

# Society and Clubs

by Betty Shoemaker

## President's Ball To Be Held Friday At Oriental Gardens

Medford residents will join in celebration of President Roosevelt's 60th birthday anniversary Friday night at Oriental Gardens where the annual Birthday Ball will be held by the Medford committee. Proceeds from the dance are used for the fight against infantile paralysis.

Dancing will begin at 9 p. m. and continue to 1 a. m. with music by Steve Whipple's orchestra. William Grenbemer is chairman with George Nielson as vice chairman. Tickets may be secured at the door.

Rural areas throughout the county are participating in the annual affair which was originated by President Roosevelt as a nation-wide project to raise funds for the fight against infantile paralysis.

## Van Dyke Tells Place of Church In Present Crisis

Frank Van Dyke speaking on the "Responsibility of the Church in the Present Crisis," pointed out last evening at the annual States banquet at the First Methodist church, that the church is the citadel of peace. He explained that the church should show the way of peace and should be given its place in the forming the peace to follow war.

He said that the church in this community will have a large part to play in the coming change in the Medford community. With an influx of population expected soon Mr. Van Dyke said that the church must make ready to care for an increase in church attendance. He urged a program of interest for the laborers and selectees and that friendliness and companionship must accompany the church program to be successful.

Since the selectees will be a cross section of the country they should be accepted into the church activities and he stressed the fact that friendliness will be a determining factor in their attendance. Others, he said, will come through loneliness.

Everett Faber was toastmaster and introduced Rev. Louis Kirby who led devotions. The salute to the flag and a patriotic selection by those in attendance followed. Robert Wright sang two selections and members of Mrs. Eve Prentice's Accordionettes played several numbers.

## Meeting Planned On Nutrition

A committee of women from the Talent and Valleyview districts. Mrs. J. R. McCracken, chairman, will attend the defense nutrition meeting in Medford Wednesday to receive instructions on how to conduct a similar meeting at Talent February 4.

The committee will represent the Talent and Valleyview Granges and the Talent church societies. All women in the Talent and Valleyview districts are urged to attend the February 4 meeting, time and location of which will be announced later. Plans have been made to care for children of women attending.

## Benefit Dance For Red Cross

A benefit dance for American Red Cross will be held tonight at the Dreamland Dance hall. An old-time dance is planned and those attending may wear old-time clothes it was announced today. Barney's six-piece old time orchestra from Ashland will provide music for the affair. The dance is sponsored by the Dreamland Dance company.

**Missionary Society To Meet At Church**  
Missionary Society of the Jacksonville Presbyterian church will meet in the church Thursday at 2 p. m.

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## Lodge Officers Installed By Mrs. Lindholm

Mrs. Ethel Lindholm of Portland, state past president of the Degree of Honor Protective association, installed officers of the local association last week during her visit in this city. She was assisted by Mrs. Carrie Chase, past president, and Edith Elliott, usher.

Installed were Mrs. Carl Bennett, past president; Mrs. Ernest White, president; Mrs. Frank Brazillie, vice president; Mrs. Walter Massey, second vice president; Mrs. A. W. Bradshaw, financial secretary; Mrs. R. H. Cadwallader, treasurer; Mrs. Doris Gunn, usher; Mrs. Earl Groves, assistant usher; Mrs. Helen Morris, outer watch; Mrs. Susie Johnson, inner watch; Louis Parker, pianist and Mrs. H. G. Wilson, juvenile director.

The social committee under the direction of Mrs. Johnson served refreshments at tables decorated with patriotic colors, carrying out a victory motif. Dancing followed. The service and social hour was held at Townsend hall.

## Virginia Medley, Douglas Kerns Wed

Reese Creek, Jan. 28.—(Sp1)—Miss Virginia Medley and Richard Douglas Kerns were married in Reno, Nev., January 8. Mrs. Kerns is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Medley of Reese Creek and Mr. Kerns is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kerns of Cassill, Cal.

The young couple will make their home at Benicia, Cal., where Mr. Kerns is employed at the Benicia arsenal.

## American Legion Auxiliary Meets Tonight

American Legion auxiliary members will work on Red Cross sewing following the regular business meeting to be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the Girls' Community club house, 229 North Bartlett street. Betsy Alken and Ina Goldsmith are in charge of refreshments. Maude Coddling, president, urges a good attendance.

## Eagles To Plan President's Visit

A report on the program to be presented Sunday for grand worthy president, George Tank, of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be heard tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. at the Eagles hall, Crater Lake Aerie No. 2093, F.O.E. and auxiliary members are asked to meet at Eagles hall in order that final plans may be made for the president's visit.

## Party Held At Walker Home

Mrs. Clayton Walker entertained the Mistletoe club at her home last week when the "revelation" party was held. Assistant hostess was Mrs. Ed Lovell. Pinocle was at play and prizes were awarded to Ray Olson, Mrs. Michael Beck and Russell Zundell and Mrs. Cecil Norton. An exchange of gifts was also held.

## Club Meeting Is Postponed

Calico club has postponed the meeting scheduled for Jan. 30 until Feb. 6. The meeting was to have been held at the home of Mrs. C. W. Coffman, 1299 Sunset avenue.

## CALENDAR

- Wednesday**  
6:30 p. m.—Parents night, Daughters of Job, Masonic temple.  
7:30 p. m.—Mariner's class of First Christian church, Ninth street and Oakdale avenue.  
7:30 p. m.—Junior Guild, St. Mark's Episcopal church, home Mrs. Roland Halper, 202 West Third street.  
7:30 p. m.—Eagles drill team, Eagles hall.  
8:00 p. m.—American Legion auxiliary, Girls' Community clubhouse, 229 North Bartlett street.  
9:00 p. m.—Benefit dance for American Red Cross, Dreamland dance hall.
- Thursday**  
2:00 p. m.—Jackson County Public Health association, county court house.  
2:00 p. m.—Talent Health unit, home Mrs. Jay Terrill, Talent.  
2:00 p. m.—Missionary Society, Jacksonville Presbyterian church, at church.  
7:30 p. m.—Eagles and auxiliary, Eagles hall.  
8:00 p. m.—Eamonon Benefit Victory card party, parish hall, South Oakdale avenue.

## Eamonon Club Plans Card Party

The Eamonon club of Sacred Heart parish is sponsoring a benefit "Victory" card party Thursday at 8 p. m. at the parish hall on South Oakdale avenue. Members of the parish, friends and others interested are invited.

The party will initiate a fund to furnish equipment and fixtures to convert the parish hall into a more comfortable social and recreational center. The purpose of the renovation will be to furnish a home-like atmosphere for soldiers of Catholic faith who will be stationed in the proposed army cantonment. Furniture, writing tables, magazines, books, piano, radio-phonograph and ping-pong table will be at the disposal of not only all parish groups but primarily for the men in the armed service.

## LIVESTOCK

**Portland**  
Portland, Ore., Jan. 28.—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle 125, total 150; calves 50; market slow, mostly steady; medium to good best fed steers \$11.00-12.00; odd head to \$12.50; common heifers \$8.00-50; canner and cutter cows \$5.50-6.50; fat dairy type cows \$6.75-7.40; medium beef cows \$8.25-50; good bulls \$9.50-10.00; odd head to \$10.25; good to choice vealers \$13.50-14.50.

Hogs 900; market opened active on best hogs; later trade slow with off-grades hard to move; early market strong to 10 cents higher than Tuesday's close; late bids only steady; good to choice 170-215 lbs. drive-ins \$12.25-30; few selected lots \$12.00; medium grades \$12.25 down; 230-270 lbs., \$11.50-12.50; light lights \$11.50-11.75; sows from \$25-500 lbs. \$9.00-9.75; odd light sows \$10.00; good to choice feeder pigs \$11.00.

Sheep 50; few sales steady; good to choice fall-born lambs \$11.00; medium grades down to \$10.00; good to choice woolled lambs salable \$11.50-75 with earlocks fed lambs eligible to \$12.10; fat ewes salable \$8.50-75 or above.

## Pear Market Yesterday

**South San Francisco**  
South San Francisco, Jan. 28.—(F.)—(Fed-State Mkt. News)—Cattle 50; largely steady; few trucked lots medium grade steers \$11.00-12.25; odd head common \$10.00; no heifers; good grades quoted upward to \$11.75; good cows quotable to \$9.25 absent; odd lots medium grades \$8.00, odd lots commor \$7.50-75; canners and cutters mostly \$6.00-7.25; medium grade bulls \$6.50, good grades quotable to \$9.50 or better. Calves; salable none; good to choice vealers quoted around \$12.00-13.00.

Hogs 400; market steady; bulk good to choice 185-225 lb. barrows and gilts \$12.65; sows firm, good grades \$10.00-25, mostly \$10.15.

Sheep none; good to choice woolled lambs nominally quoted to \$12.75; choice ewes quoted to \$7.00.

## Chicago

Chicago, Jan. 28.—(U.S.D.A.)—Hogs 22,500; mostly steady although extreme top 15 lower; top \$11.85.

Cattle 11,000; calves 900; steers and yearlings steady to 25 lower; mostly weak to 25 off on medium to strictly good 1200-1500 lb. steers; top \$14.75 paid for choice yearlings.

Sheep 3,200; fat lambs fairly active, strong to 15 higher; numerous decks and loads good to choice fed and native lambs \$12.25-50; fat sheep scarce, steady.

## Portland Produce

Portland, Ore., Jan. 28.—(P)—Live poultry—Selling prices to retailers: light hens, 180 lb.; medium hens, 18-19c lb.; colored springs, 20c lb.; stags, 12-14c lb.; roosters, 11c lb.; pekin ducks, young, 20c lb.; old, 20c; guinea hens, 40-50c each; capons over 7 lbs., 26c lb.

Other produce unchanged.

## Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Jan. 28.—(P)—Wheat:  
Open High Low Close  
May 1.31 1.31 1.30 1.30  
July 1.32 1.33 1.31 1.32  
Sept. 1.34 1.34 1.33 1.33

## Portland Wheat

Portland, Ore., Jan. 28.—(P)—Grain:  
Wheat: Open High Low Close  
May 1.27 1.27 1.27 1.27  
Cash grain: cats No. 2, 35-lb. white \$40.00; barley, No. 2 45-lb. b.w. \$34.50.  
Cash wheat (bid): soft white \$1.04; soft white excluding red \$1.05; white club \$1.07; western red \$1.05.  
Hard red winter: ordinary \$1.08 1/2; 10 pct. \$1.08; 11 pct. \$1.14; 12 pct. \$1.18.  
Hard white-bairt: ordinary \$1.14.

10 pct. \$1.18 1/2; 11 pct. \$1.24 1/2; 12 pct. \$1.28 1/2.

Today's car receipts: wheat 42; barley 0; flour 8; corn 4; oats 1; hay 3; millfeed 3; flaxseed 2.

**San Francisco Butter**  
San Francisco, Jan. 28.—(P)—Butter, eggs and cheese unchanged.

**Sacramento, Jan. 28.—(P)—**Churning cream butterfat: first grade 41c; second grade 39c.

## Wall St. Report

New York, Jan. 28.—(P)—News today brought only minor vibrations in the stock market and these for the most part counted slightly against values.

Dealings matched the lowest days of the past week or so totaling for the five-hour stretch around 450,000 shares.

Today's closing prices for 24 selected stocks follow:

Al. Chem. & Dye	138 1/2
Am. Can	64
A. T. & T.	127 1/2
Anaconda	27 1/2
Atch. T. & S. P.	24 1/2
Bendix Avia.	34 1/2
B. Steel	38 1/2
Caterpillar Tract.	37 1/2
Chrysler	48 1/2
Curtis-Wright	8
Douglas Airt.	unmtd
DuPont	129
Gen. Elec.	28 1/2
Gen. Motors	35 1/2
Gen. Mot.	33
Int. Harvest	49 1/2
Johns-Man.	56
Kennecott	54
Monty Ward	28 1/2
No. Amn. Av'n	13 1/2
North Amer.	65
Penney (J. C.)	23 1/2
Penn. R. R.	23 1/2
Phillips Pet.	40 1/2
Radio	3
Sou. Pac.	13
Std. Brands	4 1/2
St. Oil Cal.	21 1/2
St. Oil N. J.	40 1/2
Trans. Amer.	4
Union Carb.	60 1/2
Unit. Aircraft	32 1/2
United Airtline	11 1/2
U. S. Steel	53 1/2

## GENERAL DEWITT VETOES HEARING ON TRAIN LOSS

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Gen. DeWitt's wishes end the proposed hearing in Yreka, Cal., which had been set for February 9.

Fort Knox, Ky., Jan. 28.—(P)—Making the successful crossing to northern Ireland with the American expeditionary force were 24 nurses, who had been in training at Fort Knox.

Boatner quoted a letter from President J. J. Pelley of the Association of American Railroads saying the Southern Pacific (which withdrew passenger service between Grants Pass and the California city January 12) is faced with an acute situation and finds it necessary to eliminate passenger mileage wherever possible.

The city of Medford, Jackson County and the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce joined in the formal protest against removal of the trains until it could be determined by parties other than the Southern Pacific company whether military necessity dictated service curtailment or whether the railroad was using this as an excuse to carry out a plan based solely on its own wishes. The protest asked the interstate commerce commission to issue an order to desist until reasons for the train removal could be determined. It was always emphasized there was no intention to interfere with war needs. The trains were discontinued January 11.

It was indicated here that all the protestants, including Ashland, Grants Pass and Josephine county, would now accept the move as one dictated by military needs. It was indicated also, however, that the Southern Pacific would be held to its pledge to restore the trains when the present military emergency has passed.

## ROGUE RIVER GIRL WITH AEF NURSES

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First Lieut. Beatrice M. Dare, chief of the Fort Knox nurses, said many of the girls had not been out of their native states before coming to the post.

Half of the 24 nurses are from Ohio, five are from Indiana, two each from Kentucky and Pennsylvania and one each from West Virginia, New Hampshire and Oregon. They include: Ruby Putnam, Rogue River, Ore.

## WELCH APPOINTED NEW HUSKY COACH

Seattle, Jan. 28.—(P)—Ray L. Eckmann, director of student activities today announced selection of Ralph (Pest) Welch, University of Washington freshman football coach to be head coach succeeding James M. Phelan. Welch also had been one of the assistant varsity coaches and chief scout for Phelan, whose contract was not renewed for this year.

Welch attended Sherman (Tex.) high school before going to Perdue university where he became an All-American half-back under Phelan's tutelage. At Washington he specialized in coaching punters. He came here with Phelan 12 years ago.

America's annual production of candles is valued at \$6,300,000.



WINTRY—A degrading is the next step for Battalion Chief William Travers, who got this victory while directing the fight against a tough four-alarm blaze in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Travers, a fireman with the New York City Fire Department, was awarded a Purple Heart for his actions during a fire in Brooklyn, N.Y. He was the only fireman to be awarded a Purple Heart for actions during a fire in Brooklyn, N.Y.

struck the side of the Chevrolet truck, operated by Richard Luter Bach of Malin, as it pulled out of Howard avenue onto the Pacific highway. Drivers of the two vehicles were uninjured.

## SALVAGE COMMITTEE

Salem, Jan. 28.—(P)—The state defense council announced today that Governor Sprague would appoint a state salvage committee to supervise the collection of waste materials. The committee would function as part of a nationwide campaign.

## OLD BILL BOBS UP

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 28.—(P)—Mr. "X" needs a birth certificate to hold his job. The physician who aided the stork 41 years ago said he would provide an affidavit only after the applicant pays a \$15 balance on his own birth bill.

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