

# Society

### Yeoman Lodge Dance and Carnival Thursday

Lodge members and friends are anticipating the gala affair scheduled for tomorrow evening on the Yeoman calendar. This dancing party will be held in the K. P. hall and all guests are asked to come in costume.

There will be many booths with entertaining features for all members of the family as well as dancing. The kiddies will find the fish pond filled with many things for them.

Confetti and serpentine will be available. Music will be furnished by Dynges five-piece orchestra. Many specialty numbers are included in the program.

Card playing will also be a diversion of the evening. The committee is working under the direction of C. W. Harwood.

### Annual St. Mark's Parish Dinner Event of Friday

The annual dinner for St. Mark's parish will be held Friday evening, December 12, in the parish house. This is the one time of the year when the different church societies are asked to meet together also the people interested in the church who are not members of the societies.

Each lady is asked to provide food in proportion to the size of her family, as this will not be a pay dinner. The meat, potatoes, rolls, coffee, cream and sugar will be furnished by the guild. Others are asked to bring salad and pie. Serving will begin at 6 p. m. After dinner a short program and get-acquainted meeting will be held.

### Presbyterian Ladies' Bazaar Opens Thursday

The Christmas bazaar by the ladies of the Presbyterian church will open tomorrow afternoon to continue through the evening. At 6 o'clock a turkey dinner will be served and at 8 o'clock an interesting program will be presented. The public is invited.

### Mrs. Swigart to Be Hostess Friday

The book club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Swigart, 211 Genessee street.

### Mrs. Carlson Hostess at Birthday Party

Mrs. Arthur Carlson of Oakland, Cal., entertained December 2 in honor of the birthday anniversary of her sister, Miss Ethel Bennett, of Medford.

The dinner table was decorated with pink roses and pink tapers. Following a week's visit in California, Miss Bennett returned to this city last Wednesday.

### O. S. C. Club Meets Monday Evening

The Oregon State College club will meet Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warner for the club's annual Christmas party. Each member is asked to bring a gift.

### Past Noble Grands To Entertain Husbands

The Past Noble Grands of Olive Rebekah Lodge will entertain their husbands at the lodge hall. A Christmas program and treat have been planned for the evening.

### Card Club Meets at Ulrich Home

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich will entertain members of the Card club at their home this evening. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock and will be followed by cards.

### Jacksonville P.-T. A. Meets on Friday

JACKSONVILLE, Ore., Dec. 10. (Sp.)—A meeting of the Jacksonville P.-T. A. was held in the high school auditorium, December 5. The program consisted of: Life of Robert Louis Stevenson and four of his selections, by six pupils of the first and second grades; report on Switzerland, by Mexine Boone of the seventh grade, and book report by George Xana of "Ninety-Three," by Victor Hugo.

Mrs. Brown, chairman of the cooked food sale committee, reported \$14.80 was made on the sale given recently.

The following committee was appointed to confer with the school board concerning the Christmas treats: Mrs. Shaffer, chairman; Mrs. Rainey and Mrs. White.

The high school had the largest percentage of parents and friends present at the meeting, and won the prize for this month.

Next meeting of the P.-T. A. will be held the second Friday in January.

### Awards Made at Relief Meeting

CENTRAL POINT, Ore., Dec. 10. (Sp.)—Saturday afternoon the W. H. Harrison Relief Corps held its annual election of officers. Those elected were: President, Emma G. Goss; a first vice-president, Dora Jones; junior vice-president, Candace Pankey; treasurer, Mary Richardson; conductor, Eva Smith; guard, Barbara Davis, and chaplain, Mattie Parker.

After the business session, the members gathered about a long table and enjoyed a birthday party honoring Lela Strickland, Eva Smith, Barbara Davis, Iva Copinger and Lois Richardson.

While at the table, Miss Mary Mee was presented with a bronze pin showing she has been a corps member for 25 years. Miss Mee has been a member of W. H. Harrison corps for 22 years and is also entitled to a badge which is given for each additional five years of continuous membership.

### Actress Queen of Island

Eleuthera, in the Bahamas, is to have an actress queen, for she will be the only white woman there. She is Mrs. Montague Stewart-Hayes, whose husband is stationed there. Before her marriage in the cathedral on the island of Nassau, also in the Bahamas, she was Miss Juana Ash-ton, who recently played in "The Flying Squad" in London.

The Buenos Aires Great Southern railway is installing three electric mobile power houses and one main line electric locomotive.

## ASK COUNTY AID FOR PAIR AGED RUCH INDIGENTS

### Woman's Actions Cause Trouble in Handling Case — Court Has Index of Nomadic Souls.

Appeals for aid for indigents of the county were made today at the regular session of the county court, by individuals, including Eyed Offentbacher of the Ruch district, who reported a case of destitution in his neighborhood. Two aged people—the man 70 years of age, and the woman, past 50 years, and sick, were the subjects of his appeal. Offentbacher had given them the use of a house on his place, and had given them food and medicine. He felt the county should lend a hand.

It developed that the unfortunate pair had been under observation; that the wife had been placed in a local hospital, for medical care, and by her own actions had made it necessary to remove her to the woman's ward of the county jail, and that the couple had returned to the Applegate district. Dr. R. C. Wilson, county physician, told the county court and Offentbacher, all had been done that was possible to do. The court promised to make another investigation, and render aid if necessary.

### Indigents Indexed.

The social welfare department of the county court, is equipped with a complete record of the chronic indigents of the Pacific coast who motor from place to place leading an impecunious existence. The records give their kin, and are help is given, the relatives are first asked to assist.

The indigent list of the county contains between 25 and 40 more names than for the same period last year. Some are victims of the times, while others are always unfortunate. It has required much thought and financial acumen on the part of the county court to make the indigent fund last out the year.

Only minor and routine matters were before the county court today, including the signing of regular vouchers.

## BUGS COSTLY FOR CITRUS GROWERS

LOS ANGELES.—(Sp.)—California citrus growers have spent nearly \$4,000,000 this year warring on insects.

The weapons included other insects and airplanes. The planes flew low over groves dusting the trees with clouds of sulphur. A small bug called "ladybird" was bred by the millions and turned loose to devour the mealy bug and other pests.

Approximately 25,000 acres were dusted with sulphur, 58,000 were fumigated and 80,000 acres were sprayed.

### Purchase Paper

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 10.—(Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. Al Van Dahl of Salem have purchased the Mill City (Marion county) Logue, weekly newspaper, from Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lake. The Van Dahls formerly owned the Baker Herald, the Republic (Wash.) News-Miner and papers in North Dakota.

It takes a Christmas seal to make it a Christmas gift.

## Imaginations Run Riot As Craterian Film Near End In Medford Showing

The "Just Imagine" contest, sponsored by The Mail Tribune, closes tonight, a day in advance of the last showing of the picture at the Fox Craterian theatre in order that the prize winners may receive their tickets tomorrow. All persons whose ideas are published are asked to call for tickets at this office.

The prophesies of some of the people who will attend the picture as guests of The Mail Tribune follow:

Medford in 1950 — The local Grange is sponsoring an enabling act to form power districts. The Great Northern, building a line from Klamath to Crescent City, made Central Point its terminal, and the latter town is now the leading city of the valley. Art Perry got off a really smart crack in the Smudge Pot. Definite steps are being considered to enforce the eighteenth amendment. A steelband was seen to enter the mouth of the Rogue, and a committee of sportsmen is awaiting its arrival at Bybee bridge. Plans are under way to build on the Deuel property at Main and Bartlett. Medford athlete remains on eligibility list and makes good at "Old Oregon."

For the good of the local public health and the welfare of the nation generally, all young reporters will be forced to shave their mustaches in 1950.

Medford will be a great city in 1950 with the finest broadcasting station on the Pacific coast. Her wonderful pure water, golf courses, air ports, parks and national recreational grounds, the envy of the world.

Medford in 1980 will be an aeronautical center of vast importance, being the central point between the Orient and the interior and Atlantic seaboard of the United States. It will also be the central point between Alaska, other northern parts, and South America. Roxy Anne, the slopes of which will be a beautiful residential district and city park, will be surrounded by a huge beacon, serving a threefold purpose. It gives forth a ray invisible from the ground that dispenses fog, thus greatly moderating the climate.

This ray is visible from the air and acts as a powerful night beacon for small aircraft. Besides this ray the beacon produces visible beacon rays registering simply on the dash of huge rocket-propelled commercial aircraft, guiding them for thousands of miles. This beacon will be one of the three most important on the Pacific coast.

I am wondering what my parents and friends of my childhood would say could they but see me as I go about day by day. My office is in that lovely 80-story building which you see to the south. There are three great centers to this city. We travel in different transways. Four are underground and four are highly elevated. Tonight I am going to dinner on the latest model of dirigibles out. And this is still "A Great Country."

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## FORGERY RING MASTER MIND UNDER ARREST

### Portland Printer Flooded Merchants With Spurious Traveling Checks, Say Police.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 10.—(Sp.) The "master mind" of a large forgery ring operating in several northwest cities was believed today here with the arrest today of Arthur J. Mellis, 35, Portland printer. Police Detective Thomas Swennes announced.

During the past several months, Swennes announced, forged travelers' checks, apparently drawn on the National City bank of New York, have been turned over to police by merchants and others.

The checks were fine examples of the printing art, though they lacked the scrollwork found on genuine travelers' checks.

Swennes said he is in possession of conclusive proof that Mellis has been connected with the printing of forged certificates, and believes a larger crew worked under his direction to distribute them.

Yesterday James A. Green at Salem was sentenced to 10 years in the state penitentiary for passing the forged travelers' checks. Mellis was arrested at his home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Love returned home Saturday after spending some time in Seattle and Portland.

Christian Endeavor of the Christian church elected officers Sunday evening for the coming year: President, Carl Horri; vice-president, Mrs. Roy Anderson; treasurer, Mrs. George Marline; secretary, Miss Dorothy Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Watkins were dinner guests at the Al Hermonson home Sunday.

This week workmen are tearing down the old Methodist church on Manzanita street. This event brings to mind to the older citizens the time when the church building was used as a saloon.

A baby clinic was held at the health center Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Wilson and Mrs. King were in charge.

The student body play, "O. K.," will be presented on the evening of December 12 in the high school auditorium. The play is being coached by Miss Loree Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farra celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary December 4. Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Bonney and daughter, Alberta, were guests at the wedding dinner. Mrs. Mabel C. Mack home dem-

onstrator agent, held an all-day meeting in the Grange hall December 9. Chicken dinner was served at noon. Christmas suggestions were stressed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farra are enjoying a new radio which they purchased this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Parks of Talent spent Sunday at the Edward Jones home.

Mrs. J. J. Grim spent Wednesday in Medford with Mrs. Laura Gillette.

Friends of Leo R. Obenechain will be glad to learn that he is stationed at Schofield Barracks in Honolulu. He has been assigned to the 11th motorcycle company.

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## JACKSONVILLE

JACKSONVILLE, Ore., Dec. 10. (Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McIntosh are in Eugene this week.

Many in Jacksonville enjoyed the special feature on the early mining days of Jacksonville, published in the Sunday edition of the Portland Oregonian. Many details of interest were given.

Gertrude Dunnington and Louise Laughhead were Medford visitors Monday.

Axel Amundsen of Talent was a dinner guest of Clinton Dunnington Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Buchter and children of Thompson creek visited Mrs. Ethel Olson Sunday.

Joe Hall of Thompson creek was in the city Tuesday, en route to Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thrasher have as guests this week Mrs. Robert Thrasher and daughter of Portland.

Miss Virginia Fick entertained at dinner Friday evening for Miss Constance Knudsen of Turlock, Cal., who is attending the Ashland Normal. Other guests present were Eddie Moore and Jack Waaga of Medford.

A party was given Saturday evening at the Lester Coke home east of town in honor of their son Alfred's birthday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Sanden, Dr. D. A. Forbes and son Stuart, Mrs. May Forbes and son Stanley and the students of the high school Sunday school class of the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. C. H. Applegate has charge of the Waffle Inn this week during Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McIntosh's absence.

Mary Ross passed away at Central Point Saturday after being ill for several months. She was laid to rest in the Ross lot in the Jacksonville cemetery Monday.

Henry Hankins brought in some samples of gold ore Monday from his mines west of town. They are planned to mine extensively this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wilson attended a meeting of the Rabbit association held at the Larson home in Medford Monday evening.

## Mother of Four Babies

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