

# Society and Clubs

## Christmas Without Rationing To Be Gay One for Britons

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London—(U.P.)—This will be Britain's first Christmas without food rationing in 15 years—and as a result, the most sumptuous. Housewives happily are pre-

paring holiday meals from the greatest assortment of foods and delicacies seen in shops since the start of World War II in September, 1939.

## Scrap-to-Apron!



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Even the traditional Christmas pudding will be more of the homemade variety. London shops report the ready-made variety is a slow seller. No trouble finding the makings, they say.

London already is decorated for the Yuletide, and trees with colored lights and decorations will deck most homes.

The royal family plans to spend Christmas at Sandringham—in much the same fashion as the rest of Britain. Carolers with their traditional lanterns on poles will sing the favorite carols of Queen Elizabeth II and her family, and an excited Prince Charles and Princess Ann will go to bed wondering what Santa will bring them.

Early Christmas morning, the young prince and princess like children all over the country will open gifts, and after breakfast the family will walk to the old parish church for services. Then, back home for the traditional Christmas feast, and the opening of more gifts.

All over Britain, the Christmas dinner is served at mid-day. Typical menu is that planned by Mrs. Norman White, wife of a London engineer, who will feature roast turkey, Mrs. White said the Christmas day meal for herself, her husband, their two children, her mother and sister will cost about 10 pounds—\$28.

The menu: Chilled grapefruit, roast stuffed turkey, boiled ham, giblet gravy, bread sauce, potatoes, brussels sprouts, green salad, Christmas pudding with rum butter, mince pies with brandy sauce, fruit salad and cream, nuts, and wine.

## Live Oak Grange Announces Party

Rogue River — Live Oak Grange, Rogue River, has planned the annual Christmas party for Thursday, December 16, at the Grange hall. There will be a gift exchange, entertainment, and refreshments will be served.

All Grangers and their families are invited to attend.

## Medford Student To Be Graduated

Jack Lanford, son of Mrs. Nannie Lanford, 214 Willamette street, will be graduated this week from the University of Oregon when he will receive a bachelor of science degree in business administration. He has been offered a position with the Portland General Motors company offices. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Mr. Lanford was graduated in 1947 from Medford Senior High school and attended Southern Oregon college for three years. His mother has been living at Eugene while he attended the university. Both are expected to arrive here before the holiday season.

## Medford Doctor Studies at Hospital

Dr. C. L. Coyle, 708 Park street, left yesterday by plane for a brief stay in Vancouver, B. C. He will take a graduate course in pediatrics at Vancouver General hospital.

Dr. Coyle will return Thursday. Also returning home that day will be Miss Janet Coyle, their daughter, who is a junior at Oregon State college.

## CALENDAR

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day of publication, and for week day news is 5 p.m. the day before publication.

- Monday**  
7:30 p.m. Women's Missionary group. Mrs. Clarence Young, Eagle Point.  
7:45 p.m. — Gorsline circle, First Baptist church, Mrs. Ray Bishop, 384 Stewart ave.  
7:45 p.m. — Degree of Honor Protective association, Redman hall.  
8 p.m. — NOW, Odd Fellows hall.  
8 p.m. Wanderers club, Mrs. Margaret Davis, 1205 East Main st.  
8 p.m. — Butte Falls Parent Teacher association, high school auditorium.
- Tuesday**  
10 a.m. — Eagle Point Federated Garden club, home of Mrs. Augusta Perry.  
10:30 a.m. — Sams Valley Home Extension unit, home of Mrs. William Duggan.  
10:30 a.m. — Oakgrove Home Extension unit, 87 Perrydale lane.  
1 p.m. — Lady Elks, Elks club party lounge.  
1 p.m. — Women's Fellowship of First Baptist church, Mrs. S. A. Moore, 1222 West Main st.  
2 p.m. — Women's Relief corps of Central Point, home of Mrs. Elizabeth Faber.

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## Legion Auxiliary To Pack Baskets

The December business meeting of Medford American Legion auxiliary will be held at the Legion Home, Tuesday evening, December 14. Reports will be given by the members of the various standing committees, and also by those who attended the annual conference of district 13, which was held in Ashland in November.

All members are asked to take a can of food for the Christmas baskets which are prepared each year for worthy families.

## Honor Fraternity Initiates Student

Frank B. Gerety, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gerety, 115 South Ivy street, Medford, was recently initiated into Phi Delta Kappa, professional fraternity in education at Colorado State college of Education, Greeley, Colo., where he is a student.

Fifty-seven men were initiated into the education group at a banquet held at the college.

## Pressman's Local Has Party Friday

Members of the Pressman's local, American Federation of Labor, and invited guests met Friday evening at The Dardenelle, Gold Hill, for a dinner dance and Christmas party. About 30 persons attended.

Roy Morgan is president of the group; Joe Wasson, vice-president; and Jack White, secretary-treasurer.

## 82-Year-Old Woman To Start Law Practice

Indianapolis, Ind.—(U.P.)—Mrs. Eliza J. Penfield will be admitted to law practice in Indiana tomorrow at the age of 82.

Mrs. Penfield, a leader in the fight for woman's suffrage in the early 1900s, was admitted to the bar in New York in 1916 at the age of 40. She practiced in that state for 36 years.

Most grease spots on carpets and rugs will come off when rubbed with a clean cloth dipped in hot water and ammonia.

## Artists Name New Officers; Select Works

Hal Bishop was named president of Southern Oregon Society of Artists during the annual election of officers last Wednesday. The society met at Girls Community club.

Also elected were John Ahern, vice-president; Mrs. W. L. Neece, secretary, and Mrs. R. G. Carter, treasurer.

Mr. Bishop, widely known southern Oregon artist, served as the society's vice-president the past year, and was program chairman in 1933. Having recently sold his business, the Medford Art center, Mr. Bishop now plans to devote more time to painting. Prior to coming to the Rogue valley Mr. Bishop taught art in California schools. Since coming here he has given considerable time to activities which have furthered the interest of creative art.

The society's new vice-president, Mr. Ahern, was program director of Radio Station KYJC for eight years prior to his purchase of the Art center. Mr. Ahern, who received his training in art in Portland, and who also studied design in Kansas City, plans to continue to instruct private classes in oil.

Mrs. Neece, who has served as the society's secretary since August, began painting as a young girl and had finished much work, both in the modern and traditional manner, before graduating from high school. She is also interested in cartooning.

Mrs. Carter is a recent member of the society and started to paint only a year ago after encouragement from her husband, whose hobby also is painting. Mrs. Carter is head of the recording department in the county clerk's office.

Following the election Mr. Bishop outlined plans for the group and selected a committee to plan coming social events. Named were Clifford Platz, Mrs. Charles K. Todd and Mrs. Effie G. White.

Miss Ora Rusk was admitted to the society as an associate member.

"Picture of the Month" chosen by the group was an oil by Mrs. Elizabeth Sheffield, Rogue River. Mrs. Sheffield says it is a picture of the Bell Homestead in Oklahoma, which she painted

from a small photograph taken many years ago. She also told of the sale of a painting to Robert De Armond, Rogue River. Mrs. Sheffield contributes part of each sale to the building fund of Hope Presbyterian church, Rogue River.

"Artist's Selection" to be exhibited in Purucker's Piano house, was a portrait of Mrs. Don Deussenbury, Gold Hill, painted by Mrs. Neece. It was painted in 1933, and at that time Mrs. Neece was a student of Louis Bunce, Portland artist.

Paintings to be exhibited at Girls' Community club during January are "The Street," a scene from Algiers by Dr. E. O. Muhs of Camp White, and a floral still-life by Mrs. Carter, entitled "Anemones."

Before the group voted on the selection of the paintings, each exhibitor was asked by Mr. Bishop to give a brief history of the picture, where the subject matter had been obtained, how the final effect had been achieved, and what media and materials were used.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Retta Robertson and Mrs. Viola Tolman Blue of Gold Hill.

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