

JACKSONVILLE Rebekahs Hold Meeting

By BETTE HOSKINS

Jacksonville—The Rebekah club held its June meeting last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Albert Hackert. Desert luncheon was served on tables on the lawn to 21 members and several children.

A short business meeting was held and it was decided the next meeting would be held July 22 at the IOOF picnic grounds near McKee brogue. There will be a potluck luncheon at 12 noon. A fellow-member, reported to be quite ill, was Mrs. Ben Wertz, of 823 W. 10th street, Medford. She is unable to receive visitors.

The Jacksonville Presbyterian Fellowship group recently held an out-of-doors social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hall. The gathering was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sutherland of Sandy, Ore., who were former residents here. Sutherland was Jacksonville High school superintendent.

Approximately 60 guests were present to welcome them. Refreshments were served on tables outside and a wicker roast was held for the children present. The Sutherlands were here to visit a son in Central Point. During a short business meeting the group decided to sponsor a community ice cream social later this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McBeth recently announced the birth of a daughter, born June 13. The baby has been named Theresa Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bradley, of Cottage Grove, also have announced the birth of a son born June 18. He has been named Donald Allen. Mrs. Bradley is the former Frances Rumley, the daughter of Mrs. Anna Rumley, Jacksonville. Mrs. Rumley is also in Cottage Grove at this time helping care for the new arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wall last week held a combined birthday party and Fathers Day family gathering at Lake of the Woods resort. The birthdays being celebrated were those of Mrs. Wall's daughter, Mrs. Irene Neeley, who lives at the lake, and the Stevens' daughter, Betty Lou, who is an employee there. Other guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pfahl and their new daughter, Christie Sue, of Medford, and Neeley's uncle and wife Mr. and Mrs. Claude Neeley of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill left this week on a long-planned trip. They plan to visit relatives in California first and then go on throughout the east as far

as Florida. They will be gone at least 30 days.

Returning from a few days vacation trip were Mr. and Mrs. Milton James and sons, Pat and Henry. They visited Mt. Lassen National Park, saw the Lava beds and visited the wild life refuge in the lower Klamath Lake area. They followed the Modoc trail, saw the site of the Canby cross massacre in 1773, and took a drive through the Tulelake area.

After returning Pat to Horse Creek, Calif., where he is working, and staying at the home of his uncle Jesse Hamaker, Mr. and Mrs. James and Henry spent last week end at Lake of the Woods resort.

Mr. J. M. Patterson has sold his two homes here to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garner of Santa Monica, Calif., and plans to make his future home with his daughter, Mrs. George Mayfield and family of Encinitas, Calif. The Mayfields, former residents here, have purchased a home in Encinitas, Calif. Their new address is 837 Stratford drive. Mrs. George Mayfield, due to the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. M. M. Patterson, has also sold her home here on Sterling road, to a brother of Donald Garner. The younger Garners at this time live in Medford. Mrs. Mayfield, her daughter Carolyn and Patterson, left last week for Encinitas after completing the transactions.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Smith announced the arrival this week of a new grandson born June 25. The baby, named Loyal Gregory, weighed 9 1/4 pounds. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyal J. Smith, are Medford residents.

Mrs. Beulah Osborn recently took a vacation trip, accompanied by friends from Medford, to Palm Springs, Calif. They also visited Disneyland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bittle and son, Bobby, of Carlsbad, Calif., were last week visitors at the Lee Maddux residence. While here they all took a trip to Diamond Lake.

C. L. McKimmey of Mac's Second Hand store will close his business the first of July for three weeks while he makes a trip to British Columbia, Canada, to attend the wedding of his daughter, Verna McKimmey. En route to Canada he plans to visit Glacier National park in Montana and before returning home he will visit a brother in California.

Ray E. Wilson attended Medford Odd Fellows lodge last Tuesday evening. Birthday cakes were served honoring members



UP ANCHOR!—San Francisco school teacher Joy Sahagian takes over the wheel aboard the SS President Hoover as the ship prepares to sail on a cruise through the Orient. Joy won out over Bay Area school teachers in a voting contest for "Teacher of the Year." Her prize—the Orient trip aboard the Hoover.

American Soldier Faces French Trial

Paris—Army Specialist 3C De Wayne McOsker, 25, of Oakhill, W. Va., was held in a Paris prison today for trial before a French court in the fatal shooting of an Algerian. He could be executed by guillotine if convicted of the crime.

McOsker was charged with "voluntary manslaughter" in the death of Ahmed Llamini, an Algerian, during an argument in the famed Place Pigalle section of Paris on May 15. He has admitted the slaying and it was believed he would plead self-defense.

McOsker was turned over to French authorities for trial under the "status of forces" agreement in effect between the United States and France. The agreement provides for trial by a French court if a soldier is off duty at the time of the shooting and a French citizen is involved.

With June birthdays, Wilson celebrated his 75th birthday and his 54th year as a member of the lodge. Several members from the Jacksonville IOOF lodge attended with him.

Chessmen Get Faces As Russian Sculptor Remodels Design

By BILL BEST
United Press Correspondent

Hollywood — If prize-winning sculptor Peter Ganine has his way, the days of the "old fashioned" chess sets are numbered.

The "old fashioned" set was designed in 1849 by Howard Staunton, an Englishman, once continental chess champion.

But Ganine, a White Russian who fled Tiflis and the Communist revolution for the Belgian Congo in 1919, says "it's time for a change."

Staunton's set, with its familiar lath-turned and faceless queens, kings and bishops and its horse heads for knights, was the first successful standardized set designed for mass production. It took 20 years to achieve popularity. It was an historic event in the approximate 4,000-year history of the game.

Now Ganine, 57, after a wait of 22 years, believes the design that he sculpted back in 1935 and exhibited at the 1939 World's Fair in San Francisco, is about to become the second major design upheaval in chess history.

"We finally standardized it and have our molds and are in production," he said in his hillside studio overlooking downtown Hollywood.

"The demand is coming like hot-cakes," he added in his still-born Russian accent.

Made Of Plastic
"See, everyone's got a face," said Ganine. "So impersonal was Staunton's pieces. No features."

"One of the fundamentals of chess, one of its basic appeals is desire of human being to play God, to move people around like commander of armies. So you put face on chess pieces and you moving people around."

Even Ganine's castles have faces—female and "enigmatic because a castle is an enigma . . . you never know when you approach the castle whether drawbridge will be down or whether crossbows will shoot you from the parapet."

Why female?
"The French word for castle is 'la tour'—feminine gender."

Ganine's pawns look like a horde of Viking foot soldiers, strong impersonal visages that appear resigned to their fates.

His knights, also strong-featured, bear Trojan crests on their helmets. And his king is elderly and flirtatious queen.

"See," Ganine said, knocking two of the pieces together sharply. "plastic, solid plastic (melamine). They are heavy and have authority, and luminosity, too."

EAGLE POINT City Budget Approved

By MRS. THOMASINE SMITH
Eagle Point—The Budget committee of Eagle Point met with the city council Wednesday, June 26, and approved the budget for the fiscal year 1937-38. Members of the committee are chairman M. L. VanScoy, secretary Willard Cave, Fred W. Arens, Ed Putman, Roy Ashpole and Clarence P. Henderson.

City councilman Ray Barrow reports that specifications have been set up for oiling of some of Eagle Point's streets with bids being advertised for.

The city council of Eagle Point will meet in regular session Tuesday, July 2, at 8 p.m. with annexation of school property, vacationing of alley from second to fifth streets running through school property, and a sewage disposal system being the main topics of the evening. The council extended a special invitation for the public to attend the meeting.

The city volunteer fire department was called to the residence of Louis Culy, 12 south B street, Wednesday, June 26, at 6 a.m. The fire was confined to the flue with no damage reported.

Volunteer firemen serving for the City of Eagle Point are fire chief Elmer Kahl, assistant fire chief Elmer Harnish, Harold Otosen, Obie Bristow, Harold Claus, Odus Sweet, Art Besaw, Jim Leeuwenburg, Glenn Clymer, Lincoln Pence and Bennie Hefley.

Registration for the next swimming session at Hawthorne park will be taken at the high school office starting Tuesday. Those interested in enrolling are advised to sign up early.

The Desert Pegasus Riding club of Eagle Point returned from the Montague Junior Rodeo with many honors.

There were about 50 contestants entered in the rodeo. From Eagle Point Mike Blanchet and Mike Higday, a team in the calf scramble, won third prize of a ribbon and one dollar apiece. Dale West, Marsha Ackerman, Mike Blanchet, Mike Higday, and Laura Noble and Ricky Meyer won a buckle trophy each in the eight to 10 and 11 to 12 year bracket of the loose rope calf riding. Jim Ackerman received a sterling silver buckle and \$5 for first place in the 13-14 year class in the loose rope calf riding being the only one to ride the calf out to the whistle.

Bill Morgan took first place in the Texas barrel and stake race competing against 25 other contestants, and receiving ten dollars and a silver buckle. Others participating were Benny Sutton, Don Higday, Everett Moore and Regina Krambeal.

The youngsters, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn, camped Saturday night on the Klamath river.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Sutherland and daughter, Darlene, of VanNuys, Calif., are vacationing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Turnquist, Sutherland's father. Frank Sutherland, is a patient in the Domiciliary at Camp White.

The Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Pollock and Mrs. Vernon Ragsdale and children, Ricki and Vicki, returned June 24 from Ridge-way, Calif., where they attended the wedding of Robert Pollock and Pauline Lewis. The couple were married at the Naval Base in China Lake, Calif. The family are gone a week visiting relatives and friends at San Francisco, Cottonwood and Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Flores and four children, formerly of Medford, moved to Eagle Point Sunday, June 16. Mrs. Flores is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ragsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Perry and daughter, Phyllis, returned this past week from a trip to El Paso, Texas, where they visited their daughter, Pat Schaeffer and her husband. While there they journeyed in to Mexico. On their return trip home the Perrys stopped over in Idaho for a visit with a sister, Mrs. Sadie Hibbard, who was confined in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morgan from Portland were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lusk recently. Mr. and Mrs. Lusk made the return trip to Portland with the Morgans going by way of the coast. The Lusks reported lots of fish being caught at Winchester bay while they were there.

The Eagle Point Pee-Wee baseball team won their first game of the season against Ashland Thursday, June 27, by a score of 13-9. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holman of Eagle Point treated the hot but happy team to a coke following the game. The team is part of the summer recreation program under the direction of Art Thompson.

Jo Dell Hasey, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hertager, has been confined to her home this past week at the Hertagers, following an accident on her bicycle. JoDell was returning from a swimming party at Bonnie Goering's when she spilled on her bicycle, resulting in seven stitches around her knee cap.

DO NOT DISTURB
Mt. Clemens, Mich. — Thieves stripped William P. Brown's car of its tires and wheels while Brown was taking a nap inside.

Girard, Japanese Sweetheart Marry

Tokyo—Army Specialist 3C William S. Girard and his Japanese sweetheart Haru (Candy) Sueyama were married today without a ceremony and 40 miles apart.

Candy legally became married to the 21-year-old soldier from Ottawa, Ill., when she registered the match at the Akasaka Ward Office in Tokyo—the only action necessary under Japanese law which the United States recognizes.

Girard, the center of an international dispute, remained at Camp Whittington, 40 miles north of Tokyo, where he is confined pending outcome of a controversy over whether the United States or Japan should try him.

He is accused of accidentally killing a Japanese woman metal scavenger on a U.S. Army firing range.

Girard and Candy plan a church wedding on Friday, the

Japanese girl's 29th birthday. Girard is 21. The ceremony will be at Camp Whittington, and because Girard is confined to base a honeymoon is not possible.

Ithaca, N. Y. — A Whal-lace Co. truck driver finally realized why firemen, who were driving their engine next to his truck, were yelling, waving their arms and ringing the bell. His own truck was aflame.

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