

QUILT IS PIECED AT EAGLE POINT CIVIC CLUB MEET

EAGLE POINT, Ore., June 10.—(Special.)—The Civic Improvement club met Thursday afternoon, June 6, in their hall over Brown's store. There were a goodly number of ladies present and the time was spent in piecing quilt blocks. Hostesses for the day were Mrs. Ethel Flory, Mrs. H. E. Campbell and Mrs. S. E. Howlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Daloz and daughter, Miss Elsie, and their guest, Miss Doris Brown, stopped on their way to Santa Barbara, Calif., for a two days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Storer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jackson and family of Medford are now at home at their ranch near the Dugan place. Mr. Jackson has had the house remodeled and has three acres in ladino clover and other crops.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Davies left Sunday morning for a week's visit at Myrtle Point.

Mr. and Mrs. William Perry visited Guy Fruit at the Sacred Heart hospital in Medford Sunday. Mr. Fruit underwent an operation for appendicitis and did not do very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Klamath Falls were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cowden.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clements attended the annual commencement of St. Mary's academy in the Sacred Heart Catholic church at Medford.

George Pankey and Chalmer Enger, formerly of the Rogue River valley and recently of Yakima, Wash., were calling on friends Friday evening in Eagle Point.

Mrs. Blanche Stanley and children left Wednesday morning with her uncle for Silver Lake, where they will spend the summer months.

Miss Cora Randall, who has just returned from a visit at Bend and Portland, and her brother, Will Randall, and family, were at the Sunnyside for dinner and spent the afternoon, from their new home at Griffin Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Holtman and family spent Monday at the May's home.

Toy Bushnell finished logging for James MacDowell last week. There was a dance at Mr. Pierce's Saturday evening, which was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Holtman spent Sunday at Mrs. MacDowell's.

D. C. Hale was out to Medford on business Monday.

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FALLING TRACTOR INJURES CENTRAL POINT RESIDENT

CENTRAL POINT, Ore., June 10.—(Special.)—Ray Millard, who was injured last Friday by a tractor falling on him, has 17 fractures of one leg below the knee and two fractures of the other leg, and is in quite a serious condition. He is at a hospital in Medford.

Mrs. Carrie Miller and daughter, Marlin, and Mrs. Gilstrap and Austin Keiser of Salem, who were returning from Fort Jones, Calif., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller.

J. B. Palmer was in Central Point Thursday looking after his property before leaving for Ocean Park.

Mervin Gleason and his sister, Mrs. Ethel Houshield, and her little son, Robbie Glenn, left Thursday morning for Oakland, Calif. Mervin will enter the mines at San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Collins and Mrs. Jones and son of Eureka, Calif., who visited at the Dick Hay home, returned home by way of Crescent City.

Mrs. Nell Claster is visiting friends in Ashland.

Miss Gladys Holmes, accompanied by her little niece, spent Decoration day in Portland.

Little Nadine Abbott spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Kinnis in Swya Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bullock of Myrtle Creek were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McJannetty Thursday. They were on their way to visit their daughter at San Diego, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Menefee of Los Angeles are visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. D. Tucker, and may locate in the valley.

Orth Miller spent last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Tom Hains, of Trail.

Miss Bertha Myers of Gold Hill was visiting her sister, Mrs. John Welch, Thursday.

Mrs. Ella Seib is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nick Young, of Eagle Point.

Truman Scott has returned from California, where he spent the winter.

Otto Frazier and family are staying at the home of Tom Belcher.

Central Point W. R. C. Entertain President and Dept. Treasurer

CENTRAL POINT, Ore., June 10.—(Special.)—The W. R. C. had the pleasure of entertaining the department president, Mrs. Anna Steinhausen, and the department treasurer, Mrs. Louise Reed, also Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Wilson from Medford, at their regular meeting June 5.

Mrs. Mary Grim left Saturday for Corvallis, where she will spend several months with her daughter, Ladi Friday Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farra were pleasantly surprised by a visit from their nephew, Robert A. Bean, and his daughter, Georgia, of Portland.

Newton Eddy, who has been working at the Owen-Oregon camp No. 1 at Butte Falls, was quite seriously hurt in an accident Wednesday.

GOLD BULLETS

by Charles G. Booth

Synopsis: Marked cards! Everything lost in the mad poker game with Joe Lundy. Peterson desperately realizes in a few hours his brother will be hanged. Fitch, a desert rat, reveals to him the cards used in the disastrous game were marked—very cleverly. The markings could not be seen by the naked eye—but the lenses in Lundy's spectacles are magnifying glasses, part of his cunning plot. Peterson returns to Lundy's office and accuses him of cheating. They both fire, but Lundy's bullet strikes Peterson's golden snag, misses Lundy in the head.

CHAPTER 19 "Bull" and "Nap" "Dad was pretty badly shaken," Jerry continued, "but he couldn't pretend to retract his didn't feel Lundy was a rascal and he'd brought it on himself. Dad said over to the door, expecting this would be the end."

"When he opened the door he found the risk he had expected hadn't begun. It didn't take long to realize that the shooting upstairs had been identified with that downstairs and that it was supposed to be part of the general justification."

"But just then he saw Fitch break away from a group of men near the front door, and come slowly down the hall to the stairs. Dad quickly shut the door. Fitch's casual walk didn't indicate he suspected something was wrong."

"Dad had intended to submit the cards and Lundy's other pair of glasses to the miners, but with Lundy dead and the miners full of his cheap whiskey, he doubted if this were wise. They'd be more than likely to lynch him and Uncle Jerry, and inquire into the merits of the case afterwards. He thought of the north window. No, he must do better than that."

"He slid over to the door and opened it an inch or so. Fitch was hithering on the stairs, shutting the door, he hurried into that store room. Professor Dryden Pope's wax figures stood in two rooms near the door. Dad grabbed Napoleon Bonaparte and, after pulling the table out of the immediate range of the light above, he flung it down sideways on the chair Lundy had occupied. Dad rolled Lundy into the shadows behind the table, stripped him of his gray shirt, and drew it over Napoleon's head and shoulders. Then he crowned Napoleon with Lundy's hat, set Lundy's glasses on his nose, and lowered the light."

"Someone knocked on the door. Dad dropped into the chair, faced Napoleon, and casually lit a cigarette. He let his hand slide round his egg belt, at the same time blowing a cloud of cigarette smoke between himself and Napoleon."

"The door opened. Dad glanced over his shoulder. Fitch was looking in. Nodding casually to him, dad exhaled more smoke into Napoleon's face. Sweet trickled down his cheeks; his heart seemed to be clanking into his windpipe."

"I want to talk with you about that evidence, Lundy," he said calmly. "Fitch drew back and shut the door. Dad crept over to the door and peered out again. Fitch was leaning over the gallery rail. Downstairs the lullaboo was worse than ever."

Dad bent over Lundy and went through his pockets, but he found neither the minute transfer nor the check, although he recovered the original stake he had lost to Lundy on the final hand. The check and the transfer weren't in the safe, Lundy's desk, or the pocket of Napoleon's shirt."

"Dad didn't dare wait any longer. He'd stop payment of the check when he got out of the valley. Lundy's heirs would probably find the transfer and his loss would be the Taxo Brothers. But dad stopped to look at the jewelry and that second impulse took him. Why not make it two of a kind?"

"He thought about it first for, say, two solid minutes. He wouldn't have done it, for he hadn't one chance in ten of putting it over. He glanced through the door again. Fitch still hung over the gallery rail, smoking. Shifting the door, dad peered off his shirt and hustled into the store room. Fitch Bull looked the likeliest candidate and he tore off the stummy's headpiece, drew his silk shirt over his head and shoulders, and set it down on the chair opposite Napoleon. Then he put his own hat on Fitch Bull's head, well over the eyes, placed a chair so that the shadow of his head wouldn't be cast on the wall, gave Napoleon's hat a cocky tilt, and considered the effect. Just then the door-latch clicked."

"Dad dropped behind Napoleon's chair, puffing out cigarette smoke. The door opened an inch or so and

Fitch's face appeared in the crack. Dad had to press his hands to his naked body to quiet the pounding of his heart. The door opened wider. Fitch must be coming in. Dad's hand slid around to his 45. "What gulf was?" he started, in a fair imitation of Lundy's high-pitched voice.

"Fitch stopped. 'Nothin', Joe. I was just takin' a lookover.' "Get out, then!' dad shouted in the same voice."

"Fitch slammed the door shut. Dad stood up, breathing hard. Of course, Fitch had no reason to believe the two figures he saw were not dad's and Lundy's. But I don't think one man in a hundred could have carried it off."

"It wasn't likely that Fitch would look in a pain for a while. Dad examined the marked cards inside a pocket and raised the sand of the north window to the top. Climbing through he dropped to the roof of the house to hang on to the ground below. He listened. Nothing happened, as hadn't been seen, evidently. He remembered, then, that he'd forgotten to bring Lundy's magnifying-glasses. Well, he wasn't going back for them."

"He came to the mine property and called Dillon by name. But Dillon didn't answer. Dad called again. Still he didn't answer. "Dad peered into the shadows of the overhang. Had Dillon laid some sort of a trap for him? he wondered. The quickest way to find out was to move towards the mine door, and this he proceeded to do. There was no sign of Dillon anywhere. "Jerry!" dad shouted. "There was no answer. Jerry!"

Peterson's feet eddied with something soft and heavy—Jerry's body



SOUTHERN OREGON ARCHERY TEAM IS PLAN FOR TALENT

(By Mrs. Marion Fryer) TALENT, Ore., June 10.—(Special.)—At the meeting called Wednesday night to organize the Archery club, 12 members were taken in to membership. Temporary officers were elected and a meeting was called for next Wednesday night to elect permanent officers. Plans are being arranged to organize a team in southern Oregon to compete in the archery tournament with any other district of the state. The headquarters for the tournament will be arranged for in Ashland, and one here in the city park behind the town hall for practice. A very interesting two-target shoot contest as entered into. A good sized crowd was present considering the stormy evening.

Gas Beck, who had been called to Gals, Kan., on account of the death of his father, returned home Wednesday morning.

Theodore, Jones from Whittier, Calif., is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Victor Mason, and family, Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Mason and their guest visited friends in the Valley View district. Mrs. Charley Estes is confined to her bed with an attack of the flu.

Ed Mason is driving a new Daimler coach since returning from Riverside, Calif., where he has spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolly A. Berry of Ashland were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kincaid Wednesday evening.

E. E. Cook is repairing the roof and upper story of the Webster home, which was damaged by fire a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robison, Mrs. Edythe Cochran and daughter, Esther, spent Sunday picnicking and fishing at the Gold Ray dam. Mr. and Mrs. Will Childers joined the party in the afternoon.

George Wholley spent Wednesday in town calling on friends. Mr. Wholley spent on in Medford in the afternoon, where he disposed of the pet of a coyote at the court house.

Dick Virloop has purchased the old packing home along the Southern Pacific right of way. The building will be torn down and used by Mr. Virloop to build a house on the property recently purchased by him on Gibson avenue.

The rain of Wednesday has damaged considerable hay in this section, though if it can be gotten off the ground it will make an immense crop for the second cutting. We are glad to report that Mrs. Edmonson has recovered slightly from the partial paralytic stroke which she suffered about six weeks ago, to be able to walk a few steps with the assistance of someone helping her.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Cora Denton next Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Rev. Audley Brown, accompanied by some of his Boy Scouts attended the scout court of honor Monday evening at the court house in Medford. Emory Jones was advanced to the rank of second class and Bob Bullen was awarded a merit badge for freemanship. Bob was very active in assisting at the fire which took place at the Webster home a couple of weeks ago.

The signal crew which has been installing the automobile block system through Talent has completed its work and moved the train out Thursday morning.

Professor Miller gave the eighth grade examinations Thursday and Friday to those who failed at the May test.

Brother Fellows, Fuch PARIS, June 10.—(A) Father Germain Fuch, Jesuit priest and younger brother of the late Marshal Ferdinand Fuch, died today, less than three months after his soldier brother passed away.

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COMMUNITY CLUB AT TALENT HOST TO OLDER LADIES

(By Mrs. Marion Fryer) TALENT, June 10.—(Special.)—The Community club held its third well party Wednesday afternoon with a very good attendance, considering the inclement weather. The program for the afternoon consisted of four violin solos by Frank Works accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Everett Boone; recitation by Little Miss Bell; reading, "Mother's Day" by Mrs. Charley Long; two vocal solos by Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins; reports of the secretary and treasurer for the year by the secretary and treasurer.

The outstanding and final number on the program was a jig danced by Mrs. Roy Le Vanter, accompanied by Mrs. Boone and Mr. Works.

About 190 sat down to a delicious lunch of ice cream, cake and coffee. This being a special entertainment for the older ladies of the town and vicinity, about 19 ladies who acknowledged being over 70 were made the honored guests.

After the banquet the afternoon was brought to a close by presenting flowers to the honored guests and visitors. Mrs. Louis Brown, Mrs. Ed Berge from Medford and Mrs. Blasco from Ashland were out of town visitors at the club.

Superintendent and Mrs. Ericson of Ashland accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Vogel, spent Sunday afternoon in the Little Applegate district.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Goddard and family returned last week via the Roosevelt highway from Riverside, California, where they had spent the winter working in the fruit.

Mrs. Virgil Winkelman and four children who have been spending the past week at the home of A. Winkelman, returned to their home at Galkridge Wednesday morning.

Cass Taylor of the Willow Creek district was calling on old friends in Talent Wednesday.

Charley Hooper of Ashland was a business caller in Talent Tuesday afternoon.

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ANDERSON CREEK

Frank Marquess and family were down from the Green Springs Mountain Saturday.

James MacDowell and family went to Medford Tuesday on business.

The rain Monday was surely a fine thing for the crops on the creek. It was the hardest rain we have had in years.

Mrs. Denzer, Mrs. Holtman and Mrs. James MacDowell and family spent Monday at the May's home.

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Miss Cynthia Mauffly and mother spent Monday in Talent.

BEAUTIES BLISTER IN GALVESTON SUN

GALVESTON, Texas, June 10.—(Special.)—Thirty-four American beauties will compete for the title of Miss United States at the international pageant of pulchritude here tonight. The winner will match beauty with ten foreign entries to-morrow night for the title of Miss Universe.

A bathing suit review in which all the entries paraded before a crowd of 35,000, featured yesterday's program. Several of the girls, fatigued by a 94-degree temperature, and a blistering sun, were overcome after the two mile parade but all were revived quickly.

Archaeologist Shin JERUSALEM, June 10.—(Special.)—Structures are believed to have surrounded the French archaeologist, Dariusse, a high official of the antiquities department of the Syria government, who was found dead with three policemen at Tel Aboad, Syria. The murderers escaped and it was supposed their motive was to repay M. Dariusse for recent discovery of supposed smugglers of antiquities out of Syria.

Portland—Construction will start shortly on \$78,000 project for Hill Military academy on 150-acre tract on Rocky Butte.

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