

MT. PITT REBEKAH LODGE TO SPONSOR THETA RHOE CLUB

Mt. Pitt Rebekah Lodge met in regular session Wednesday evening, February 20. Highlights of the evening were the honoring of all Past Noble Grand by the Noble Grand, Mrs. Ernest Lowry, who presented each with a small potted plant. The presentation was preceded by a clever game put on by the Vice Grand, Mrs. Delbert Mongold.

Plans were made for Mt. Pitt Rebekah Lodge to sponsor a Theta Rho Club. This is a club for girls from the ages of twelve to eighteen and is open to all girls without lodge affiliation. Mrs. Irene Rock will be the leader. Any girls interested may contact Mrs. Rock, Mrs. Forest Thomason, Mrs. Ernest Lowry or any Rebekah member. This is a wonderful opportunity for the girls of our community and we hope a good many may take advantage of it.

The refreshment committee, consisting of Mrs. Al Setness, Mrs. Leo Ghelardi, Mrs. L. D. Booth and Mrs. Sam Cubertson, served delicious refreshments of cakes, fruit jello and coffee. The table was beautifully decorated with a large loaf cake, decorated in Rebekah colors of pink and green and each square had the initials P.N.G.

The next meeting of March 5th will be Birth Day Night for all members having birthdays in January, February or March. The refreshment committee for that meeting will be Mrs. Paul Hopkins, Mrs. Jerry Kime, Mrs. Claire Johnson and Mrs. Ed Jones.

Each member is requested to bring some article for the hobby or sale table. These may consist of food, hand work or white elephants. Proceeds from this sale will go to the kitchen fund.

After the meeting the Odd Fellows joined the ladies and the remainder of the evening was spent in taking pictures of the installing team and in having a general good time.

Girl Scout News

Troop No. 46, under the leadership of Mrs. J. R. Krupp, Jr. and Mrs. Harry Elden entertained with a Valentine party in the little grade school gym the evening of Feb. 13, with each Scout inviting a boy. Games and square dancing were followed by refreshments served from a buffet table decorated with candles and valentine favors. A special feature of the evening was the making of corsage by the boys and a valentine by the girls from an assortment of ribbon, lace and buttons.

The Brownie troop, led by Mrs. Doyle Stockton and Mrs. V. L. Van Hoy, invited their mothers to a Valentine party on February 11 at the home of Mrs. Stockton. Each girl had made a heart-shaped plaque and presented it to her mother. Games were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Savage and Sandra Schopfer. Refreshments of jello and heart shaped cup cakes with cocoa and coffee were served.

Representing Central Point Girl Scout troops at a Leaders meeting last Wednesday morning were Mrs. Leo Ghelardi, Mrs. Fred Coffman, Mrs. Doyle Stockton and Mrs. V. Van Hoy. The meeting on Outdoor Craft and Camping was held at Mary's Casa in Medford.

The girls of the Scout troop, led by Mrs. Leo Ghelardi, Mrs. Earl Obenchain and Mrs. Fred Coffman are working on their cooking badge and recently made cookies which they took to the old people living at the Farm Home near Phoenix. On February 13 the girls met in the Scout room, exchanging Valentines and enjoying refreshments.

The Girl Scouts, led by Mrs. Franklin Gebhard and Mrs. Don Bohnerl, are wearing their Folk Dancers badge, and last Monday evening they visited the session of Federated Funsters. Here they were privileged to dance with the members of this group. On the 27th of this month, this troop is planning a swimming party at the "Y".

PROPERTY SOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holmes of Medford have sold their place at the corner of 8th and Laurel here in Central Point. The new owner is Mrs. Mays of Medford.

Businessmen's Ass'n Holds First Meeting

The Central Point Businessmen's association held their first meeting with new officers presiding Feb. 20, 1932.

Preparation for the Merchant's Easter party was discussed. A committee for the affair was appointed—Ed Colpitts, chairman; Paul Hopkins, John Cupp, Jim Glenn and Mr. Barnes, committeemen. We hope this will be the biggest and best party ever held.

Many other important business items were discussed during the meeting.

The Businessmen's Association are asking the Central Point citizens full cooperation in enforcing the city ordinance stopping door to door salesmen who do not have city licenses. They ask YOU to call the City Hall and report any salesmen who call upon you without the proper license. If the salesmen have licenses, they will show them to you gladly.

Mr. Merritt representing the Central Point Fire Department ask the cooperation of the Businessmen in selling tickets for wondrous prizes to be given away. The dance will be held Friday, March 21, 8 P.M. It's free. Everyone welcome. Don't forget to support your Fire Dept. it is one you can be proud of.

Next meeting will be held Wednesday, April 16, at 8:00 P.M. City Hall. Merchants, you have good officers. Lets get behind them and show them you appreciate their efforts by showing your presents at the next meeting.

Extension Unit Meets At Kidson Home Wed.

Mrs. William V. Kidson was hostess for the Central Point Home Extension Unit at her home, Wednesday, February 20th.

The project lesson for the day, "Home Gardens" was presented by Mr. Don Berry, from the county horticulturalist office. Mr. Berry pointed out the advantages of planting a small well kept garden, with successive planting; rather than a large unkept garden. He also told of the minerals lacking in the soil which can be improved with a commercial fertilizer. Pamphlets were given out to help the members with their gardening problems.

Twenty five members and four visitors were present. The visitors were Mrs. Earl Sandt, Mrs. Plez R. Chamberlain, Mrs. Sam L. Jones and Mrs. Beeman.

Mrs. Charles Jantzer volunteered to be a leader for the "Four-H" group, which now makes four leaders from the Central Point Home Extension Unit.

The recreation leaders, Mrs. B. M. Smith and Mrs. K. C. Wernmark, gave a demonstration showing how to make a propagating box, for starting flower or vegetable plants in the house.

The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. L. C. Gorden, with Miss Eula Wintermote, county agent, presenting "Kitchen Storage."

SICKNESS PREVALENT

Sickness has been prevalent in many homes the past few weeks. The teaching staff of Central Point schools has been hard hit by "flu" and colds; and Mrs. J. S. Richardson, Mrs. M. B. Caster, Mrs. Dale Burns, Mrs. Don Patterson and Mrs. Nathan Pinkham have been kept busy as substitutes. Miss Emma L. Anderson is still under doctor's care suffering severe nose bleeds and pain. Among others ill are Mrs. Leo Ghelardi, Mrs. Franklin Gebhard and Mrs. Don Patterson.

STORK SHOWER

The Hugh Glenn home was the scene of a stork shower on February 14th the honoree being, Mrs. Ralph Keen, of Medford, a niece of Mrs. Glenn.

The Valentine theme was carried out for decorations and small cakes with baby faces and jello were served as refreshments.

Twenty ladies were present and Mrs. Keen received many lovely gifts.

BEREAN CLASS PARTY

Mrs. Ted Hill presided at the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Arthur Ayers. Roll call was answered with a scripture verse. Devotions were given by Mrs. Ed Higinbotham.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Arthur Meade. The Valentine theme was carried out in both the refreshments and games.

Initiational Rites Held By Jobs Daughters

Bethel No. 38, Jobs Daughters of Central Point held initiation for six candidates on Feb. 14, 1932 at 7:30 P.M. at the Masonic Hall in Central Point. The following were initiated: Sharon Coppsey, Gail Godden, Joan Morse, Rita Rose, Geraldine Gidney, and Jean Malotte.

Miss Barbara Hill and Miss Sandra Clary, Senior and Junior Princesses from Ashland Bethel No. 22 were escorted and presented corsages. Mrs. Martha Elhart, Past Grand Guardian of Oregon was present and was escorted and given honors and flowers. Also escorted was Mrs. Van Fleet, Guardian of Bethel No. 22, Ashland. During the meeting two candidates for State officers at the Grand Session were elected. They were Miss Esther Snook, Jr. Past Queen, and Miss Melva Chew. Girls were reminded of the practices which are being held each Saturday morning for the Drill which Bethel No. 38 will present in the competition at the Grand Session in Roseburg, April 17, 18, and 19. Bethel No. 38 has entered a drill in each of the competitions since their institution in 1943, and twice has come away with the first prize in their class. Approximately 45 girls will take part.

An addendum, honoring Mrs. Elhart was given by all of the girls of the Bethel. A large heart was formed by the girls and each presented Mrs. Elhart with a valentine. Queen Nancy Mallon presented her with her honorary membership card.

Mrs. Beulah Faber, Guardian Secretary who will soon leave on a trip to New York City, was given an addendum and a gift of a travel book. Miss Mildred Gail, Miss Linda Obenchain, and Queen Nancy Mallon participated in the skit which depicted in a humorous manner the way in which Mrs. Faber might pack and prepare for her trip.

Bethel rooms were decorated with large hearts and other tokens of Valentine's Day. Refreshments also reflected the red and white motif. The committee for decoration and refreshments were Deanna Lowry, Helen Tonn, Jeanne Stelle, Mrs. Lowry, Mrs. Sowden, and Mrs. Tonn.

Local Girl Married At Reno February 8

A wedding of interest here was that of Miss Rosalie Charlie and Mr. Floyd Young, Jr., of Talent. The young couple were married at Reno, Nevada on February 8th. They stopped at San Francisco, Oakland and Sacramento on their way home.

Mrs. Young is the youngest daughter of Mr. Walter Charley and has made her home here for many years.

The Youngs are making their home in Medford.

The American joins their friends in wishing them much success and happiness.

Local Odd Fellows to Sponsor Square Dance

The local Oddfellows are sponsoring a square dancing club with Dan Neil as instructor.

The first meeting was held Tuesday evening at the I.O.O.F. hall, with ten couples attending.

This club will meet each week for ten weeks instruction.

2nd BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Keryn Sue "Susy" Lisenbee celebrated her 2nd birthday last Saturday, Feb. 16th, with an afternoon party. Six little guests helped her celebrate—Connie Frohreich, Sharon, Mariena and Errol Coffman and Doris and Nancy Tuman. Decorations were bouquets of pussy willows with balloons tied to the branches. Susy received many nice gifts. Refreshments were served and flash pictures taken.

MEETS AT SCOTT HOME

The Past Matrons club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. E. Scott. Seventeen ladies were present. The afternoon was spent in visiting and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ed Vincent and Mrs. H. T. Pankey.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wallace Freeland on Beall Lane.

PARENTS TO SCHOOL CAMPAIGN SUCCESSFUL

Students of Central Point Junior high school (7th and 8th) are expecting their parents at school next Wednesday, February 27, to visit their rooms. Following light desert at 1:15 p.m. in the Junior High library, the fathers and mothers will be privileged to go to the various classrooms. This will conclude the "Parents Go-To-School" campaign by the Central Point Parent-Teacher association.

C. A. Meyer, grade school principal, reports with great satisfaction, that the previous visiting days have proved more than beneficial, as so many parents have taken advantage of the opportunity to see their children at their regular class work.

In next week's issues the list of the names of all parents who have gone to school will be published.

Comets To Play Final Game Friday night

The Crater High Comets have only one league game left on their schedule but it can be a very important one. The Comets must win this one to maintain their tie for first place in the JDJ league. Should the Comets and the Myrtle Creek Vikings finish in a tie, as things now look, there will be a one game playoff to decide the undisputed champion of the JDJ conference. This game will be played at the Grants Pass High School Gymnasium, date and particular to be announced later.

The Comets have already clinched their berth in the district playoffs against the winner of the Big Four Conference. This playoff will be run off, March 7, 8 and 10, so it is quite possible that the basketball fans of those Crater Comets have lots of thrilling and exciting games left to watch.

Regular Meeting Held By Navy Mothers

The regular meeting of the Central Point Navy Mothers Club No. 466 was held at the home of Hester Cubertson, Wednesday, Feb. 13.

Marguerite Richardson was installed as Second Vice Commander by Past Commander Booth. Commander Cubertson appointed a few of her committee chairmen, namely: Cards and Flowers, Rena Gregg; Layettes, Martha Booth; Publicity, Grace Shrier.

Plans were made for a Rummage Sale in March. Contributions of clothes, hats, shoes, purses, dishes and sundry articles will be gladly accepted by the club. Anyone having articles may bring to 612 Cherry St. or phone Grace Shrier 95x1 afternoon.

Next meeting will be an all day sewing-social, at the home of Rena Gregg Wednesday, Feb. 2. Pot luck dinner at noon. Each member is asked to bring an inexpensive prize for the social hour. All Navy Mothers are cordially invited.

Tea and cookies were served by the hostess assisted by Eva Campbell.

Miss Carolyn Freeland Married at Redding

Miss Carolyn Freeland and Mr. Howard James Gascon were married January 21st at Redding, Calif. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Freeland, of Beall Lane and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Gascon of Gold Hill.

Miss Freeland graduated from Medford high school with the class of 1931 and Mr. Gascon attended schools in Rochester, New York.

Miss Freeland is well known in Central Point, having been Queen of Bethel No. 38, Jobs Daughters in 1931.

BIRTHDAY PARTY ENJOYED

Jimnie Frank Cain celebrated his 5th birthday Wednesday, February 20. Those helping him celebrate were Yolanda and Lynn Minor, Patly and Kayene Shumake, Mrs. A. E. Powell, Mrs. Vivian Minor, Mrs. Dorothy Shumake, the honoree and sister Edith and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cain.

NOTICE

The Table Rock Sunday School is getting ready a box of clothing to send to Miss Hazel McCabe, Missionary at the Kentucky Mission. Anyone wishing to send articles of clothing is asked to contact Mrs. John Dickey, Mrs. Milford Vanderpool or Mrs. E. E. Robinson.

Alaskan Pictures Shown at Meeting of Sportsmen's Club

Mr. C. Z. Boyden, county surveyor showed very interesting pictures taken on a trip from Medford to Alaska and back home. Mr. and Mrs. Boyden traveled with their own car, shipping it by boat from Seattle to Anchorage.

Many scenes of lakes, rivers, mountains, showing the native villages as well as the cities. Many local fishermen got a thrill from the stream scenes showing fish of all types, asked many questions and some made remarks about making the trip.

Business Meeting Held

After the pictures the regular meeting came to order. With the outcome of something new—The Central Point Sportsmen's Club are going to hold four registered shoots this spring and early summer. Shoots are to be sanctioned by the A.T.A. This will give shooters an opportunity to establish an average before the State A.T.A. shoot. Shooters may also register their targets P.I.I.A. if they desire. Dates for the shoots will be in this paper shortly. Programs will be mailed to all known shooters.

The club are planning the use of an electric trap and better parking facilities.

STAR POINT NIGHT

Nevita Chapter will meet for a regular meeting next Tuesday evening at the Masonic hall. This is Star Point Night and all members and visiting stars are invited to attend.

FIRE DEPT. CALLED

The Rural Fire Department was called Thursday morning to the scene of a burning gas truck just south of Blackwell Hill. The trailer started swaying, causing the driver to have to turn the truck enough to jackknife. The truck and six thousand gallons of gas burned but the driver escaped without injury.

Churches

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD
5th & Pine Streets
H. H. Trautman, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Evangelical Service, 7:45 p.m.
Midweek service, Wednesday night at 7:45 p.m.

PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH
Rev. Lee Williams, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Prayer meeting, 7:30 P.M.
"A Friendly Welcome for All"

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
Rolf H. Hansen, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Worship.
6:45 p.m. Young People's & children's meetings.
7:45 p.m. Evangelistic Service.
Monday:
7:45 p.m. Men's Prayer Meeting.
Wednesday:
7:45 p.m. Mid-week prayer meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Don Whitney, Minister
9:45 a.m. Bible School for all ages.
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship. Communion and Sermon.
6:45 P.M.—Youth meetings for both intermediates and High School.
8:00 p.m. Evening Service.
7:30 p.m.— Wednesday Mid-week Service.
4:00 P.M.—Thursday, Junior Bible Club.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. N. K. Tully, D. D., Pastor
Central Point, Oregon
Church worship at 9:45 A.M. Sermon theme, "The Soul of America." Sunday Church School immediately after church worship, with classes for all ages. Thursday, Feb. 23, 6:30 P.M., regular monthly Fellowship Supper and Program. Dr. Tully will tell of his recent trip with Mrs. Tully to the Cuban churches, and show some pictures.

SUNSHINE GOSPEL MISSION
Located on Mace Road opposite Elk Lumber Company
Rev. & Mrs. J. O. Morgan, Pastors
Sunday School—9:45 a.m. Surprise contest for children.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Young People's Service, 7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service, 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday night service, (Young People's), 8:00 p.m.
Holy Ghost Rally Saturday, 8:00 p.m.
You are cordially invited to attend all this services.

ANNUAL SWEETHEART BALL AT CRATER HIGH BIG SUCCESS

Reigning as Virginia I of the first annual Sweetheart Ball of Crater high school last Friday evening was Miss Virginia Dew. Miss Dew, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dew, successfully represented the freshman class over the other class candidates—Miss Esther Snook, Senior; Miss Carlene Paul, Junior; and Miss Doreen Bohnerl, sophomore.

Escorted by Don Force, Miss Dew wore a Turquoise velvet formal with pink carnation corsage. Following her coronation by Neil Richardson, student body president, she was presented a dozen American Beauty roses.

The cafeteria was decorated following the Valentine theme and during intermission, refreshments of cake and punch were served at small tables in the hall. Music was furnished by Bob Rice and his band.

During intermission, special entertainment was under the direction of Lois Vanderpool, vice president of the Girls' League. Miss Jean Miller and Bruce Bailey sang "Sweetheart Waltz"; accompanying them was Miss Phyllis Hanse. Several accordion numbers were played by Leon and Dwayne Branson.

Chaperones for the evening were Miss Aasen, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Schopfer, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Elliott and Mr. Jerome McDougall.

This formal dance, attended by nearly 75 couples, was sponsored by the Girls' League, and the candidates were chosen by the boys of each class, with the final vote by the boys of the entire student body. Plans are that this will become an annual affair at this time each year.

14 Students To Attend Forensic Tournament

About fourteen student of the Speech class of Crater High left Wednesday morning for Linfield college at McMinnville, Oregon. They were accompanied by their speech instructor, Mr. Jerry McDougall.

Each year Linfield conducts a forensic tournament for the high school speech students from all over Oregon. This year they expect about 600 students. Representatives from 40 to 50 high schools will be present. Student director of the tournament is Mary Jean Wilson, Bremerton, Washington. Assisting her will be Paul Little, McMinnville. Both have been active in forensics while at Linfield.

Our young people expect to return to Central Point Sunday.

Lions Club Notes

The Lions and Lady Lions met at their hall Tuesday, February 19th which was a joint meeting.

The Lady Lions voted to hold one pot luck a month for the men.

There was a very short program by our local barber, Steve Benson. Jim Glenn gave a report on the March of Dimes drive which collected over a thousand dollars.

The next Lions club meeting will be held at the Mill cafe February 26—6:45 P.M. Lets see a good turn out you Lions.

4-H Sewing Club Notes

We had our 4-H club meeting Feb. 8. Our club meeting was called to order by Gwen Davis.

Betty Shipley and Joann Davis led yells. They also led songs and pledge.

The business meeting started 13 after 4 and closed 10 till 5.

We elected a program chairman, Wanda Davis. We planned on a party Friday night 7:00 o'clock. After the business meeting Mrs. Mallon served refreshments and we played a game.

We will finish our pin-cushion today.

Betty Shipley, Reporter.

NOTICE

The Jobs Daughters Mothers club will meet next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 24 at 1:30. The meeting place has been changed from the Vic Noel home in Central Point to the home of Mrs. Ray Allred at 463 Gebarr Avenue near Howard school. All mothers of Jobs are invited to attend.