

Boardman to Note 'Letter' Week

By MARY LEE MARLOW
The 22nd annual Letter Writing Week will be celebrated in Boardman during the week of Oct 4-10, it was announced today by postmaster Flossie Coats.

"I am sure we are all aware that a personal letter is, next to an actual visit, the most intimate and economical means each of us has to communicate with our fellow human beings. Accordingly, I urge everyone to write today to those away."

Posters, depicting a mailman in a new postal vehicle called the mailster, will be displayed in post offices throughout the country. Colorful streamers proclaiming that "Letters are fun to send and exciting to receive", will be displayed on postal vehicles.

Postmaster Coats stated that the special week should serve as a reminder to write long-overdue letters to servicemen, hospitalized patients, foreign acquaintances, faraway friends and relatives, and others who will welcome a personal letter.

Mrs Coats has also announced that the post office department will issue two new stamps, a 4-cent and an 8-cent Ernest Reuter stamps, the fifth in the "Champions of Liberty" series, through the Washington, D C post office here Sept 30.

The 4-cent denomination will be printed on the Cottrell press in a single color, bronze-green, and the 8-cent stamp will be printed on the Glori press in red, blue and ochre.

The Home Economics club of Greenfield Grange was hostess for a shower Thursday night at the grange hall in honor of Mrs Norman Ziemer and her three weeks old daughter, Becky Lou. On the committee were Mrs

Nathan Thorpe, Mrs Earl Briggs, Mrs Cecil Hamilton and Mrs Russell Miller. Present were Mrs Myron Watts, Mrs Algy Taylor, Mrs Chares McKenzie, Mrs Claud Worden, Faye Anderson, Mrs W G Seehafer, Mrs Everett Daniels, Mrs Nate Macomber, Mrs Rollin Bishop, Mrs Louise Earwood, Mrs Merrill Shaw, Mrs Ronald Black, Mrs Ray Gronquist and Mrs Frank Marlow.

Those unable to attend sending gifts were Mrs Bob Stewart, Mrs Mabel Peck, Ernabel Peck, Mrs Mike Cassidy, Mrs Claud Coats, Mrs Don Downey, Mrs Dewey West, Mrs Raymond McKee, Mrs Walter Hayes, Mrs Bill Baker, Mrs Seth Russell, Mrs Harold Baker, Mrs Richard Waymire, Mrs Ronald Haas, Mrs Elvin Ely, Mrs John Partlow, Mrs Adaline Baker, Mrs Delmer Hug, Mrs Delbert Ball, Mrs Glen Carpenter and Mr and Mrs Bob Reed.

Mr and Mrs Rollin Bishop visited in Portland several days last week at the home of Mr and Mrs Ed Piercey.

Mrs Vern Carpenter and sons Russell and Tommy de LaGrande visited at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Russell Miller, one day last week. She was accompanied by her mother-in-law, Mrs Tom Carpenter, of La Grande.

Mr and Mrs Earl Briggs were surprised on the occasion of their eleventh wedding anniversary last Friday evening when a group of friends called. Present were Mr and Mrs Myron Watts, Mr and Mrs Guy Ferguson and Mr and Mrs Claud Worden.

Mrs Flossie Coats, postmaster, accompanied by Mrs Zearl Gillespie, went to Klamath Falls Friday to attend the postmasters meeting of the third district, held there Saturday evening. Saturday afternoon Mrs Coats attended an executive meeting of the Oregon chapter of the National League of Postmasters at the Millard Hotel. Mrs Coats is 4th vice president of the state. On their return trip they visited at the home of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Truman Messenger, Sr, at Mitchell.

Mr and Mrs Frank Hammel and children Barbara, Elene and Billie of The Dalles, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs Hammel's father and stepmother, Mr and Mrs Elmer Messenger.

Mrs Joe Tatone was hostess for the Tillicum Club Tuesday night of last week at her home. Guests were Mrs Sigvald Aase of Echo, Mrs George Wiese and Mrs Raymond McKee.

The club will present a film, "The Celanese House," Oct 13, at 8 p m. This will be open to the public, and where it will be shown will be announced later. A film, "Twenty-four hours in Tyrant Land", will be shown Nov 10. There will be more about this later also.

A discussion was held about participating in the General Federation of Junior Clubs project for two years, which is the purchase of 500 medical kits to be sent to the Philippines.

Tentative plans were made to have a Halloween party for school children of the lower grades.

Mrs Dewey West announced a blood drawing to be held in Hermiston Sept 29 at the civic recreation center from 1:30 to 5:30 p m. Anyone wishing to

donate blood is to contact Mrs West.

Following the meeting Mrs Tatone took the group to the Saddle Room of the Hotchlin Post Cafe for refreshments and presented a birthday cake in honor of the birthdays of Mrs Ray Gronquist, Mrs George Wiese, Mrs Zoe Billings and Mrs Harold Baker. She then showed pictures of her trip to the General Federation board meeting in Washington, D C and New York last year.

The club will hold a baked food sale Oct 7 from 3-5 p m at Hayes Grocery.

The next business meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Sigvald Aase in Echo Oct 27.

Mr and Mrs Marion Morlan and daughters Cindy, Nancy and Andy of Kennewick, Wash were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Ralph Skoubo.

Mr and Mrs Leonard Bedord and sons Leonard, Jr, Greg and Billie of La Grande visited at the home of Mrs Bedord's parents, Mr and Mrs Guy Ferguson.

The first meeting this fall of the county extension unit was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs G C Deltis for the purpose of selecting hostesses and leaders for the year's projects. Mrs Guy Ferguson and Mrs W G Seehafer were hostesses.

The first project will be "The Study of Hawaii" for the Oct 20 meeting, which will be at the home of Mrs Richard Waymire. Leaders will be Mrs Roy Partlow, Mrs Arnold Hoffman and Mrs Claud Worden. Hostesses for the day will be Mrs Rollin Bishop and Mrs Walter Hayes.

The unit announced that anyone wishing to obtain a copy of the history of Morrow county

should contact Mrs Arthur Allen, chairman of the citizenship committee.

Mrs Charles Anderegg took her daughter Barbara to Eugene last week where she entered the University of Oregon as a freshman. On their way they visited at the home of Mrs Anderegg's son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs James Garvison, in Oregon City. Mrs Anderegg also visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Walter Conroy, Corvallis, and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Bill Garvison in Salem.

Mr and Mrs Harold Kress daughter Pat, and son Ivan were called to Lewiston, Idaho last week by the sudden death of Kress' nephew, Clarence H Powell, 27. The funeral was held in Lewiston Tuesday. He was survived by his wife and daughter, 2 years, of Lewiston, and his parents and several brothers and sisters in North Carolina.

Mr and Mrs Darrell Marlow went to Union Saturday to visit Marlow's brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs Harold Marlow. Mr and Mrs Newell Vaught and daughters Gail and Kelly, Richland, Wash were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs Vaught's parents, Mr and Mrs Elvin Ely.

Mr and Mrs Ronald Haas and daughter Ronda attended the Gilliam county fair at Condon last week. Haas showed the Barnett Hereford stock, and had the grand champion and reserve champion bull, and the grand champion and reserve champion female, and was premium exhibitor. This won him the trophy, which is the third year he has won it, and with this win Leo

Barnett will get to keep the trophy.

Mr and Mrs Don Downey and sons Jerry and Wayne visited at the home of Downey's parents, Mr and Mrs Earl Downey, in Prosser, Wash. Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Nate Macomber went to Arlington Sunday to visit at the home of Macomber's brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs Al Macomber.

Maxine Sicard, daughter of Mr and Mrs George Sicard, a junior at University of Oregon, Eugene, has received another scholarship presented to her by the newly formed Oregon scholarship commission, which gave out 126 scholarships to schools of the state system of higher education.

The awards cover most tuition and fees and are renewable for four years without further application as long as the winner keeps up his grades. Students may transfer among schools of the state system and keep their scholarships.

Charles Nickerson was taken to the Good Shepherd hospital in Hermiston Sunday suffering with pneumonia.

Walt Disney's "Sleeping Beauty", Star Theater, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Sunday at 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30. All children must buy tickets. Admission price is for one show only.



WA-HAN-KA CAMP FIRE GIRLS made plans for a dinner for our mothers to be held Oct 13. Dues are due. Mrs Keeling is helping at present. Erin Dick, reporter

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