

HORNBROOK Officer Given Farewell Party

By MRS. H. H. CHAPMAN
Hornbrook — Harold (B. U.) Shook was honored last Friday at a farewell dinner given by the Hornbrook Grange at the Grange hall.

He is employed at the California State Quarantine station on Highway 99, and is being transferred to Alturas, Calif. Shook has been a resident here for about 12 years. For most of that time he has been a member of the Grange, and was master for three years.

During his term as master, he was responsible for acquiring the fire truck, and establishing a volunteer fire department here. He was also active in Boy Scouts, and a leader in many other community activities.

After the dinner and the testimonial speeches, all of which came as a surprise to Shook, he responded with a speech of thanks and farewell to the community. His son, Jimmy, a seventh grade pupil in the local grammar school, will remain here until the end of the term, then will join his father in Alturas.

At the regular meeting of the Grange last Friday, it was decided to hold a series of card parties, the first one to take place May 5 at 8 p. m. (DST). Prizes will be awarded and lunch will be served. Committee for the card parties is Mrs. Frank Bear, chairman; Mrs. Bertha Bradley and Al Gregory.

Mrs. Lawrence Breceda returned last Saturday from a three-weeks' visit in Sacramento with her mother, and in San Francisco, with her sister.

Mrs. Marshall Horn recently fell at the home of her sister, Mrs. Minnie Newton, in Yreka, and sustained a cracked hip bone. She is in the Siskiyou County General hospital where she will remain for another week.

The Boy Scouts held a 75 cents all-you-can-eat fried chicken dinner at the Grange hall last Sunday evening. The dinner was well attended, and the boys' treasury was given a substantial boost.

Mrs. Harry Chapman returned last Thursday from Houston, Texas, where she was called by the critical illness of her mother, Mrs. W. T. Edgill, who is well known in Hornbrook, having spent a part of each year for the past five years visiting here with her daughter. Mrs. Chapman reports the weather was dry, and the politics hot in the southern state. Weather-wise, Houston was an exception, as one inch of rain fell there in two days during her stay, and everyone was rejoicing.

The Women's Society of the Hornbrook Methodist church held its regular meeting Thurs-

day at the home of Mrs. Bertha Bradley. Besides the hostess, members present were Mrs. S. D. Haworth, Mrs. Henley Clawson, Mrs. Ardon Burns, Mrs. Clarence Gowing, president; Mrs. Ernest Adams, Mrs. Minnie Bloomingcamp, and Mrs. Clara Howard. The next meeting will be held at the church May 10, with th. pastor's wife, Mrs. C. C. Addington, as hostess.

Visitors on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cavin were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Frain, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Givinn, all of Klamath Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and Mr. and Mrs. William Cavin of Klamath river.

Mrs. Minnie Bloomingcamp was a business visitor in Medford last Saturday. Returning with her for the weekend were her daughter, Mrs. Marge Snyder and children, Karen and Victor, of Medford. Charles Bloomingcamp took them home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sloan returned last week from Eureka, Calif., where they attended the wedding of one of their twin daughters, Thelma.

A second son, Paul Allen, was born on his parents eighth wedding anniversary April 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wyatt of Central Point, Ore., at Sacred Heart hospital in Medford. The baby, who weighed seven pounds two ounces has a brother, Stephen. His mother is the former Bernice Bloomingcamp, daughter of Mrs. Minnie Bloomingcamp.

The Hornbrook fire department has now been reorganized. Residents are advised in case of fire to call:

B. T. Phillips, phone 2753; Hornbrook Garage, 3911; Robert C. Farmer, 3351; or George McCann, 2171.

For those responding to the fire alarms, the location of the fire may be determined by the following:

1 blast—Henley Way vicinity.

2 blasts—Center of town (old highway 99).

In the near future, a representative of the fire department will call at each house for a donation. Money so obtained will go toward the upkeep of the truck.

A dance and box social, to be sponsored by the 4-H club, will be held at the Grange hall Saturday, May 4, at 8 p. m. (DST.)

MADE TO FEEL AT HOME
Stillwater, Minn. — (U.P.) — When Richard Dardine, 21, came to visit a "friend" at the Washington county jail, deputies insisted that he make himself at home. The "friend" had implicated Dardine in a car prowling charge. The deputies had a cell waiting for him.



TERMS IT MURDER—Mrs. Alston P. Coughlin, mother of Pvt. Jerry L. Thomas, 18, of Alexandria, Va., one of six Marine recruits who died in a "disciplinary" march at Parris Island, termed the tragedy "nothing but murder."

Headaches Found In Automation

Chicago — (U.P.) —Automation has its headaches, a consultant on automation problems warned the American Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association.

"If you go automatic a piece at a time make sure the pieces fit together," James R. Bright warned. Don't let one poorly selected piece of automatic equipment limit the capacity of another."

Bright said manufacturers also must make sure that product demand is in line with what automation produces.

"There is no sense in producing more than can be sold, and automatic equipment is too expensive to be allowed to stand idle," he said.

Features of Mexico Scheduled for Study

Austin, Tex. — (U.P.) —Coastal features of a remote section of Mexico will be studied by University of Texas geographers this spring.

The expedition, sponsored by the office of Naval Research, will be headed by Dr. Donald B. Brand, chairman of the university's geography department, assisted by Pablo Guzman Rivas and Alfonso Gonzales Perez, doctoral candidates.

Army Ranks for Theology Students

Washington — (U.P.) —Theology students can now become second lieutenants while still in school.

Over a thousand Army commissions are available for potential chaplains who can qualify for appointment. They will be trained to fill vacancies in the Reserve and National Guard.

The Army said that in order to qualify for its "second lieutenant program" each candidate must:

1. Be a full-time student at a recognized seminary and be between the ages of 18 and 30.

2. Have completed 120 hours of undergraduate work and have the approval of his church denomination.

3. Agree to serve at least two years and meet the general requirements of a commissioned officer.

Since seniors can apply directly for commission as first lieutenants, this program is aimed at first and second-year students.

Summer Course
The Army said seniors who are not fully ordained after graduation can attend the Chaplain School at Fort Slocum, N.Y. It said they can train there after graduation for appointment as second lieutenants.

The eight-week summer course at the school is available both to graduates and undergraduates. The school also maintains an extension department for further studies.

Single students at the school get \$677 for the eight weeks of training while married ones receive about \$711. They also are given \$200 for uniform allowances and expenses to and from school.

After graduation, a reserve chaplain earns anywhere from \$500 to \$1,000 a year. The Army said it's possible to serve a civilian parish and train with the local reserve unit.

The Army wants qualified students who are interested to write to the Office, Chief of Chaplains, Department of the Army, Washington, 25, D. C.

FISH ON LAWN

Pontiac, Mich. — (U.P.) —Five fish, including a 17-inch sucker, were left by week end floods on the front lawn of Bob Hurst, a fisherman.

They'll Do It Every Time By Jimmy Hatlo

NOBODY SHE KNEW (DARN IT!) SAW MRS. TWERPINGTON WHEN SHE WAS SHOPPING AT THE BEST STORE IN TOWN...

WHY THERE'S MYNAH TWERPINGTON!

MYNAH! I DIDN'T KNOW YOU SHOPPED HERE...

WELL, LOOK WHO'S HERE!

Yankee Ingenuity Fixes Flood Damage

Worcester, Mass. — (U.P.) —A little fluid Yankee ingenuity was all it took to straighten out a 250,000-gallon storage tank that got knocked out during a flood.

The huge tank was raised from its foundation by rising water and when the floods subsided the tank was left completely askew with a serious list.

Plans for jacking up the tank and excavating beneath it were discarded on the belief the container wouldn't be able to take the strain. Likewise, efforts to sink the tank back to its foundations by filling it with water were unsuccessful because it didn't settle evenly.

The solution: A dike was constructed and an artificial lake was watered in to buoy up the tank which was hauled to one side while repairs were made to the foundations.

Then it was floated back to the foundations and when it was exactly over them, the artificial pond was drained and the tank dropped into sturdy and solid position once again.

Church Rector Drives Bus for Children

Rochester, N. Y. — (U.P.) —Msgr. Richard K. Burns never dreamed while serving nine years as vice rector of the North American College in Rome that some day he would be driving a bus.

But he found it necessary after he returned here to become pastor of St. Thomas Catholic Church parish.

When the parish school obtained two buses and put them into service transporting pupils, some difficulty was encountered in procuring drivers. When one quit, Msgr. Burns took it upon himself to learn bus operation from a Rochester Transit Corp. driver.

Then the Catholic pastor took over the wheel for a few weeks until a new driver could be obtained. He drove 14 miles daily transporting 144 youngsters to and from school.

"I never learned how to do this in Rome," he commented.

In exploratory drilling, only one well in five produces oil.



REBEL SEARCH—Light armored vehicle stands guard as French foot soldiers search village of Tablat, Algeria, for suspected rebels. More than 5000 French troops are reported to have streamed into Soumman Valley after 120 pro-French villagers were reported slaughtered by rebels.

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