for service. They are prepared to help with messenger service, first aid training and to cooperate with other organizations responsible for furnishing food, shelter and clothing during emergency periods.

In some communities Scouts will hold test mobilizations to see how quickly they can assemble, fully equipped, to help in emergencies. Through test "scavenger hunts" they round up supplies that would be needed should disaster strike.

New Glad Group Seeks Local Units

Gladiolus fans from 23 Oregon communities and five out-of-state points were recorded as paid-up members of the Oregon State Gladiolus society at its organizational meeting in Portland, January 29.

Those attending the inaugural session agreed upon the following objectives: To stage a state gladiolus show annually, to encourage regional glad shows and to urge organization of community glad societies throughout the state.

The society will issue a minimum of four bulletins annually on glad culture, new varieties, local club notes of state-wide interest and glad personalities.

Officers elected are Therman R. Evans, Portland, president; R. V. Ainsworth, La Grande, and Mrs. F. J. Winder, Portland, vice president; Mrs. J. George Eisenhauer, Portland, secretary-treasurer.

Jack R. Fleming of Gresham was named editor of the quarterly bulletin.

It was decided that three vice presidents shall be elected annually, one from northwestern Oregon, one from eastern Oregon and one from southwestern Oregon. The first southwest representative will be designated when a greater membership is obtained in that section.

Annual membership fee was set at \$1 and "cash or check attached" applications were received from 65 persons. Additional membership applications, accompanied by \$1, should be addressed to the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. George Eisenhauer, 3433 NW Thurman street, Portland 10.

Indicative of the state-wide enthusiasm for the organization, a glance at the initial membership list shows these Oregon communities represented:

Albany, Baker, Coos Bay, Cove, Dundee, Gresham, Independence, La Grande, Lake Grove, Lebanon, McMinnville, Milwaukie, Oregon City, Ocean Lake, Ontario, Oswego, Portland, Salem, Silverton, Sweet Home, Troutdale, Waterloo and Wren.

Out-of-state points included Ridgefield, Seattle, Silvana and Vancouver in Washington, and Wellesley Hills in Massachusetts.

La Grande members of the state organization already have a local "chapter" under way and a number of other communities report local units are in the preliminary stage.

Mrs. J. G. Lone fell at her home Thursday morning and broke her arm. She is confined in Sacred Heart hospital in Medford.

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COMMUNICATION

To The Editor:

A short time ago, people like this writer, not knowing what was in store, didn't change our post office boxes to Medford, got a slip saying our box was being changed. FOR THE BENEFIT OF OUR TOWN, Well I wish some one would tell me one benefit and I can give two wrongs for ever right.

When next Christmas rolls around and cards start coming in for our old box numbers as the same with me as a lot of people I know have some friends and distant folks they only write to and hear from at Christmas times, the people at the post office are going to have to look up some records as they wouldn't do for some one, I know when they told him he would have to pay in his new box that wasn't in yet, he would have to return home, look for the new box number, then return to the post-office later to pay the rent.

I won't go into anything else as it would take up too much space in the paper. I'm waiting for a mistake in our post office on first class mail.

When they changed our box combinations that was a lot of inconvenience but then the numbers, that's a lot more. I know of some more that feel as I do and somewhat more so.

Name on file.

CAN'T EAT CHECKS—

San Diego, Cal.—Ray F. Swinney, a civilian employee at the Marine recruiting depot, reached into his lunch bag recently and found \$1,300 in checks. Investigation disclosed that Ray Vanderpool grocery store owner, had handed Swinney the wrong bag.

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Notes and Comments

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The Red Cross will soon be making its annual appeal to the people of the nation. This reverses the usual procedure—the people always call upon the Red Cross.

Advertising should be judged solely by cash register results. We invite our advertisers to apply that test to advertising in Central Point American.

And who can remember racing off the porch after leaving that special Valentine—just a few short years ago?

February is the birth-month of two great Americans. Can you name them and tell when they were born?

Every member of the House and one-third of the Senate realizes that an election will be held this year.

If you can just be patient, it won't be long before Spring will present her annual show, revealing the great beauty of Nature in Jackson County.

United States arms aid for Indo-China reported mounting.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of ADA GERTRUDE LAING, Deceased
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have been appointed by the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County, as Executor of the estate of Ada Gertrude Laing, deceased, and have duly qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, with proper vouchers and duly verified, to me at the office of Edward C. Kelly, No. 22 Goldy Building, Medford, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

DATED at Medford, Oregon, this 4th day of February, 1952.
WILLIAM LAING,
Executor
26—Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28.

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Snow White Cauliflowers

Pound - - - - - 13¢

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