

Potpourri

Six-year-old Harry Vanikiotis, who attends Roosevelt school, did double duty for the UNICEF collection on Halloween. He not only collected coins which will be used to buy food and medicine for less fortunate youngsters in other countries, but helped the committee at Roosevelt school to count "the take."

Harry is experienced in counting money, too. When the family lived in Portland, his father, Nicholas Vanikiotis, was on the board of directors of the Portland Greek Orthodox church and one of his duties was to count the collection after church services. His small son soon learned to help, enjoys arithmetic problems and seldom makes a mistake.

Harry and his father flew to Portland Friday night, but the little boy went with an empty wallet. He had added his weekly allowance money to the UNICEF fund Thursday night.

Harry, named for his grandfather, was christened Aristides. But since his grandfather had used the simpler name of Harry, the little boy is also called by that name. His father, named Nicholas Aristides Vanikiotis, served with a special Greek group during World War II and was with the OSS during the time a wrong move meant death. In days to come, he will be able to tell thrilling stories for Harry and his younger brother, John, now 3.

Since there is no Greek Orthodox church in Medford, the family often goes to Portland for the week end in order to attend church. Too, they have attended three family weddings in recent months and small Harry served as ring-bearer at all three ceremonies. Taking his duties seriously, he stood for the entire 40 minute ceremony each time. When the Vanikiotis family is in Medford on Sunday, the little boy attends St. Mark's Episcopal church.

A group of student dancers from Medford and California, in San Francisco for a ballet seminar last week end, had a mighty busy time. They attended classes, went sight-seeing in China Town and at Fisherman's Wharf, watched a Latin-American dance revue in a night club, toured the USS Pickett which was docked in the San Francisco harbor, toured the quarters of the San Francisco Ballet company—and hunted Elvis Presley in their spare time. The dancers were successful in everything but finding Elvis. The teen-age idol was registered at the Mark Hopkins hotel, where the girls were staying, but they never even had so much as a glimpse of him. Their teacher, Colleen Hope, reported that the Presley Project was highly entertaining, though unwarding.

"Why is it," asked EA of Potpourri last week, "that whenever you have a picture taken you look as if you were about to die?" Sadly we agreed that we did look pretty droopy in the picture taken for the League of Women Voters. Not because we're unhappy about the league, since the group has a high Potpourri rating.

Long, long ago when the two of us lived in Spokane, we joined the league, a new group just getting a start in that city. During our stay in Spokane we worked hard in the group, served on the board and learned a lot about government and politics. So, when Mrs. Leonard Carpenter called one day and asked if we'd like to become a charter member of the Medford group, we eagerly did so. Some of the early league memories have disappeared in the mists of the years, but the first meeting we attended during the process of organization we'll never, never forget. Mrs. Carpenter, or someone, handed us a document to read, and we did so. Later it was tactfully pointed out by another woman that one word, which occurred again and again, had been mispronounced every single time.

A presswoman's account of how the press reacted to Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip was written by Ruth Lloyd of Jours de France and WNS. Her best anecdote concerns Gael Greene, described as "the New York Post 23-year-old staffer who towers over everyone but Philip." Mrs. Greene was with a group of girls gathered in the doorway of the Williamsburg Inn for a promised glimpse of the royal pair. Resolved to keep her front row spot, but unwilling to obstruct the view of others not so tall, she settled herself on her knees.

When the Queen and Prince Philip passed by he gave Gael a grin and asked "Are you praying?" — O.S.

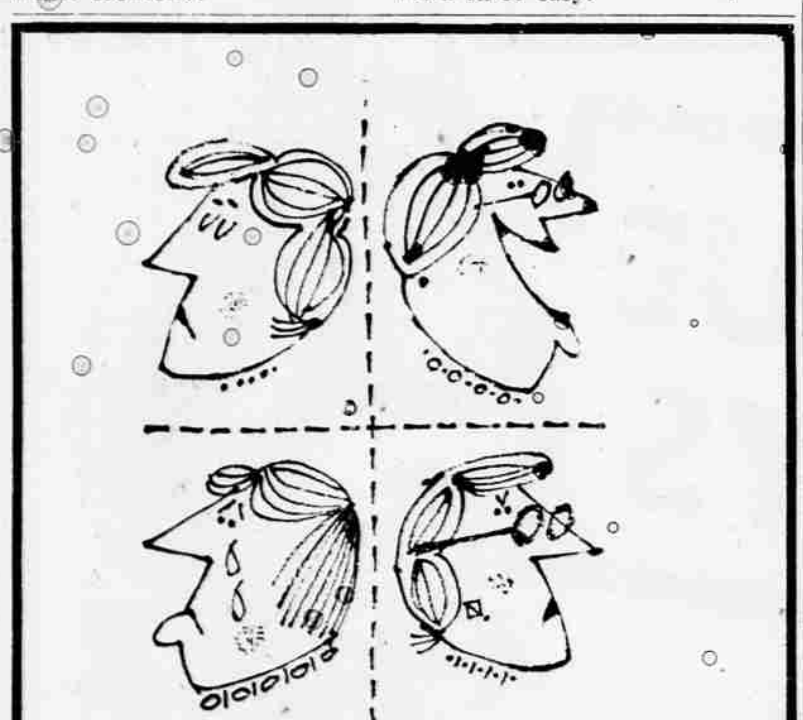
Dance at Camp

Ladies auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Department of Oregon, plans a dance at the Camp White domiciliary Monday, Nov. 8 at 8 p.m. in the theatre.

Those needing transportation may take the bus at the Trailways Depot at 7:30 p.m. Music will be furnished by the Camp White orchestra.

Fruit Parfait

A colorful and refreshing dessert is this fruit filled parfait. Place a scoop of vanilla ice cream in a sherbet dish or parfait glass. Next add a generous spoonful or two of defrosted frozen peaches. Add another scoop of ice cream and top with a generous helping of defrosted frozen raspberries. It's glamorous, wonderfully fresh flavored and oh so easy.



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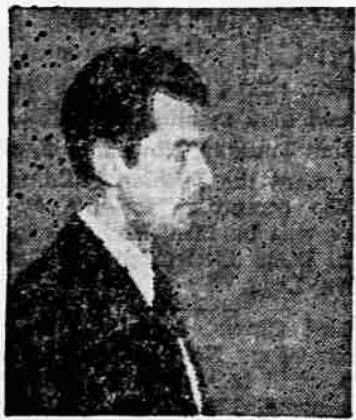
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Baron to Speak For Two Groups

Baron Hans de Meiss-Teuffen will speak for both valley Knife and Fork clubs this week. The Swiss nobleman will be the guest of Rogue River Valley Knife and Fork club at a dinner meeting Thursday, November 7, at Rogue Valley Country club, Medford. Friday, November 8, he will speak for Siskiyou Knife and Fork club, Ashland, at dinner in the Elk's lounge.

Reservations for the Medford dinner are to be made no later than Monday, November 4, with Mrs. Richard House, 15 Corning court. Siskiyou members are to make their reservations with William Dawkins, P. O. Box 4, Ashland, no later than Wednesday.

The speaker's topic will be "Born to Adventure."

Meeting Planned By Parents' Club Monday Evening

St. Mary's Grade School Parents' club will meet Monday, November 4, at 8 p.m., in the activities room of the school.

Jack Kerr, club president, stated he is expecting a large attendance. A prize will be awarded again to the room with best parent representation. Final plans for the spaghetti dinner to be served Monday, November 11, will be announced and the Advent wreath and candied apple projects will be discussed.

Of particular interest to the fathers, according to athletic chairman Lee Meeker, will be a discussion of the grade school boys' athletic program and its needs.

At Tuesday's meeting of the club executive board, Mr. Kerr announced that Mrs. Al Carrara is general chairman of the spaghetti dinner committee, with James Dunlevy handling publicity and Frank Dorigan in charge of tickets. Room mothers of both St. Mary's grade and high schools met Tuesday morning for coffee and to make plans for their work on the coming projects.

Mrs. John Jensen, chairman of room mothers, announced that the following are room mothers for the grade school: Mrs. Leonard Howe, first grade; Mrs. Al Carrara and Mrs. Vincent Nicoletti, first and second grade; Mrs. John Jensen, second grade; Mrs. Frank Grilch, third grade; Mrs. Oscar Halboth, third and fourth grades; Mrs. Darrell Leavens, fourth and fifth grades; Mrs. Florian Shasky, fifth grade; Mrs. A. W. Adams, sixth grade; Mrs. Quentin Lewis, seventh grade; and Mrs. John Snider, eighth grade.

Members Honored By IOOF Lodge

Medford lodge International Order of Odd Fellows, served birthday cakes on the evening of October 29 in honor of O. H. Bengtson, B. O. Wyant, Lynn Cram, T. W. Kinchen, C. J. Pearson and Henry Guss.

Plans are being made for the official visit of Roy Terney, grand master of Oregon.

George Wimer spoke of his vacation trip and of his struggle to obtain tickets to one of the world series games.

Consumer and Credit Buying To Be Extension Units Topic

Five Home Extension units will meet Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday of this week to hear project lessons on "Understanding Consumer and Credit Buying."

Reese Creek unit will meet Tuesday, November 5, at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. James L. Duncan, Ball road. The lesson will be presented by Mrs. Clifford Moore and Mrs. D. F. Stephenson.

Anyone with interesting home made Christmas decorations is asked to take them to the meeting. All women in the neighborhood are invited to attend. If transportation is needed, members are to call Mrs. Duncan at Hillcrest 6-3918. Child care will be provided.

Butte Falls Club Names Chairmen; Projects Planned

Butte Falls — The October meeting of Butte Falls Lions' auxiliary was held Tuesday evening at Scotties' cafe to acquaint new members with the various aspects of club procedure, and Lionism. Mrs. Glenn Cathey presided. One hundred per cent attendance was recorded for present members and there were four prospective members in attendance. These were Mrs. Randall Perkins, Mrs. Keith Johnson, Mrs. Robert Wells and Mrs. Robert Cupples.

Committee chairmen appointed for the fiscal year were Mrs. William Harris, publicity; Mrs. Al Hartlerode, sunshine and scrapbook; Mrs. Ernest Smith, welfare; Mrs. Bruce Pingle, social and program; Mrs. Robert Cupples, ways and means; Mrs. Page Stauffer, hostess; Mrs. Al Hartlerode, Mrs. Bruce Pingle, Mrs. Robert Harris and Mrs. F. E. Poole, audit; Mrs. Randall Perkins and Mrs. Wells, project. Each of these committees will have two additional committee members.

One of the many projects of the club has been to give aid and assistance to burned out families. To further this aim, Mrs. Hartlerode has donated a quilting frame to the organization.

Potluck dinners have been changed to family night rather than husband and wife events. Each parent will be responsible for the children. The monthly dinner will be followed by entertainment.

Among the many projects discussed were selection of secret pals in January and a bazaar in November. A front view picture of the high school will be taken as soon as possible for a picture project. Last year the Lady Lions undertook the grade school as a picture project and it proved most successful. Now the club will do the high school to complete the set.

An initiation ceremony will be prepared by the executive board and will be performed at the next potluck dinner meeting as part of the evening's program.

Mrs. Bruce Pingle announced that she would hold the next "jalopy brunch" and will notify members later as to time and date.

Mrs. F. E. Poole, treasurer, announced that dues must be in by November 15.

DAV, Auxiliary To Hold Dinner

Jackson County chapter, Disabled American Veterans, and the auxiliary will hold a spaghetti dinner at the Red Cross building Friday, November 8; at 6:30 p.m. Dinner will be followed by entertainment.

Past Commanders' club of the DAV auxiliary will meet Tuesday evening, November 5, at the home of Mrs. Harvey Cassman, Central Point.

Mrs. James Lillie will be hostess for a meeting of the sewing club November 7 at her home, 1172 North Central ave.

Group Will Wrap Christmas Gifts

Medford Lady Lions will meet at the home of Mrs. Clyde Webb, 915 Reddy avenue, Tuesday, November 5 at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Louis Ruhl and Mrs. Earl Courtney will assist the hostess. Members are reminded to bring jewelry or other items for teenage Christmas gifts. These items are to be wrapped at this meeting.

Lodge to Hear Meeting Report

Proceedings of the recent convention of the grand lodge, Oregon Knights of Pythias, at Portland, will be heard at a meeting tomorrow night of Tallmen lodge, in the Pythian building, starting at 8 p.m., stated James O'Duane, chancellor commander. Past Grand Prelate Roland G. Beach, Medford's delegate to the annual session this year will give a full report to the members.

coffee and a social hour will follow.

The task at hand was conferred upon two candidates at last Monday's meeting. His members from Thompsonville lodge, Grand Pass, including Junior Post Grand, Chancellor High Weigh, assisted in the ceremony. Date for the acquire rank ceremony will be announced at tomorrow's meeting.

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