

# Society and Clubs

By Clara Mary Davis

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## Church Guild To Convene Monday

Crater Lake guild of the Presbyterian church will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hans Hoerlein, 1022 West Eleventh street. Business will be discussed and all members are urged to make a special effort to attend.

The evening's program will be a community affair, with each member participating, giving a brief report on either some important event of the past year or on some person who during that time has been in the limelight for any reason. An interesting evening is promised. Members may bring friends.

## Pro-America Has Several Meetings

Pro-America will hold its first meeting of the new year Monday noon at the Hotel Holland.

Luncheon will be followed by a discussion of work for the ensuing year. A professor quiz program will also be enjoyed. Subject will be "How Much Do You Know About Government?"

Monday evening in the Sixth street lobby of the Holland, a session will be in order especially for working women and others who are unable to attend the luncheon confab. All persons are invited to attend.

## P. T. A. Activities

"Adolescent Problems" will be discussed in small groups at the regular meeting of the Junior High Parent-Teacher Association to be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the school auditorium. This should be one of the most interesting meetings of the year as the subjects cover the many problems with which parents have to cope in this day and age.

We feel very fortunate in having Mr. Mayfield, principal of senior high to discuss "Discipline and Authority." This is Mr. Mayfield's first address at junior high and it will give the parents, whose children go over to senior high at mid-term, a chance to meet him and get acquainted.

Following is the program: Rating with the crowd, Miss Della Whisenant; What are late hours?, Mrs. Herbert Sims; Money problems, Mr. L. W. Marshall; School grades, Mrs. A. Brockway; Discipline and authority, Mr. Mayfield; Spiritual interests, Mr. Kirtley.

Parents may join the group that meets their needs and may enter into the discussion or merely listen. After the small group discussions for 15 minutes the speakers will give a resume of their subject before the entire assembly. Refreshments and social hour will follow.

(Contributed)

The Executive Board of the County Council of the Parent-Teacher Association were entertained at a Christmas luncheon, by Bessie F. Elhart, president, at her home in Ashland recently.

The house and table was a picture of Yuletide, with the Christmas spirit predominating everywhere.

The year's work was reviewed, and it was found that Ashland had gone over the top with membership, having more members by far than they had in any previous year. It really means something to Parent-Teacher work to see membership increasing and the work going on and one.

Plans for the County meeting at Eagle Point January 17th, were discussed and it is hoped every member in the county will be present.

A report of the magazine committee shows a decided increase in subscriptions to the National Parent-Teacher, and as this is the text book of the association, it shows that interest in the objects and standards of the work is increasing. Each unit registers their magazine chairman with the headquarters in Chicago and they in turn send material direct to the chairman, and Jackson county is way in the lead of all other Oregon counties in their subscriptions.

Each one gave Mrs. Elhart an expression of thanks expecting to meet again at Eagle Point for the County Meeting January 17th.

## Lodge-Club-Church Announcements

**Loyalty Circle Meets Thursday**

Loyalty circle of the M. E. church will convene Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. M. Price, 605 Park avenue for dessert luncheon.

**Toastmistress Club to Meet**

Toastmistress club will convene Wednesday evening at 7:45 in the Girls' Community clubhouse.

**Chrysanthemum Circle Meets**

Chrysanthemum circle, No. 84, Neighbors of Woodcraft, will meet in the K. P. hall Wednesday evening at 7:30. Entertainment and refreshments will be enjoyed.

**Building Bridge Club to Party**

Building Bridge club will enjoy a dessert card party Thursday evening at 7:30.

**Friday**

1:30 p. m.—Phoenix Garden club, home Mrs. Lillian Coleman.

**Saturday**

12:30 p. m.—Daughters of Nile, Plaza Hotel, Ashland.

1:00 p. m.—College Women's club, Hotel Medford.

1:30 p. m.—Building Bridge club, Catholic parish hall.

1:30 p. m.—Loyalty circle, home Mrs. H. M. Price, 605 Park avenue.

2:15 p. m.—W.C.T.U., home Mrs. E. G. Roseborough, 718 West Main street.

8:00 p. m.—Past Noble Grands, Girls' Community clubhouse.

1:30 p. m.—Phoenix Garden club, home Mrs. Lillian Coleman.

day afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Catholic parish hall on South Oakdale avenue.

Mrs. R. L. Lewis and Mrs. F. H. Woodward will be the hostesses.

**Loyal Women's Class to Meet**

The Loyal Woman's class of the First Christian church will meet in the church parlors at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon for a regular class party. All members and their friends are invited to attend.

**Lemery Home to Be Meets Scene**

P.E.O., chapter AA will convene Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock for luncheon at the home of Mrs. Charles W. Lemery in Roseborough addition.

Mrs. C. C. Furnas will have charge of the program.

**Mistletoe Club To Meet Soon**

The Mistletoe club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock for a regular business session and covered dish luncheon at the home of Rena Henspeter in Jacksonville. New officers will be installed. Members are asked to bring service.

**Get-Together Club Luncheon**

The Get-Together club will enjoy a potluck luncheon Wednesday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock in the Eagles hall. Installation of officers will follow. All members are asked to attend.

**F. L. Club To Convene Soon**

F. L. club will convene Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Edna Hilderbrand, 719 Bennett avenue.

**Travel Study Club To Meet**

Travel Study club will convene Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. L. Brown on Geneva street. Miss Elizabeth Burr will discuss "Quatamalo in Central America" and Mrs. Harold Larsen and Mrs. Everett Faber will also appear on the program.

**Health Board Meets Monday**

Executive board of the Jackson County Public Health association will hold its January meeting Monday noon in the Colony club.

**Garden Club to Meet Friday**

Phoenix Garden club will meet Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Lillian Coleman for dessert luncheon. Mrs. G. Cobleigh will be the assistant hostess. All members are asked to attend.

**Past Noble Grands Meet**

Past Noble Grands will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the Girls' Community clubhouse for installation of officers and to reveal sister Olive names. All members are asked to attend.

**To Bloom**

Marysville, Cal.—(U.P.)—The famous Japanese flowering cherry trees that have attracted millions of tourists to Washington, are soon to have rivals here. One hundred of the trees have been presented to the city by the Japanese-American Citizens league of the four surrounding counties who imported them from Japan.

**Baptist Group Meets Tuesday**

The Baptist auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. N. Warner, 645 Palm street. The committee in charge is com-

posed of Mrs. R. H. Remington, Mrs. Frank Albert and Mrs. S. A. Moore.

**Pythian Club Will Convene**

Pythian club will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. H. W. Barneburg, 15 Chestnut street at 8 o'clock. All members are asked to attend.

**Oregon State Mothers Meet**

Oregon State Mothers club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert Fowler on King's highway. Mrs. Leland Mentzer will present a book review.

**Group Meets On Tuesday**

Eveready circle of the Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. R. Brewer, 307 Laurel street.

**Fidelity Group To Meet Soon**

The Fidelity circle will meet at the home of Mrs. K. N. Anthony, 203 North Oakdale avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

**Queen Esther Meets Tuesday**

Queen Esther circle of the Methodist church will convene Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. W. Wakefield, 1003 West Tenth street for luncheon.

**East Side to Meet Tuesday**

East Side circle of the Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. O. A. Eden, 18 Myrtle street for luncheon.

**Grace Circle to Meet Tuesday**

Grace circle of the Presbyterian church will hold its regular monthly luncheon and meeting Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Frank Husson, 1021 West 11th street.

**Sunny Sisters Meets Tuesday**

Sunny Sisters circle of the Presbyterian church will convene Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. N. Younger, 227 South Holly street for luncheon.

**St. Mark's to Meet Tuesday**

Women's auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal church will convene in the Red Cross office rooms in the county court house for an all day session Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

**Real Money**

Middleboro, Mass.—(U.P.)—Samuel Cammarata lost some financial standing when police took off his wooden foot and found \$5 allegedly stolen money hidden there.

**Red Cross Convention**

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The Red Cross said today that because of heavy burdens arising from war relief activities abroad its annual convention would be held here April 1 instead of in Atlanta May 13-16.

## UNCLE SAM ASKED TO SQUARE BILLS OWED TO OREGON

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Oregon asked Uncle Sam yesterday to bill the state for anything it may owe the federal government and to pay in full obligations owed the state. It does not want debts subtracted from payments due and vice versa.

Oregon State Treasurer Walter E. Pearson sent Senator McNary a government check for \$41,815, representing 50 percent of grazing fees due Oregon counties. He complained that \$424 had been deducted as money owed by the state for taxes on gasoline paid by federal employees.

He said the comptroller general's office demanded the \$424 in a previous letter. Part of the payment was approved but the governor vetoed the approval. Pearson contended the federal government had no right to resort to these methods to force collection of the money.

## Shell to Provide Weather Data For Local Skiing Fans

As a special service to ski enthusiasts, Shell Oil Company, incorporated, through the courtesy of the United States Soil Conservation Service in cooperation with Weather Bureau, National Forest Service, National Park Service and others, will put out a special weather report on skiing conditions in various winter sports areas throughout the Pacific Coast, according to a statement by Ted Hornecker, local manager for the company here.

Winter sports fans will welcome this information so that they may have advance information as to snow conditions, weather, and roads in their favorite areas.

Snow condition reports will be available through Shell dealers every Saturday morning throughout the winter season. Of particular interest to winter sports enthusiasts in this section will be the report on Trail Camp, Union Creek, and Crater Lake areas.

## LEGION WILL DISCUSS COMING YEAR'S PLANS

Business of the coming year will be discussed at the meeting of Medford American Legion post Wednesday at 8 p. m. in the armory. Following the meeting a luncheon will be enjoyed in the auxiliary's hall.

Commander H. J. Meiring urges all members to attend and invites all veterans to be present.

## CHINESE CONSIDER READING IN THE BATH UNPARDONABLE BECAUSE THE WRITTEN LANGUAGE, HAVING BEEN INVENTED BY A SAINT, CHONG CHIEH, IS SACRED, AND BECAUSE IT IS COMPOSED AFTER THE STYLE OF THE GREAT SAGE, CONFUCIUS.

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## FORMER WEALTHY STEEL KING EBBS

Pittsburgh, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Steelmaster Charles M. Schwab, a multi-millionaire for 40 years, is said by the Post-Gazette to have died "a poor man."

"His wealth had withered away," reported the newspaper. "Former business associates of Mr. Schwab, young members of the group that Andrew Carnegie gathered about him, have discussed for weeks the disappearance of the once vast Schwab fortune."

No accounts have been filed by executors of Schwab's will, which was probated in New York where he died on September 18. Edward Schwab, a brother, said an accounting would be made within the usual six months limit, adding "any statement now would be premature."

Agents of the Pennsylvania revenue department reported they had been unable to locate personal or real property in this state belonging to Schwab.

## SHANGHAI LEADER ASSASSIN TARGET

Shanghai, Jan. 6.—(AP)—C. Godfrey Phillips, commissioner-general and secretary of the Shanghai municipal council, escaped injury today in a daring assassination attempt.

As he was being driven in his automobile on Avenue Haig, in the French concession, en route to his office, two men pulled jinrikishas into the path of the machine.

When the car swerved and slowed down, the men fired pistols from both sides, six bullets piercing the car.

Phillips dropped to the floor, and his chauffeur sped ahead. A native of Gloucestershire, England, Phillips came to Shanghai in 1934. As chief of the executive council, he recently has been active in negotiating with the Japanese-controlled Shanghai government over control of roads outside the international settlement.

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## ABANDON SEARCH FOR ABSENT BOY

Redding, Calif., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Patrick Coleman would not give up hope of finding his 14-year-old son, Billy, today, though the formal search was abandoned.

Forest Ranger J. W. Broken-shire said last night that posses had covered thoroughly an area 15 square miles around the cabin near Viola from which the boy disappeared last Monday. He was in weakened condition from an attack of influenza.

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## O'DAY NABBED FOR DEFRAUDING AGED

Portland, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Police arrested George O'Day, 29, last night on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Detective A. C. Heckman said the suspect admitted "buncoing" at least 11 elderly persons.

Heckman stated that about 40 cases in which old people were victims by a man posing as an old-age pension official were being investigated. He said O'Day admitted bilking several persons under guise of obtaining change for currency.

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## BILL FRAMED FOR LOAN TO FINLAND

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Senator King (D., Utah) disclosed today that he had drafted legislation to extend an unqualified RFC loan of \$25,000,000 to Finland.

As the bill now is drawn, it would permit the Finnish government to use the loan as it pleased. King said, however, that because of possible international complications it might be redrafted. One suggestion he has received is that the bill specify that the funds could be used only for food, medical supplies and the like.

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