

AUTO MEN BACK FROM BAY CITY DODGE MEETING

Enthusiastically greeting the preview of the 1934 models more than 100 Dodge dealers from all sections of northern California and southern Oregon, including W. W. Allen and L. C. Taylor of the Pierce-Alien Motor company of this city, gathered at the Fairmont hotel in San Francisco last week, where J. D. Burke of Detroit, director of truck sales of the Dodge Brothers' corporation, and Al Heaton, assistant merchandising manager of the factory, outlined sales and merchandising plans for the new season.

With public and trade interest brought to a high pitch by preliminary announcements of leading manufacturers are preparing to bring forth in the way of new features, the most immediate interest of the meeting naturally centered in the exhibit of the new Dodge models shipped here by express for the preview.

The showings included varying color specimens of the line, which will be offered in two wheelbases. The bodies of the two series are entirely different in character, although both chassis are equipped with six-cylinder floating power engines.

While no detailed information is to be given at this time regarding mechanical details of the new Dodge models, it may be said that they include many features of such fundamental newness as will place the line in the forefront of latest automobile engineering advance.

The lines of the longer, roomier bodies are also entirely new, streamlining having been carried to lengths made doubly interesting by the fact that it emphasizes impressively beautiful exteriors.

LIQUOR CONTROL PROBLEMS AIRED BEFORE COUNCIL

Proposed meeting of city attorneys. If it is granted the right to sell the liquors, Chief McCredie pointed out, it is important that a definite and satisfactory period of time be specified.

Dog problems were brought before the council again last night, after a long silence on that subject, and an ordinance was passed, making it unlawful for dogs to run at large in the city, if not licensed by the county.

Transient Depot Delayed. A report on the present status of the transient center, to be opened here, was given by City Attorney Farrell and the council authorized the finance committee to negotiate with Orin McDonald, owner of the building to be used as headquarters for the center, opening of which was originally scheduled for today.

Removal of the trolley lights over Main street and the string poles was asked by City Building Inspector Frank Rogers, who was authorized by the council to proceed with the work.

A favorable response from bonding houses regarding the city of Medford's plans for refunding of bonds was reported by Mayor E. M. Wilson, who read letters to the council. Recorder M. L. Alford was instructed to have the bonds printed.

Application submitted by T. K. Flynn for an electrician's license, was granted.

City Building Inspector Rogers was named to the position of plumbing inspector to succeed John Coffeen, resigned. Mr. Rogers will carry on the work. In addition to his present duties.

WATER FOLLOWS FIRE TO PLAGUE MILL TOWN

SALEM, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The plague of high water has followed a previous plague of fire at the little lumbering town of Cochrane, it was learned here last night.

Society and Clubs

Edited by Eva Nealon Hamilton

Weekly Calendar To Appear Again

In response to many requests from women's clubs and other organizations, arrangements have been made to print again the weekly club calendar in the Sunday society section.

All groups wishing announcements in the calendar are therefore urged to get them to the Mail Tribune before 5 o'clock Friday evening.

Butler-Thompson Betrothal Told

Of great interest to many members of the local university set and other friends of the J. H. Butlers and C. D. Thompkins of this city is a social note in the Longview, Wash., press, which tells of the betrothal of Miss Arlene Butler and Claude Thompson of Medford. Both are well known here, where their parents have resided for many years.

The announcement of their engagement in the northern newspaper reads: "Miss Arlene Butler and Miss Eva MacDonald, members of the Longview school faculty, announced their engagements last night at a supper party given by Miss Dorothy Becker and Miss Helen Brekke at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hill on West Nicola boulevard.

Miss Butler, of the high school faculty, will marry Claude Thompson of Medford, Ore., and Miss MacDonald, teacher in the Kegeler school, is betrothed to Albert Clearman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clearman of this city. The dates for the weddings have not been set.

Proceeding the supper the hostesses took their guests to the Community Players' presentation of the "Queen's Husband" at the high school auditorium. The supper table was cleverly centered with a miniature Christmas outdoor scene and name cards held the names of the engaged couples.

Miss Butler is a graduate of the University of Oregon and her fiancé attended Oregon State college. Both Miss MacDonald and Mr. Clearman attended Washington State college.

Invited guests for the theater and supper party were the Misses Frieda Pahl, Dorothy Sonneman, Mildred Ferguson, Ann Anderson, Mable Mills, Alma Kraus, Vera Turner, Mrs. John Hill and the two honored guests, Miss Butler and Miss MacDonald.

Auxiliary Children Have Jolly Holiday Party

Children of the American Legion Auxiliary were entertained at a Christmas party at the Armory last evening, attended by 80 mothers and honor guests.

A clever program was presented by the children during the early part of the evening. It included recitations by Mary Frances Holloway and Dorothy Coffeen, a tap dance by Jean Smith, who was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Antle; recitation, Beverly Leach, and recitations by Carmen Wright and Adrienne Leach. Christmas carols were played by Viola Cleven on the violin, accompanied at the piano by Edith Hodgkins.

Mrs. Mark Miller, general chairman of the program, was assisted by Mrs. Roy Elliott and Mrs. Lee Garlock. Following the program, Santa Claus arrived to take a gift for each child from the Christmas tree, then refreshments were served at a beautifully decorated table. A snow scene furnished the centerpiece and included a miniature house, reindeer and St. Nicholas.

Mrs. J. C. Jacobs, chairman of refreshments, was assisted by Mrs. Warren Butler and Mrs. George Henselman.

Dickens' Carols to Be Portrayed Again Friday

Dickens' Christmas Carol, one of the favorite stories of the Yuletide since its writing, will be presented in a play this year by pupils of the Howard school Friday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

A chorus of 50 voices will participate in the presentation.

Uncle Scrooge, whose hard heart was softened by a vision of the three Christmas ghosts, will be acted by Bob Kent. The ghosts will be Mary Ida Imhausen, Tony Coy and Mary Lou Gerber. Scrooge's clerk, Bob Cratchit, will be played by Kenneth Lewman, and the favorite character of all, Tiny Tim, will be impersonated by Robert Johnstone.

Mrs. Brock is directing the play. Mrs. Gustin is directing the music, and Miss Wilson will be accompanist for the production.

Baptist Bazaar Successful Event

The women of the South Side circle of the Baptist church held a very successful bazaar and food sale December 16. It was reported by the committee today, as members voiced their appreciation of the cooperation of the many people who made the affair a success.

Wenonah Club Meets For Cards Thursday

The Wenonah club will meet with Nellie Purdin Thursday afternoon for a card party. Both bridge and 500 will be played and a pleasant afternoon is promised for all who enjoy cards.

Miss Mann Home For Holidays

Miss Margaret Mary Mann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Mann, returned Saturday from St. Helena's Hall to spend the holidays with her parents.

Lutherans Announce Christmas Pageant

"The Holy Night" is the title of the Christmas pageant which will be given in Zion English Lutheran church, West Fourth street at Oakdale avenue, by the choir and Sunday school, on Christmas eve at 7:30 o'clock. The pageant is constructed along the lines of those used in the medieval church, from which the modern drama took its rise, and tells the story of the birth of the Savior in song and action.

The final dress rehearsal for the pageant is to take place on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Alpha Delta Class Holiday Party Thursday

The Alpha Delta class of the Christian church Bible school will stage its annual Christmas party, Thursday, December 21, in the recreational hall of the church. This is always an enjoyable affair and promises to be even more so this year, with a Christmas tree, an exchange of Polyanthus gifts and everything that goes to make an enjoyable party.

Mrs. P. C. Latham's group will act as hostesses and all members are urged to be present and visitors will be welcome.

St. Mark's Sunday School Party Friday

The St. Mark's Sunday school will entertain the children of the Episcopal church at a Christmas party at the Parlay hall Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. H. Gates, who is directing the program, has extended an invitation to all the children with the promise of a jolly evening. Each is asked to bring a gift for the needy.

Royal Neighbors Plan Christmas Party

The Royal Neighbors will have a Christmas tree and program Thursday evening in their hall on North Central. Members of camps outside the state are also invited to attend. And all members are asked to bring sandwiches for the supper.

Pythians to Enjoy Christmas Event Tomorrow Night at the Pythian Hall

The annual Christmas party for Knights of Pythias, Pythian Ladies and their children will be held at the Pythian hall Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All lodge members and their families are urged to be present and are promised an interesting evening.

Miss Reid, Guest Here Tuesday

Miss Margaret Reid and her brother, Frank Reid, of Eugene, stopped in Medford a short time Tuesday, en route to their home in the north. They had been visiting their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Henry at Klamath Falls. Miss Reid formerly resided in Medford.

Girl Scouts Change Meeting Night

The Girl Scouts of Junior high school troop 4 will meet Thursday evening of this week, instead of Wednesday, as originally planned. It was announced today. All members of the troop are asked to bring their gifts for the Christmas basket to the meeting.

W. R. C. to Meet At Armory Thursday

The Women's Relief Corps will meet for regular session at the Armory Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. As the meeting will be the last for this year the committees will be asked to report and a good attendance is desired.

Worthy master gave out the list

During the business hour two applications were read and two members given obligations in first and second degrees.

Committee reports for the year's work were given and nearly all of the reports were written. The H. E. committee, one of the most active of all committees, reports a very active and happy year's work.

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COUNCIL MOVES TO STRAIGHTEN EAST MAIN TURN

Definite steps toward straightening of East Main street and investigation of the Deuel building on Main, described to the city council as hazardous to public safety, were taken at last night's meeting at the city hall, when a board of reviewers was named to negotiate with owners of the land at the abrupt turn on Main and committees authorized to confer with owners of the Deuel building, gutted by fire several years ago.

The board of reviewers is composed of B. E. Harter, Ed M. White and C. E. Knight. The straightening of the street has been provided for in the OWA projects, approved for Medford. It is necessary, however, that adjacent land, owned by Scott Davis, John Johnson and O. V. Myers, be purchased by the city to make the improvement possible.

Early action in the way of a satisfactory price on the property is anticipated, it was pointed out last night, and it is important that the work get underway in the near future.

Report of complaints on the Deuel building, particularly during the recent wind storm, was made by Councilman C. C. Furnas of the public safety committee. Contacts with H. S. Deuel were attempted at the time. Mr. Furnas stated, but he was not in town.

The council referred the matter to the building and light and street and roads committees, with power to act, and advised a conference with Mr. Deuel before another storm visits the valley.

Minister Leaves—Rev. G. V. McClure left Ashland this afternoon for Portland, where he will be pastor of the Maynard Community church. Rev. McClure has six months' leave from the Ashland Congregational church in order that he may transact some business in Portland. He expects to make frequent returns to Ashland—Ashland Tidings.

Undergoes Operation—Mrs. M. M. Howard of route one, Medford, underwent a major operation Tuesday at the Community hospital. She was reported as getting along nicely.

of new committees for the year, which will be published later.

Worthy Lecturer Lulu Taylor gave a program consisting of Christmas songs and readings.

Miss Margaret Reid, members put on a two-act play entitled, "Santa's Work Shop," after which Brother I. R. Kline gave a pleasing report of his visit to the National Grange session held last November.

H. E. club meets with Mrs. Merriman at Trail on Wednesday, December 27. Everyone try to attend, as several important and enjoyable matters will be in order. It will also be an all-day meeting.

Lake Creek Grange. Lake Creek Grange will meet in regular session Friday evening. Installation of officers will be principal business.

As it was impossible for all to attend the Grange voted not to join in the joint installation to be held at Central Point.

The program will be given by pupils of the Butte Creek school. Small admission will be charged to recoup money for a table cover. There will also be a Christmas tree. Each member is to bring an inexpensive gift, preferably a home-made one, with values not to exceed 15 cents.

THE GRANGE

Eagle Point Grange. Grange met Tuesday evening with all newly installed officers at their stations. Observation of their work promises a year of good work by these new officers.

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Both wool and silk scarfs in smart designs. \$1.00 quality. Special **77c**

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Black and all the high shades. Removal Sale price **\$4.95**

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