

Society and Clubs

Edited by Eva Nealon

Juveniles Present Splendid Program At Central Point

A program received with great enthusiasm by a large audience from various sections of the valley gathered in the Central Point Grange hall was presented Friday evening by the Juvenile Grange under direction of Mrs. Vincent Ritzinger, juvenile matron. Each member of the juvenile organization participated in the program and each number presented showed signs of able direction and a touch of originality which was highly pleasing.

The evening's entertainment opened with a literary program, competitive in nature, and prizes for the best performance were awarded Mabel Tyrell and Ernest Lathrop. Each appearing in a short playlet with supporting cast.

Following the piano, violin and vocal numbers, playlets and readings which composed a varied program, the drill team appeared in an interpretive drill depicting life on the farm. The boys were attired in the uniforms of dairymen and the girls as poultry women gathered the eggs in their baskets, while the boys milked the cows. The tinkle of cow bells preceding the number created a realistic setting, which was sustained by appropriate music and the naturalness with which the participants in the drill went about the motions which make up a day in the country for the average Granger. Prizes for the best drill work were awarded Roberta Pankey and Donald Smith.

Playing in the orchestra for the evening were Henry Leverton, Lola Blackford and Johnny Blackford.

Judges of the program were Mrs. Mabel Sims, Mrs. O. V. Myers and Miss Hildegarde Lange.

Much praise of Mrs. Ritzinger's ability at direction and program arrangement was expressed by the audience following completion of the program.

Royal Neighbors Elect Officers

JACKSONVILLE — Royal Neighbor lodge elected officers December 6. They were: Oracle, Sadie Adams; Vice Oracle, Anna Coleman; Chancellor, Flossie Backus; Recorder, Thelma McIntyre; Reserver, Lottie Bowman; Marshal, Violet Little; Inner Sentinel, Lola McIntyre; Outer Sentinel, Jean Gillis; Musician, Beale Miller; Manager, Reva Henspeter.

Joint installation of Jacksonville, Medford, Talent and Ashland officers will be held at Ashland in January. Mrs. Leonora Broilli, district deputy, will preside and the district rally is to be held at that time.

December 20, R. N. A. lodge will have its annual Christmas party to which all members and families are invited. Gifts will be exchanged and there will be treats for the children. This will also be the closing meeting of the present Polly Anna club. Following the social hours refreshments will be served.

Altar Society Party Enjoyed by Many

A very enjoyable evening was reported Wednesday by society folk, who attended the bridge party, sponsored by St. Ann's Altar society at the Parish hall. Mr. Kierstead held high score in bridge, and Mr. McNamara held high in 600.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, chairman of the event, was assisted by Mesdames Doppelmeyer, Jensen and Dalley.

Following cards refreshments were served. The next business meeting of the Altar society will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

"Bethlehem" to Be Presented Dec. 18 Methodist Church

"Bethlehem," a Christmas cantata, written by Frederic E. Westbury and George F. Root, will be presented at the First Methodist church by the Epworth League Sunday, December 18, at 7:30 p. m.

Cast of Characters.

King Herod—George Bennett. The King's Courtiers—John Koppen, John Gillings. The Mage—Billy Lyman, Hugh Shurtliff, Arthur Cook. The Angel—Mary Roseberry. The Angels—Mary Roseberry, Florence Newman, Joyce Banish. Joseph—Arthur Cook. Mary—Luella Corn. Shepherds—Harry Findlay, Riley Cook.

Soloists—Tenor, Robert Nelson; contralto, Jenette Trill; baritone, Arthur Cook.

Readers—Adra Edwards, Lella Vandemark. Pianist—Marian Moore.

Organist—Josephine Power. Interludes—Zella Mae Grant, the Power girls, Mildred Buckles, the Pittinger girls, Ella Alexander.

Members of the Chorus—Helen Power, Mary Chambers, Beatrice Gillette, Mary Roseberry, Luella Corn, Florence Newman, Jean Gillings, Bertha Arnsperger, Mary Arnsperger, Dorothy Wilson, Margaret Bateman, Mildred Buckles, Glenna Minear, Mildred Walker, Margaret Ward, Ruth Banish, Shirley Roseberry, Ethel Bigler, Jeanette Trill, Ruth Leclerc, Mrs. W. A. Holloway, Frances Arnsperger, Zella Mae Grant, Juanita Wilson, Joyce Banish, Naomi Jenkins, Velma Stubbs, Adra Edwards, Elizabeth Gillings, Carl Grant, Robert Nelson, Billy Lyman, George Bennett, Arthur Cook, Hugh Shurtliff, John Koppen and John Gillings.

Chorus Director—Beale K. Corn. Electrician—Bernard Roberts.

The regular hour for the Epworth League meeting has been given over to the Christmas cantata chorus for their final Sunday night rehearsal. The director urges every one to come promptly at 6:30 and to bring their books.

Some one will be at the church at six o'clock to help any member of the chorus who wishes to come early for special drill.

Marionette Shows Enjoyed By Many

The Hollywood Marionette shows, which were given at the Junior High school here last week, under auspices of the Medford council of Parents and Teachers, were much enjoyed by local society and described by many as the finest entertainment of the year.

Appreciation of the fine support given the project by the public was expressed yesterday by Mrs. Jack Hyland, council president, who also stated that much credit was due the student body of the Junior High school for co-operation, which made the presentation a financial success.

The presidents of the various grade school associations, Mesdames H. F. Nordwick, Flory, Stanley Jones, B. R. Finch and O. Q. D'Albini also expressed their appreciation to Mr. Finch, principal of the Junior High school, and members of the fire squad, some of whom were Bert Luman, John Steele, J. L. Campbell, Herbert Harper, Willard Benford, Ardi Stokes, Robert Littrell, Leslie Brown, James Semple and Bob Walker.

This boys' organization helped in handling the crowd so efficiently that there was no confusion, even for the

children's matinee, which was attended by over 1200. The council group also thanked for their support: E. H. Hedrick, superintendent of schools; the Gold Seal Creamery for the broadcast; the Mail Tribune for generous publicity; teachers of all grade schools and Junior High school, who assisted. Miss Monroe Augur, creator and director of the company, and her staff of workers were enthusiastic in their praise of the support found here. Miss Augur stated that never before in her experience with the public had she played to such a responsive, quiet and attentive audience of children.

Activities of Legion Auxiliary

By Mrs. Cole Holmes

The Auxiliary Sewing club met last Monday evening at the Welfare Rooms over the Medford National bank. The members made flannel gowns for the Red Cross and finished several other articles of clothing. Light refreshments were served by Mrs. Overmeyer and Mrs. Roland Smith. The next meeting will be Monday evening, Dec. 19th at the Welfare Room at 7:30.

The Auxiliary Glee club has been meeting Friday evenings at the home of Mrs. Warren Butler, the music chairman.

The twelfth radio lecture was given Saturday, Dec. 10th, by Mrs. Geo. Henselman. This is the fifth radio lecture given by members of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Monday evening, Dec. 12th, is the Christmas frolic. This will be held at the club rooms in the Armory at 8 p. m. and is to be the quart and pound shower for the Christmas baskets. Come and visit with the Auxiliary members and enjoy a pleasant evening. Bring a small gift for the tree, a pound of some food stuff and be prepared to enjoy a Christmas entertainment, receive a gift from the tree, refreshments and meet with some old friends or get acquainted with new ones.

The schedule for the conference to be held Thursday, Dec. 15th, is as follows. The afternoon meeting is to be held in the club rooms at the Armory at 2 p. m. All committee heads and officers are requested to be present. Members of the Auxiliary are welcome. There is to be a joint banquet at the Hotel Medford (Legion and Auxiliary) at 6:30 p. m. Reservations are to be made with Mrs. Ross (Phone 640 and 1001-Y). Mrs. Geo. Henselman is in charge of arrangements for the banquet. A dance is to be held in the Masonic hall at 9 p. m. This is for all Auxiliary and Legion members. There will be delegations from Klamath Falls, Ashland, Grants Pass and Kerby. All members are urged to give the banquet and dance their wholehearted support. Make a note of that date and be present.

D. A. R. Notes

The December meeting of Grater Lake chapter Daughters of the American Revolution will be held at Mrs. M. Wilson's home, 340 South Riverside avenue on Saturday, December 17th at two o'clock.

This will be the chapter's annual Christmas party and there will be a Christmas tree and the usual gifts and a ladies quartet, will sing Christmas songs. Miss Sara VanMeter will give a reading and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich will review the "December Events in the Life of George Washington" in the D. A. R. magazine.

The committee requests that members please limit the costs of their gifts to ten cents.

Miss Snedcor and Mesdames Meeker, Stratton, Vilm and Taylor will assist Mrs. Wilson.

Christmas Seals work the year round. Buy them now.

Novel—That's the 1932 Christmas Card

Both Past And Future Suggest Ideas For This Year's Greetings

NEW YORK (AP)—To achieve novelty without extravagance—that is the thing most of the Christmas card designers strove for this year. And a glance around the shops shows that they have pretty well succeeded.

"Novelty" in Christmas cards permits a wide range—into the past as well as the future. The big idea is to get away from last year's designs and the year's before that. But go back to the Victorian age for suggestions and the field is as fertile for novelty as the odd little creations of the reckless modernists.

More Depression Cards That old bogey, the Depression, still inspires a number of tricky cards. The spirit of these is spoofing, satirical. They gain effect from material as well as design. Some of them are printed on wrapping paper, wall paper and paper bags.

Last year Santa Claus was out in the headline. Well, this year his reindeer have joined him. Then there's the fellow who apparently has lost his shirt. He stands in a barrel and explains: "Greetings—Between 'Hard Times' and the darned 'Depression.' Ain't got nothin' left but this pleasant expression."

Getting back to the Victorians, the treatment of types and scenes of the era is refreshing. This trend in Christmas cards is a reflection of style trends in furniture, clothing—and what have you.

Recent years have been so full of the zig-zags, contortions and distortions of modernists that the pretty sentiments and conversation of those dim days are novel indeed. Of course, there are some cards that take sly pokes at the Victorians, for those who want to follow a style but make their friends snicker as well.

Pet lovers must have their animal cards, so there is an abundance of these, both quaint and modern in treatment. And those queer little penguins, who have wobbled their way into such popularity in all manner of decorative art, will go through the mails on many Christmas greetings this year.

Those who want to be witty have plenty of opportunity, and the costlier cards are not so costly as they were in other years—speaking relatively, that is. There are some exquisite imported numbers, etchings and fine pen and brush work.

For the younger generation, sports scenes are stressed. And there are cards appropriate to "kid" friends who are enthusiastic over such things as movies and what-not.

Interesting Meeting Held at Christian Church

The Woman's Missionary society of the Christian church held a most interesting meeting in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was opened by singing "In Christ There Is No East or West," to the tune of America. Mrs. Allen Curry presided at the business period.

Rev. W. R. Baird, pastor of the church, led the worship period, reading the Christmas story, found in Luke 2:10-14.

At the presentation hour, a round table conference in which several women discussed peace trends was led by Mrs. I. H. Gove and group.

Most of the program hour was given over to Mrs. R. M. Day, of Eugene, superintendent of the Young People's work, who told of the International convention, just closed, at Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. Lola Young of Central Point closed the program hour with a vocal solo. A social hour followed and coffee and waters were served to 35 members and guests.

Those assisting the leader, Mrs. Gove, were Mrs. Will Lockard, Mrs. Hallie Saunders, Mrs. F. A. Gregory and Mrs. Roy Guyer.



Christmas cards with a new touch are in demand this year, and there seems to be one for every taste. Among the newest are those decorated with penguins, one of which is shown above. Greetings suggested by the Victorian age, and "depression" cards in new forms are other favorites.

Wednesday Study Club Has Meeting

The Wednesday Study club held its first meeting in the new club rooms, located in the City Hall at 4th and Central on the afternoon of December 7th. All spoke with pleasure of the new quarters and at the business meeting preceding the program, expressed the wish to send a note of thanks and appreciation to the library board, also to Miss Woolley and her assistants for the courteous service and many favors extended during the years in which the Study club met at the library. A splendid program, filling every moment of the afternoon with interest, followed.

Mrs. M. M. Morris gave the first number, a paper on "American Individualism," supplementing it with readings from President Hoover's book on the subject. Clarence Darrow's "Story of My Life," telling of one of the striking characters of the present day, was reviewed by Mrs. Jonas Wold. These numbers, with timely and extremely interesting "Topics of the Day," brought by Mrs. Carlton Jones, gave rise to animated discussion which lasted until "time" brought the session to a close.

Pythian Sisters Elect Officers

A covered dish supper was enjoyed by the members of Tallman Temple No. 40, Pythian Sisters, Wednesday evening in the K. P. hall.

After supper, regular meeting and election of officers was held. Those elected for next year were: Hermine Klein, Most Excellent Chief; Belle Yarbrough, Past Chief; Ruth Walden, Excellent Senior; Anna Jaquis, Excellent Junior; Mary Harwood, manager; Mary Webber, M. of R. & C.; Emma Jeschke, M. of P.; Catherine Fischer, Protector; Goldie Robinson, Guard; Kate Judge, Trustee; Cecill Sullivan, press corres-

pondent; Edna Nixon, installing officer.

The next meeting will be on Dec. 21, and Mrs. George Laidley and Mrs. Edna Nixon, installing officer.

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Ed Robinson will have charge of the refreshments and social hour. A Christmas tree is being planned for the children on Dec. 23 with Mrs. Klein in charge.

Chrysanthemum Circle Plans Christmas Tree Chrysanthemum Circle No. 84, Neighbors of Woodcraft, will meet Monday evening for a short business session.

At the close of the meeting they will sponsor a Christmas tree for the juveniles, to which all children of members are invited.

Tune in KMED for our Special in Advance Shopping—Monday morning 10:30 by ETHELWYN B. HOPPMANN

Marie Elander, of The Emma Clinic Shop, wishes to announce that she is leaving Medford December 24. Anyone desiring an appointment please call early.

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