

Society and Clubs

By Clara Mary Davis

Family Reunion Enjoyed Tuesday At Fichtners'

A family reunion was enjoyed Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Fichtner on South Riverside avenue.

A dinner party marked the occasion with Mrs. Fichtner's father and his four brothers being the honored guests. This was the first meeting of the brothers in thirty-two years.

Mrs. Fichtner's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Daley of this city and Mr. Daley's brothers are S. J. Daley of Santa Cruz, Cal., Con and Charles Daley of Fairplay, Colo., and Joe Daley of Medford. Other guests included Mrs. Fichtner's sisters, Mrs. Elton Miller of Los Angeles and Mrs. Laeuna Barnett of Kansas City.

Mrs. Phipps Goes To Portland Meet

Mrs. Dolph Phipps left this morning for Portland where she will attend a state advisory board meeting of the National Youth Administration.

Following a week in the northern city, Mrs. Phipps will be joined by her husband, and the two will travel to Eugene to attend the annual home-coming football game between University of Oregon and Oregon State college.

Mrs. Phipps is the only member of the state board of N.Y.A. in southern Oregon. The conference will take place Friday and Saturday.

David Card Has Birthday Party

David Card enjoyed a birthday party this week at the West Jackson street home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Card. It was Master Card's eighth natal day.

Clever favors, decorations and refreshments were carried out in a football motif.

Guests present included Barbara Bateman, Dennis Bateman, Donald and Ronald Spinas, Jimmy and Catherine Miller, Noelle Stoneker and Douglas and David Card.

Mrs. Holmes Has Dinner, Card Party

Mrs. Kinney Holmes entertained last evening at her home on Hillcrest road with the second of a series of delightful dinner parties.

Guests bidden to the affair included Mr. and Mrs. George M. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Bardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Luther, Dr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Durno, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Bender and Lloyd Williamson.

Bridge was played throughout the evening.

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Symphony Concert Pleases Large Crowd Wednesday

A record crowd heard the Southern Oregon Symphony Orchestra in concert last evening at the Medford high school and enjoyed a departure this year in concert routine because of the presence of many young students.

Opening with the first movement of the beautiful melodious "Unfinished Symphony," the most famous of Schubert's works, the audience was favorably impressed.

It seemed particularly timely that John R. Knight, director, should present the work of an American contemporary composer, Joseph Wagner's Concerto in G. Minor. This selection revealed the hand of one well versed in the technique of orchestral procedure and understanding of instrumental effects.

Refreshingly welcome was the piano soloist, 13-year old Roger Wolf, a pupil of Roberta Ward Bebb, who gave a brilliant performance of this new concerto on the Baldwin grand piano purchased this year by the high school.

Master Wolf played with exceptional rapidity as well as clarity and obviously possesses good musicianship which scored his success. The orchestral support in the concerto was also splendid.

The outstanding renditions by the high school chorus under the capable direction of Miss Floy Young, proved worthy additions to the symphony's repertoire.

The remainder of the program was devoted to Wagner's "Pillgrim Chorus," Massenet's "Elegie" and Verdi's "La Traviata," all performed with praiseworthy interpretation.

The concluding number, Tuccelli's "Danza Chiliana y Estilo," was especially spirited and eagerly received by the large audience. In answer to the applause, "Hungarian Dance" No. 5, by Brahms, was given.

For the marked success of this concert, much credit is due John R. Knight, the founder and conductor of the orchestra. With no thought of platitudes, it should be said that musical Medford and the valley is greatly indebted to him.

During the evening, A. H. Banwell spoke briefly regarding the excellent series of three musicals to be presented here in the near future by Hunt theaters.

Zonta club sponsored the concert.

Tedrick Home Is Scene of Party

A Halloween party was held at the home of Mrs. Guy Tedrick Wednesday for her cousin, Jacqueline Gibbs. Games were played throughout the evening with prizes going to Oren Kellenback and Betty Puhl.

Luncheon was served Halloween style to the following guests: Carol Hall, Oren Kellenback, Betty Puhl, Harry Buckmaster, Jerry Hooper, Lorna Hayman and the honoree, Miss Gibbs.

Juvenile Club Will Convene
Degree of Honor Juvenile club will meet Saturday morning at 10:45 in clubrooms. All members are asked to attend and to bring a guest. Plans will be made for participation in the Armistice day parade.

Royal Neighbors Will Convene
Royal Neighbors of America will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the I.O.O.F. hall. All officers and members are asked to attend.

P. T. A. Activities

Lincoln school P.T.A. will hold a regular meeting Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the school gymnasium. Mrs. James Hoey will give a magazine skit and discussion. Refreshments will be served later by mothers of Miss Clare Gumelin's room.

NOTICE

It is necessary that all club, organization and society notices be brought or phoned into this office by Friday noon if they are to appear in Sunday's society page. Notices which do not reach this office by Friday noon cannot be printed Sunday.

Mrs. Crawford Is Honored at Party

The DeMolay Mothers club gave a farewell party for Mrs. J. E. Crawford Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Strang.

Mrs. Crawford, past president of the club, plans to leave Medford soon to reside in Eugene.

A shower of handkerchiefs was presented to the honoree and tea was served at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Frank Hull, first president of the club, presided at the tea table.

Dinner, Program At School Friday

Washington school P.T.A. is sponsoring a family dinner to be given Friday evening at the school. Proceeds will be used to help in the lunch rooms and other organizations sponsored by the P.T.A.

Evening's schedule follows: Dinner, 5:30 to 7 p. m.; open house, 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.; program and movie, 7:30 to 9 p. m.

A motion picture entitled "Snow Survey" has been obtained from the visual education department of Oregon State college. A large part of this picture was filmed here in southern Oregon and it will prove interesting and instructive to both adults and children.

The public is invited.

St. Mark's to Meet Friday

St. Mark's Episcopal church guild will meet tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock in the parish hall on North Oakdale avenue. All members and others interested are invited to attend. A cafeteria luncheon and business meeting will be held.

What the Girl Scouts Are Doing

Friday, November 3, the Girl Scout leaders are entertaining for the local council members—at the Girl Scout headquarters from 3 to 5. Mrs. Dorothy DeRoos, president, assisted by these leaders, are in charge of the arrangements: Mrs. William Gibbs, Mrs. Earl Anderson, Mrs. Charles Thatcher, Mrs. Art Adler and Mrs. Floyd Lawson. Serving hostesses will be Mrs. William Bowerman and Mrs. Martin Sands.

Troop 6, Lincoln school, had a recent special treat in the form of steroptic views from Alaska. Troop 10 went on a moonlight horseback trip and troops 17 and 18 arranged a most attractive Girl Scout Week window display in the California Pacific Utilities company office windows.

Mrs. Dwight Houghton and Miss Helen Mercer planned and painted the colorful posters now on display in the windows of Weeks and Orr's M. M. Department store and Burselson's.

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Wayne Finley Gives Party

Wayne Finley celebrated his ninth birthday and Halloween this week with a party at his home on West Jackson street.

Wayne invited to the party these playmates: Joan Coleman, Kay Coleman, Jerry Clark, Dick Vinson, Marvin Neff and Kenneth Finley.

Calendar

- Thursday**
6:45 p. m.—Masons, Eastern Star, dinner, Masonic temple.
7:30 p. m.—Royal Neighbors, I. O. O. F. hall.
7:30 p. m.—P.E.O., BE, Gebauer apartment of Katherine Stewart.
8:00 p. m.—Degree of Honor, clubrooms.
- Friday**
1:00 p. m.—St. Mark's guild, parish hall.
6:00 p. m.—P.T.A. dinner, Oak Grove schoolhouse.
7:30 p. m.—Episcopal Guild party, parish hall, North Oakdale avenue.

Ye Poets Corner

"Gold Star" Mother,
Well I remember, with hearts of woe,
We walked where the yellow popples blow,
And counted markers, row on row,
In a foreign field so long ago.

The only thought to ease the pain
Was this, they did not die in vain,
For memories of them should never wane,
Since right prevailed and peace should reign.

Now, where our soldier laddies lie,
War clouds gather and bombers fly,
Oh, what mockery it is to men,
That the war they fought must be fought again.

But not by their sons, may they never stand
In the foreign fields of another land,
To fight for a cause they think is right,
For nothing is settled at all by might.

Far better to vow neutrality,
Nor be overcome by sympathy,
And keep out of war, that others may see,
The world WOULD be safe for DEMOCRACY.

—By P. Lincoln.

Thanksgiving Day

You say you want to be
A tall beanstalk,
With gaudy pumpkin shoes,
To make folks talk,
Then you could place
Beneath the blazing eaves
Of gold and silver flecks,
The gayly tied-up sheaves;

The brown cornstalks,
You want a Piper Cub
At close of day,
To bomb salvia's bed
With sunset's ray,
Raise your Thanksgiving prayer
Above the wishing-well
As in my sturdy verse,
This tale I tell.

—Mae Stafford.

Bullet in Heart

Johannesburg, South Africa.
—UP.—M. B. Smeaton, a farmer living near Darnall, in Natal, has had a bullet in his heart for 23 years, but he enjoys good health. He was in the world war with the 2nd South African infantry and was wounded in July, 1916. The bullet entered the right side and lodged in the pericardium.

AUTO CAMP SUIT HEARD BY COURT

The civil suit of Irene Camper and Lester Camper, against W. A. Albrecht and others, for rescindment of a contract involving sale of the Edgewater auto camp, on the Pacific highway near Gold Hill, is underway in circuit court before Judge H. D. Norton.

By agreement between Attorney George A. Coddling, representing plaintiffs and S. Sherman Smith of Grants Pass, representing the defendants, the case is being heard without calling a jury.

Twelve witnesses were called by the plaintiff yesterday, chiefly in support of the plaintiffs' contention there were "misrepresentations," and equipment of the auto camp was not in first-class condition. Witnesses also testified to the amount of business handled at the place.

It was expected the defense would open this afternoon and present as many witnesses as the plaintiffs. Most of the witnesses were from the Gold Hill district.

Communications

The School Budget

To the Editor:
Now that the park bond election is over and 1108 of us registered an emphatic NO on it, I am going to give you another dose that is a whole lot worse.

Our school budget has a far greater budget amount EVERY year that can be eliminated and not hurt our schools at all, and I am going to give you some figures and comments on the budget to be passed on, and with these figures bear in mind that our sewage disposal plant wants two clocks to tell time by and that had to be an item in their budget, and also that when the average school district wants a \$1000 played they have a BOND ELECTION on it.

So here goes: Section 5 of the budget is maintenance and repairs—repair and maintenance of buildings and grounds, \$13,500; total \$17,000. Section 8 reads New Buildings, \$15,000; alteration of buildings, \$5000; new furniture, equipment and replacements \$4000; assessments for betterments, \$4000; other capital outlays, \$2500; total \$30,500. And to cap all this is section 10: Emergency \$5000, or a grand total of above amounts of \$82,500 and that is not only this year alone.

The figures of the last six budgets are as follows:
For repairs and maintenance, a total of \$71,200 and for article 8, capital outlay, \$121,800, or a grand total of \$193,000, and in those figures is included \$50,000 for new buildings in the last three budgets, and not a single bond election, or even a protest from anyone.

Now why in the world it should take a fifth of a million dollars to keep up our school equipment in only 6 years after we gave them almost a full set of new schools in the last few years is more than I can see.

Now if you property owners that voted NO on the park proposition really want to protest something, be out next Monday

evening (Nov. 6th) at the City School Superintendent's office (City Hall) and tell those fellows where to head in at; I'll be there to tell them plenty.
GEO. IVERSON.

Collects Perfumes.
Norman, Okla.—(AP)—Having discovered a way to place odors on paper and make them stay there, Dr. Ralph Bienfang, professor at the University of Oklahoma, makes a hobby of collecting scents. He has more than 250 of them, gathered from all parts of the world, on file. They include such rare fragrances as the scent from oil of rose and neroli oil distilled from bitter orange.

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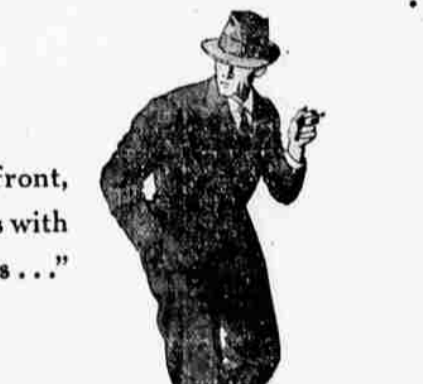
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3 Next morning I bring the wife's breakfast to bed. "Surprise!" I shout. "Sorry I lost my temper last night. Just try this coffee." She does and that old smile breaks. "It's marvelous, darling, what's the answer?" Then I tell her: "M-J-B—the Richer Roast. Guaranteed to keep peace in the family!"