

GOLD HILL Explorer Post Organized

By MRS. CLYDE KELL
Gold Hill—Explorer Post 43 was organized recently in Gold Hill for Boy Scouts 14 years of age and older.

The new post is sponsored by the Gold Hill VFW Post 7416. According to scout officials, it was through the efforts of Vaughn Whitmore that the charter for the new Explorer Post 43 was obtained. All boys in this area, 14 and over are invited to become members of the Explorer group even though they have not been a scout. The meetings are held Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m. in the scout hall.

Robert Schmidt is advisor to the group. Committee institutional representatives are James Martin, who is commander of the VFW Post, James Fisher, chairman, Adelbert "Mike" Taylor, Paul Molloy and Thomas White.

These boys who are now registered in the new Explorer group are Willard Waterhouse, Peter Dizick, Charles Johnson, John Elliott, Calvin Smith, Donald Fisher, Charles Bell Jr., Tom Richardson, Mark Schmidt, Richard Hammersley, and Wayne Oiso.

Galen Dizick accompanied four of the explorers on a camping trip over the weekend. They hiked 35 miles with packs of food on their backs. The purpose of the trip was to learn preparations to make for this type of hiking and camping. The boys covered the rugged country above Lake Creek including Chimney Rock, Clinax, Deer mountain, Sugar Loaf mountain and Fish Lake. Boys making the trip were Peter Dizick, Donald Fisher, Tom Richardson, and Mark Schmidt.

Past Noble Grand club of Amethyst Rebekah lodge will meet this Thursday, June 27 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lester Parker on Lampman rd. Mrs. Harry Newnam will be co-hostess.

Miss Mildred Gail arrived June 16 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gail. Miss Gail is a student at the University of Washington in Seattle, where she is majoring in studies of the far east.

Enroute home Miss Gail was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Day and their daughter, Miss Vickie Day in Salem.

John Payne of Sams Valley, and her son, Howard Payne, of Phoenix, Ore., have returned to their homes following a trip to Albany, Calif., where they were called by the illness of Frank Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Maerz and their daughter, Miss Anna Maerz, and their two sons, Larry and Kenneth, returned to their home Sunday following a trip over the weekend to Sacramento and other places along the coast.

Homecoming was observed at the last meeting of Amethyst Rebekah lodge Wednesday evening, June 19, in the LOOF hall, with Mrs. Lester Parker, Noble Grand, presiding.

Final plans were made for the official visit of the president of Rebekah Assembly, Mrs. Mary H. Barker. She will visit this lodge at a special meeting July 12.

Rebekahs who plan to attend the dinner for the president at the Dardanelle on that date are requested to call Mrs. Parker before July 5 so she can make the reservations. Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Parker at the Oaks motel.

It was also announced that a clean up day will be held at the hall all day on July 10. It will be a potluck affair and all Rebekahs are invited to come and help.

Plans were made at this meeting for the district convention

which will be held in Jacksonville on July 16.

The lodge approved the proposal to retain a delegate in the United Nations Pilgrimage, which was presented at this meeting by Ellsworth Robinson, special district deputy grand master for district 10. The pilgrimage is endorsed by the sovereign grand lodge and is sponsored by the Odd Fellows.

Mrs. Cecil Johnson was appointed by the noble grand to meet with delegates from the other Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges in district 10 who favor the proposition. This meeting will be held in Central Point July 29. Hayley Looney, chairman of the State Joint Youth committee will be present. There are 14 subordinate and Rebekah lodges in district 10, of which nine have approved the plan to sponsor a delegate to the pilgrimage. The other five lodges will be contacted soon.

Other visitors present for this meeting of Amethyst Rebekah lodge were Mrs. Jurusha Moore and Mrs. Hazel White, both members of the Grants Pass Rebekah lodge. They live in Rogue River. Mrs. Rena Palmerston of Rogue River was also present for this meeting. She is a past noble grand of this lodge, having been a resident of Gold Hill for many years.

Following the close of lodge a program was presented by Mrs. Walter McLean. Mrs. Norman Gail, good of the order chairman, presented decorated boxes containing birthday cards from the lodge and its members to four Rebekahs who will celebrate their birthdays in July. George Haft will be 90 years old in July. Mrs. Carrie Pahl and Mrs. Hannah Will both be 80 and Mrs. Nina Dusenberry will be 71.

Mrs. Parker was assisted with the decorations for this occasion by Mrs. Cecil Johnson, and Mrs. George Dorman. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Wilbur Martin, and Mrs. J. Les Graffis.

This was the last regular meeting of Amethyst lodge. July and August are vacation months. The next regular meeting will be held the first Wednesday in September.

Allan Martin arrived Monday evening, June 17, by plane from Seattle for a two weeks visit with relatives in Gold Hill. He is staying at the homes of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Martin and his father, Jim Martin, and family. Allan also spent two days visiting in Medford at the home of his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Novak.

A dinner was held June 18 in Allan's honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Martin. Present from Rogue River were his aunt, Mrs. Sid Baker and her three children, Judy, Jean and Jack. Mrs. Baker is the former Vernice Martin.

Cecil Johnson was injured in an accident at Medco in Medford on June 20. He was taken to the Sacred Heart hospital.

Mrs. Joe Buchanan has returned to her home from the Rogue Valley Memorial hospital. She was a surgery patient.

Mrs. Curtis Parker of Santa Rosa, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Nene Sordello and daughter, Sherry, and their two sons, Marty and Alan, from Tracy, Calif., were house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson the weekend of June 15 and 16. Mrs. Sordello is the former Elaine Parker. While in Gold Hill, they also visited in the homes of Mrs. Parker's mother, Mrs. Minnie Byerly, and a brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Force and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lamb and son, Russell, and their daughters, Carolyn and Susan attended



BACK ON THE JOB—President Eisenhower, virtually recovered from his stomach upset, displays his famous grin as he returns to his desk in his White House office.

SHADY COVE-TRAIL Program Given By Choir

Shady Cove—Trail—Residents of the area heard the 35-voice Renanaah choir of the Simpson Bible college of San Francisco when they presented a concert of sacred music on Friday evening, June 21, at the Assembly of God church in Shady Cove.

The choir was brought here through the sponsorship of the Trail Community church, of which the Rev. Ernest Evers is the pastor. Two members of the choir are from this area, Miss Claudia Ash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ash of Trail, and Floyd Evers, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Evers.

Both of these young people spoke briefly of their work at Simpson Bible college. The invocation was given by the Rev. Charles McClintic, pastor of the Assembly of God church in Shady Cove. Several quartet numbers were presented and Russell Marshall, director of the choir sang a special number. The Rev. P. S. Allen president of the Simpson Bible college gave a talk on the aims and work of the college and just what the opportunity of attending Simpson meant to the young people.

The members of the choir and others from the college were lodged in the homes of various church members overnight. Outstanding choral arrangements sung by the group included "Hallelujah, Amen" by Handel, "A Mighty Fortress is Our God" by Luther and a Negro spiritual "Good a Home in That Rock."

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jamison of Ontario, Calif., have been spending part of their vacation in the summer home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thompson, next to the Dolf Larsons in Shady Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burlingame, of Las Vegas have been visiting Mrs. Burlingame's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Spurgeon of Big Butte creek, Trail. Another guest of the Spurgeons has been Spurgeon's nephew, R. D. Wallace of Newton, Iowa.

Ray Mullen, of Shady Cove, is leaving to attend the summer session at the University of Oregon, where he will major in secondary education. Mrs. Mullen and children will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dailley in Talent.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rolland have moved to Keno, Ore., where Rolland is working on a job for

ed a family picnic held at the TouVelle park June 20. Others present were Mrs. Lela Lamb of Central Point, and her house guests from California. They were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pearl, from Fresno, and Mrs. Pearl's sisters, Miss Phyllis Harvey and Miss Gladys Harvey, of San Francisco.

The visitors left for their homes on June 21 after a two-day stay with their relatives in Central Point and Gold Hill.

Ray Zack, missionary to American Indians, presented a talk on problems and conditions of the Indians at the last meeting of the Women's Missionary Group of the Christian church. He serves the Indians at Tacoma, Bremerton, and Seattle, Wash.

Refreshments were served following the meeting by Mrs. Lester Behn, hostess for the affair, and Mrs. H. V. Munday, co-hostess. This meeting was held in the church. The next meeting of the group will be held the second Friday in July at the home of Mrs. Clarence Freeman.

Jim Martin was a patient June 19 in the Rogue Valley Memorial hospital in Medford, where he underwent surgery. He returned to his home the same day.

Mrs. Dale Smith is confined in the Rogue Valley Memorial hospital following major surgery June 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Martin of Upper River road, had this road in front of their homes oiled recently.

Bill Fink was among the local people confined in the Rogue Valley Memorial hospital last week.

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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vincent and family, of Shady Cove, are Bob's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vincent and Mr. and Mrs. George Eby, all of Oregon City. Also visiting the Vincent home is Homer Bowen of Yamhill, Ore. The Kenneth Vincents and George Eby attended the Lions convention in Medford as delegates from the Oregon City Lion's club. Kenneth Vincent is also chairman from district 4, zone 1, for the Lions.

W. R. Trusty and son, Billy Trusty, Jr., of Klamath Falls, spent a few days with Trusty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Trusty of Elk Creek, Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bryden and daughters, Sandra and Gail of Alton, Ill., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Bryden's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Miller, of Trail.

Donald McLachlin of Morro Bay, Calif., is visiting with John Peterson of Shady Cove.

The regular meeting of Our Lady of Fatima club will be held on Wednesday evening, June 26 at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish hall. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith and baby daughter, Katherine have moved from Shady Cove to Port Orford, Ore., where Smith is employed by the Bureau of Land Management.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Littlefield, of Shady Cove, spent the weekend visiting with Mrs. Littlefield's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dody of Coquille, Ore.

Frances Johnson of Shady Cove is leaving for Los Angeles the last of this week on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Chamberlain and family and Linda Eccleston of Shady Cove attended the rodeo in Montague, Calif. on Sunday.

Mrs. Lucile Allen, of Shady Cove, recently made a trip to Vancouver, Wash., Veteran's hospital where her father, Jesse Smith Sr., has been confined for several months following a heart attack. Smith accompanied his daughter back to Shady Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Madsen of St. Louis, Mo., have sold their property in St. Louis and are moving to this area to be near their sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelley and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gebhard, of Central Point. They are staying with the Kelleys for a few days until they can get located in Medford.

Mrs. Edwin Gebhard, of St. Louis, visited with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelley on Friday on her way to Central Point, where she will make her home. Mrs. Gebhard was married to Edwin Gebhard in February but remained for the school term in St. Louis where she was an instructor in fine arts at Normandy High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Arent and son, Michael, of Medford were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelley of Shady Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelley of Shady Cove entertained at their home recently, showing colored slides taken in Arizona. They also showed pictures of scenes in southern California taken by Alan Minter, of Long Beach, brother of Mrs. Earl Sheppard, who is visiting them at present. Guests were Mrs. Kelley's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. Madsen, of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sheppard and daughter, Carole, Bill Littlefield of Shady Cove and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Minter of Long Beach.

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ILLINOIS VALLEY 70 Girls Attend Day Camp

By HELEN BOTTEL
Cave Junction—More than 70 girls took part in Illinois Valley Day camp at Camp Chinquapin sponsored by the local Girl Scout organization.

Older girls worked on badges, while Brownies learned camp craft and outdoor cooking. Archery was a new feature this year.

Assisting Roi Colpitts and Lorene Yeargan at the camp were Ann Messenger, Marie Breckenridge, Peggy Kuil, Clara Basham, Virginia Steimer, Melva McDonald, Carol Costello, June Knight and Dorothy Pillier.

About 20 members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Veterans of World War I and the American Legion spent Sunday preparing the VFW grounds for the July 4 celebration sponsored by the three groups.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cross spent a recent weekend at Myrtle Creek where they visited Cross' sister, Mrs. Lexie McKnight. On Sunday, the Cross family had as dinner guests their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Cross of Grants Pass, and the Rev. and Mrs. John Utterback.

Mike Whitley, Robert Wright and Grant Dickey, all Illinois Valley High school students, have taken summer assignments as fire fighters at the Cave Guard station.

Manning the Kerby Peak lookout station is Ben Bleecher, the second man to take summer services on State Fire Patrol lookouts here. Martin Sachse is on Waldo Peak. Freida Thayer of Rockdale road has taken the station at King mountain, near the corner where Jackson, Josephine and Doug las counties meet.

Boy Scout Troop 70, reorganized recently under the leadership of Bob Breckenridge and his assistant Dave Chamberlain, has changed its weekly meeting date from Monday until Thursday. New officers are Stanton Kuil, patrol leader, Gary Campbell, assistant patrol leader, and Roddy Bottel, scribe. Dennis Bottel is senior patrol leader.

Visiting Dr. June Wilson is Ben Sheppard of Los Angeles.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Phillips in Cave Junction last week was Leon Bowerman of Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Johnson, owners of Q-Bar-X ranch, and Mr. and Mrs. Alec Latham of Woodstock, Calif., together with three grandchildren are spending a three-weeks vacation at the Kerby ranch.

Michael Byrne of Shelton, Wash., who attended St. Martin's

Cement Blocks Used In Apparent Suicide

Hollywood — Sheriff's deputies said today attorney S. S. (Sammy) Hahn, one of the "giants" of the legal profession in Southern California, apparently committed suicide by tying cement blocks around his neck and diving into a swimming pool.

The attorney's body was found Tuesday in the swimming pool behind Hahn's summer home in upper San Fernando Valley. Hahn, a famed criminal attorney, who represented many movie stars, reportedly had been in poor health for several years.

The 68-year-old attorney had represented the greats and the near-greats of the film industry for more than 40 years. Among his clients were the late evangelist Aimee Semple McPherson, Brian Donlevy, Julie London, Jean Wallace and the most recent, Jess Barker.

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