

Society and Clubs

By Grace Craft

Football Fans Are Going South For Big Game Saturday

Football devotees of the coast are turning their attention to the Stanford-California "big game" to be played at Palo Alto on Saturday and several Medford and southern Oregon residents will be among the spectators for the event.

More than two dozen persons have made reservations for the Southern Pacific special leaving here Thursday evening and several additional fans are driving down for the game. Many are returning this week-end while a few will remain in the south over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Among those going on the train are Mr. and Mrs. George M. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. David Rosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Littrell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Henselman, A. S. Rosenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Johnson, Harry Rosenberg and Jack Stewart of Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Perry of Rogue River, Mr. and Mrs. Niel R. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Milbank of Grants Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Enders, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hardy and Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Haines of Ashland.

Carpenters Leaving For Pasadena, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. V. Carpenter are leaving Friday for Pasadena, Calif., to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their children, Julie and Harlow, who are attending school in Southern California.

Van Hovenburg Return From San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Hovenburg returned the first of the week from San Francisco, where they have been for the past several weeks.

John Wells Here On Vacation Trip. John Wells of San Francisco, where he is employed by the American Telegraph and Telephone company, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. E. Wells, at their residence on Keene way.

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Golf Club Holds Final Luncheon of Season Wednesday

Ladies of the Rogue River Valley Golf club held the last luncheon of the year Wednesday with a good crowd present. Mrs. William Thurlow won in the point tournament.

Eastern Star Go to Klamath Falls

A group of members of Reames chapter, Order of Eastern Star is going to Klamath Falls Friday to attend a meeting of the lodge there.

Two Schools Observe Dads Night Friday

Annual "Dads" night will be observed by both the Washington and Jackson Parent-Teacher associations Friday evening at the respective schools.

Jackson school is giving a dinner at 5:30 o'clock in honor of the fathers of pupils and Mrs. H. A. Sims is general chairman for the evening with Mrs. Ruth Barton, Mrs. L. P. Wilcox and Mrs. E. E. Carlson in charge of the program.

The "Dads' Night" program at the Washington school will begin with an open house from 7 to 8 o'clock with a community sing following.

Clifton Pond will address the group on the subject "Home Study" and games and refreshments will follow. J. Verne Shangle, Arch Work, Clifton Pond and James Hardy are the refreshment committee for the evening.

Mrs. Harding Visits Two DAR Chapters. Mrs. Boone G. Harding, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was guest of honor at a luncheon and meeting of the Rogue River chapter, Grants Pass, Thursday. Mt. Ashland chapter, Ashland, will honor her as state regent with a luncheon when she makes her official visit to that chapter Friday.

Mr. Kenly, Jr., Visits With Parents. Corning Kenly, Jr., arrived on the Shasta Tuesday night for a brief vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Corning Kenly, before he takes a position with the Harris Trust company of Chicago.

Baptist Church to Give Pie Social. A pie social will be given at the First Baptist church, Fifth and Central streets, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A door prize will be given and other prizes will be awarded during the evening of fun. A musical program has been arranged for the evening. Baptist ladies are invited to bring a pie. The public is invited.

Mrs. Reich Will Entertain Group. The Oak Grove Home Extension unit will have an all-day meeting Friday at the home of Mrs. Fred Reich, beginning at 10 a. m. There will be a covered dish luncheon at noon and each member is to bring a covered dish.

V. F. W. and Auxiliary Meeting Friday. The regular meeting of Crater Lake post 1833 Veterans of Foreign Wars and the auxiliary will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the armory. Plans for the year will be made and committees appointed according to Francis H. Walker, adjutant.

Bible Class Meets With Mrs. Pankey

The Golden Link Bible class of Central Point met at the home of Mrs. H. T. Pankey Friday. Mrs. Bertha Tethrow conducted the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Etta Lacey.

Entertainment, consisting of games, followed the devotional period and was in charge of Mrs. Dora Jones.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. T. A. Marins, Mrs. Alice Wiley, Mrs. Erma Hedgpeth, Mrs. Clara Vincent, Mrs. Mary Coker, Mrs. Martha Gregor, Mrs. Bertha Burrell, Mrs. Minnie Smalser, Mrs. Lettie Gregory, Mrs. Sarah Vincent, Mrs. Fidelia Woods, Mrs. Nina Reames, Miss Agnes Head, Miss Maury, Mrs. Martha Huger, Mrs. Dora Jones, Mrs. Bertha Tethrow, Mrs. E. E. Scott, Mrs. L. H. Smith and the hostess, Mrs. Pankey.

Mrs. Rose Hermanson of Medford and Mrs. Minnie Weaver of Sams Valley, members of the class, were reported as being ill.

The next meeting of the group will be December 10 at the home of Mrs. Edward Jones.

Rotary Women Have Lunch Wednesday

Women of Rotary held their regular luncheon Wednesday with Mrs. Harold Reichstein as hostess and 26 guests were present. Mrs. Chester Leonard assisted Mrs. Reichstein.

Six tables of bridge followed the luncheon with Mrs. Ben Harder winning high score. The next meeting of the club will be held December 1.

Miss Sparrow to Return From Coast. Miss Harriett Sparrow is expected to return this week-end from Crescent City, where she has been visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Pirih.

DeMolay Mothers Meet Tuesday. The DeMolay Mothers' club met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Thompson Tuesday with 15 members present. Mrs. Frank Hull, Mrs. L. S. Ettinger and Mrs. Grant Nielson were hostesses.

Mr. Eldridge Leaves For Portland. Mr. Eldridge left Thursday morning for Portland, accompanied by his brother, K. C. Eldridge, Jr., of Portland. He will spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Eldridge, Sr., and with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barnum.

Oak Grove P-T. A. Meets Friday. The Oak Grove Parent-Teacher association will hold the monthly meeting Friday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the school. Children of the third and fourth grades will give the entertainment and all interested are invited.

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Thank Offering Service to Be Given Sunday

The Missionary societies of the First Methodist Episcopal church will hold their regular "Thank Offering" service at the regular evening service, Sunday, November 21. A missionary pageant will be presented and members are urged to attend and friends are also invited.

Miss Humphreys to Entertain Group. The social study group of the American Association of University Women will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Vera Humphrey. Miss Josephine Kirtley is leader of the group.

Sunday School Party Is Postponed. The Intermediate Sunday School class of the First Christian church has postponed the party planned for Friday evening in the recreational hall until a later date.

Calendar

Thursday
5:30 p. m.—Supper of Royal Neighbors of America at Knights of Pythias hall.
6:30 p. m.—Dinner for Degree of Honor and families at armory.
7:30 p. m.—Meeting of social study group of American Association of University Women at home of Miss Vera Humphrey.
8 p. m.—Meeting of Eagles auxiliary at armory.
9 p. m.—Dance and card party of Get-Together club at the armory.

Friday
10 a. m.—3:30 p. m.—Oak Grove Home extension unit meeting with Mrs. Fred Reich.
3 p. m.—5 p. m.—Benefit tea of Women's Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal church at Girls' Community clubhouse.
3:15 p. m.—Meeting of Oak Grove P-T. A. at the school.
6:30 p. m.—Dad's night dinner at Jackson school.
7 p. m.—Open house for Dad's night at Washington school.
7:30 p. m.—Pie social given by ladies of First Baptist church at the church.
8 p. m.—Meeting of Pythian club at home of Mrs. George Fisk.

P.T.A. Activities

The Parent-Teachers' association of Prospect met recently for the second regular meeting of the year. Reports of all the standing committees were given, the chairman of each telling what she wishes to accomplish during the year.

The publications committee told the members that it would sponsor a talk at each meeting on some phase of the subject of "Safety First."

The committee reported on the progress of the play cast. The play "Fifty-Fifty" by Frederick G. Johnson will be produced shortly after Christmas, the date to be announced later.

It was decided that the P-T. A. would have a booth at the school carnival, which is to be held Saturday, November 20 in the gymnasium, and also to hold a card party on Saturday, December 4, both projects to raise funds for the hot lunches which will begin soon.

After adjournment tea and cakes were served. About twenty-five members were present.

FIRST SESSION OF WRITERS CLASS IS SCHEDULED FRIDAY

The first session of the writers' class to be offered here under the general extension division of the Oregon state system of higher education will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the senior high school. Prof. W. F. G. Thacher, instructor of magazine and short story writing at the University of Oregon, will conduct the class.

More than thirty persons have expressed an interest in the course in which correspondence study and class conference will be combined. Professor Thacher will appear here several times during the winter. He has been most successful in his classes at the university and many of his former students have gained national fame, including Edson Marshall, E. J. Haycock, Bob Coe and many others.

The classes will be conducted in the evening and several persons from Grants Pass, Klamath Falls and Ashland have shown active interest in the project.

Anyone interested in writing either short stories or non-fiction magazine articles may enroll. The fee charged will be the regular sum charged for the correspondence course. Those who complete the course satisfactorily will receive the credit indicated in the correspondence catalogue issued by the extension division of the state schools.

BUDGET HEARING 10 A.M. TOMORROW

Public hearing on the Jackson county budget will be held in the county court house auditorium tomorrow, starting at 10 a. m. H. A. Theis, Medford, chairman of the budget committee, will preside, with E. W. Carleton, Table Rock, secretary. Fred Wagner, Ashland, the other citizen member, and the county court will also be present.

Each item in the budget will be read and explained, if requested. Taxpayers interested are requested to attend.

Following reading and approval of the budget, it will be formally certified and turned over to the county assessor for extension on the levy rolls.

Commissioners Ralph Billings of Ashland and Otto Caster of Phoenix, who have been attending the state county court association meeting in Portland, returned yesterday. County Judge Earl B. Day will return today.

FORGETFULNESS COSTS LADY \$25

Forgetfulness cost Mrs. Stella Burk, 549 Allison street, Ashland, the sum of \$25. She told Medford city police she laid her large brown purse on the

running board of her automobile parked at Ninth street and Riverside avenue yesterday while she unlocked the car door. She entered the machine and drove off, forgetting the purse, she said. Later, when she parked the auto near Montgomery Ward's, the purse was missing, she related.

Communications

A New Money Plan

To the Editor: Will you please reprint for me the following open letter to President Roosevelt: Franklin D. Roosevelt, President, United States, Washington, D. C. Honorable President:

May I prevail upon your valuable time for a few moments? Enough has been said concerning God and the truth of our religions, but it will not be amiss if we descend to the subject of men and our government. I proceed, therefore, to the relation of a subject, which may make you more cautious for the time to come in answering questions that will be put to you. For you must know, that as a man's folly often brings him down from the most exalted state of life to the greatest misery, so shall his good sense secure him in the midst of the utmost danger, and procure him a safe and honorable repose. There are many instances of people being brought to misery by their own folly, but these I choose to omit, as they happen daily. What I propose to exemplify, in the following, is the great cause for comfort to be found in the possession of a good understanding.

A government founded upon the shifting sands of insecurity, is likened upon the man that built his house upon the sand, and the wind waves swept it away in its fury. But a government founded upon the eternal rock of ages, the love of its people and the natural resources of its country, will be likened upon a man that built his house upon a rock foundation; the winds blew and the rains descended but it fell not.

Mr. President, from my observations you are greatly perplexed with the financial conditions of the United States, our government. (I know the people are). You are wondering what is to be done about the national debt of billions of dollars. Our present system of money is based upon gold and silver, and gold

silver, in its self, is absolutely worthless and insecure. There is no virtue or security in the gold metal. Now Mr. President, as I understand it, congress had the constitutional power to coin and regulate money. Granting this to be true, why not instruct the congress of the United States to issue currency, to the amount of necessity, backed up, not by worthless gold and silver, but by every square foot of ground, and every taxable article in the United States? How can this be done? Simply by printing on the currency, or bill, GOOD FOR (face value) IN TAXES, that's all. We would then have a dollar bill that nobody would refuse, for everybody pays taxes. The dollar would then be backed by the government instead of gold and silver. Who can deny that a dollar backed by the national resources of our great country would be more secure than the gold dollar? A government dollar backed by ourselves, the people can never fail.

Mr. President, give us a dollar, for the people, of the people, and by the people.

Respectfully yours,
ARCHE PARKER,
P. O. box 190, Central Point.

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NOT GUILTY PLEA BY FOOTBALLERS

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EAGLE POINT GRANGE CARNIVAL SATURDAY

EAGLE POINT, Nov. 18.—(Sp.)—Aimed an expansive array of booths and display counters, the Eagle Point Grange will hold its annual carnival Saturday night at the Grange hall. There will be plenty of entertainment from "nigger babies" to a country store.

One of the main attractions will be "two perfect fools," a pair of clowns who promise to provide plenty of merriment.

There will be no admission charge and the public is invited to attend.

Phoenix Operetta Is Friday Evening

PHOENIX, Nov. 18.—(Sp.)—The operetta, "Magie Beanstalk," will be given at 8 p. m. November 19 at the high school gymnasium. Leading roles are taken by Teddy Fish as "Jack," and Bobby Hearn as "Captain Kidd."

Oriental, Dutch and various other costumes to fit the periods are an interesting highlight, and a chorus of 95 voices will furnish the musical background.

Mrs. Dorothy Morris is in charge. All proceeds will go to the hot lunch fund. The public cordially invited.

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