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Traveler's Letter Describes Stay In Hawaii And Japan

Some highlights of their stays in Honolulu and Japan were given by Dr. and Mrs. Bert R. Elliott in a letter received by friends this week. The Elliotts left about two weeks ago on a round-the-world trip by plane.

"Mrs. Elliott and I arrived at Honolulu's Royal Hawaiian hotel on Waikiki beach by Pan-American clipper. After an 'around the island' trip, during which, among other things, we visited thousands of acres of sugar cane and pineapple plantations, including that of the Dole Pineapple company, we feel that we may be 'on the dole' when we return home. Fresh pineapple runs out of our ears and all the food is super. Fresh vegetables fed the tourists in Hawaii come mostly from the main land, but those grown in Japan are from hydroponic gardens.

"We visited Ernie Pyle's grave at beautiful Punch Bowl cemetery, the Foster Botanical gardens, Mt. Fantalus, saw hula hula dancers in the Coconut Grove and the warm, beautiful, mermaid infested beach of Waikiki.

"The year-round temperature is from 45 to 80 degrees. There are no chimneys in the houses. "Flying to Japan, we traveled some 4400 miles in one day, stopping 1 1/2 hours at Wake island, which is small, low and flat. When taking pictures of the one little church, one felt that the breakers might come right up and take both the church and us. Only 250 people live on the island.

Dr. Elliott wrote that there are three kinds of money in Japan and that "it takes too much space." He added the fact that \$1 equals 360 yen.

"John Morley, the columnist, is with us most of the time," he continued, and described him as a "wonderful man." Dr. Elliott also wrote of meeting Mr. and Mrs. Russel Ulrich and daughter, Sue, Mr. Ulrich being a son of Mrs. Lewis Ulrich of Medford.

He described the weather as "cool" and remarked about the fact that tables, chairs, mirrors, sinks and beds are "all way low." Japanese people he described as friendly, polite and clean, and the children as fat and rosy.

"There are bicycles everywhere," he wrote, "and some with freight carts behind that would interest Archie Pierce." The traveler wrote that the two had toured MacArthur's headquarters, the important Diet building and saw the station from where Tokyo Rose broadcast during the last war. He mentioned that they had visited Kamisura, Yokohama, the Hakone mountains, Mt. Fuji and Atomi, describing the latter as the Riviera of Japan.

When the traveler wrote, the Elliotts were beginning a 14-day tour of Kyoto island.

Lively Oaks To Hold Meeting On Wednesday

Members of the Lively Oaks club will hold a meeting Wednesday, March 22 in the home of Mrs. Robert Davis, at 7:30 p.m. Those attending are to take material and patterns and the evening will be spent sewing on skirts.

Material is at the J. C. Penney store under the club's name for those who have not made their purchases.

First Christian Church Women Plan Meetings; Schedule Luncheons

Circles of First Christian church will meet this week on Thursday, with exception of Winklebeck circle which will meet Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Rita Hinkle.

At 10 a.m. Thursday Hopkins circle members will meet for covered dish luncheon in Fellowship hall. At noon, Furgeson circle will serve a covered dish luncheon there.

Daugherty circle members will gather at the home of Mrs. B. E. Ford, Perrydale avenue at 12:30 p.m. for covered dish luncheon. A 1:30 p.m. dessert luncheon will be served by Della Childs circle in the home of Mrs. Childs, 334 South Grape street.

Mrs. Howard Gault will be hostess to Kindred circle members in her home on Delta Waters road at noon. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

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Oak Grove Club Plans Meeting For Tuesday

Oak Grove Neighborhood club will meet in the home of Mrs. Frances Perry Flyn, 604 West Main street, Tuesday, March 21, at 1:30 p.m.

Fourteen members of the club and their husbands spent a social evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thurman, Jacksonville highway, Saturday. Dinner was served and canasta and bridge were played. Spring flowers and tapers furnished table decorations.

Visiting Guest, Couple Honored By Chapter; Association Will Meet

Jacksonville—Adair chapter, Order of Eastern Star, met Thursday in the Masonic hall in Jacksonville.

Honored guests were Robert Hogue, worthy patron of Esther chapter of Adin, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Matthews, who will celebrate their 49th wedding anniversary Saturday. Mr. Hogue is a son of Mrs. Frances Taylor.

Several members were added to the chapter by affiliation. Courtesy girls gave a pantomime and refreshments were served. Tables were decorated with daffodils and yellow streamers. A wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom was placed at the head table, which had been decorated with yellow lettering indicating "49th anniversary."

Southern Oregon Association of Eastern Stars will meet in the Jacksonville Masonic hall Sunday, March 26, at 1 p.m. A covered dish luncheon will be served. All members of the Order of Eastern Star are invited.

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Benefit Supper Will Be Sponsored Saturday By Auxiliary Group

The auxiliary to Canton Siskiyou, Patriarchs Militant, will sponsor a chicken and noodle supper, open to the public, March 25 in the IOOF hall, 221 West Sixth street. The serving hours will be from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Mrs. O. S. Walden is general chairman for the affair. Entertainment will follow the supper and there will be cards and other games. A nominal charge will be made for the supper and there will be children's portions.

Sams Valley Extension Plans Tuesday Meeting

Sams Valley — Sams Valley Extension unit members will meet in the home of Mrs. Floyd Doland, Tuesday, March 21 at 10:30 a.m. Topic for the day's demonstration will be "Getting the Most from Electricity."

Each of those attending is to take an electric cord which needs repair, small screw driver, an old pair of scissors and a sharp knife.

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