

News Notes of Comings and Goings in Ione and Vicinity

By MRS. OMAR RIETMANN

Richard Waddell returned last week from Nyssa, Ore. and after two days visit here he left by train for Los Angeles where he will continue his studies at a Bible school.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bergevin received word Sunday from their daughter Lt Betty Bergevin of the army nurse corps that she had arrived safely in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Inskeep and sons Warren and Gene Jr. were Ione visitors Saturday. Mr. Inskeep who was superintendent of Ione school in 1942-43, is now employed by the government as coordinator for Mexican nationals in the States to relieve war time labor shortage. He is at present located at Yakima Wash.

The January meeting of the Ione P. T. A. will be held at 8 p. m. on Wednesday, Jan. 24. The subject of the meeting will be World Relationships and Citizenship. A display of family heirlooms, handicraft, etc. will be a feature of the evening. Everyone is invited to bring articles of interest to this meeting which will be held at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Beacher Emert are visiting in Seattle.

Maranatha society will meet at the home of Mrs. Leroy Turner Saturday, Jan. 13.

Amica club will meet at the Donald Heliker home with Mrs. Darrell Padberg as hostess Jan. 17.

The H. E. club will meet at the grange hall Friday, Jan. 19.

Mrs. Joy Biddle of Hermiston has been visiting her parents Mr and Mrs. Vernon Brown the past week.

Mrs. Barbara Dunn of Stockton Calif. and her mother Mrs. Jack Wagner of The Dalles were Ione visitors last week with Sgt. Robert Wagner who was on furlough.

S. C. Salter returned to Portland the first of the week for further medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Forsythe returned to Ione this week to continue managing the Standard Service station. P. E. Ryan of The Dalles who took over the station decided to not remain here.

Henry Peterson left last Wednesday for Salem to be on hand at the opening of the biennial session of the state legislature.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lindsay, Mrs. Diantha Akers and Mrs. Roy Pettyjohn departed Wednesday for Portland. Mrs. Pettyjohn went on to Salem where she will serve as Representative Henry Peterson's secretary.

Bud Dodge A. R. M. 1c spent a few days leave in Ione last week visiting his father E. M. Dodge and uncle S. C. Salter. Bud attended high school as a freshman in 1938. He was on his way from Rhode Island to his new station in San Francisco.

Miss Eva Swanson was honor guest at a farewell party after the

Rebekah meeting Thursday evening. She left Friday to report for service in the Waves. Her mother Mrs. Mary Swanson and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lindstrom accompanied her to Salem, where she will leave for Washington, D. C. The Lindstrom twins will stay at the Harvey Ring home during their parents' absence.

The Ione Topic club will meet at the home of Mrs. Omar Rietmann Friday, Jan. 12 for study meeting. The Outline of Russian Literature by Maurice Baring will be reviewed. Hostesses are Mrs. Rietmann, Mrs. Cleo Drake and Mrs. B. C. Forsythe.

Visitors at the Laxton McMurray home were Mrs. R. M. Weikel, niece of Mr. McMurray and Mrs. Lucille Oakes who are nurses at the Clark county, Wash. isolation hospital. They arrived Wednesday and returned to Washington Saturday.

Delores, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Drake, suffered a cut lip and bruised cheek when she tripped and fell on a stairway at the school house Thursday. She was rushed to Heppner where Dr. McMurdo took several stitches to close the gash in her lip.

Sgt James Trueblood arrived Friday to spend his furlough with his wife formerly Elenore Everson. Sgt Trueblood has spent about three years in Alaska.

The Cooperative church held its annual meeting Sunday at the Congregational church after a sumptuous pot luck dinner.

Mrs. Dale Ray left Sunday for The Dalles where she will undergo medical treatment.

BROWNIES TO ADVANCE TO GIRL SCOUTS STATUS SOON

The Brownies met Saturday in the basement of the Methodist church. The leaders are urging the girls to order their Girl Scout hand books at once so they may study for the Tenderfoot test in March, when the troop will be one year old. All of the 10-year-olds or over passing the Tenderfoot test may then wear the regular Girl Scout uniform of green, and start working for proficiency badges. The nine-year-olds of the troop will also do regular Girl Scout work.

As the first Saturday of each month is the meeting date of the juvenile club of the Degree of Honor, the Brownies will meet the second, third and fourth Saturdays and the fifth Saturday when there is one.

During December the Brownies collected five pounds of beads and over four pounds of colored yarn for McCaw hospital. They also collected 20 mystery books for Pasco air base.

VISITED MOTHER

Emery Gentry spent Friday night here with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Gentry, coming this way from Portland enroute to his home at Weston.

The Morrow County Way

By Mrs. Ralph I. Thompson

It was again demonstrated that the people in our county do the right thing at the right time. Because the people in our county cause you give so generously of your money when you are asked to help the committee for the Council, it was possible for your committee to help with a very urgent need at McCaw.

At this time a stream of boys are coming from the western front to McCaw. The first thing they want is a phone call home. Many of them have moved around so fast in battle and after being wounded their pay has not caught up with them. Those G. I.'s with families could not call collect for several reasons.

Your committee was happy to answer this call for help with a check for \$50 for this purpose. We feel sure if more money is needed for this project and it will be as this stream of wounded will continue to pour into McCaw, you will want us to use more of our funds for this particular cause.

Even though Morrow county is the smallest of the ten in the council group it is the only one able to meet emergencies and fill requests as they come in from field directors. This is made possible by your hearty cooperation and generous response each summer when we conduct the drive for funds for camp and hospital work. It is a source of great satisfaction.

LEXINGTON NEWS

By MRS. MARY EDWARDS

Mrs. George N. Peck arrived at her home here Tuesday after an extended visit with relatives in the valley.

Chas. Breshears and Mrs. Helen Crump motored to Pendleton Sunday where they visited Mrs. Breshears who is a patient at St. Anthony's hospital. They report her very much improved and able to return home the last of the week.

Mrs. A. F. Majeske and daughter Audrey were Pendleton visitors Monday.

Mrs. Colleen Wallace and son have arrived home from California. She has been living near Camp Roberts to be near her husband.

Claude Way surprised his folks by arriving home Thursday morning from his station at the naval base at Norfolk Va. Claude is assigned to an LST boat and is out at sea most of the time.

Holly Rebekah lodge No. 139 installed new officers last Thursday night. Thelma Smethurst was installed as Noble Grand, Iva Way as Vice Grand, Annie Keene, secretary and Faye Ruhl treasurer. Annie Keene was the installing officer.

Navy Lt. and Mrs. Ladd Sherman left Thursday morning for Portland. Lt. Sherman will report at the naval center at San Francisco for further assignment.

Ms. Roy Campbell has returned from a visit with her son Ph. M. Don Campbell at San Bruno Calif.



These are busy times—especially so for the one who has to plan and prepare the meals for the family, for she too is doing her share of war work.

It will be a boost to her's and the family's morale to eat out occasionally—to enjoy one of our STEAK DINNERS, or an oyster supper, or any one of the wide variety of excellent meals to be found on our bill of fare. Come any time . . . we're always prepared.

Elkhorn Restaurant



A new emergency bridge—built of American lumber—clears the way for American victory. It's an old story for U. S. Army Engineers, who well realize the importance of wood.

Western Winner In National Contest



Highest ranking entry from the West in the 1944 National Duroc Ton Litter Contest was this litter of 9 pigs raised by Jack Corning, Richland, Oregon. The litter weighed a total of 2,349 pounds at 180 days of age—an average of 261 pounds per pig. Total receipts on the litter were \$416. At the Richland 4-H Club Show a pen of four barrows and a single barrow from this litter were grand champions over all breeds.

The litter was raised under a strict sanitation system on blue grass and clover pasture. The ration was comprised of barley, oats, mill feed, skimmilk and tankage. The litter was sired by Bar Y Commission and out of a dam by the nationally famous \$2,000 sire, Proud Cherry King.

NO NATION, it has been said, has remained great without forests. Forest industries are determined to do their part to maintain this resource for the future welfare of America.

When bells ring for victory, they will be a summons to the forest industries to return to the ways of peace.

They will be ready, for they are producing materials for war by the same methods they use to produce materials for peace.

Nearly one-third of the United States consists of forest lands. Modern methods of forestry are being applied more and more to make these lands perpetually productive.

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