

COMMUNICATIONS

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Woodman, Spare The Trees

To the Editor: I live in the country out of Eagle Point and a few weeks ago I drove into that town and much to my surprise big tractors were taking out some of those lovely big trees on the main street.

I asked different ones what they were doing that for and they said the county was doing it as they wanted to put in sidewalks and the trees were in the road.

I have lived in large cities and have seen many sidewalks that curved around big trees and I thought they were lovely.

I wish those responsible for doing this, had lived where I did when I was a child. There were no trees to speak of only along a river.

A tree to me is almost human. I have always felt that those large, beautiful trees on Eagle Point's main street helped the town very much. When you think of the years they have spent to grow where they have, why not let them live on?

If some large limbs were in the way they could be sawed off neatly and not mar the looks of the tree. So I say, woodman, whoever you are, spare the trees. (Name on file).

Court Records

Justice Court

Aaron Durham, passing with insufficient clearance, fine \$2.50 and costs.

James A. Wade, reckless driving and no operator's license, total fine \$11 and costs.

Tyler O. Evans, inadequate brakes, fine \$1 and costs.

Donald W. Moody, more than three persons in driver's seat, fine \$1 and costs.

Perry P. McCoy and Gleason E. Kent, no vehicle license, fine \$1 and costs each.

Patricia A. Johnson, violation of basic rule, fine \$1 and costs.

Police Court
Lincoln Kennaday, failure to stop at stop street, fine \$5.

Marjorie Cox, no operator's license, fine \$5.

Court House News

Divorce Decrees

Robertson, Olive Howard vs. Noah A. Findley, Frances A. vs. Robert L. To plaintiff.

Divorce Complaint
Henselman, Audrey J. vs. Edward Bruce.

Divorce Complaint
Moore, Ronald vs. Phyllis.

BIRTHS

SOLEBERGER—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence, box 702, Eagle Point, Feb. 25, 1950, a boy, 9 pounds, at Community hospital.

BLISS—To Mr. and Mrs. Merrill, Trail, Feb. 28, 1950, a girl, 9½ pounds, at Community hospital.

LITTLE—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert, 1990 Kings highway, Feb. 27, 1950, a girl, 6 pounds, at Community hospital.

MERRILL—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert, Talent, Feb. 24, 1950, a boy, 7½ pounds, at Community hospital.

FETZER—To Mr. and Mrs. Bernard, 928 South Ivy street, Feb. 27, 1950, a boy, 6½ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

SARGEANT—To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin R. Prospect, Feb. 26, 1950, a boy, 6½ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

WARDEN—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred, Gold Hill, Feb. 27, 1950, a boy, 5 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

LEWIS — To Mr. and Mrs. Jack, 111 Lindley street, Feb. 28, 1950, a girl, weight 9 pounds at Community hospital.

Civic Theater To Change Name, New Officers Elected

Reorganization of the Medford Civic theater was started last night with the election of new officers and the change of the group's name to "The Footlights," when members met last night at the Jackson school gym.

Mrs. Lenore Zappell was elected president.

The group plans to hold two major social affairs each year with a spring dance scheduled on a date and at a place to be announced later. A fall dance was also discussed.

A committee to draw up a new constitution and act as an advisory board to the executive committee was elected with Frank Buchter, Mrs. Charity Keeble and Robert Collins as members.

Other officers elected included Keith Hopkins, vice-president; Miss Pat Wilkinson, secretary; Max Wimmer, treasurer, and Robert MacLauchlan, business manager.

'Fun For Family' To Be Carnival Theme

"Fun for all the family" is the aim of the Washington Parent-Teacher association in planning the school carnival to be held Friday, March 3 in the school gymnasium according to Mrs. J. J. Finegan, chairman of the committee. The carnival will open at 7 p.m.

Many games and refreshment booths are planned, and there will be prizes for games and other prizes for persons of all ages, it was announced.

Washington school dads are asked to meet in the gymnasium today at 7 p.m. to build booths and each is asked to bring his own hammer and saw. Any mother who wishes to help decorate the booths is asked to meet in the gymnasium any time after 10 a.m. Wednesday.

BEST DIRECTOR

Hollywood, Feb. 28 — (UPI) — Robert Rossen won the Screen Directors' guild nomination as best director of the quarter for "All the King's Men." The nomination made him eligible for the guild's annual best-director-of-the-year prize.

Ukiah, Cal., Feb. 28 — (UPI) — Roy Gilliland, Powers, Ore., was killed yesterday when his motorcycle collided with an auto on Hilltop grade near Underwood park in Mendocino county.

Rogue River

Rogue River, Feb. 28 — The budget for school district number 33 has been posted. A public meeting to discuss the budget is scheduled for Monday, March 13, at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. All legal voters are allowed to vote on the budget.

The Rev. and Mrs. D. F. Barnett returned Thursday from El Monte, Cal., where they visited with relatives and friends the past week. The Barnetts were guests, on the motor trip, of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Messman of Grants Pass. Mr. Rev. and Mrs. Barnett were well pleased with the new church organ which was installed on trial during their absence.

Funeral services for Josephine Evelene Preslar, 65, were held February 25, at Hope Presbyterian church in Rogue River. Mrs. Preslar, a resident of Oregon for the past 40 years, recently made her home at Foothills Creek. She was born August 29, 1884, in Missouri, and passed away February 21, 1950, following a short illness. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. John Fleming of Highway 99, and two sons, Lloyd Preslar of Grants Pass and Garvin Preslar of Butte Falls. Interment was in Woodville cemetery here.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis of Copper, Ore., spent the week-end at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Taylor of East Evans creek.

Thirty-one business men of

Rogue River and Rogue Junction dined Thursday evening at the Rogue Riviera. They met under the leadership of Dave Gelvin to discuss organizing a business men's association for this locality. Some of the local business men were not contacted in time to attend the meeting, according to Gelvin, and a large group is expected at the next meeting which will be held Thursday, March 2 at 7:30 p.m. at the Rogue Riviera.

It is rumored a minstrel show is to be given at the Grange hall on April 29, but the present topic of conversation among Grange ladies includes southern recipes as well as costumes and that fact is causing much speculation.

Laying of water pipes to the Woodville cemetery has been completed, according to Phil Strahan, chairman of the Cemetery association, and he wishes to thank all the men who helped with the work and those who donated use of their equipment. "And we especially thank the Medford Mail Tribune," he stated, "for the publicity they gave our project. It was greatly appreciated."

Dolores Baker spent February 25 with Joyce Cleveland at the Cleveland home on East Evans creek. When she returned home that evening a group of her school friends, laden with many lovely gifts were there to greet her and to celebrate her 15th birthday. After an evening of games, dainty refreshments were served. Guests were Joyce, Victor and Curtis Cleveland, Carol Ann and Harry Elledge, Della and Larry Hatch, Marie Klith, Ronnie and Dannie Yates, Duane Grafstrom, Pastor and Mrs. E. L. Grafstrom, Mrs. Andrew Yates and Mrs. J. Cleveland.

Rogue River, Feb. 28 — Mrs. Florence Heck of Grants Pass spent last week visiting at the Frank Hall farm on West Evans Creek road. Mrs. Heck is a former member of Live Oak Grange, having joined in 1927 when Thomas Galligan was master.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Linderman entertained a small group of friends at a birthday dinner, one day last week. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Plank, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall, Omer Stolle, all of Rogue River and Mrs. Florence Heck of Grants Pass.

Carl Meyers returned Thursday from Portland where he attended a hardware conference. He states he has a new sign for his store and will soon have it installed.

The three small daughters of Robert and Ruby Martin are happy at the arrival of their new brother, Robert Jr., born February 19.

The birthdays of three members of the family were celebrated Wednesday at the W. A. White home on East Evans creek with a dinner. Mrs. Jane Moore Cook and Mrs. George Moore were born on February 22, while the birthday of Loretta Steinmetz of Gold Hill, falls on February 21. Other guests at the dinner were Harry Leigh Steinmetz and Mrs. Jerusha Moore.

Tax equalization boards of Rogue River, Gold Hill and Central Point will meet Monday evening with H. J. Logan and A.

A. Selander, tax engineers of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stephens of Sitkum, Ore., daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Badley, spent the past week at the Badley home on Highway 99. Mr. Badley's health is about the same, according to his wife's report.

Mrs. Jerusha Moore is spending a week with her son, William H. Moore and family at Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hargitt motored to Hillsboro, Ore., Tuesday, where they visited Mrs. Hargitt's parents. On Wednesday they attended the Tri-County Rural Carriers convention at Corvallis.

Ladies of the Church of God entertained Thursday at a shower for Mrs. Freida Hatch with 24 guests present. The party was held in the dining room of the church and many beautiful presents were received from friends and relatives.

Mrs. L. E. Field of Minneapolis sister of Mrs. Vern Rathbun has purchased the Petrie home on Broadway. The sisters were reared on a farm, according to Mrs. Rathbun, but Mrs. Field has been occupying a city apartment for the past eight years and this will be her first experience of owning a home in a small town. She has returned to Minneapolis to supervise the packing and shipping of her furniture. Mrs. Field is a widow and a Gold Star mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Teed Cardin are trading their business corner for a large home in Grants Pass and expect to complete the deal and move Monday. The new owners, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hopper, have operated a store for many years and are well known in this vicinity.



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