

Services Monday for Susanne Carter

Services were held at the Litwiller Funeral Chapel Monday at 3 P. M. for Mrs. Susanne Homes-Carter, a leader in Ashland's social and educational circles. The Christian Science service was used.

Deceased was born May 18, 1876 at Waverly, Ill., spending her early life there. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Homes, Sr., came to Ashland in 1889. Her education began in Waverly, and was continued in the local schools, graduating from the Ashland schools in 1893. She graduated from SOCE in 1896 when the college was known as the Southern Normal. She later attended the University of California at Berkeley.

Upon her return to Ashland, she began her work as a teacher. She was for a time instructor in the Ashland high school, then went to Alaska to teach. Returning here she was elected to the office of county school superintendent, a position she held for 12 years.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother, Charles I. Homes and two sisters, Miss Myra Homes and Mrs. Mary Tucker. She is survived by a brother, F. C. Homes; three nephews and three nieces, the children of Charles Homes; Frank Homes of Yakima, Wn.; Clarence Homes of Ashland; Henry Homes Merrill, Oregon; Mrs. Bessie McKenzie, Medford and Miss Louise Homes of Ashland.

Resident of Wagner Creek Area Dies Fri.

Mrs. Luck Olive Wadsworth, living on Rt. 2, Wagner Creek district, died at her home Friday, September 29, at 6 o'clock in the morning, after an illness of a year.

Funeral services were held at the Litwiller Chapel, Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Mountain View cemetery.

Mrs. Wadsworth was born on September 7, 1856, at Keating, Pennsylvania, and was just past her 88th year at the time of her death.

She has lived in this community for 14 years and in Oregon for the past 30 years.

She is survived by one son L. E. Wadsworth of Ashland and a daughter Mrs. Willa Darnard.

The Rev. W. R. Wise pastor of the First Nazarene church was in charge of the service.

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WILL ATTEND PORTLAND MEETING NEXT WEEK

Mrs. Howard Rees and Mrs. John Barker will leave for Portland Monday evening on the train to represent Ashland at the annual meeting of the Congregational Women of Oregon. The meeting will be held at the First Congregational church of Portland. Main speaker for the meeting will be Mrs. E. E. McClintick, national Secretary for Women's work, coming there from Chicago for the meeting. Several other prominent leaders in Congregational Women's Work will also be in attendance and will talk also. During the business session the election of a president for the Oregon Division will be held, which will be followed by installation ceremonies. Mrs. Rees and Mrs. Barker plan to return Thursday morning following the meeting.

Local School First in Red Cross Drive

Miss Edith Bork, principal of the Lincoln School, Ashland, reports that the Lincoln school has enrolled 100 per cent in the Junior Red Cross, the first in the county to do so. A \$25.00 service fund was also established to be used to buy materials for articles they plan to make this year for servicemen overseas.

Former Ashland Lady Dies at Grants Pass

Mrs. Laverne Wilson, a one time resident of Ashland, died recently at Grants Pass, friends here were notified. Graveside services were held at the family plot in Ashland Tuesday, her husband, a son and a daughter and her mother survive.

USO Contributions

Mrs. Jewell Lockhart, director of local USO, announces the following contributions for this month:

Cookies: Micki Espy, Margaret McLean, Junior Civic Club; Mrs. Paul Finnell, Mrs. Roger Rath, Mrs. R. Flaharty, Mrs. G. J. Lindsay, Red Cross Sewing Group; Mrs. Gertrude Wilmeth. Prunes, Mrs. Gladys Dooms and Mrs. Gertrude Wilmeth. Candy, Phyllis Caton. Magazines, Mrs. A. E. Messer. Flowers, Mrs. Gertrude Wilmeth and Miss Estella Hays.

The fire department was called out this week to extinguish a blaze at the city library. It was a backfire under the oil burner which damaged the motor and raised considerable smoke.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reedy returned Sunday to Ashland, from a trip to Los Angeles. They were called there about a month ago when their daughter was seriously injured near Los Angeles in an automobile accident. The daughter sustained several broken bones and several cuts in the accident. A carload of Mexicans hit the daughters car, completely demolishing it.

Miss Betty Adams, a cadet nurse at Eugene, has returned here on indefinite leave. She was severely burned with acid in the laboratory and was hospitalized for about a month before returning home. She expects to return to her training as a navy nurse as soon as she can. At present she is employed at Weitzal's store.

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Jess Le Gish of Rt. 2 Medford, was arrested by Ashland police Monday evening, on Winburn Way on a charge of violation of a basic driving regulation. In city court of Judge C. O. Presnall Tuesday he was fined \$15 and costs of \$2.50 which were paid.

Pvt. L. B. Pingle SCU 1913, Camp White surrendered voluntarily to local police Sunday, because of Absent Without Official Leave from Camp White the past month. He was turned over to the MPs from Camp White for punishment. Also turned over to Camp White authorities was T-4 Gordon N. Conley SCU 1913 of Camp White, who was arrested on a charge of being drunk.

Ashland Study Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. G. G. Eubank. Dessert luncheon was served. The book review for the meeting was given by Mrs. Louise Prozzi. Subject was "The Columnist" by Fisher. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Frost on Vista Street on Monday, October 16.

Mrs. W. D. Jackson and Mrs. Mark True were business callers

in Medford Wednesday, returning later in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Coffman, Talent City officials were in Ashland on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Leslie came to Ashland last week from Duin-smuir to spend a month or so here. Mr. Leslie is an employee of the Southern Pacific and about five years ago was transferred to Duin-smuir. They had formerly made their home here for a number of years. The transfer here is expected to be short and they likely will return to Duin-smuir soon. They have a wide circle of friends in Ashland.

A Traveling Examiner of Operators and Chauffeurs is scheduled to arrive in Ashland, Monday Oct. 9, 1944, and will be on duty at the City Hall between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., according to a recent announcement released from the Secretary of State's office.

All those wishing permits or licenses to drive cars are asked to get in touch with the examiner during these hours.

The Intermediate Methodist Youth Fellowship group had a fellowship covered-dish-dinner party at the church parlors on Monday evening, Mrs. G. W. Bruce and Mrs. Harold Monroe were the sponsors. Bill Bissell was in charge of the games. Joanne Briscoe and Jeanette Keeney decorated the tables and the rooms. Eldon Druham and Joanne Briscoe each baked a cake for the occasion. The evening was spent in playing games and singing songs. The party closed by quietly and in a very devotional mood singing "In the Garden."

Hamburger Party at Local USO was Fpn

A special convoy of men from a new group G.P.T.U. of Camp White were guests of Ashland Junior Hostesses at the local USO Saturday night.

Some preliminary work was done before the men came but most of it was done after the men arrived and they were willing to help do everything. They shaped the hamburgers to fry and then helped fry them. After the feed they offered to help do up the dishes and sweep up the crumbs. The ones helping this time were Marine PFC. Lowell Prior, Cpl. Irving Kreitzberg and Cpl. Irving Sharkansky. Hostesses helping were Carolyn Rose, Marilyn Young, Phyllis Caton, Kathleen Silver and Mable Wauchope.

Ladies of the Red Cross Sewing Group furnishing the home made cookies for this party were Mrs. Paul Finnell, Mrs. Roger Rath, Mrs. G. J. Lindsey, Mrs. R. Flaharty and Mrs. Gertrude Wilmeth.

Coffee Stays Off The Ration List

Coffee definitely is not going to be rationed. War Mobilization Director Byrnes said the Brazilian government has assured the state department that shipments of coffee will be resumed immediately.

The need for renewed coffee rationing was first seen when Brazilian exporters started with holding coffee shipments from the United States market in the hope of winning a price increase. But the OPA refused to raise the ceiling price. The Brazilian government now promises that one-million bags of coffee will be sent to the United States for civilian consumption every month.

Paper Bundles

The Jackson county salvage committee is using a oneman hay baling rig to bundle up the residue of its recent waste paper salvage drive that netted 75,000 pounds. The residue, consisting of unwrapped periodicals, pasteboard, and general odds and ends is estimated at 50,000 pounds. The baler does them up in hay-bale size bundles, tied with baling wire. They will later be shipped to a salvage center.

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The mineral production in Oregon last year comes up to the high figure of \$12,310,000, said the Federal Bureau of Mines.

Oregon was near the top for all states in the production of mercury, antimony ore, Chromite and diatomite.

S.P. Names New Police Chief Recently

The largest private police force in Western America acquired a new head on October 1 when Andrew J. McKenna took office as chief special agent for the Southern Pacific. He was appointed by J. W. Corbett, general manager of the railroad, to succeed the veteran Daniel O'Connell who retired September 30 after 43 years service.

Chief O'Connell had one of the most colorful police careers in the West. He helped make the profession of train robbery so hazardous for the criminal that no Southern Pacific train has been robbed since 1933. In protecting the safety of distinguished travelers he had ridden trains with every president of the United States since Theodore Roosevelt, as well as with several kings and queens.

New Shoe Stamp To Be Valid November 1

The office of price administration announced that a new shoe ration stamp will become valid beginning November 1st. The exact stamp to be used has not yet been revealed.

Junior Hi Notes

By VIRGINIA LUTZ

We are champions again of the paper drive held last week. We have won the other paper drives and were determined to win this one. The paper collected by us amounted to 26,000 pounds.

Friday in assembly those nominated Wednesday and Thursday for student body officers were introduced and we had tryouts for Yell and Song leaders. Voting was held Tuesday morning in the home rooms. Harry Kannasto was elected President, Venita Roberson 1st Vice-President, Donald Damon 2nd Vice-President and Secretary Virginia Lutz. The Yell leaders are Camille Frulan and Venita Roberson. Song leaders Isabelle Williams and Mickey McKeever.

Girls Athletic Association letters earned last year were presented to the girls by Charlotte Crossen in assembly Friday.

Those receiving them were Joan Van Dewalker, Shirley Weitzel, Marilyn Miller, Isabelle Williams, Juanita Schultz, Mary Alice Young, Ione Hile, Marietta Hanscom, Darlene Hale, Marjorie Messenger and Charlotte Crossen. Mrs. Lorten, the new leader, was introduced.

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