

Lex VFW Post Installs Officers

By Deipha Jones
The ladies auxiliary of the V. F. W. Edwards-Way Post No. 6098 met at their hall for a special meeting on April 25 for the purpose of installing officers. Those installed were June Cooper, president; Margaret Nichols, senior vice; Kay Winkleman, Jr. vice; Mildred Davidson, treasurer; Gladys Van Winkle, guard; Cora Allyn, conductress; Catie Padberg, chaplain; Frieda Majeske, historian; Gladys Van Winkle, musician; Alice Majeske, Juanita Martin, Edith Munkers, and Barbara Cutsforth, flag bearers. The installing officer was La-

Velle Hoeft, District President of Pendleton. Out of town visitors were Lois Stapleton, Norma Southern, and Nadyne Mize of Pendleton, Louise Osborne, Ver-nona Mathews and Shirley Mich-eal of Pilot Rock. At this meet-ing Margaret Nichols was elec-ted to district encampment as a delegate with Mildred Davidson as alternate. Refreshments were served by Catie Padberg.

Mrs. George Steagall entertained with a surprise party honoring Mrs. George Allyn on her birthday Monday afternoon. Those present for the occasion were Zelma McDaniels, and Evelyn Hicks of Heppner, Mrs. Hiram Green and sister, Mrs. Lola Breed-ing, Joan Smith, Dorothy Ed-wards, June Cooper and the honoree Mrs. Allyn and hostess Mrs. Steagall. Lovely refresh-ments were served.

Bob Steagall has returned to his home from Pioneer Memorial hospital where he has been for several months as a patient.

Mrs. Hattie Crabtree of Salem is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Munkers.

Mrs. Eugene Sawyer and children were Lexington visitors on Monday from Boardman.

Mrs. Bertha Hunt and daughter Shirley McCarl motored to The Dalles on Saturday to visit Mrs. Hunt's sister and brother. Her brother George Tucker of Spo-kane returned home with her for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Munkers and children were visitors at the Roger Anderson home in Pilot Rock on Sunday. The men en-joyed some fine fishing.

Mrs. Helen Leyva and Mrs. Barbara Cutsforth were Pendleton visitors on Tuesday.

O. W. Cutsforth has returned home after several days stay in the Tualatin Valley hospital.

Miss Dona Barnett and Mrs. Trina Parker were Pendleton visitors one day last week.

Don Campbell of Eugene visi-ted his parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell last weekend. Don was the visiting N. C. C. speaker at the Christian church in Hermis-ton on Sunday.

Vern Nolan and Raymond Schoonover accompanied by M. V. Nolan, motored to Klamath Falls over the weekend where the boys visited O. T. I.

Maureen Groves accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Don Heliker and daughter Sharon Cutsforth to Monmouth where they visited Oregon College of Education, and to Corvallis where they visited Oregon State college over the weekend.

The Amicitia club met at the home of Mrs. Roy Martin on Tuesday of last week. Guest for the evening was Lucile Mathews. Prizes were won by Lucile Mathews, Helen Leyva, and Mildred Davidson.

Guests at the Max Barclay home the last week has been Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Boule and son Bobby, brother of Mrs. Bar-clay from Bremerton, Washing-ton, and Mrs. Barclay's parents Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Boule of Walla Walla.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Cahill of Seattle were also last week visi-tors at the Max Barclay home.

The Lexington Altar Society met at the home of Mrs. Don Pointer for their regular meeting. Mrs. Don Hatfield served as co-hostess. Those present were Vesta Kilkenny, Berniece Lott, Marie Steagall, Tess Hatfield, Jerry Doherty, Melba Miller, Mary Ann Barclay, Frances Schrage, Emma Breshears, Mildred David-son, Mary Doherty, and Rosella Lindsay and the hostess Mrs. Pointer.

The P-TA is having a dance for its members and friends at the school gym on Saturday May 4. The public is invited and contri-butions will be accepted at the door with the proceeds to be used for P-TA expenses including the school picnic. The dance will start at 9 p. m. with music by Quackenbush's Orchestra. Re-freshments will be served at 11 p. m.

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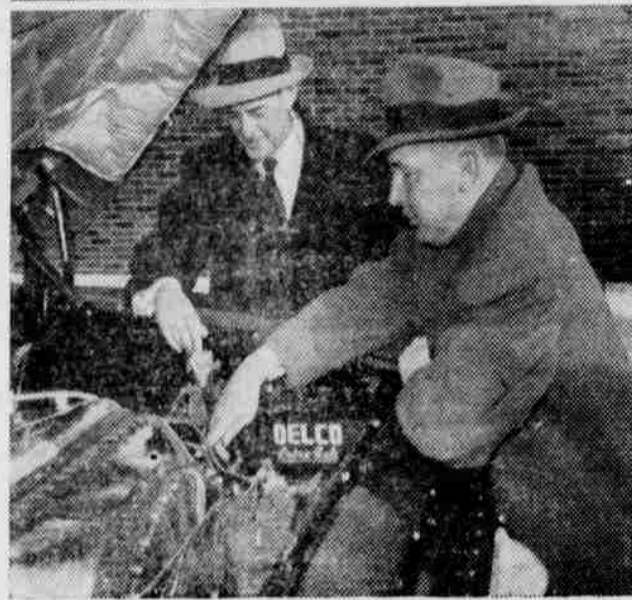
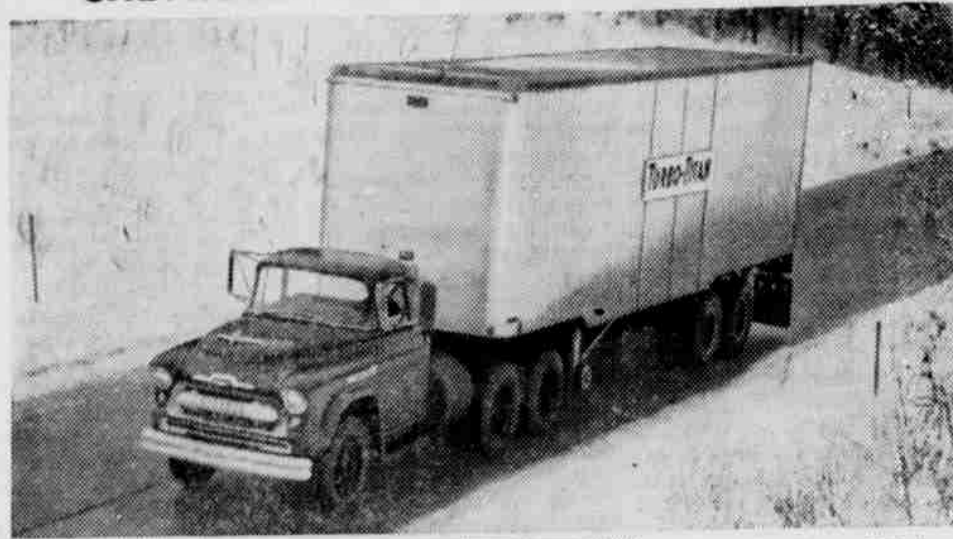
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Chevrolet Motor Division has unveiled an experimental gas turbine truck which it has been road testing for six months. Developed cooperatively with the General Motors Research Staff, the Turbo-Titan contains an experimental 200-horsepower engine, examined here by Chevrolet's Chief Engineer H. F. Barr, left, and W. A. Turenen, head of GM's gas turbine re-search. "Among gas turbine advantages over piston truck engines," Barr said, "are bet-ter hill-climbing abilities, less maintenance, wide fuel choice, and easier cold-weather start-ing." Chevrolet has no imme-diate production plans.

Liquor Outlets Up Slightly in County

Morrow county now has 20 premises licensed to sell alcoholic beverages at retail, as compared with 18 in effect April of last year, the Oregon liquor control commission reports.

This is typical of general license stability throughout the state, all retail premises now numbering 4704, which is 12 fewer than those operating at the same time last year. Of these outlets, 2312 allow sale of bever-ages for consumption on the premises.

Licensing operations, are based on public need in a community, which does not vary sharply un-less there are sudden surges in population usually due to new industry, according to OLCC chairman Hugh Kirkpatrick.

Changes in consumption habits also are mirrored in types of licenses in effect, Kirkpatrick noted. There are 68 fewer Pack-age store class "A" licenses, which allow sale of packaged malt beverages; however, number of Package store class "B" licenses which have the additional priv-ilege of selling bottled wine, have increased by 53, reflecting the gain in popularity of table wines. Beer still remains the most popular type of beverage, with 24 million gallons being con-sumed annually, distilled spirits consumption is about two mil-lion gallons annually, and con-sumption of table wines slightly over one million gallons.

Most of the licenses issued are for package sales of malt bever-ages and wine to be consumed at home, this being considered the most temperate method of con-sumption. Package licenses now total 2756.

Objection Made to Monument Election

By Martha Matteson
(Too late for last week)

A delegation of 11 persons drove to Canyon City Wednesday morning to file a protest against the way the election was handled last Saturday evening on build-ing the new gymnasium. The other gym burned down recently. The Rev. Paul Kimmel has re-signed as minister of the Mon-ument Community church. He will move to the valley some time in June.

Mrs. Jessie Scott and son Robert were Easter dinner guests with her folks.

Easter company at the Victor Dubosh home were Mr. and Mrs. Norman DuBosh of La Grande, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roach, Kim-berly, Helen Brown, Georgette Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morgan and sons.

Weekend guests at the Jim Crocker home were his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Crocker of Salem, his sister Frances Crocker of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Williams and two sons drove to Boise, Ida-ho where they met Mrs. Williams folks and had an Easter picnic dinner.

A crowd gathered on the hill for Easter sunrise services, then returned to the grange hall where they had a ham and egg break-fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rounds left Sunday for Portland for three or four days. Their two sons stayed with their grandparents, the Ed Rounds.

Around 40 turned out Friday for the bridal shower for Miss Judy Johnson. Mrs. Lydia Capon and the home ec girls were the hos-tessees.

Joe Foss passed away Thurs-day night at John Day and ser-vices were held in Monument on April 21. He was the father of Linnie Gilman, Bill and Chester Foss.

The ladies of the town turned out Thursday afternoon in full force and gave the Community

church its Easter clenup.

Chrystle Enright was rushed to the Pendleton hospital Thursday due to a light stroke. She is re-ported doing fair and hopes to be back home before long.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McWillis drove to John Day Friday on busi-ness.

Fred McWillis has been doing some remodeling at the Lyle Van Dusen ranch.

The American Legion and Aux-iliary held their regular meeting Thursday at the grange hall. After their meetings there were films shown about wildlife on water, sports on water and Oklahoma. After the films the women ser-ved cookies and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Crombie and son David and Robert Ger-son drove to Portland for the Easter weekend.

Mrs. Frieda Wheeler and daughter Mrs. Aaron Ingles and baby son drove to Dayville on Thursday taking Mrs. Della Wheel-er to catch the bus on her way back home to Buffalo, Mo., after visiting her son Joe and family for 10 days.

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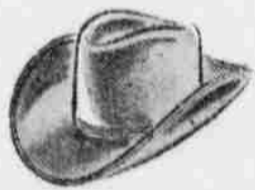
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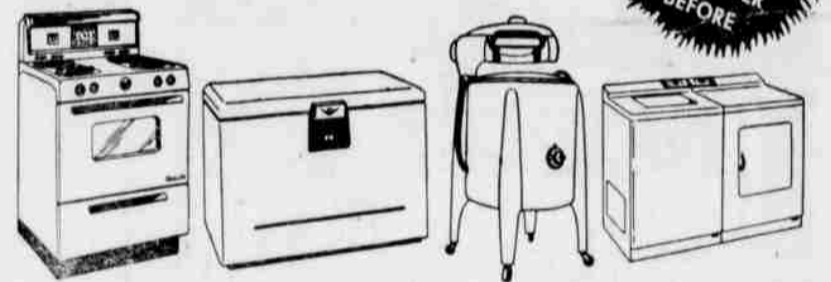
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